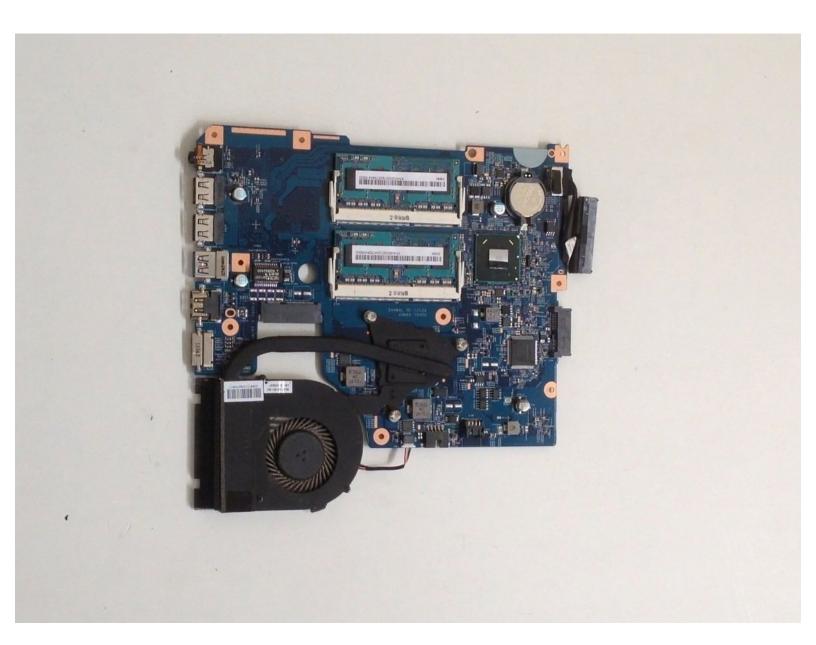


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INTRODUCTION

How to disassemble and remove the Mother / Main Board.

[video: http://youtu.be/mrKPisD7H0U]



TOOLS:

- Phillips #0 Screwdriver (1)
- Spudger (1)
- iFixit Opening Tools (1)
- iFixit Opening Picks set of 6 (1)

Step 1 — Keyboard



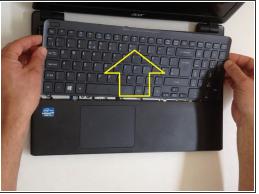




- Turn off the laptop and remove the battery.
- Remove two screws securing the Keyboard.
- The Keyboard is held by two locking clips, under the battery. Use the sharp tip of a plastic tool to release the keyboard.

Step 2







- Remove the Keyboard and disconnect the two flex cables:
 - Keyboard flex cable
 - Keyboard Light flex cable
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Step 3 — Optical Drive



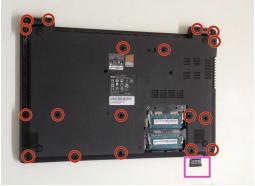




- Remove the screw securing the Optical drive and gently press the drive to show slightly as at the second pic.
- Slide the drive to the left and remove it.

Step 4 — Upper Cover







- Remove 4x phillips screws and disconnect:
- Power On button flex cable
- Touch pad flex cable
- Remove 18x Phillips screws from the bottom cover.
- Remove any memory SD Card from the Card reader.
- Start opening with a plastic opening tool.

Step 5







Carefully separate the upper cover and remove it.

Step 6 — HDD (Hard Disk Drive)







- Gently remove the HDD and disconnect the SATA cable from it.
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Step 7 — Wi-Fi Half Mini PCle card





- Remove one Phillips screw, securing th WLan card and disconnect the two coaxial antenna cables.
- Remove the Wi-Fi card.

Step 8 — Mother Board







- Remove the Memory Cover.
- Disconnect the Loudspeaker cable connector.

Step 9







- Remove two Phillips screw from the Mother board and from the Optical drive SATA adapter.
- Disconnect the LCD Display flex cable.
- Disconnect the DC Jack cable.
- Carefully remove the Optical drive SATA adapter.
- We will disconnect the battery cable when we pick up the board.

Step 10







Carefully pick up the Mother board and disconnect the Battery cable.

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