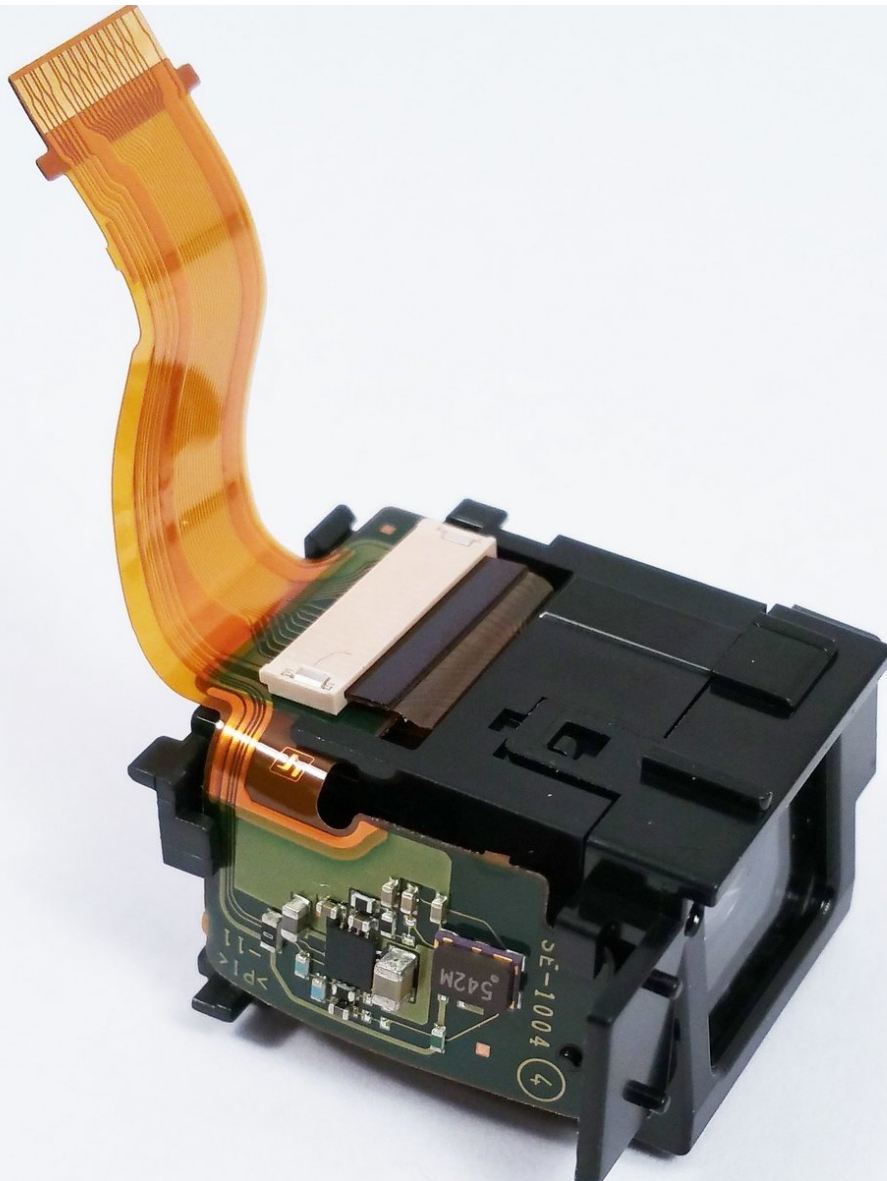




Sony Cyber-shot DSC-HX300 View Finder Replacement

This guide will help to replace the view finder.

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INTRODUCTION

Is the View Finder not working even after the LCD/Finder button has been pressed? Then the View Finder may need replacing.



TOOLS:

- [Small Phillips Head Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
 - [Magnetic Project Mat](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Battery



- ⚠ Make sure the camera is powered off
- Turn the camera upside down. This is a view of the bottom of the camera.

Step 2



- Push battery cover away from the camera.

Step 3



- Push the blue tab that secures the battery. The battery will then spring out.

Step 4



- Remove the battery.

Step 5 — View Finder



 Make sure to remove the battery before disassembly to prevent electrocution.

