



Alienware 15 R2 Internet Card Replacement

Replacement guide for Alienware 15 R2 laptop Wi-Fi card.

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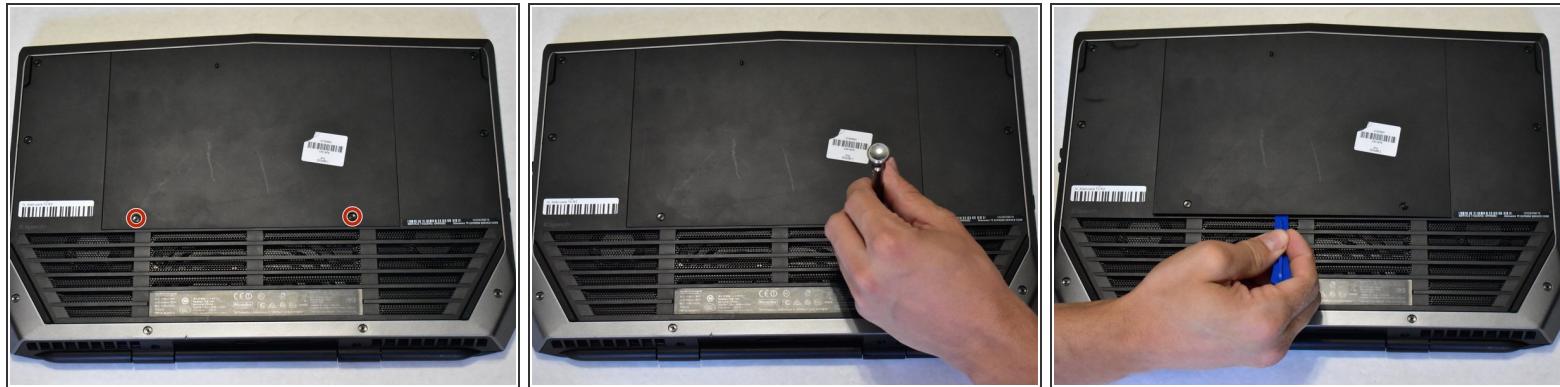
INTRODUCTION

If resetting your Alienware 15 R2 drivers fails to fix Internet connectivity issues, you might need to replace the Internet Card. Make sure the Internet Card you are using as a replacement is compatible with the laptop. The best idea is to use the same brand of Internet Card as the one already in the computer. When working with computers, always make sure to unplug your computer and ground yourself before reaching inner components so you don't accidentally release an electrical charge into the sensitive technology. The discharge could potentially damage your computer's internals.

TOOLS:

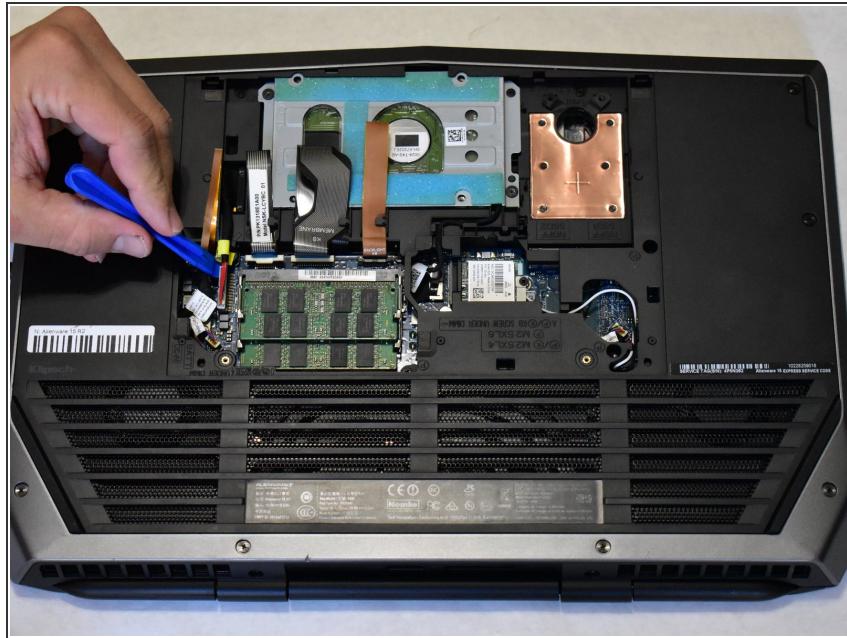
- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Anti-Static Wrist Strap](#) (1)

