



# Acer Aspire One AO756-2623 Touchpad Replacement

Use this replacement guide when the touchpad is loose or unresponsive.

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## INTRODUCTION

The touchpad is an easy component of the laptop to become dysfunctional because it is the most used component. If it becomes non-responsive, it should be replaced. The removal of the touchpad requires that the battery, back cover, and keyboard be removed first. Then the removal of the touchpad is just a matter of pulling it out of the laptop.



### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [Spudger](#) (1)
  - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Battery



- Orient the ACER Aspire One to where the bottom of the laptop is facing upward as shown in the picture.

## Step 2




- Locate the circular slot positioned at the bottom right of the battery.

### Step 3



- Insert a spudger and slide the tab to the right.

 When working with electronics, it's important to choose a tool that's ESD-safe to avoid accidental damage to the device. The regular black nylon spudger or a plastic opening tool should be used whenever possible.

- Hold the tab in the right-hand position and firmly push or pull the battery upward to remove it from the laptop.

### Step 4 — Back Cover



- Locate the single 6 mm Phillips screw in the lower middle of the back plate.
- Remove the screw using a Phillips #0 Screwdriver.

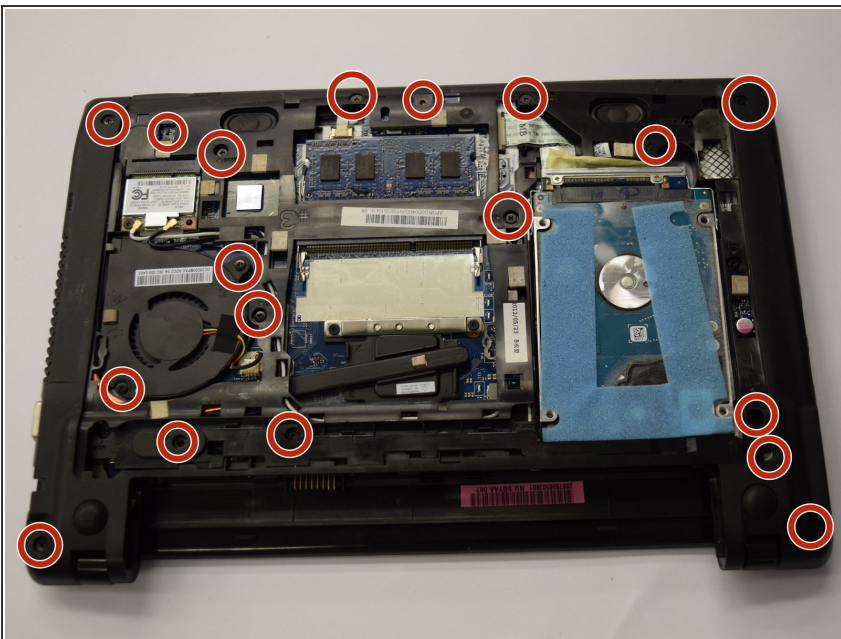


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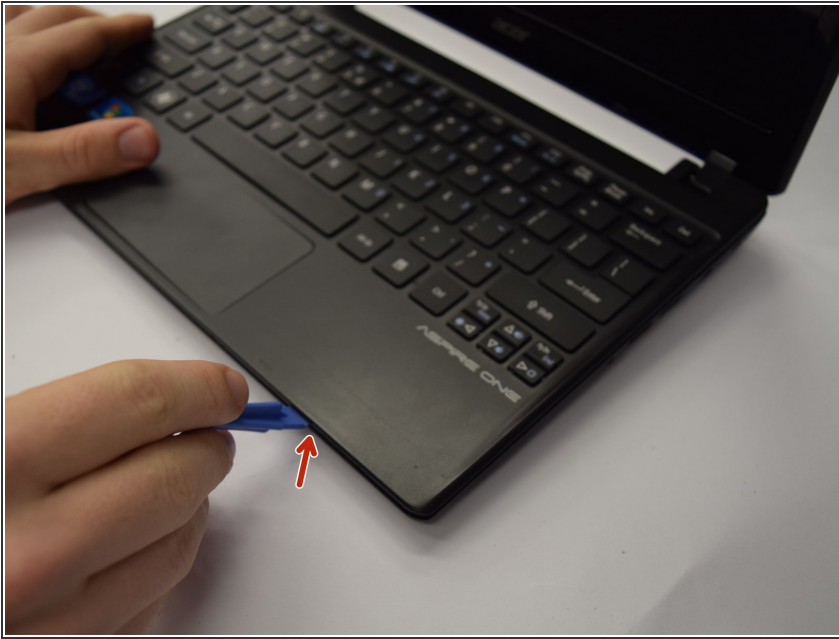
- Slide the back plate downward to remove it from the laptop.

## Step 6 — Keyboard



- Locate the eighteen 6 mm Phillips screws that are required to remove the keyboard.
- Remove all screws using a Phillips #0 screwdriver.

## Step 7



- Orient the laptop to where the open screen is facing towards you.
  - Slide the spudger into the indicated crease.
  - Firmly slide spudger all the way around the laptop to pry the keyboard away from the bottom of the laptop.
- i** Loud cracking noises will be heard during this step.

