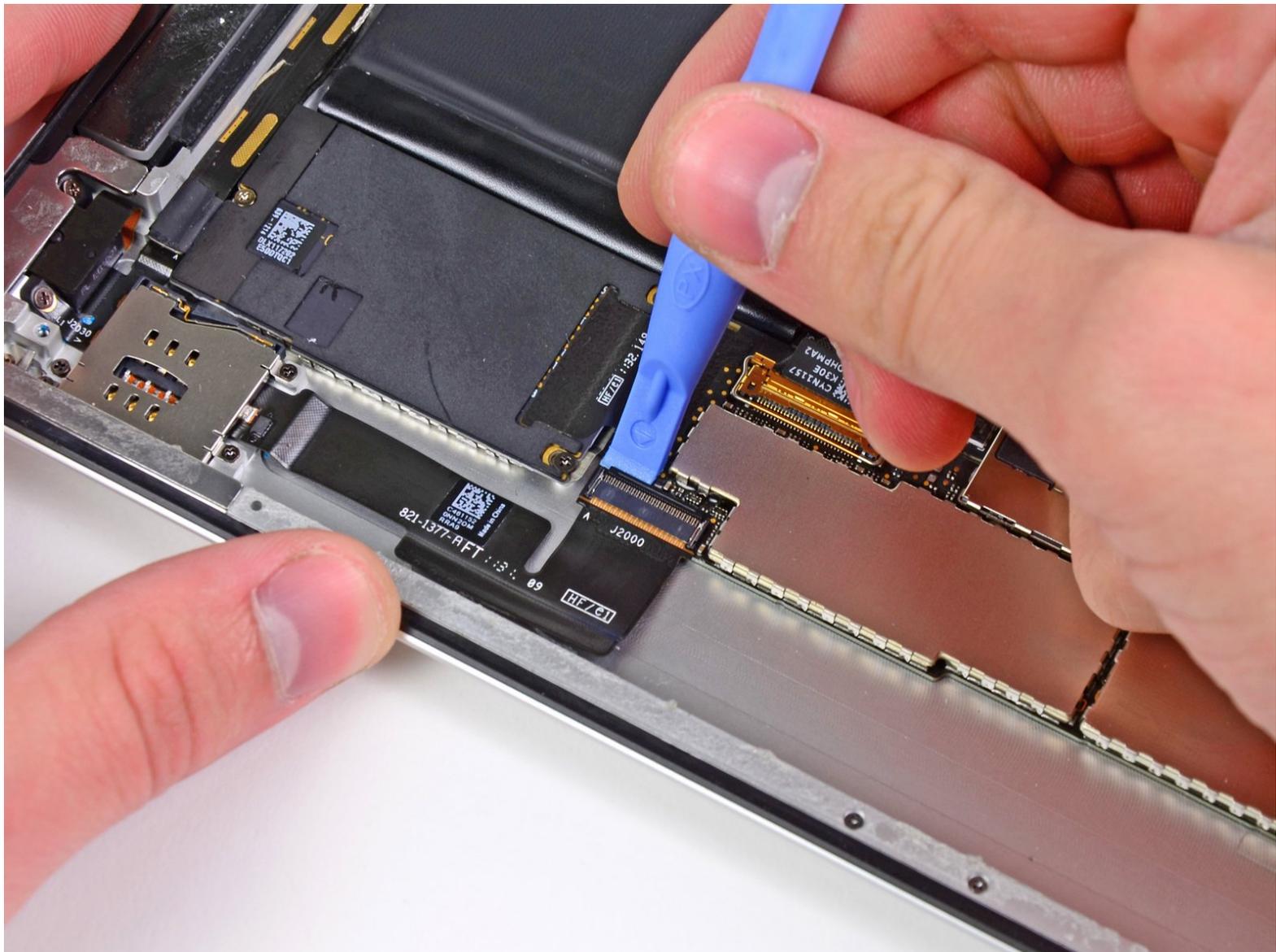




# iPad 2 GSM Headphone Jack & SIM Slot Replacement

Internal removal with front panel already removed.

