



# Dell Inspiron 1300 Memory Modules Replacement

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## INTRODUCTION

In this guide, we will show you how to remove and replace the Memory Module.

### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)

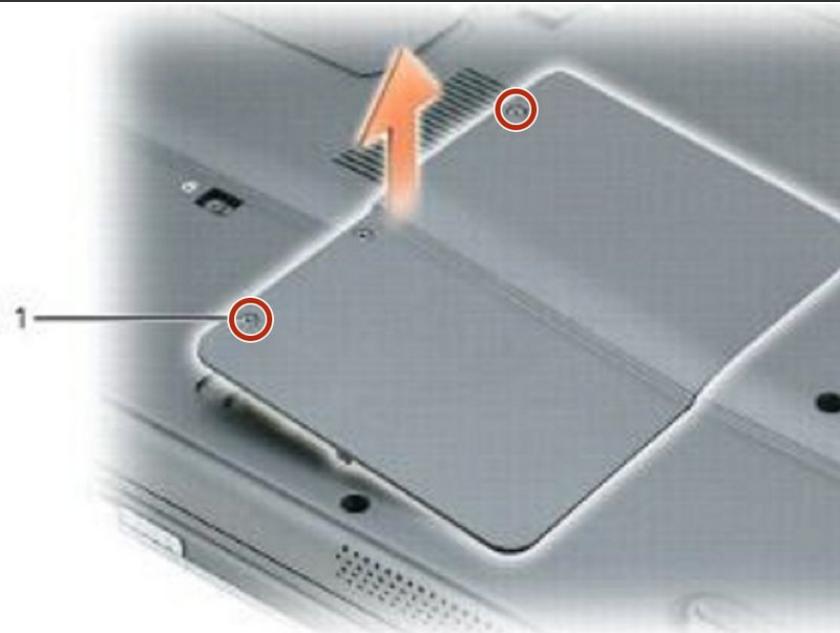
## Step 1 — Grounding Yourself



**⚠** Follow the instructions in [Before Working Inside Your Computer](#).

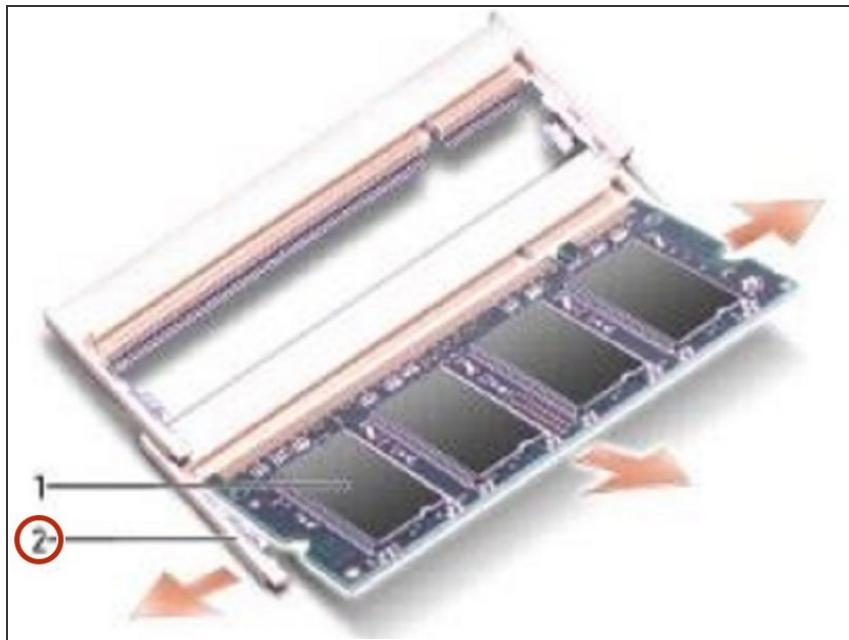
- Ground yourself by touching one of the metal connectors on the back of the computer.
- (i)*** NOTE: If you leave the area, ground yourself again when you return to the computer.

