# Sony Vaio SVE151G11L Motherboard Replacement

This is a comprehensive guide for replacing the motherboard in the Sony Vaio SVE151G11L laptop.

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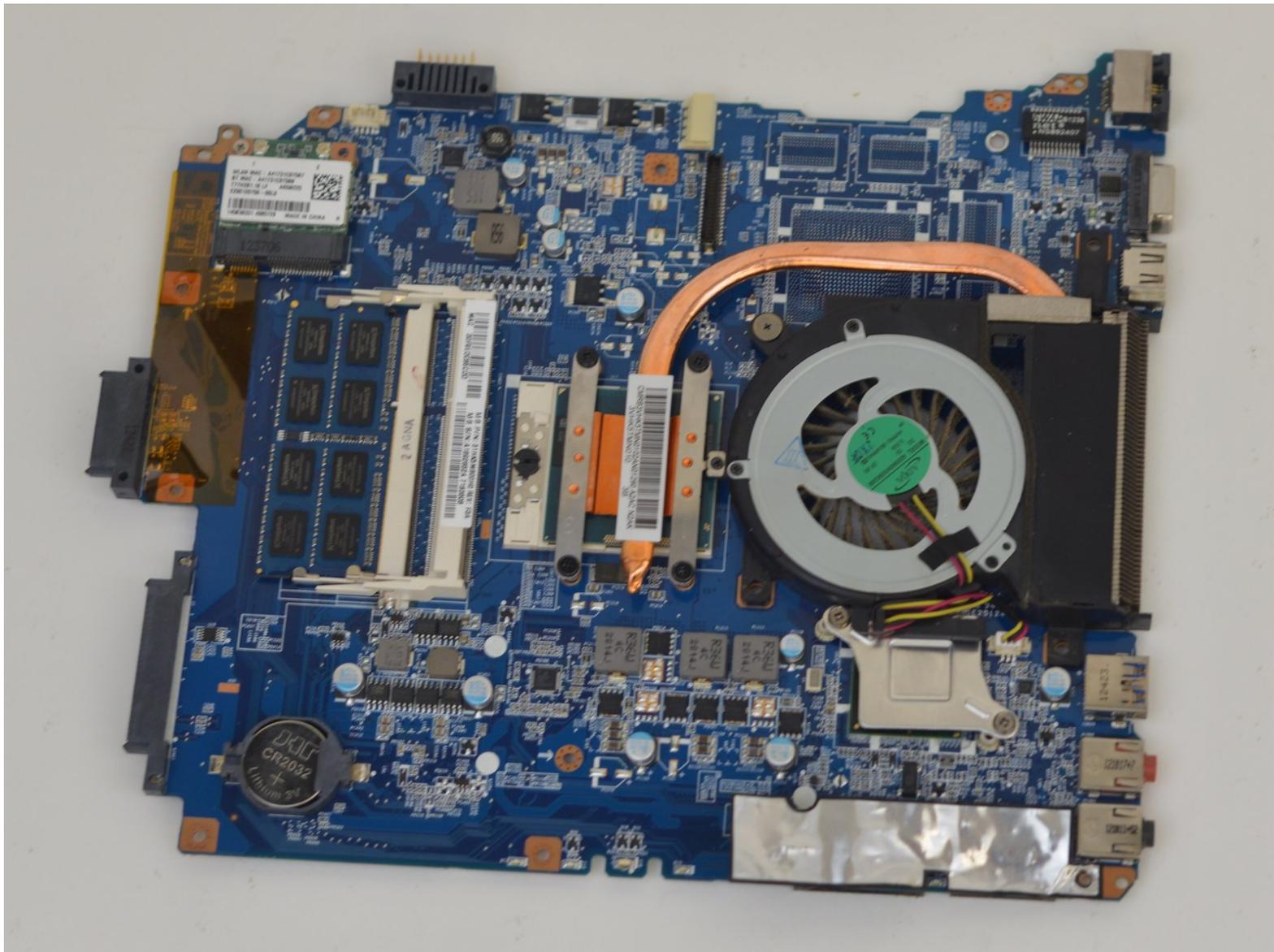
INTRODUCTION

The motherboard is the component that controls the logic and computation of the laptop. This guide shows the steps to remove the motherboard for repair or replacement.

🔧 TOOLS:

- Phillips #000 Screwdriver (1)
- Spudger (1)

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Step 1 — Battery

- Turn the laptop over so its underside is facing upwards and visible.

Step 2

- Standing so that the barcode and warning labels are upright and legible, push the **left tab** up and away from yourself.

Step 3

- Standing so that the barcode and warning labels are upright and legible, push the **right tab** up and away from yourself.

Step 4

- Locate the small gap where the battery and the laptop shell meet. Lift from the gap and rotate the battery up and away from yourself.

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Step 5

- Pull battery away from laptop.

Step 6 — Hard Disk Drive

- Flip laptop over so the bottom is facing upwards.

