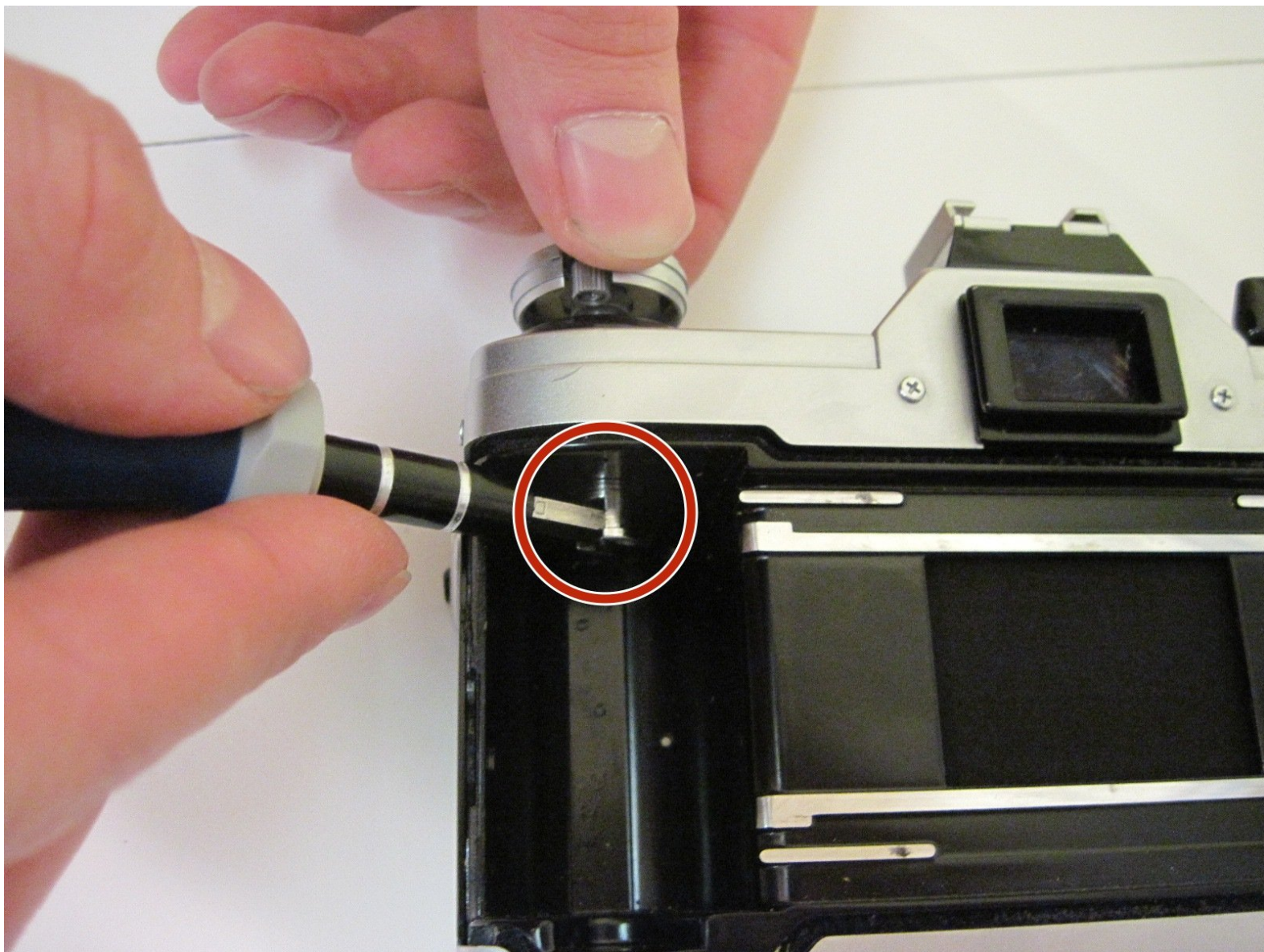




Canon AE-1 Film Rewind Crank Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

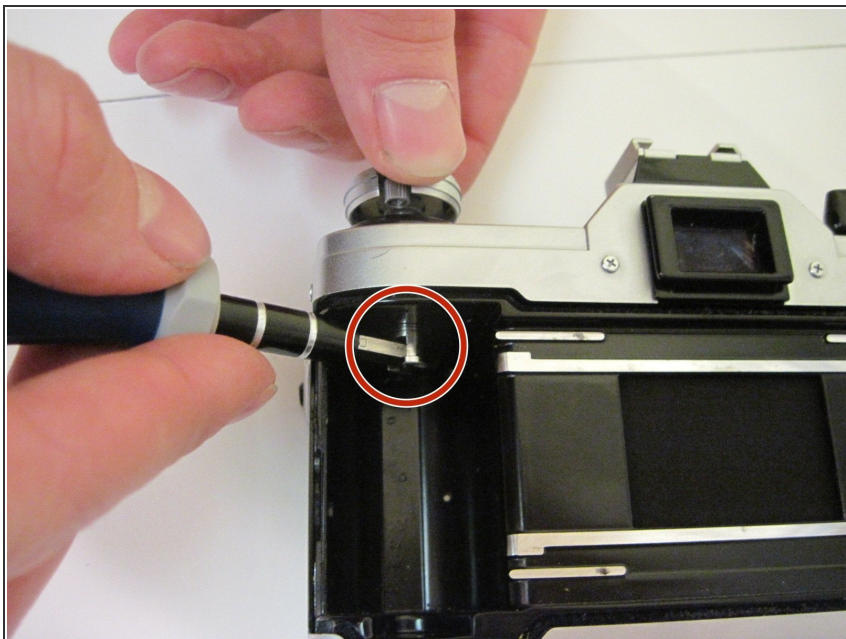
This guide will teach a user how to replace a broken film rewind crank on the Canon AE-1 SLR. The film rewind crank allows the photographer to reel film back into its container once all exposures have been shot so that the film can be developed.



