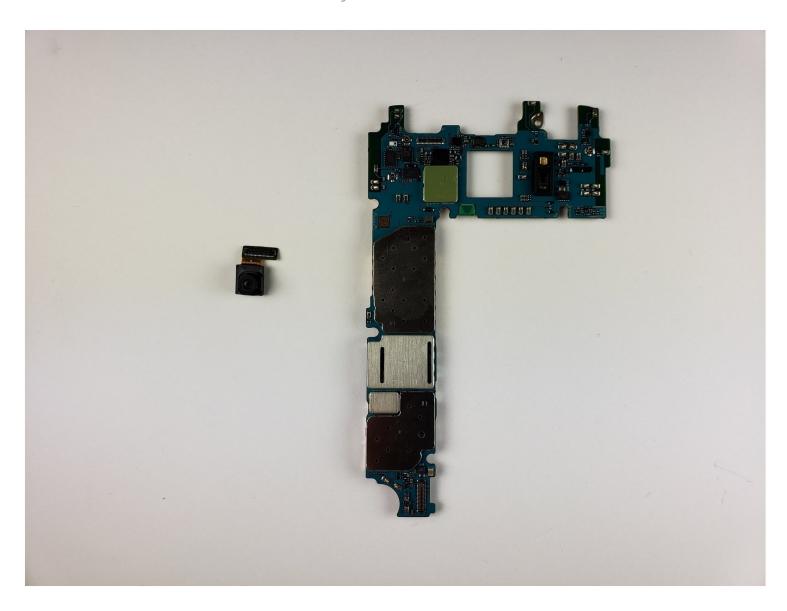


Samsung Galaxy S7 Active Front Camera Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will show you how to replace the Samsung Galaxy S7 Active front camera.

TOOLS:

Hair Dryer (1)

Heat Gun (1)

Metal Spudger (1)

Tweezers (1)

Phillips #000 Screwdriver (1)

Step 1 — Samsung Galaxy S7 Active Disassembly

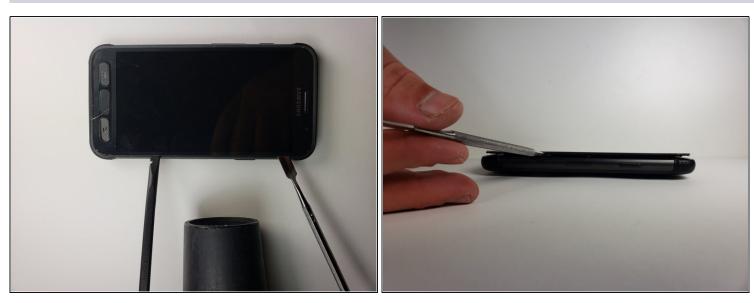


- Melt the adhesive on the screen by applying a blow dryer directly on the screen.
- ⚠ Your phone is hot, please do not touch it with your bare hand.

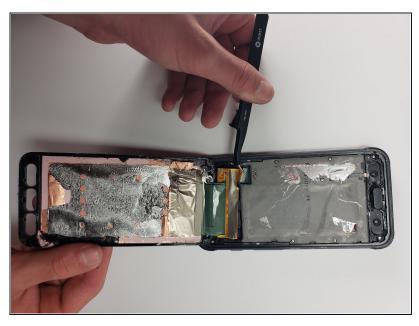


- Wedge the metal spudger in between the screen and the frame to begin separating them.
- i It would be easier to separate the screen from the sealing adhesive on the frame if you with more than one metal spudger.
- i Your phone might no longer be watertight after you reassemble it.

Step 3

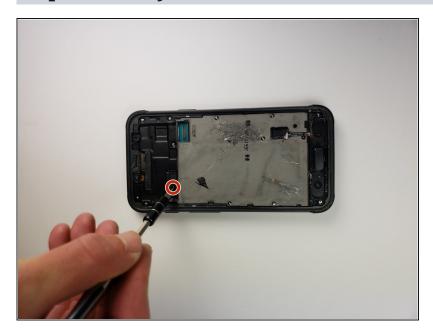


- Slide the metal spudger around the phone at least once.
- i It would be easier to slide your metal spudger if you apply the blow dryer to where you are currently sliding.

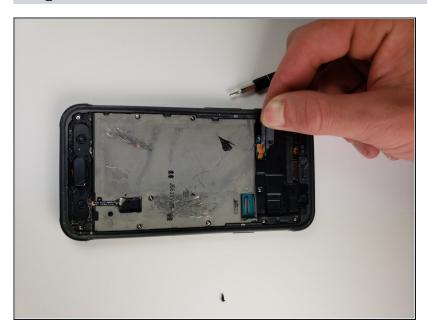


- Lift the screen up with your hands.
- ⚠ Please wash your hands thoroughly with hot water and soap after you finish.

Step 5 — Battery

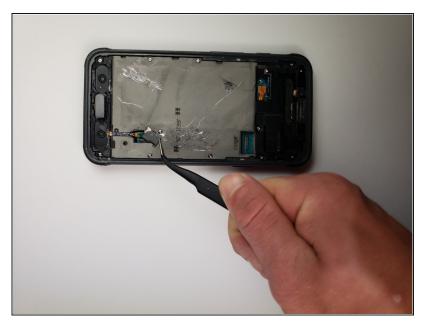


 Use a Phillips #000 screwdriver to remove a single screw.

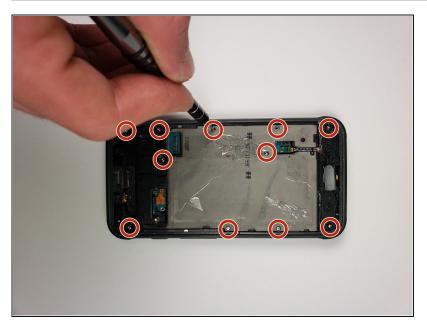


 Use <u>tweezers</u> to remove the small plastic cover you just unscrewed.

