

Protocol Galileo Top Shell Replacement

If your drone's top plastic shell is cracked or broken, this guide will walk you through replacing it.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will walk you through the 16 steps to replace the top shell of the Drone.

TOOLS:

- Heavy-Duty Spudger (1)
- Tweezers (1)
- Metal Spudger (1)
- iFixit Opening Tools (1)
- Phillips #0 Screwdriver (1)

Step 1 — Battery



• Find door on the underside of drone. Open the door.

Step 2

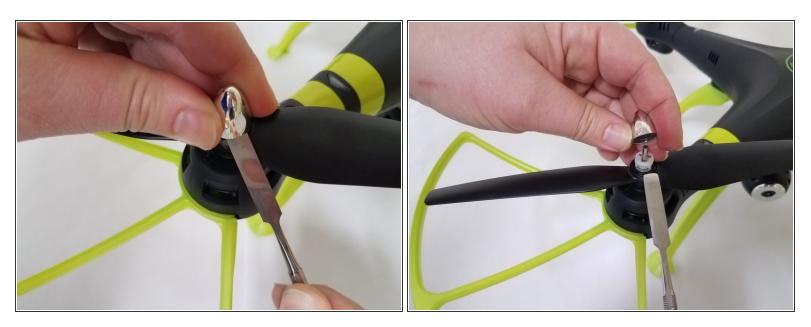


• Carefully pull out battery, pulling out wires first.



- Disconnect the connecter.
- When reconnecting, remember to match up the black wire with the black wire and the red with red.

Step 4 — Propeller

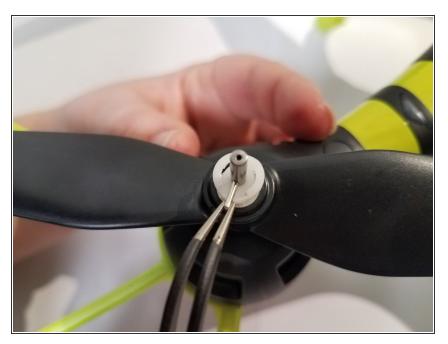


• Use the heavy duty spudger tool to pry off metal caps by pushing the spudger up into the cap.



• Twist the white spindle sleeve counter clockwise to align locking pin inside with the opening.

Step 6

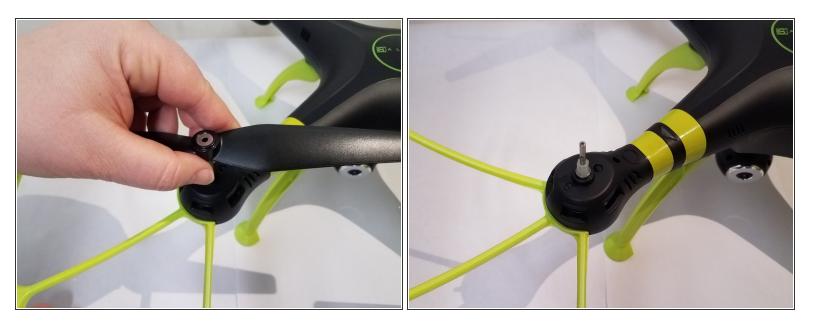


• Use tweezers to remove locking pin.



- Pull off white spindle sleeve.
- Take note of which side of the spindle sleeve is the top.

Step 8



• Pull off propeller.

Step 9 — Top Shell



 Remove Blade Guards by unscrewing two 13 millimeter screws using Philips #0. Pull out the guards. Repeat the steps for the other three corners.

Step 10

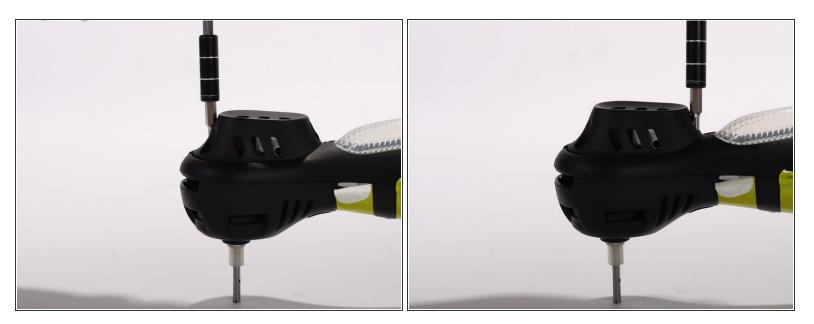


 Unscrew two 9 mm screws located inside the legs. Repeat the same procedure for the other three legs



- Unplug the camera wire.
- Press the hold release button and slide out the camera module away from the button.

Step 12

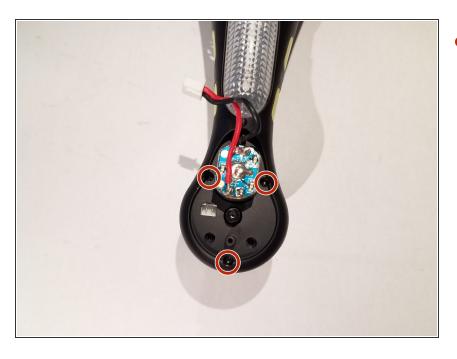


 Remove the motor protection cover by unscrewing two 9 mm screws using Philips #0. When the screws are off, use your fingers to pull the motor protection cover off. Repeat the procedure for the other three arms.

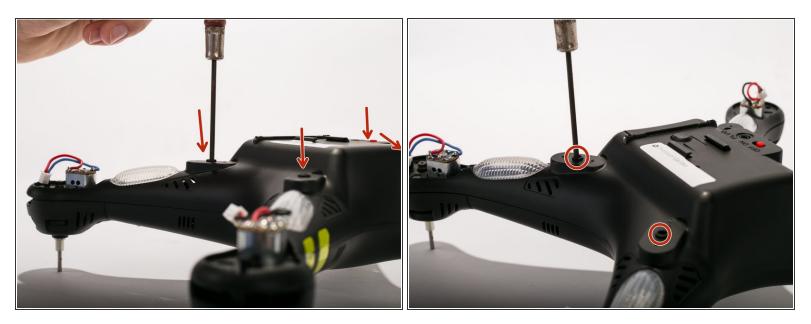


 Unclip the motor cable from the shells housing using two pry tools. Repeat the same procedure for the other three arms.

Step 14

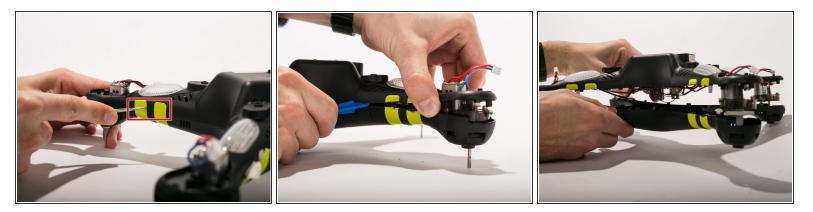


 Remove 3 9mm screws around the motor housing. Repeat the steps for the three other arms.



 Remove four 9 mm screws located where the legs originally are placed. (Use a thin head screwdriver)

Step 16



 Cut the yellow strips using a scalpel. Pry open the casing using pry tools working gently around the corners.

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