Cr-48 Chromebook SSD Replacement

Replace the Cr-48's internal mSATA SSD.

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INTRODUCTION

Before starting, please:

- make sure nothing is attached (such as AC adapter, USB, VGA, audio jack).
- remove any inserted SD card.

🔧 TOOLS:

- Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)
- Tweezers (1)

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Step 1 — Remove the Battery

- Slide the switch on the bottom of the laptop until the battery pops out.
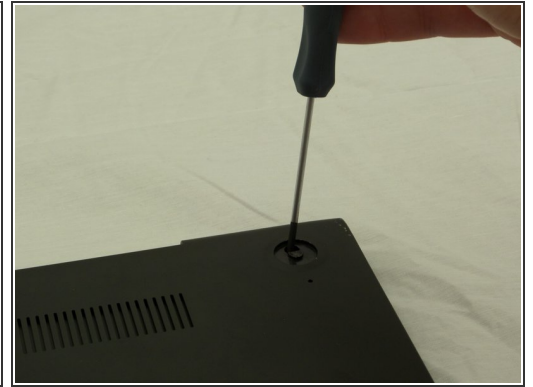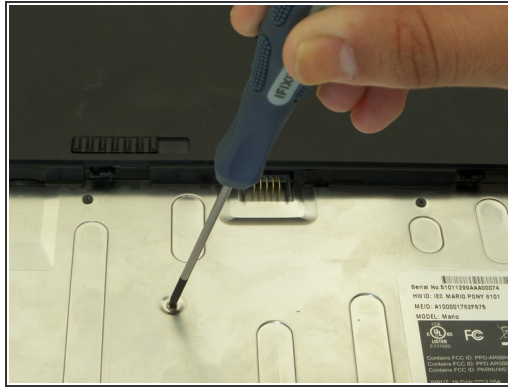
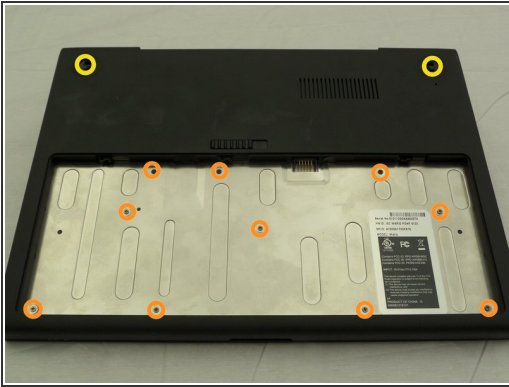- Once the battery pops out, you can remove it.

Step 2 — Remove Rear Rubber Feet

- Using forceps or tweezers, remove the two rear rubber feet to expose two hidden screws.

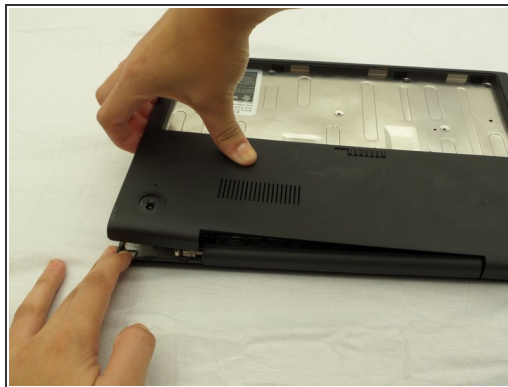This document was generated on 2019-09-20 01:22:02 PM (MST).

