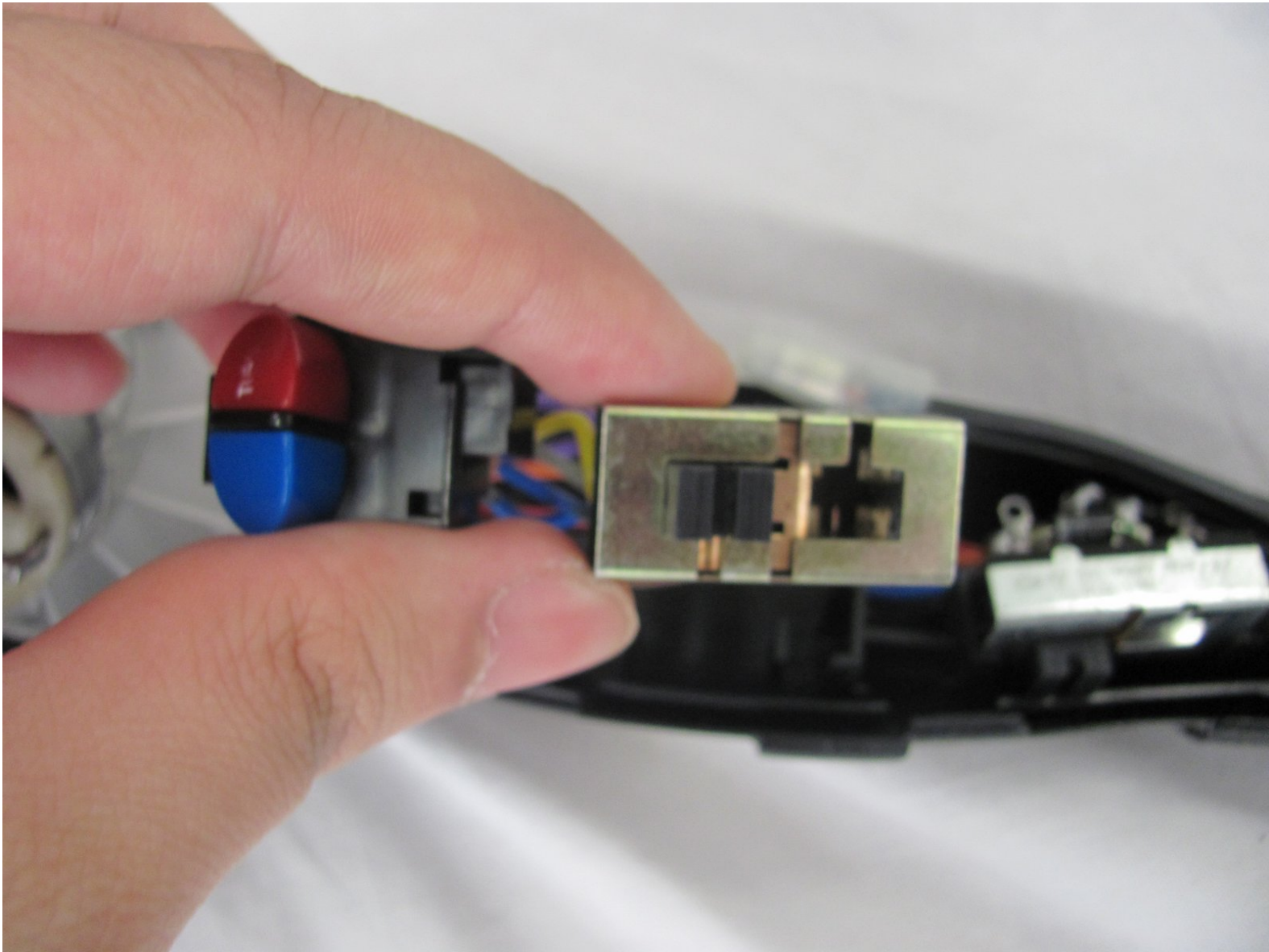![iFixit logo](X IFIXIT)

Revlon 473 Hair Dryer Switch Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will show you how to test and replace a faulty switch on a Revlon 473 Hair Dryer.

A faulty switch not only limits operation, but it is also a fire hazard. If the power switch on your Revlon 473 Hair Dryer isn't functioning, a switch replacement can improve the operation and safety of the unit.

Disconnect the Revlon 473 from any power source before you begin this repair.

🔧 TOOLS:

- Digital Multimeter (1)
- Phillips #2 Screwdriver (1)

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Step 1 — Shell

⚠ Before disassembly, make sure that the device is unplugged.

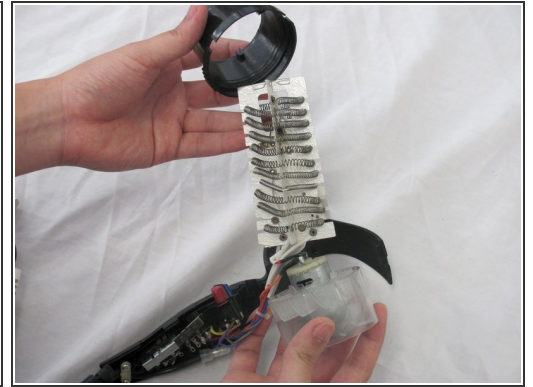● Remove the two 17.83 mm black screws located on the handle.

