



Dell Inspiron 13-5368 Fan Replacement

A simple guide on how to remove and replace your Dell Inspiron 13-5368 Fan.

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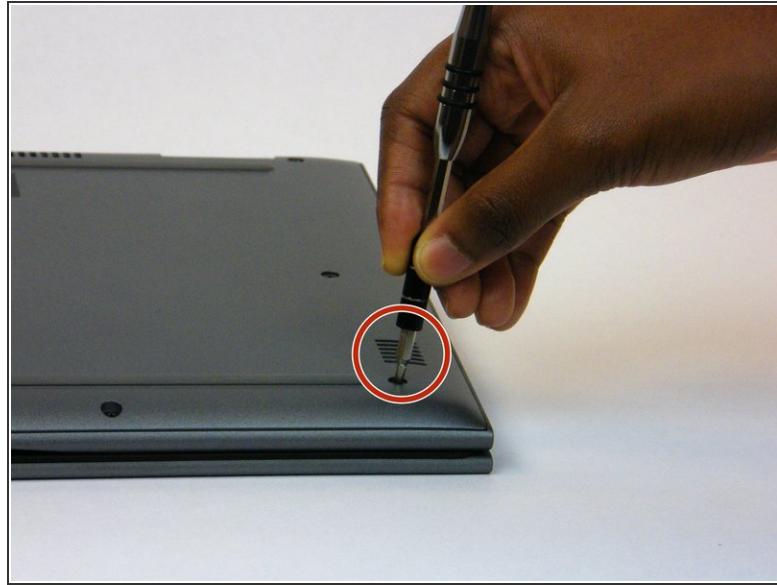
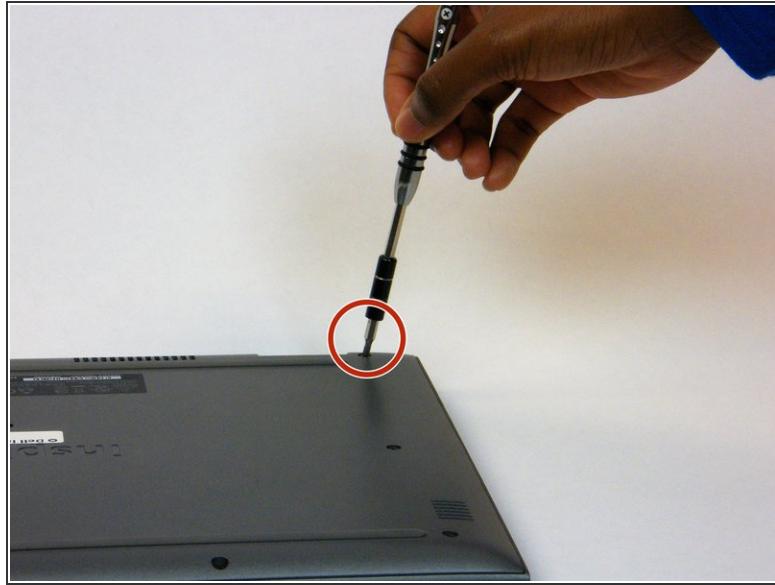
INTRODUCTION

This is a simple step-by-step guide on how to remove and replace a fan for a Dell Inspiron 13-5368. You will need a Philips Head J-0 screwdriver and a pry tool in order to perform this task. This is a relatively easy task to complete and will take about 7 minutes.

TOOLS:

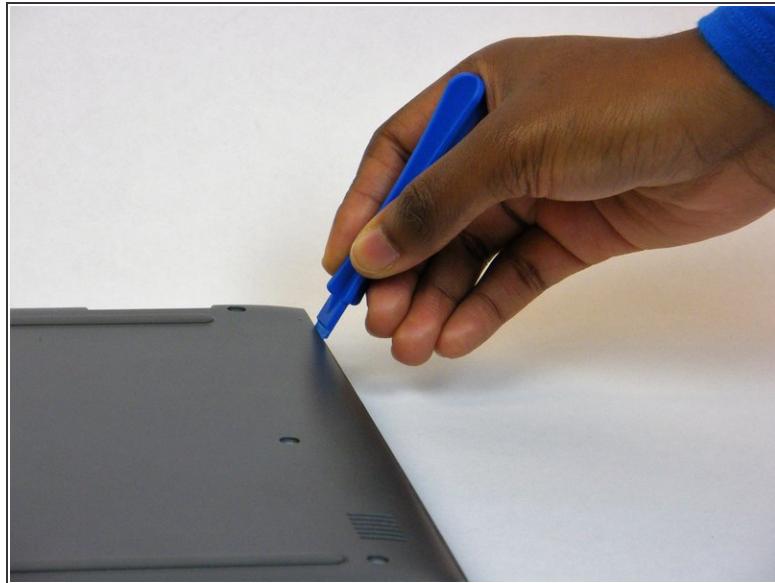
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)
- [iFixit Opening Tools \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — Battery



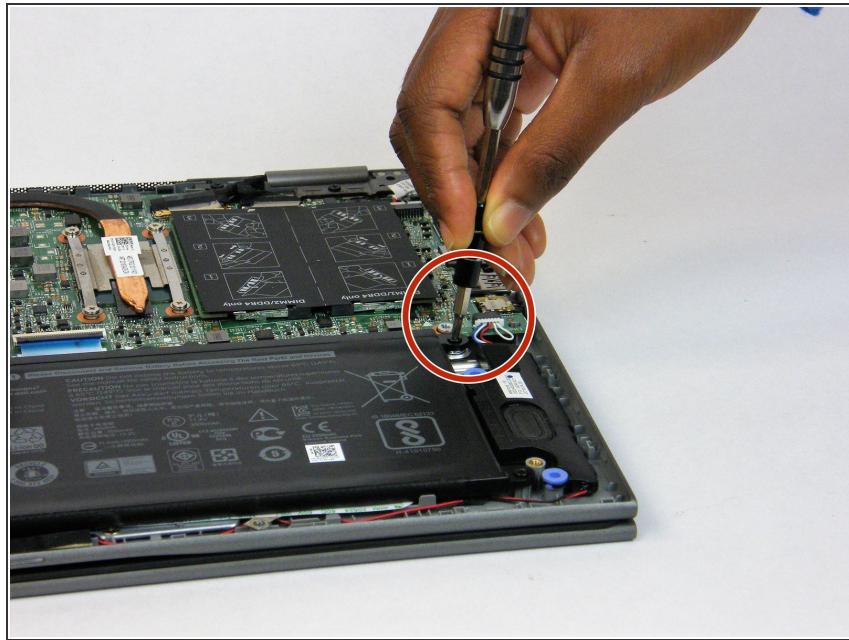
- Remove the nine 6mm Phillips #0 screws that secure the back cover of the laptop.