TOOLS:

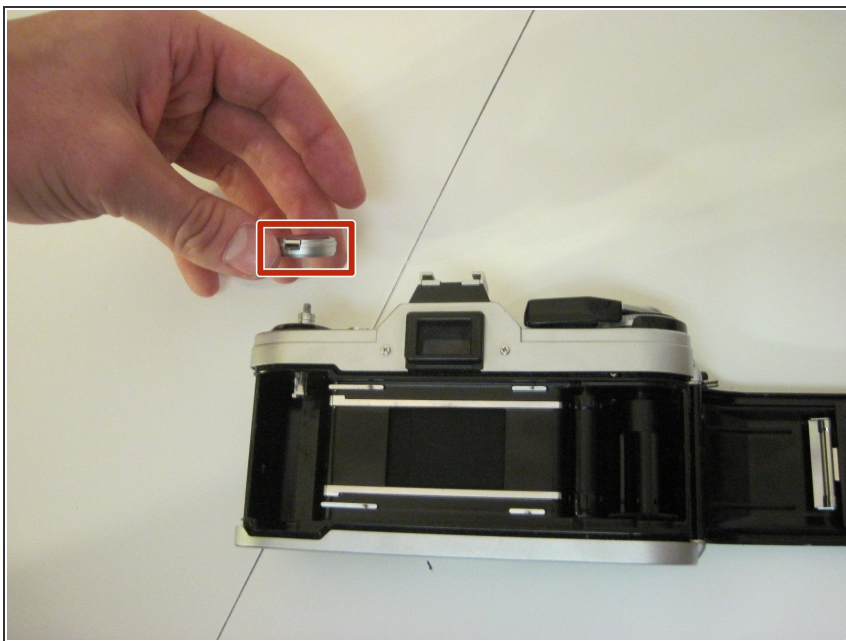
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [Flathead 3/32" or 2.5 mm Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Film Rewind Crank



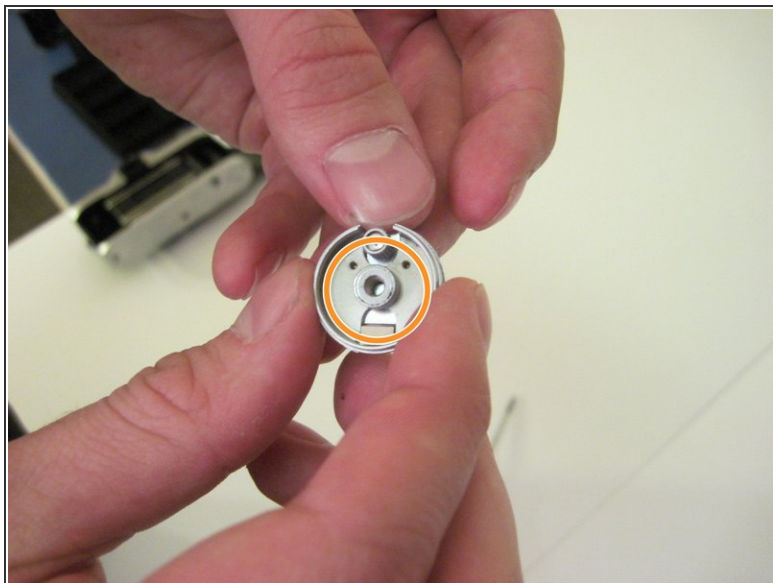
- Open the film compartment and place the screwdriver in the the slot to keep the shaft from moving.

Step 2



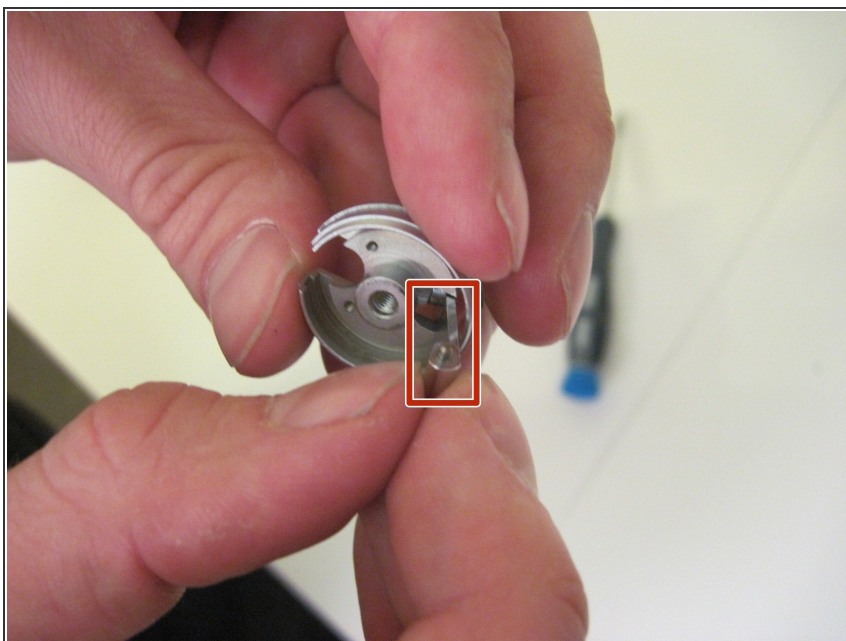
- Remove the crank by rotating it counter-clockwise.

Step 3



- Remove two phillips screws
- With the screws removed, the silver plate can now be removed as well.

Step 4



- Remove the film rewind crank.

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