Nexus 4 Back Cover Replacement

This guide shows how to remove the back case from the Nexus 4.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide shows how to remove the back case from the Nexus 4, giving access to the internal features of the phone. This will take a couple of minutes.

TOOLS:

- iFixit Opening Tools (1)
- T5 Torx Screwdriver (1)
- SIM Card Eject Tool (1)

PARTS:

- Nexus 4 (GSM) Rear Panel (1)

Step 1 — Back Cover

- Power off the phone, by long-pressing the power button and touching *Power off.*

- Remove the SIM tray using the [SIM Card Eject Tool](#).

- 📌 This step is required in order to remove the back case.

Step 2

- Remove the two screws from the bottom of the phone with a [T5 Torx Screwdriver](#).

Step 3

- Gently open the back case by prying along the edge of the cover, starting at a corner of the phone and circling around the phone using a plastic opening tool.

- (i) The opening process may take a few minutes. The plastic will make a light snapping noise as the back cover separates from the rest of the phone.

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