Fossil fighters pixelation problems

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I was playing my dsi earlier and my fossil fighters game started to make the sidewalk and certain pixels become purple and green. This happens a little bit on my pokemon soul silver, but that’s about it. Please help, and thanks in advance!

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what condition is your ds in? has it been damaged recently, and if so, slightly or massively?

I have a feeling your ds got damaged.

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Ok condition. No, not at all. I have dropped it on to my carpet a few times, but, as I said, its only fossil fighters and some in pokemon soul silver.

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there’s a chance that a: you just got a faulty ds. what caused that, i dont know. b: its a software glitch.

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Well, there is a few spots in my camera album, but barely noticeable. I don't think their overheating.

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Well, if I were you, I would send in your DSi to prevent more problems before they arise.

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I called them a few months ago, and they said if I wanted if fixed i'd have to pay $80. I'm broke. Any other suggestions?

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Usually Purple or discolored pixels comes from the DS's inability to read texture files from the cartridge. Since this is happening with multiple games we can assume that it is the DS having a problem and not the games. you could try explaing it that way to a nintendo repersenetive. other fixes might be, depending on the age it could be quite dusty in there or if you live with animals hair can be the culperate. you can try getting some air duster and blowing it into the cartridge slot but be careful this could cause more damage ( read the air duster instructions and follow them to a Tee ) or you could blow really hard into the cartridge slot trying to get the dust/animal hair out that way. also take a look at the pins on your DS's games are they becoming discolored or burned looking? that is no good.hope this helps

Good luck 😊

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Now the camera is way worse, and I haven’t done anything to it since then! And this time it’s the bottom screen! But, that’s all the pixelation problems I know of. I will call them soon. Thanks for the help!