## Step 2 — Loosen the Screws



- Turn the computer over, loosen the captive screws on the memory module/Mini PCI cover, and then remove the cover.
- 📌*** NOTICE: To prevent damage to the memory module connector, do not use tools to spread the memory-module securing clips.

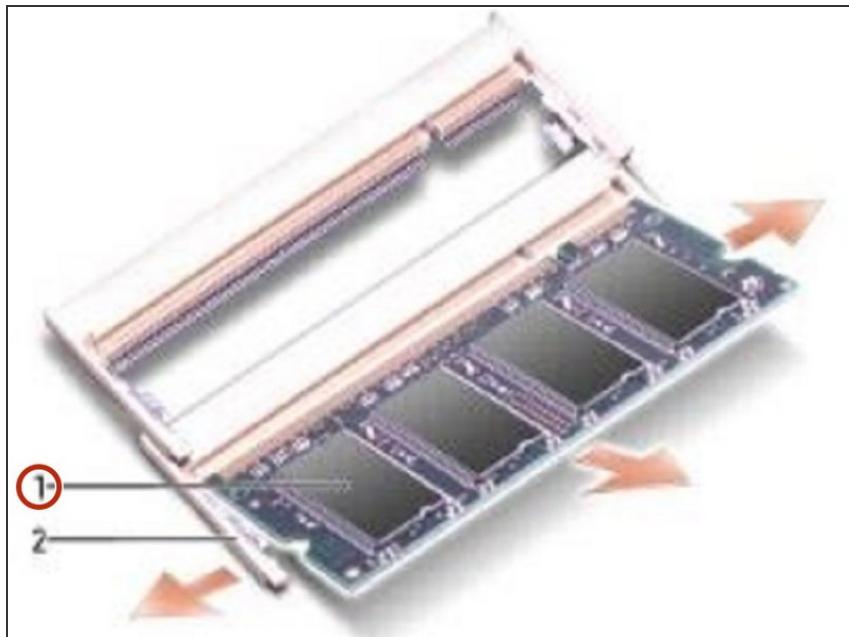
## Step 3 — Popping up the Memory Module



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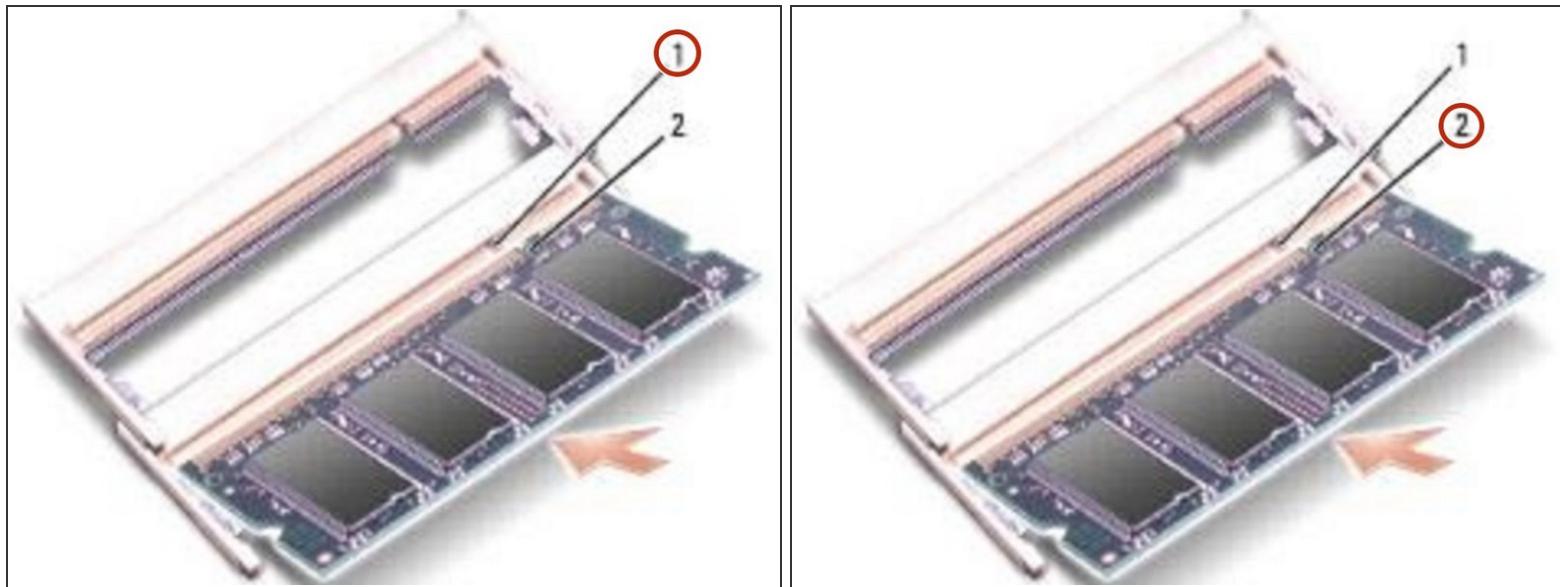
- Use your fingertips to carefully spread apart the securing clips on each end of the memory module connector until the module pops up.