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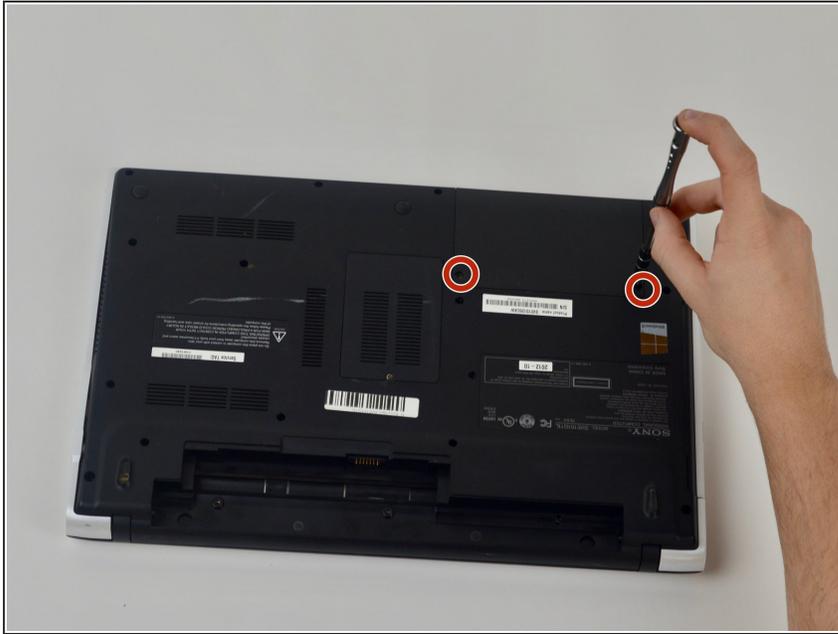

- Remove 2 bottom screws in the top right on the HDD cover, with a size P000 screwdriver.

Step 8

- Pop open the cover to the HDD.

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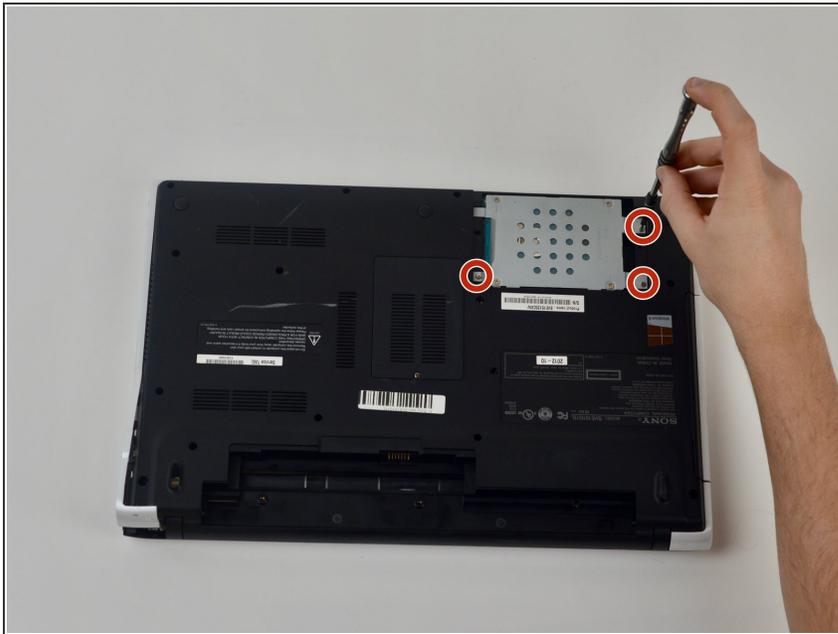
- Remove the screws on the HDD with a Phillips #000 screwdriver.

Step 10

- Pull plastic tab away from the laptop.

- Lift HDD away from laptop.

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Step 11 — Motherboard

- Flip the laptop over on its backside.

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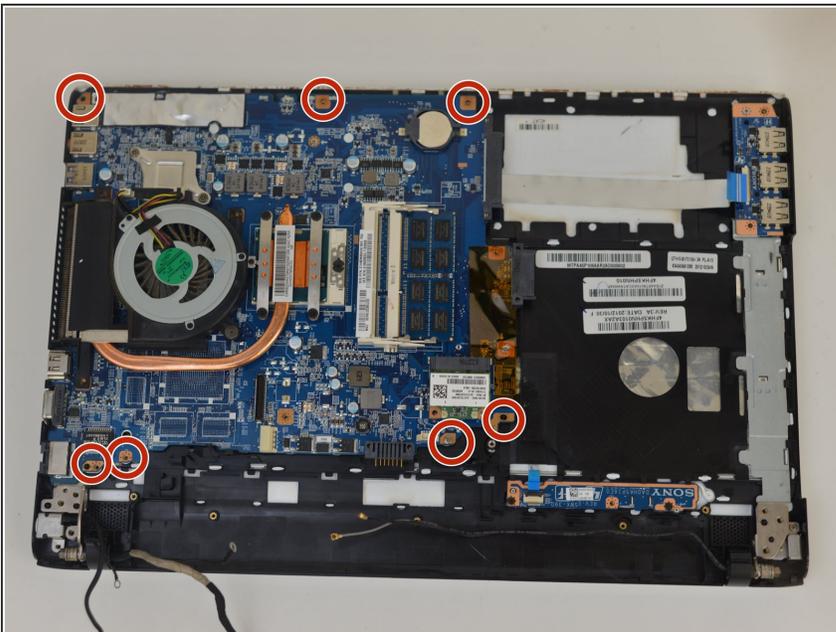
- Remove the screws holding the motherboard in place.