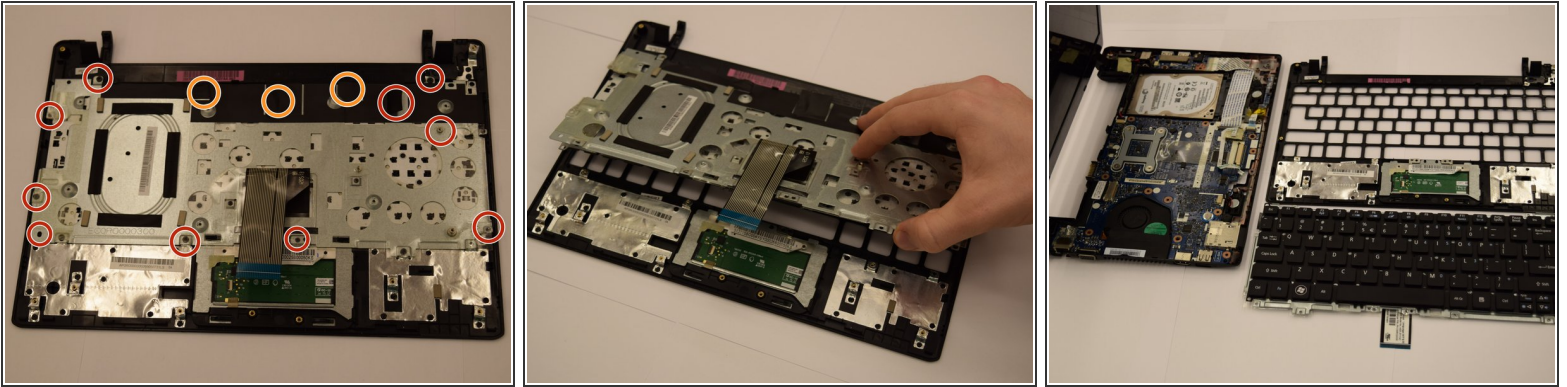
## Step 8



- Remove the green dotted ribbon cable by sliding it straight out of the clamp holding it in using a plastic spudger.
- Locate the two tabs that are holding the larger black ribbon cable in place.
- Remove the larger black ribbon cable by pressing in the tabs and sliding it straight out of the clamp holding it in using a plastic spudger.
- To remove the keyboard, lift the keyboard straight away from the rest of the laptop.

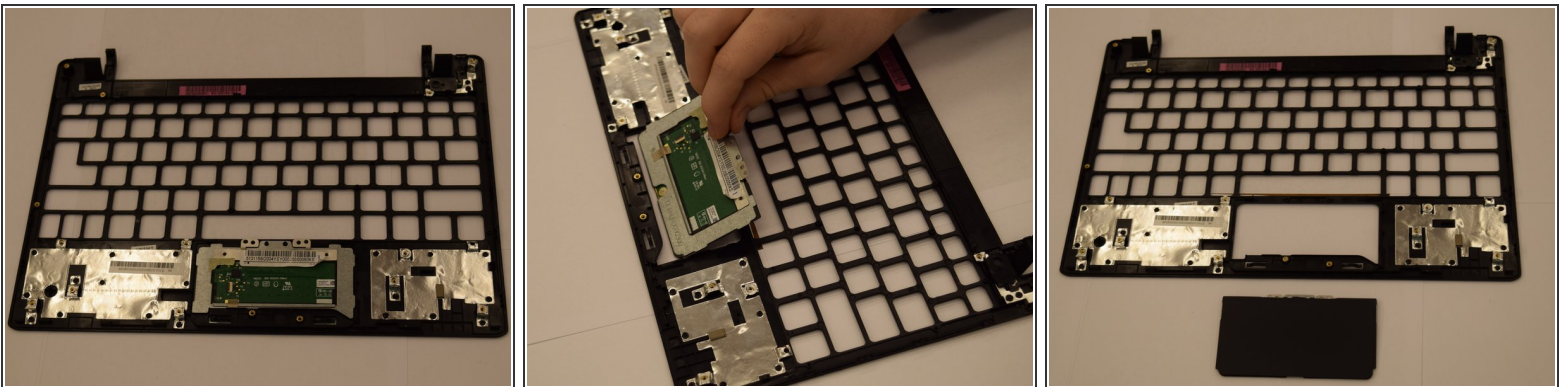


## Step 9



- Locate the ten 6 mm Phillips screws that connect the keyboard to the rest of the laptop and remove them with a Phillips #0 Screwdriver.
- Locate the four 6 mm Phillips screws hidden beneath black tape by lifting up the black tape and remove them with a Phillips #0 Screwdriver.
- To remove keyboard from the rest of the laptop, pull keyboard straight up.

## Step 10 — Touchpad



- Take the keyboard frame and place it face down as shown.
- To remove the touchpad from the rest of the laptop, pull it straight out.

To put the laptop together, follow these instructions in the reverse order.