## Step 4 — Removing the Module



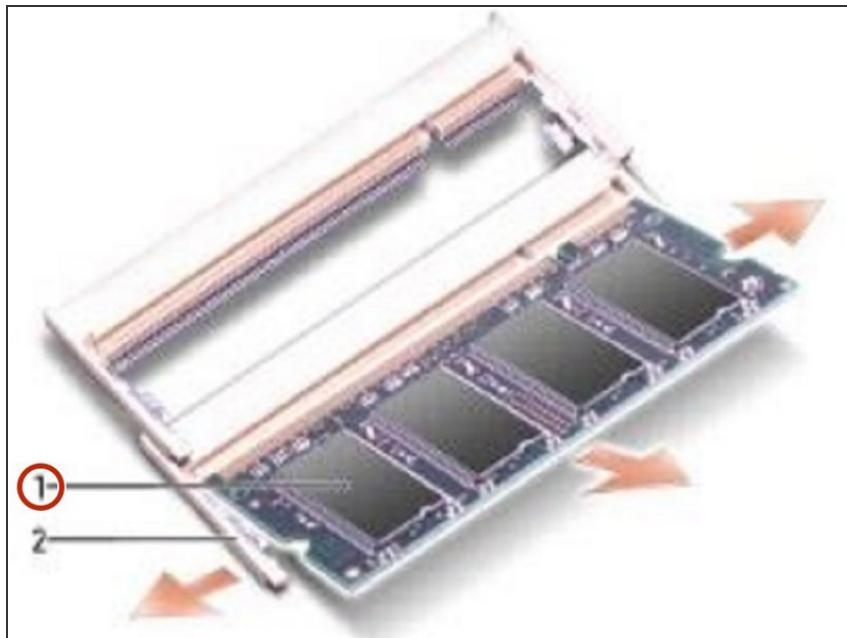
- Remove the module from the connector.

## Step 5 — Align the Notch



- Align the notch in the module edge connector with the tab in the connector slot.

## Step 6 — Installing the Memory Module



- Slide the **NEW** module firmly into the slot at a 45-degree angle, and rotate the module down until it clicks into place. If you do not feel the click, remove the module and reinstall it.

## Step 7 — Replacing the Module Cover



- Replace the memory module/Mini PCI cover and tighten the screws.

**★** **NOTICE:** If the cover is difficult to close, remove the module and reinstall it. Forcing the cover to close may damage your computer.

## Step 8 — Inserting the Battery



- Insert the battery into the battery bay, or connect the AC adapter to your computer and an electrical outlet.

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