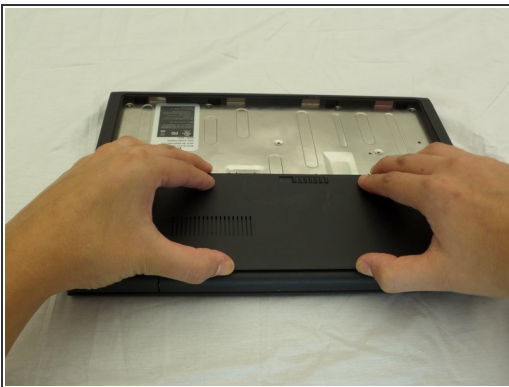© iFixit — CC BY-NC-SA www.iFixit.com Page 3 of 6
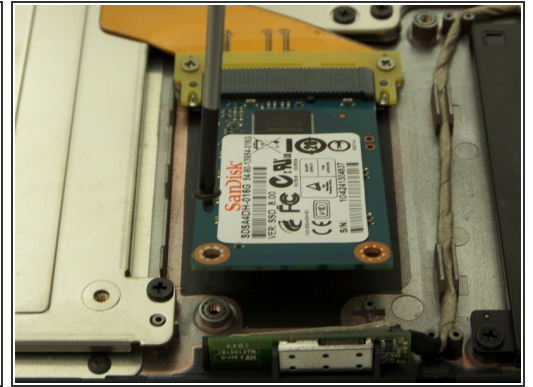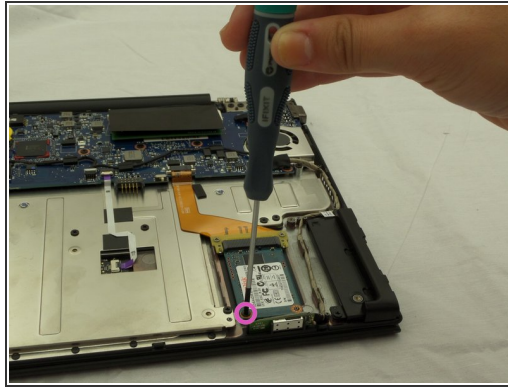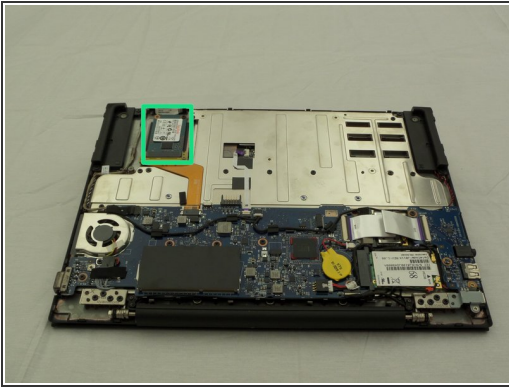
Step 3 — Remove Screws

- Using a Phillips head #00 Screwdriver, remove a total of 12 screws:
  - 10 screws in the battery compartment.
    - size ph#00, approximately 3 mm long
  - 2 screws under the rubber feet previously removed
    - Size ph#00, approximately 4.5 mm long
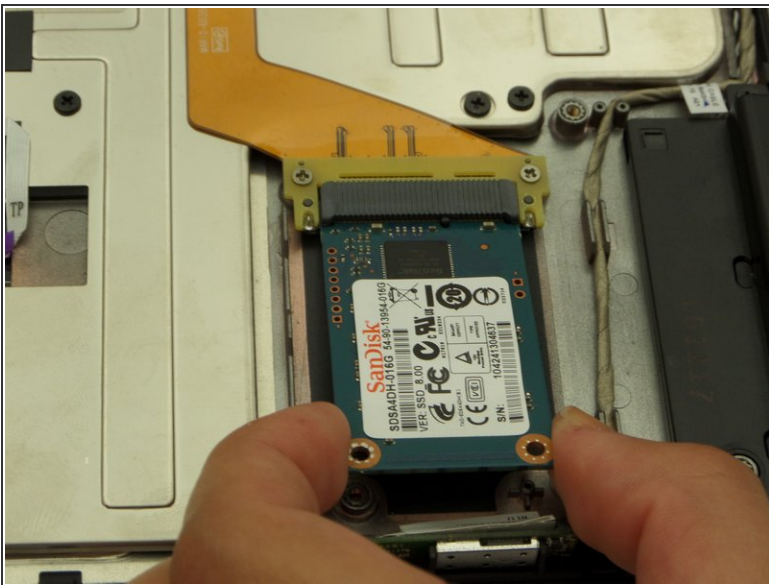
Step 4

- Starting where the body of the laptop and the laptop screen meet, pry apart the lower case from the rest of the laptop.

- ⓘ The case is easier to remove when separating in a clockwise motion, as seen in the pictures.

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Step 5 — Locate SSD and Remove Screw

- Find the SSD located on a corner of the side directly opposite where the laptop screen and device body are connected.

- Remove one black screw on the SSD using a PH #00 screwdriver.
  - Size ph#00, approximately 3 mm long.

- ⓘ Once unscrewed, the SSD will pop up from the device.

Step 6 — Remove SSD

- Firmly grasp the SSD with two fingers slightly upwards and pull.

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

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