Step 2



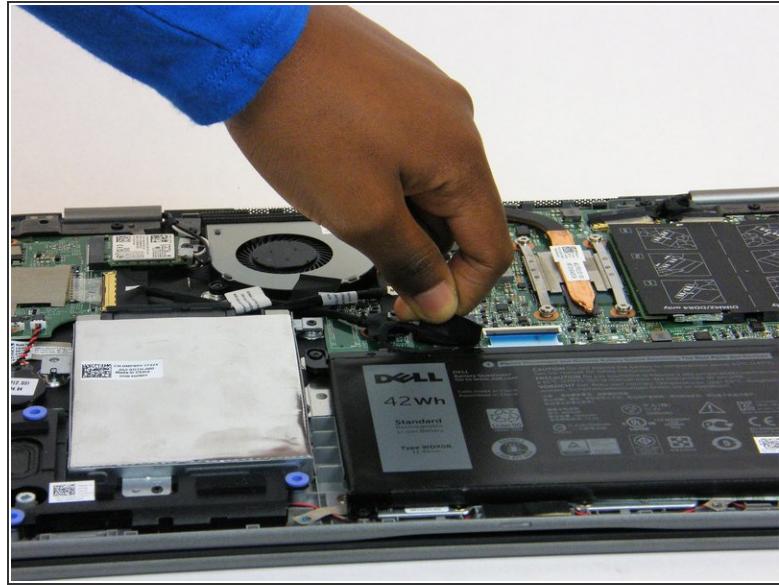
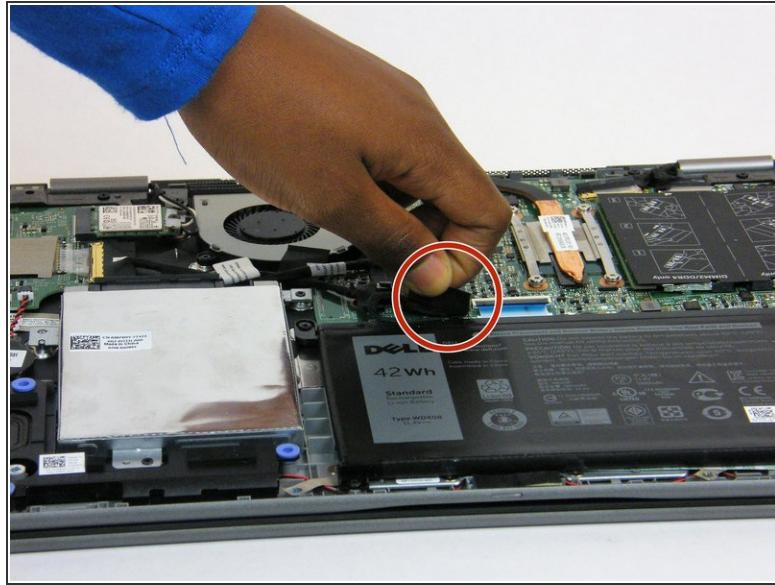
- Use spudger to remove the back cover.

Step 3



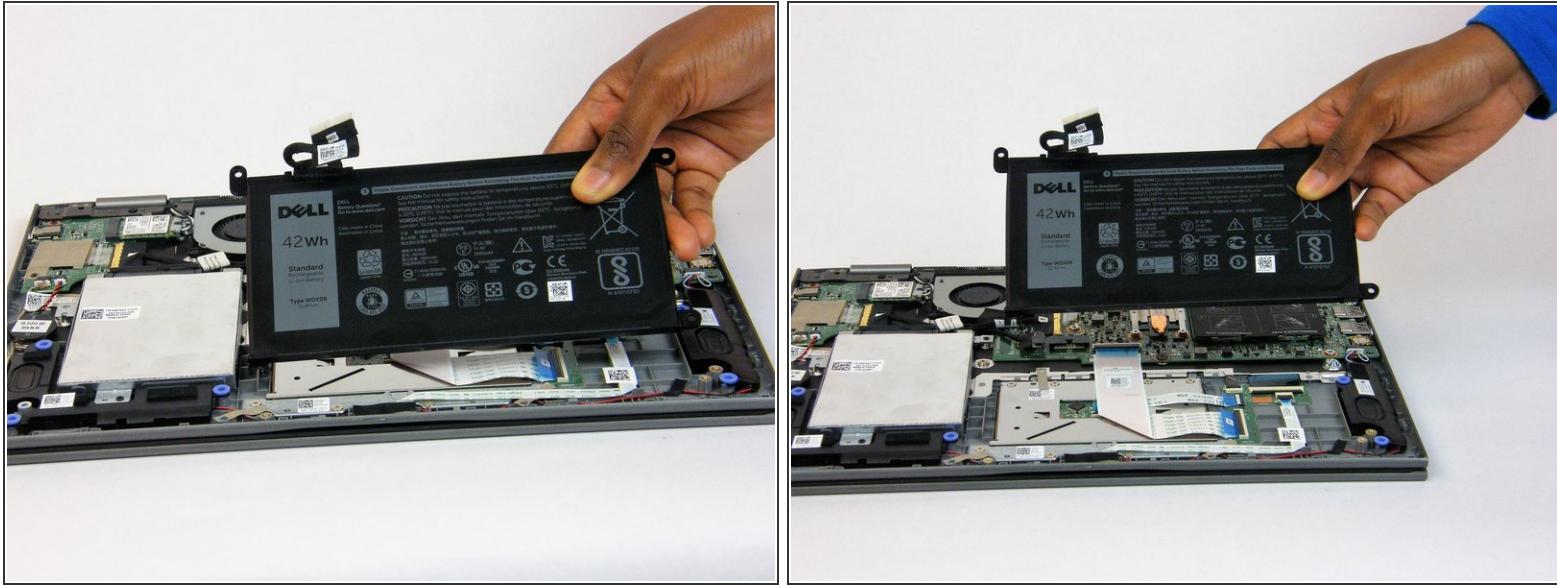
- Remove the four 3mm Phillips #0 screws that hold the battery to the case of the laptop.