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## INTRODUCTION

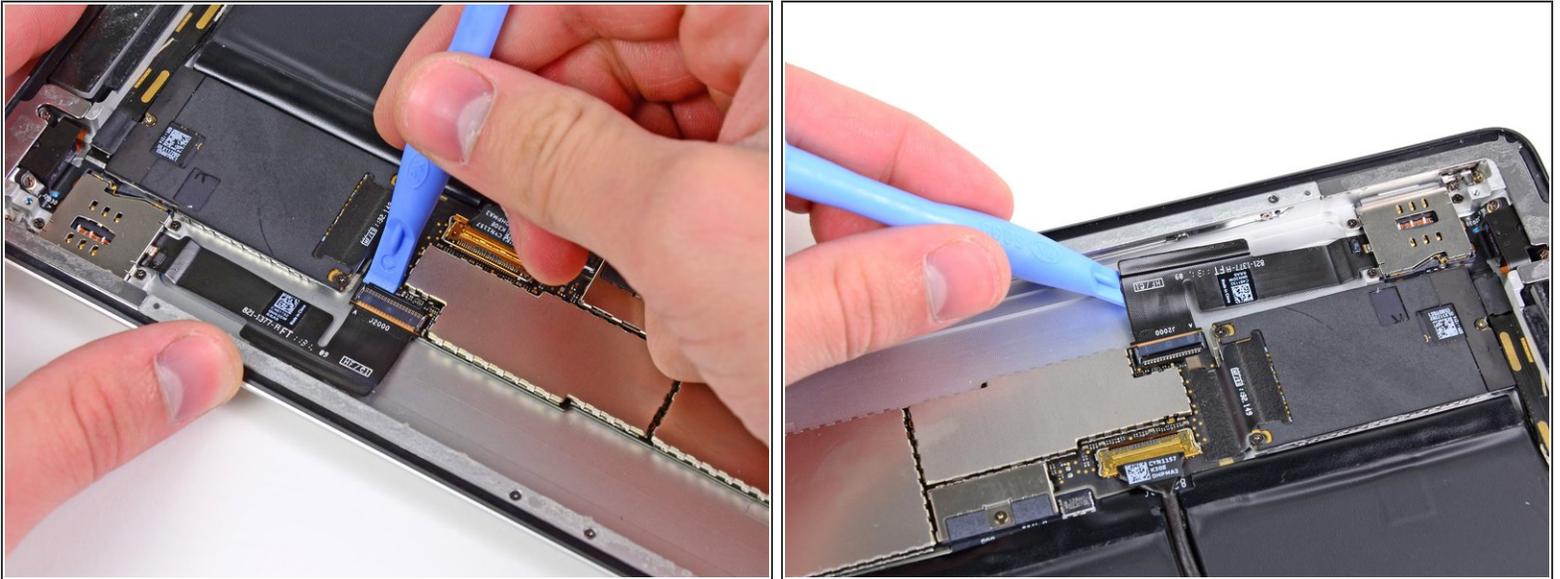
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### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Headphone Jack & SIM Slot

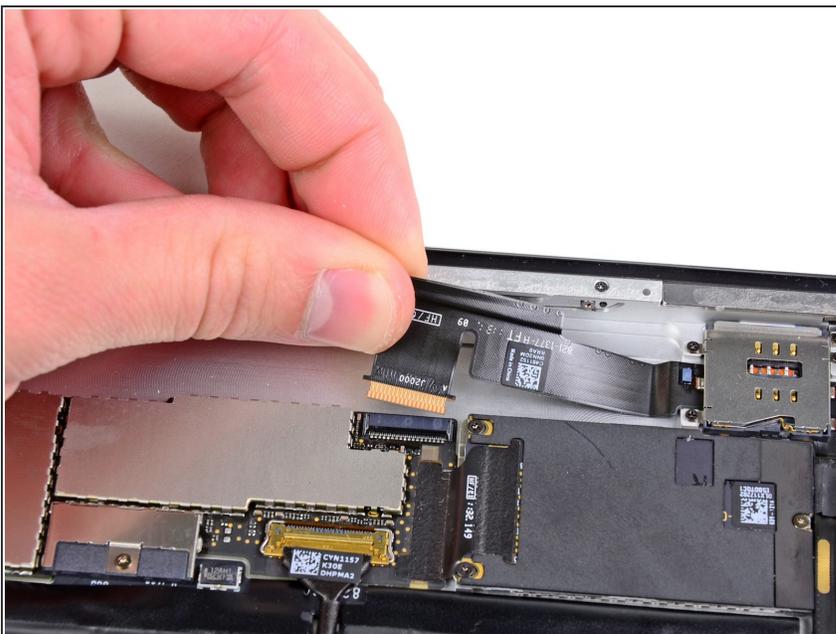


- Use the edge of a plastic opening tool to flip up the retaining flap on the headphone jack and front camera cable ZIF socket.

⚠ Be sure you are prying upward on the hinged retaining flap, **not** the socket itself.

