



Ridgid GEN5X R8611506 Foward / Reverse Selector Switch Replacement

This guide will show you how to replace the Selector Switch on the Rigid 5X.

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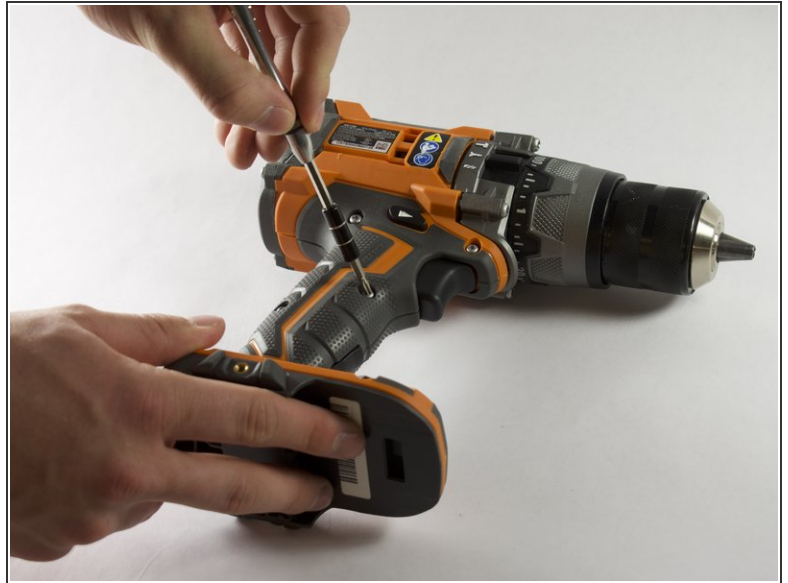
INTRODUCTION

If the selector switch of your drill is stuck or not switching the chuck's direction when pressed, use this guide to remove and replace your selector switch.

TOOLS:

- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
 - [T10 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [T15 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Outer Case



- Orient the drill to have the side with the screws facing up.
- Using the Torx T10 screwdriver, remove the eight 4.0mm screws from the face of the drill.

Step 2



- Orient the drill to where the back is facing up.
- Using a Torx T10 screwdriver, remove the four 6.0mm screws that attach the back piece to the drill.
- Remove the back piece of the drill using the iFixit opening tool.

Step 3



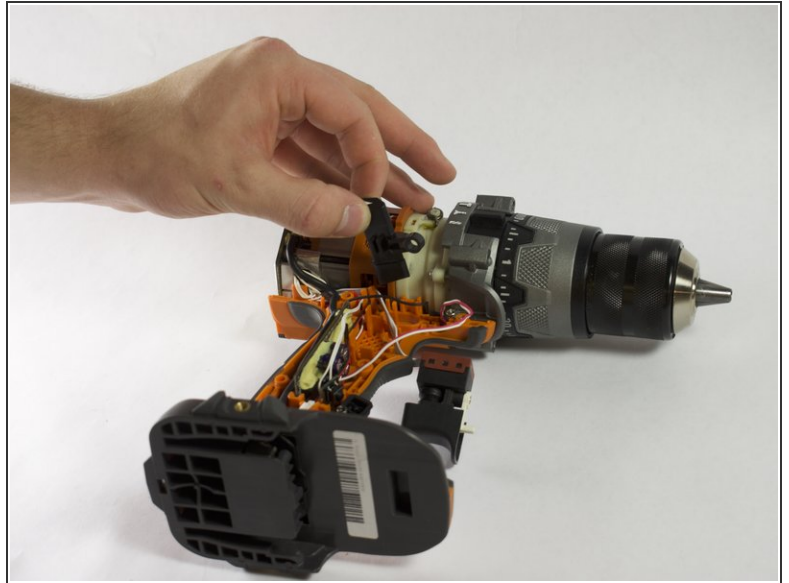
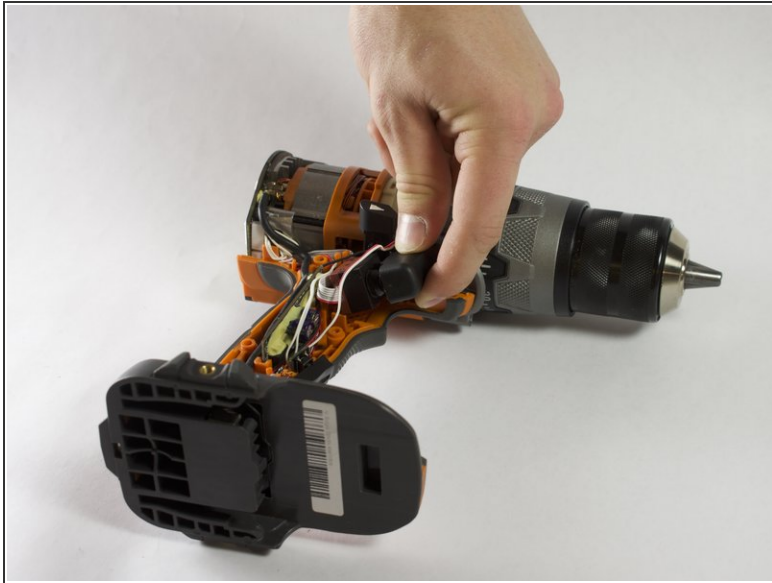
- Orient the drill to where the chuck is facing up.
- Using the Torx T15 screwdriver, remove the four 8.0mm screws from the front of the drill.

Step 4



- Orient the drill so the side with the screw holes is facing up.
- Use a plastic opening tool to gently pry the face off of the drill.
- Remove the face completely from the drill.

Step 5 — Forward / Reverse Selector Switch



- Gently lift the trigger up.
- Unhook the selector switch from the trigger.
- Remove the selector switch.

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