Step 4



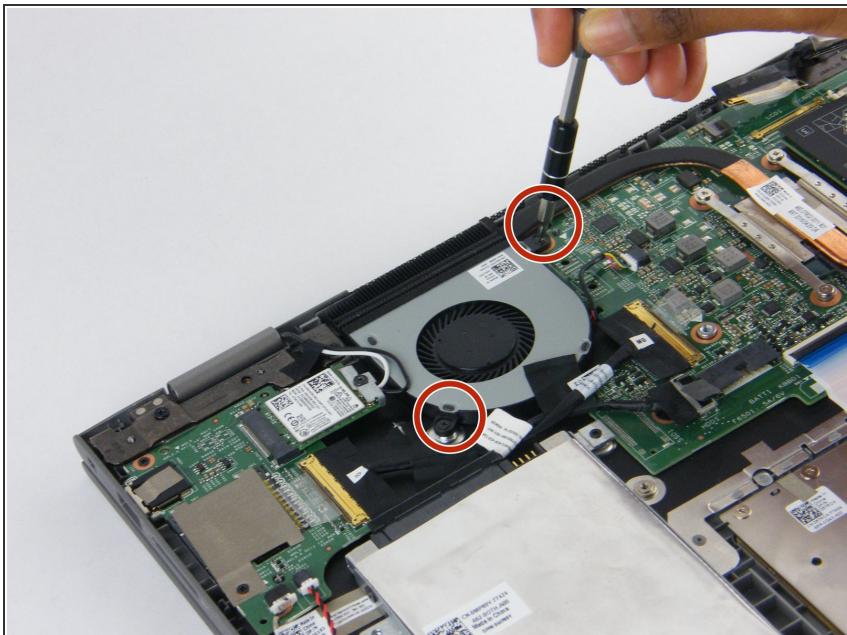
- Remove the power cord that connects the motherboard to the battery.

Step 5



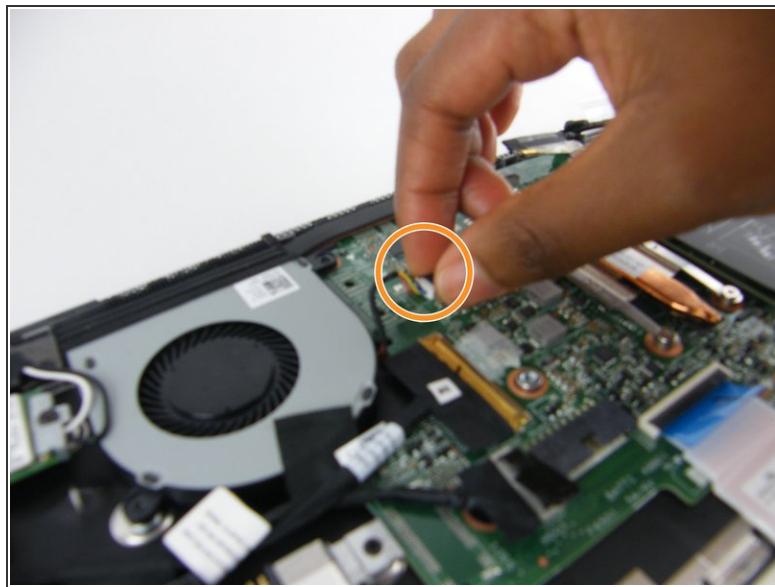
- Remove the battery.

Step 6 — Fan



- Remove the 2mm X 3mm screws that are securing the fan.

Step 7



- Unplug the fan from the motherboard, then remove the fan.

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