Step 2

● Separate the shell from the main component.
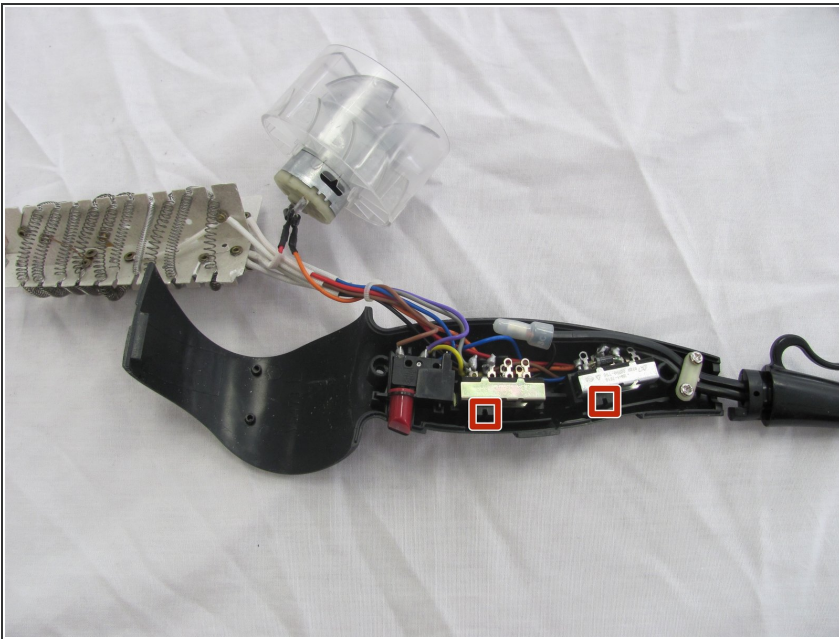
● Check to ensure each piece is free from debris.

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Step 3
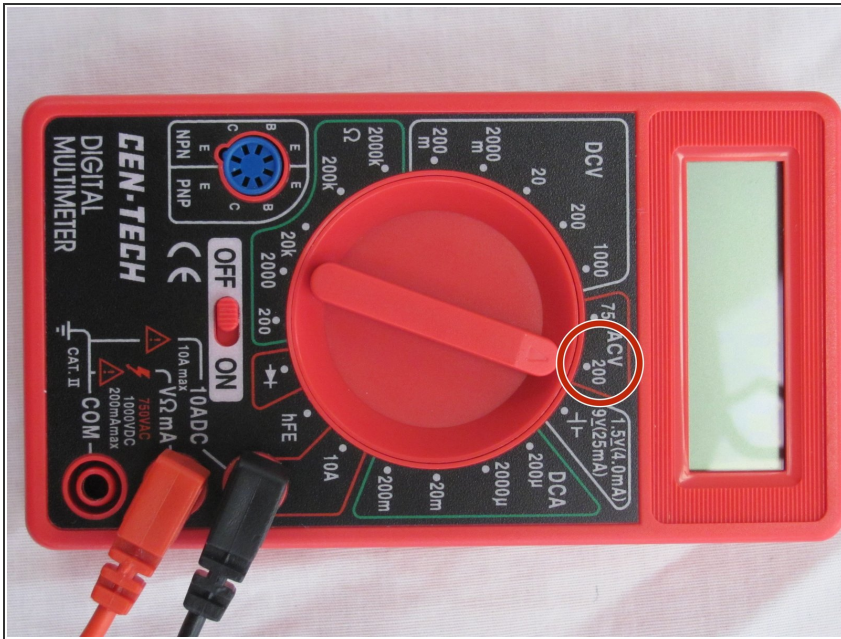

- Remove the casing from the heating element.

- (i) For reassembly, reattach the silver casing before the black cover.
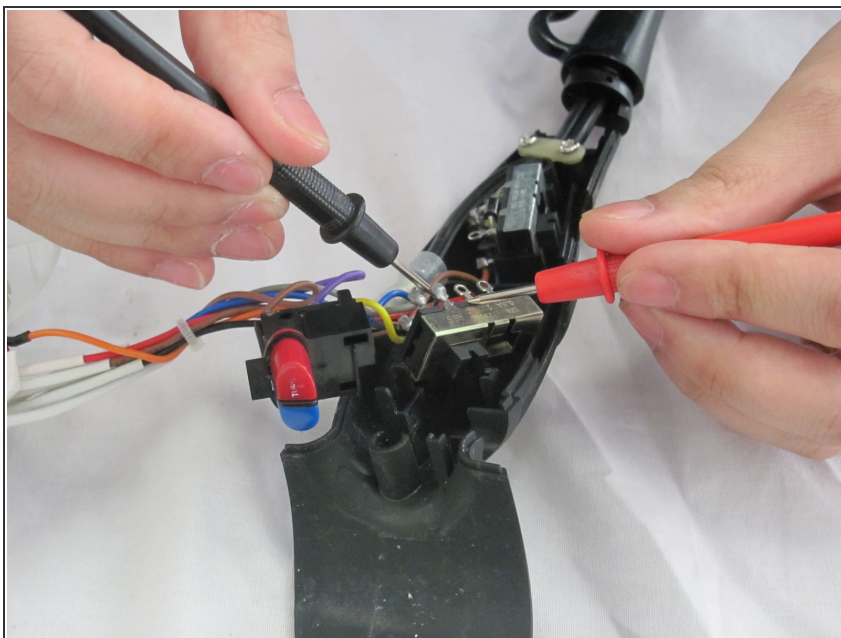
Step 4 — Switch

- Locate the two switches in the handle of the device.

Step 5

- Set the multimeter to 200 ACV.

Step 6

- Bring the probes toward each switch to test for continuity.

- If the numbers on the multimeter continue to change, the circuit is closed and the switches are functioning.

- If the meter stays at a set number, the circuit is open, and the switch needs to be replaced.

- (i) To replace a faulty switch, cut the wires and solder the wires back on to the new switch.

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

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