Step 7



• Use tweezers to remove the other small plastic cover.

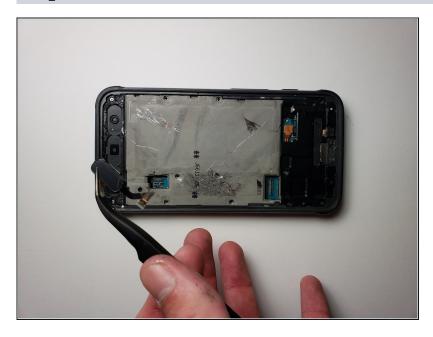


 Use a Phillips head #000 to take out the eleven screws marked in the photo.

Step 9



 Use tweezers to disconnect the marked pieces from the motherboard.



 Use tweezers to take out the middle button and its connection to the motherboard.

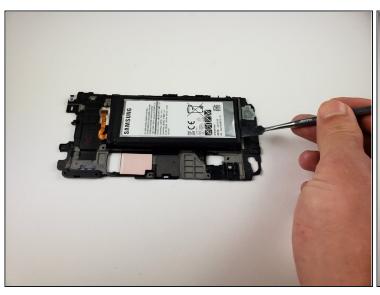
Step 11

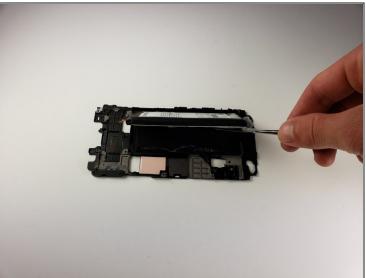






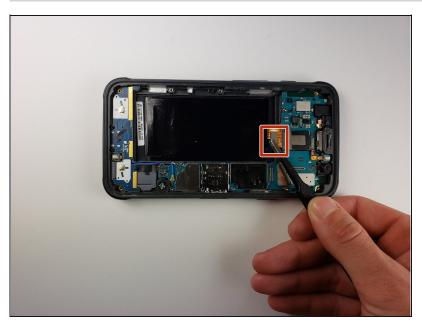
• Use a metal spudger to pull the mid frame and battery off of the motherboard.





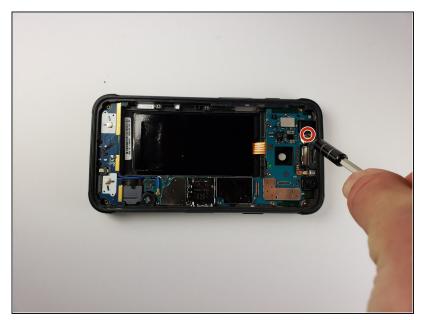
- Use a spudger to remove the battery from the midframe.
- To install a new battery and adhesive, <u>follow this guide</u>.

Step 13 — Rear Camera



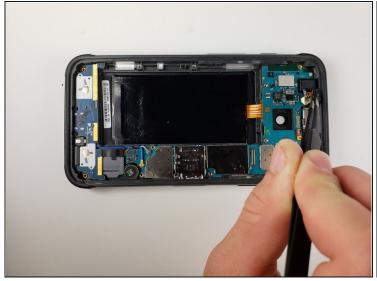
- Use <u>tweezers</u> to disconnect the front camera from the battery.
- *i* The connector should unsnap similar to a lego piece.

Step 14 — Motherboard



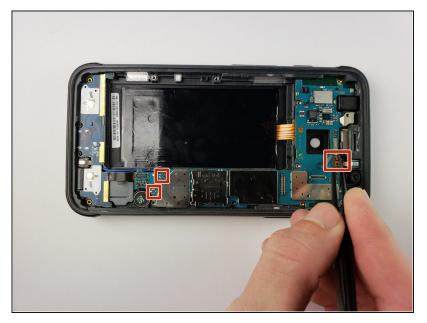
 Use a Phillips 000 screwdriver to remove the screw covering the proximity sensor.

Step 15



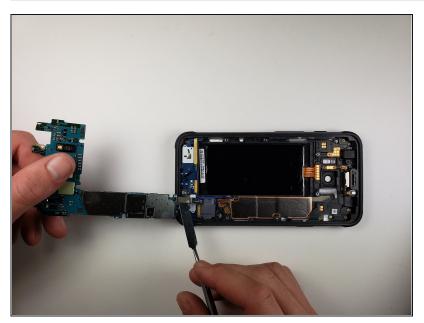


- Use <u>tweezers</u> to remove the proximity sensor.
- Set this aside for now.



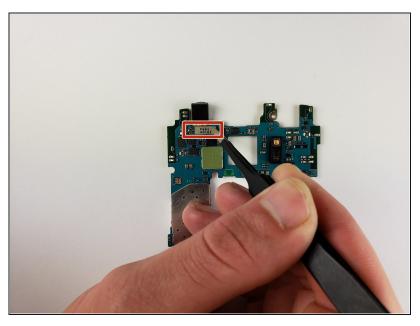
 Use tweezers to disconnect the front mic and the two cables that have been marked in the photo.

Step 17



- Use your hands and a metal spudger to lift the motherboard out of the phone.
- i Be gentle, as there is still a connection on the underside of the motherboard.
- Use a metal spudger to remove this connection.

Step 18 — Front Camera



- Use <u>tweezers</u> to remove the connection between the motherboard and the front camera.
- in order to do this, the motherboard must be flipped over from its original position.

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