

# PlayStation 3 Slim Top Cover Replacement

Remove the top cover to access your PlayStation 3 Slim's internals.

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## **INTRODUCTION**

Use this guide to remove the plastic top cover.



# **TOOLS:**

- Metal Spudger (1)
- Phillips #1 Screwdriver (1)
- T8 Torx Security Bit Screwdriver (1)

#### Step 1 — Top Cover



- Turn the PS3 over and lay it on its backside.
- Carefully peel the warranty sticker up off the lower case to reveal a hidden screw cover.
- To avoid activating the **VOID** that may come up, heat the sticker carefully to remove and replace it cleanly.

#### Step 2





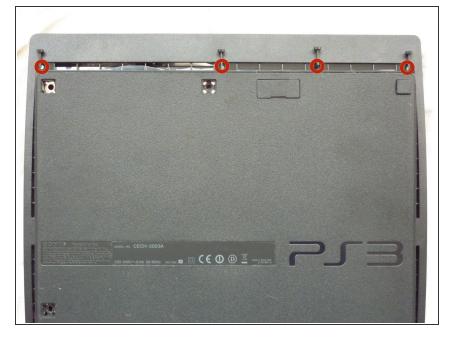
 Use the flat end of a metal spudger to pry up the seven screw covers around the edge of the lower case.

#### Step 3



 Remove the seven 37 mm Phillips screws securing the top cover to the lower case.

#### Step 4



 Remove the four 13.3 mm T8 security Torx screws beneath the Blu-ray drive opening. (Some models may only have three screws)

## Step 5





- Lift the top cover from its rear edge and rotate it toward the front of the PS3.
- Lift the top cover off the PS3.

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