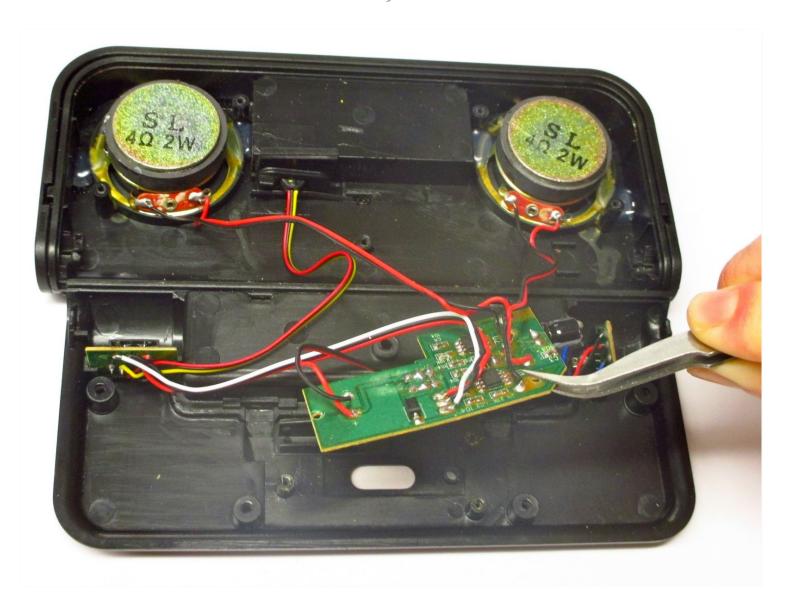


# iHip Fold-up Portable Speaker Motherboard Replacement

This guide will walk you through how to replace...

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

This guide will walk you through how to replace the motherboard of the iHip Fold-Up Portable Speaker.

## TOOLS:

Phillips #1 Screwdriver (1) Tweezers (1) Portable Soldering Iron (1) Utility Scissors (1) Soldering Wire (1)

# PARTS:

iHip Portable Speaker Motherboard (1)

## Step 1 — Motherboard







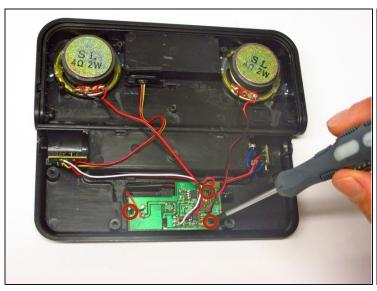
- Place the device on a flat surface as shown.
- Remove the battery case cover and batteries.

# Step 2



- Using a Phillips-Head #1 screwdriver, unscrew the four outer 1.0 mm screws and remove with <u>tweezers</u>.
- Unscrew the 0.6 mm screw located in the center of the battery case.
- Remove the back cover carefully; there are many wires that connect it to the device.
- (i) Keep the 1.0 mm and 0.6 mm screws separate from each other for reassembly.

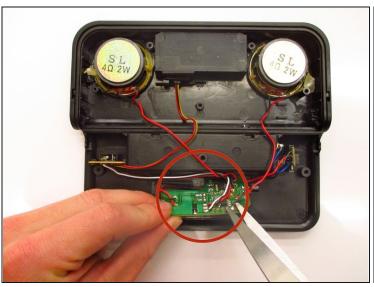
## Step 3 — Unscrewing the Motherboard





- (i) Observe the location of the motherboard at the bottom center of the back cover.
- Using a Phillips-Head #1 screwdriver, carefully unscrew all three 0.4 mm screws from the indicated locations. Set aside for reassembly.
- Using tweezers, gently remove the motherboard from the back cover of the device.

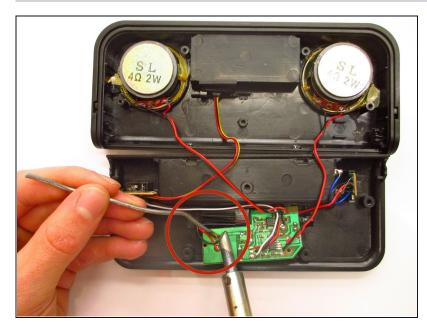
# Step 4 — Cutting the Wires





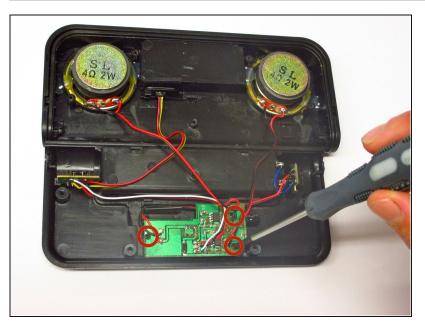
- *i* Note the connection point of each wire to the motherboard.
- Using utility scissors, cut all the wires connecting the motherboard to the device.
- Using tweezers, place the new motherboard in the exact position of the old motherboard.

#### Step 5 — Soldering the Wires



- A Read the manufacturer instructions for your specific soldering iron before use. Follow all safety instructions and solder at your own risk.
- Position a strip of solder at the point of contact between the motherboard and each individual wire.
- Solder the wires to the motherboard. Make sure to follow the manufacturer's instructions, as well as general soldering safety principles.

#### Step 6 — Securing the New Motherboard



Using a Phillips-Head #1
screwdriver, screw the original
0.4 mm screws into the correct
places to secure the
motherboard back in place.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.