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Sony Xperia Z1 Compact Back Cover Replacement

This guide will replace the back cover of the Sony Xpreia Z1 Compact.

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INTRODUCTION

The back of the phone can become worn or cracked with continued use. This guide will show you how to remove the back cover of the device.

TOOLS:

- Suction Handle (1)
- Heat Gun (1)
- iFixit Opening Tools (1)

PARTS:

- Sony Xperia Z1 Compact Back Cover Adhesive (1)
- Sony Xperia Z1 Compact Back Cover (1)

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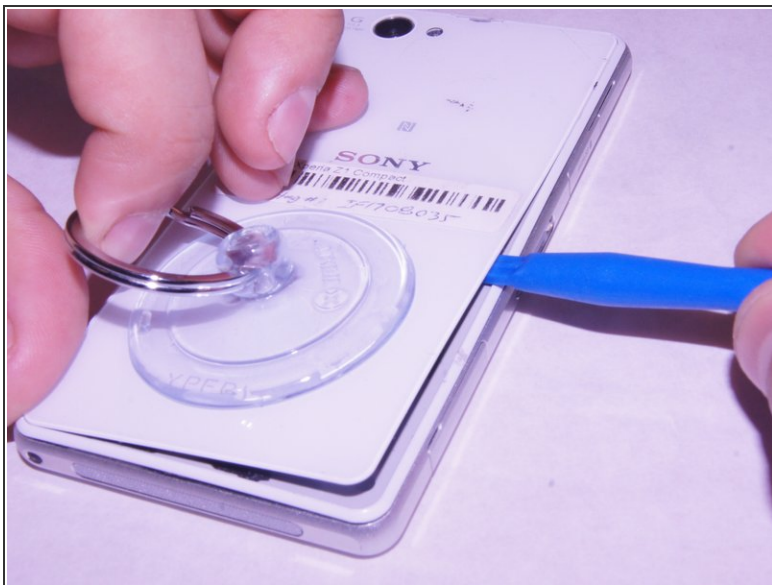
Step 1 — Back Cover

- Heat along the edges of the back cover using a heat gun to soften the glue.

Step 2

- Attach the small suction cup to the back cover near the bottom of the phone.

- Pull up on the suction cup and insert the plastic opening tool in between the back cover and the rest of the phone.

Step 3

- Move the spudger around the edge of the back cover to separate it from the black adhesive.

- (i) Separating the back cover from the rest of the phone ruins the adhesive which makes it no longer waterproof.

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

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