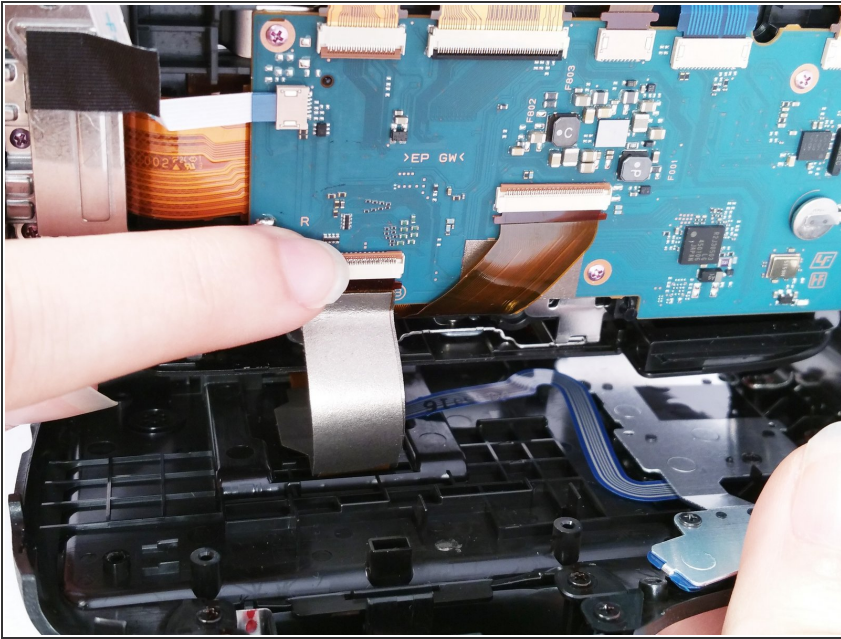
- Remove the 3 (4 cm) Philips head screws holding the plastic camera housing together. They are located on the back of the camera.
- Remove the 2 (4 cm) Phillips head screws on the right side of the camera.
- Turn the camera upside down and remove the remaining 3 (4 cm) Phillips head screws holding the plastic housing together.

Step 6



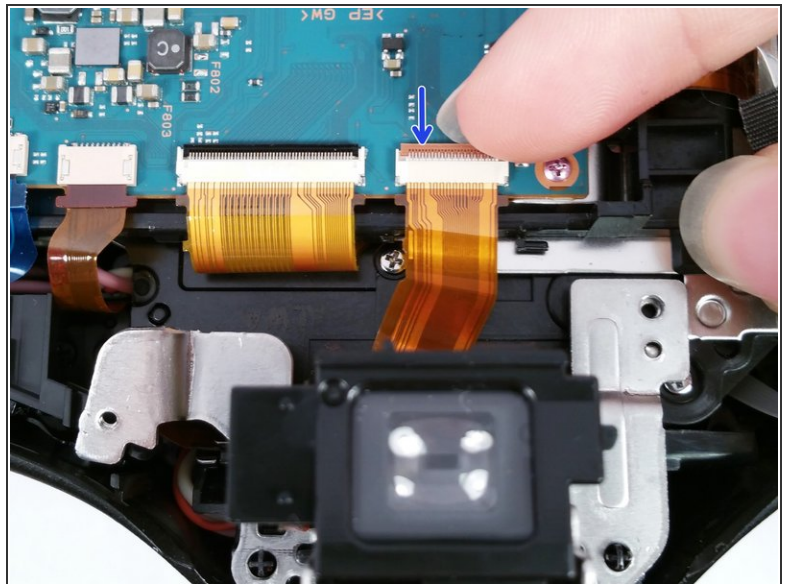
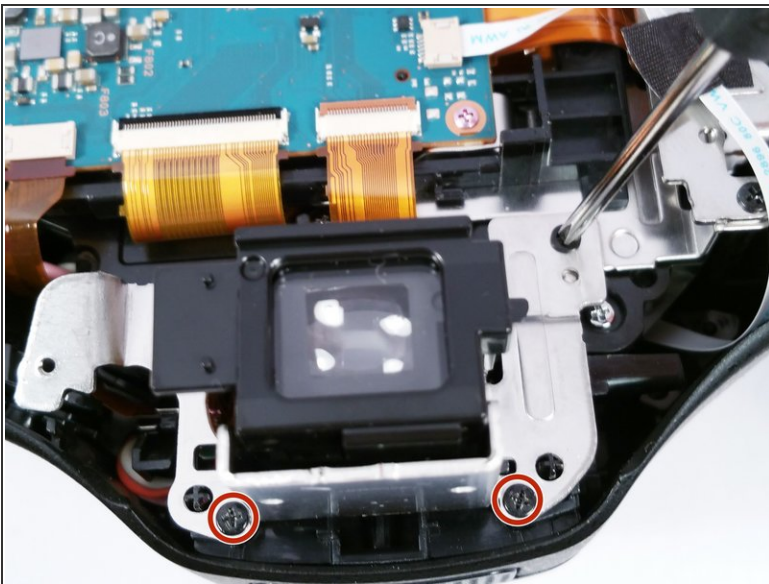
- Using a plastic opening tool, separate the plastic camera housing.