- Peel the headphone jack and front camera cable off the rear case.

## Step 2



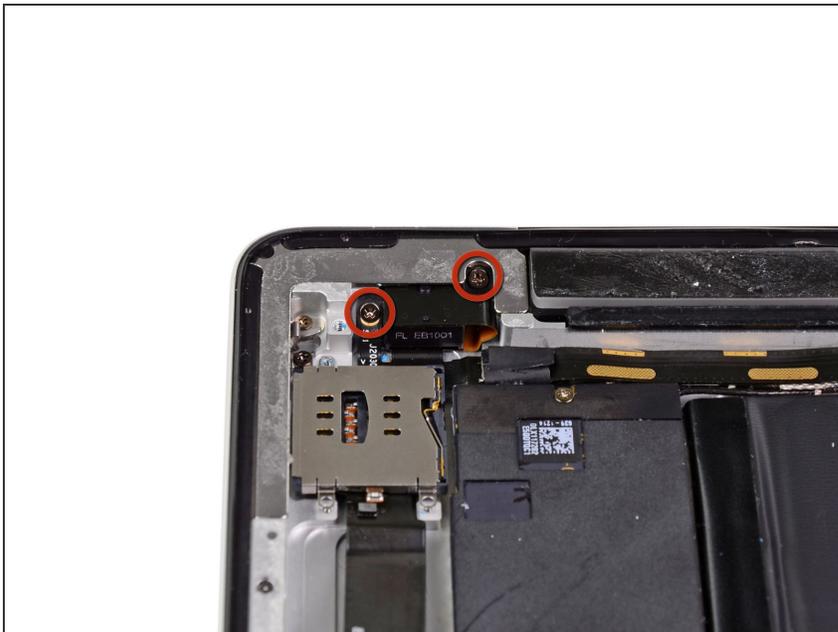
- Pull the headphone jack and front camera ribbon cable straight out of its socket on the logic board.

### Step 3



- Remove the three 2 mm Phillips screws securing the SIM card slot to the rear panel.

### Step 4



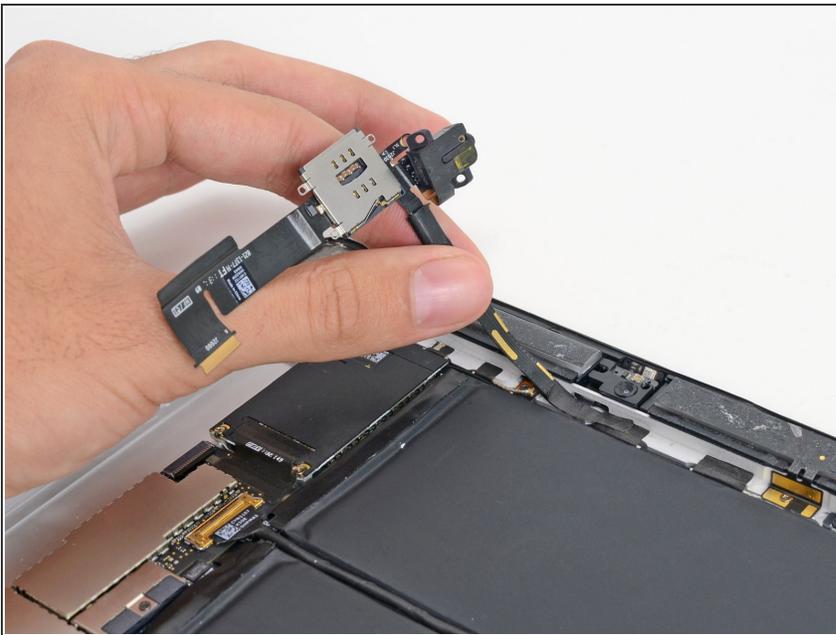
- Remove the two 2.9 mm Phillips screws securing the headphone jack to the top edge of the rear panel.