Step 1 — Internet Card



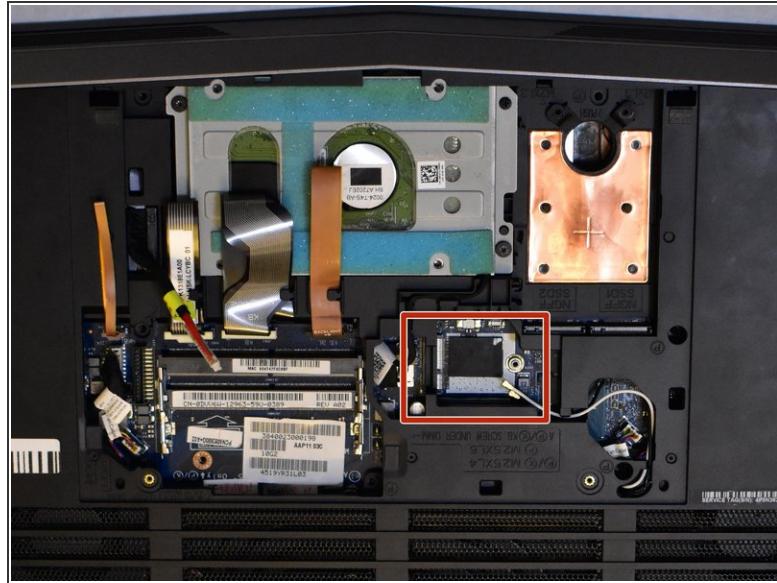
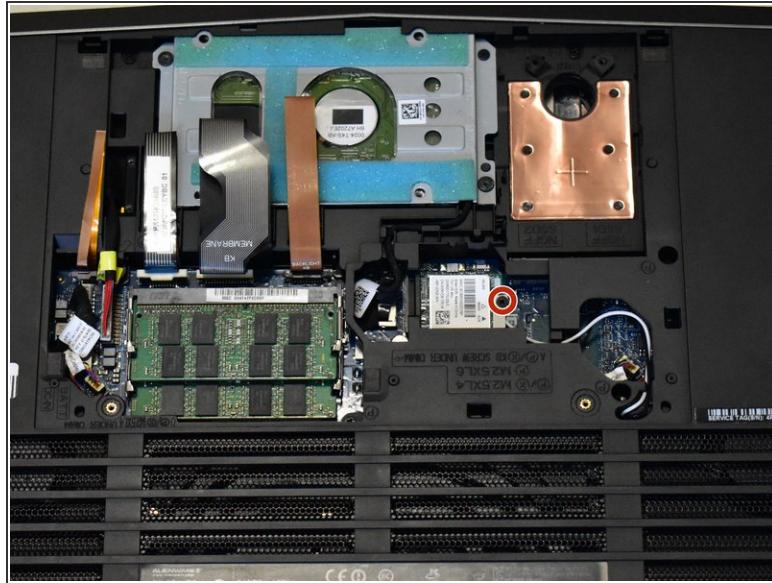
- Place laptop upside down with the hinge facing you, then remove the two 9mm Phillips #0 screws located in the center of the rear panel. Remove the rear panel by using the iFixit opening tool to separate it from the back of the laptop.

Step 2



- Use plastic opening tool to disconnect battery cable.

Step 3



- Remove the 6.0 mm Phillips #0 screw on the WiFi card. Disconnect the white and black wires, then slide the card out.

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