



How to perform a Hard Reset on the Nintendo DS Lite

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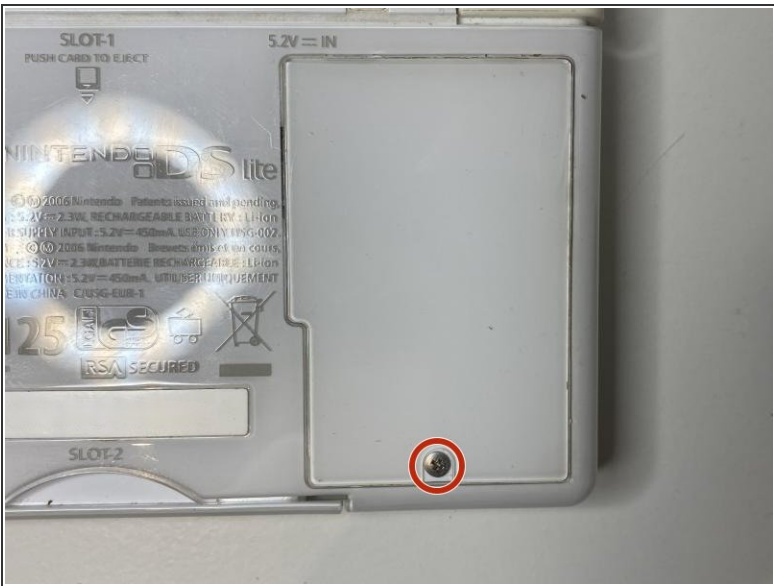
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Battery



- Turn the DS to the back side.

Step 2



- This is the **PH00** Screw,
- Unscrew it.
- ① The screw remains captive to the battery cover, you do not need to worry about losing it.

Step 3 — Removing the cover



- Remove the battery cover.

Step 4 — Taking out the battery



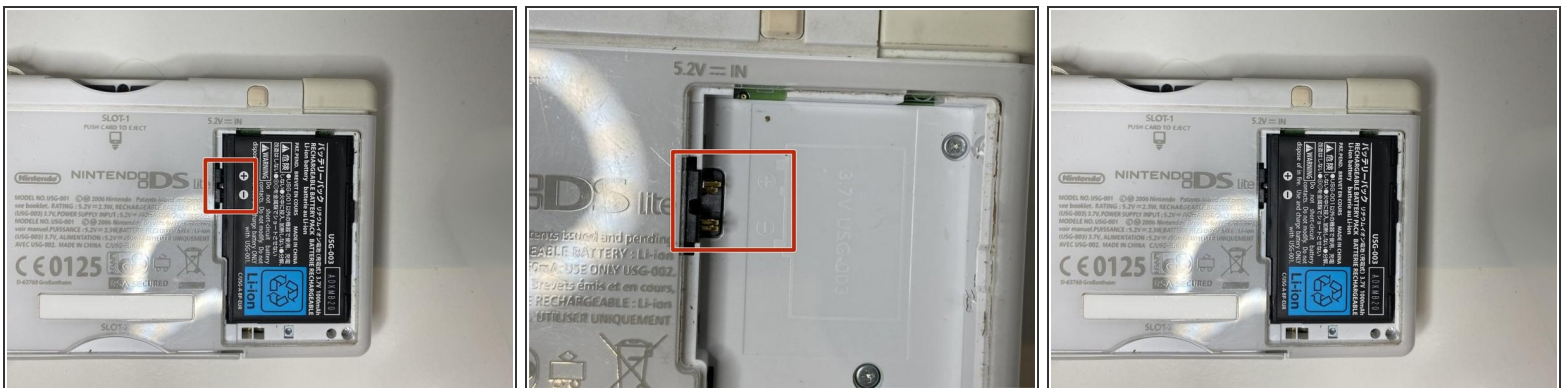
- Wedge the edge on the side of the battery using a spudger.

Step 5 — .



- Take out the battery and leave it for at least 15-30 seconds.

Step 6 — Inserting the battery



- Reinsert the battery.
- Make sure the battery matches the + and the - connectors.

Step 7 — Screwing in the cover



- Put the cover back on and screw it in.

Step 8 — Finish



- If everything done correctly, You should be at the setup screen, It would look like when you got the ds from the store.
- ❗ You can hold A + B + X + Y + R while turning on the system and the ds will boot into a ds cartridge without doing setup, you can boot the Game Pak/GBA Cartridge if you hold A + B + X + Y + L Instead.

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