



Repairing iPhone 4 dust mesh

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INTRODUCTION

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TOOLS:

- [Precision Utility Knife](#) (1)
- [Tweezers](#) (1)
- [Utility Scissors](#) (1)
- [iFixit 6 Inch Metal Ruler](#) (1)
- [Spudger](#) (1)

PARTS:

- [permanent tea filter \(fine stainless steel mesh\)](#) (1)
Cost: approx. EUR 5,-

Step 1 — Repairing iPhone 4 dust mesh



- Left image shows iPhone with missing front dust mesh
- Right image shows dust meshes on bottom

Step 2



- Cut out a piece of stainless steel mesh of the tea filter using a pocket knife
- Trim the piece of mesh using a pair of scissors to a size of approx. 3x9 mm

Step 3



- Fold the piece of mesh longways using the plastic tip
- Use a pair of tweezers to insert the folded piece of mesh into the hole above the speaker
- Put piece of mesh into place using plastic tip
- That's it - see the result on the images

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