## Step 5



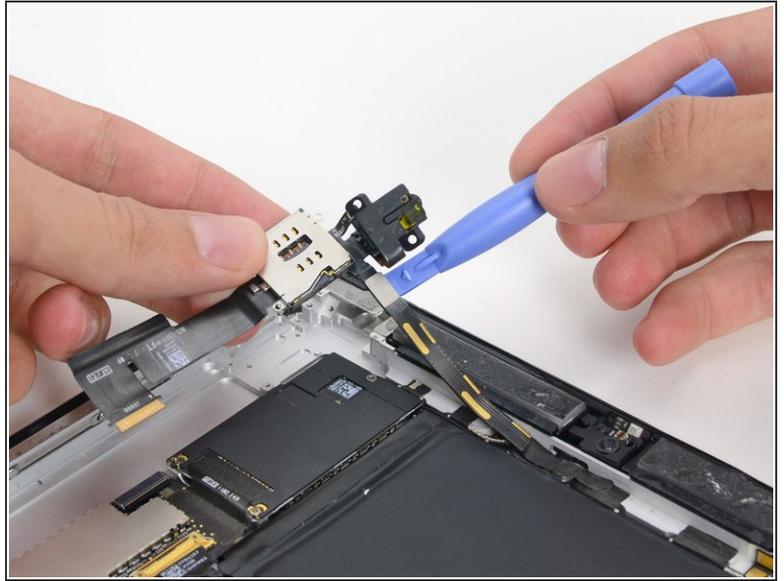
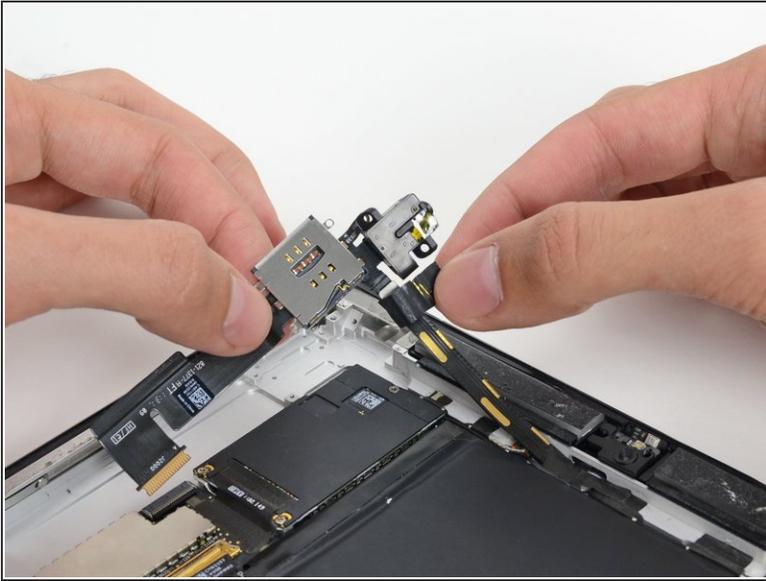
- Use a plastic opening tool to help pull the headphone jack out of its recess in the top of the rear panel.
- ⚠ Don't try to remove the assembly just yet, the ribbon cables are still connected.

## Step 6



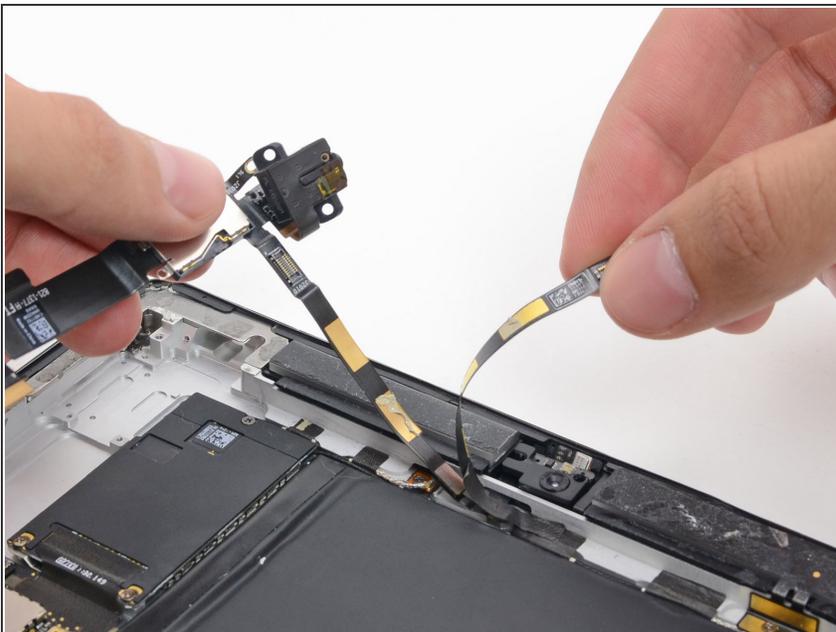
- Peel the front camera and microphone cables off the rear panel.

## Step 7



- Carefully remove the strip of tape covering the front camera cable connector.
- Use a plastic opening tool to disconnect the front camera cable from the microphone cable immediately below it.

## Step 8



- Peel the front camera cable off the microphone cable.

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