Step 7



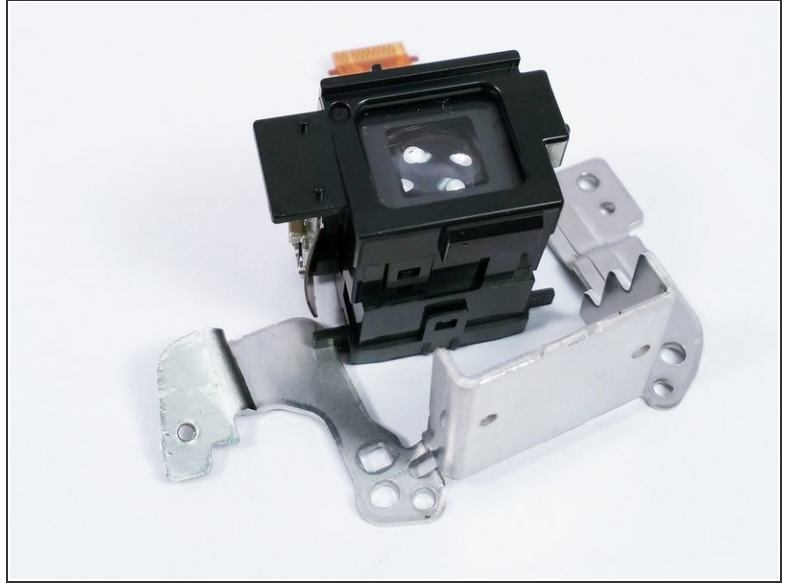
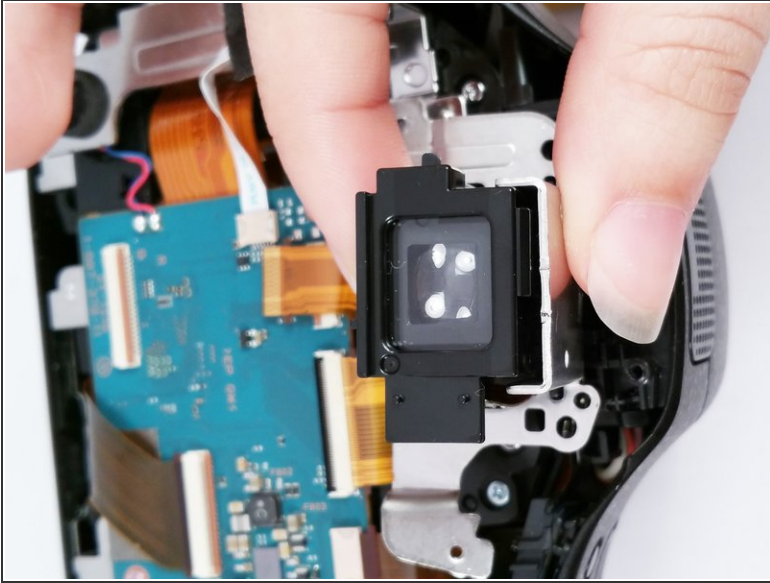
- Disconnect the ribbon wire attaching the screen to the camera.

Step 8



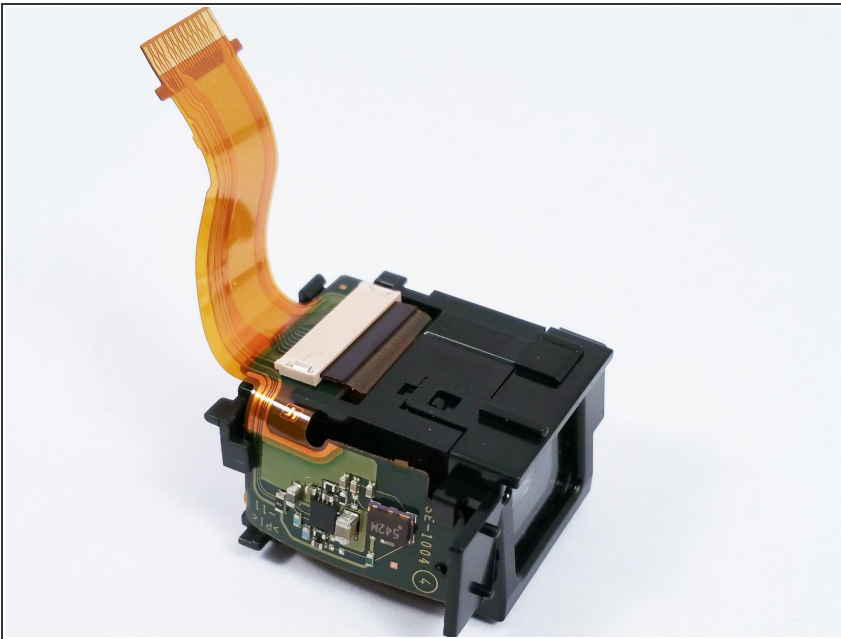
- Remove the 1 (2 cm) Phillips head screw
- Remove the 2 (5 cm) Phillips head screws that mount the View Finder to the camera.
- Carefully disconnect the ribbon wire that connects the View Finder to the Motherboard.

Step 9



- Gently pull the plastic View Finder off of the metal mounting bracket.

Step 10



- The replacement View Finder can now be installed.

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