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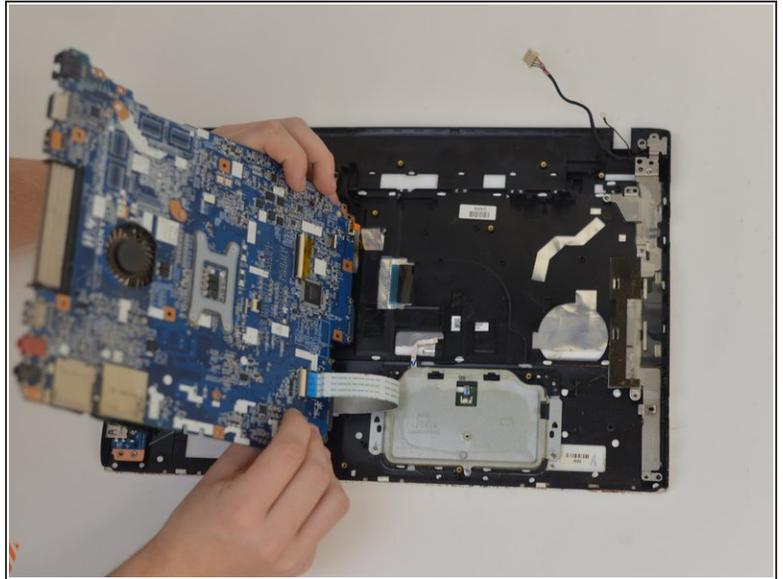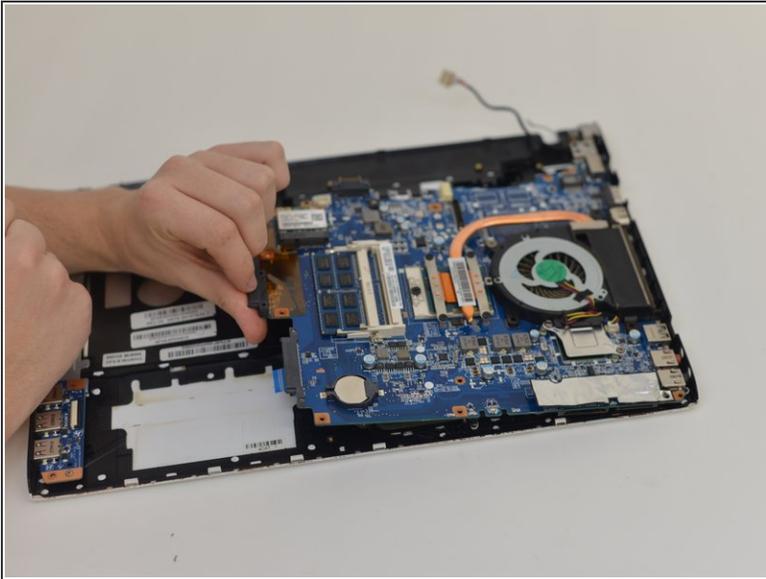
Step 13

- Pop the motherboard away from the frame.

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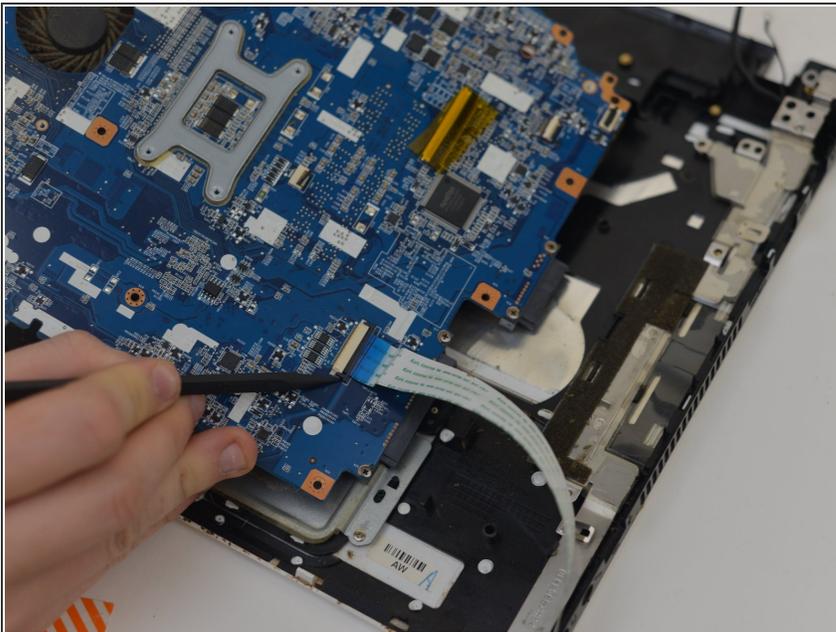
- Remove the ribbon cable from the motherboard.

Step 15

- Remove motherboard from the laptop.

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