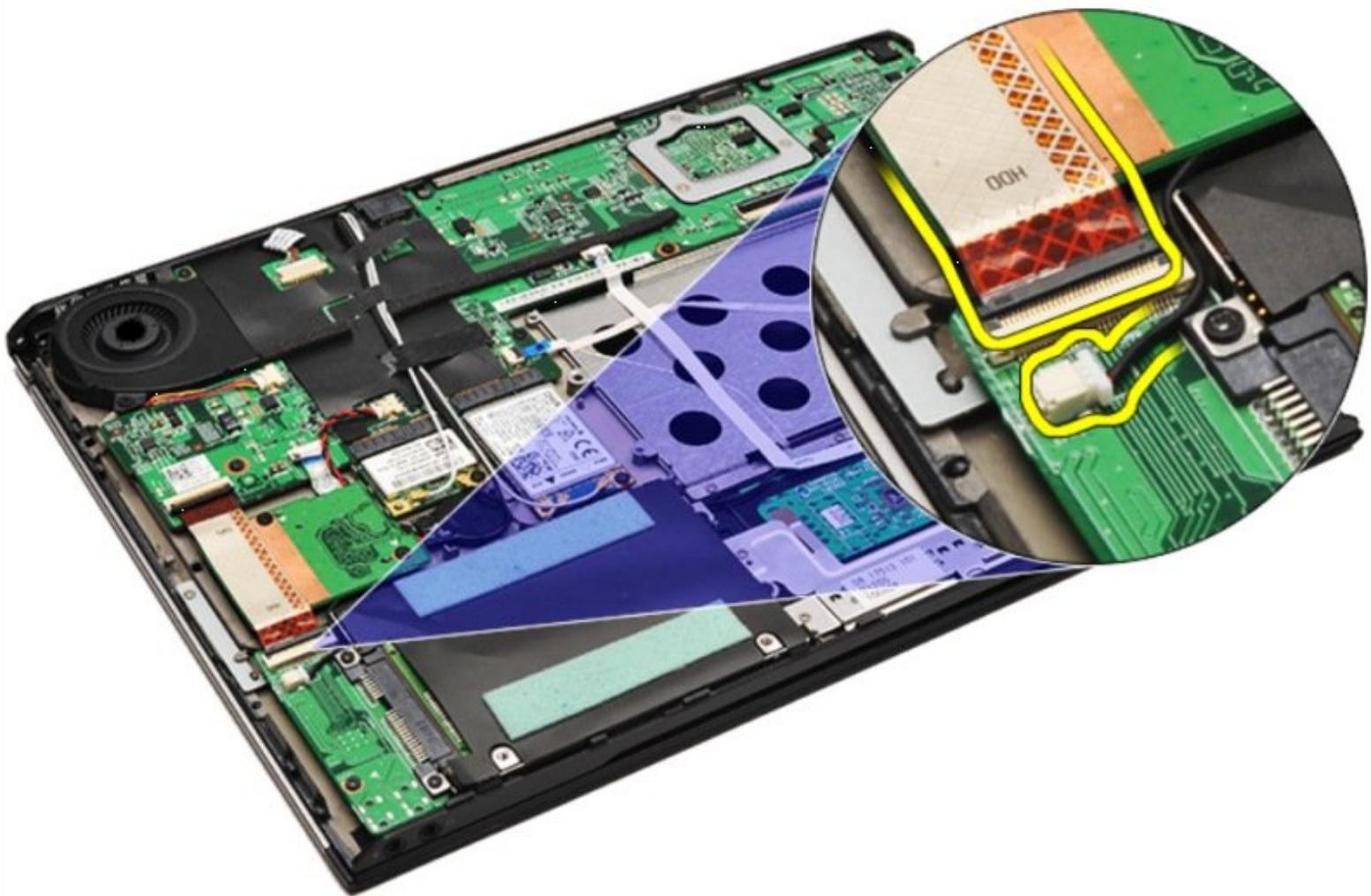




Dell Vostro V130 Hard Drive and Audio Board Removal

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INTRODUCTION

In this guide, we will be showing you how to remove the Hard Drive and Audio Board.

TOOLS:

- **Phillips #0 Screwdriver (1)**

Step 1 — Remove the Screws



- Remove the screws that secure the base cover to the computer.

Step 2 — Removing the Base Cover



- Slide the base cover towards the front of the computer. Lift it up and away from the computer.
- If this is all you are doing Follow Step In Reverse if not Go to Next Step.

Step 3 — Disconnecting the Battery



- Lift the black cable-release clip to release the battery cable from the connector on the system board and disconnect the battery cable.

Step 4 — Remove Battery Screws



- Remove the screws that secure the battery to the computer.

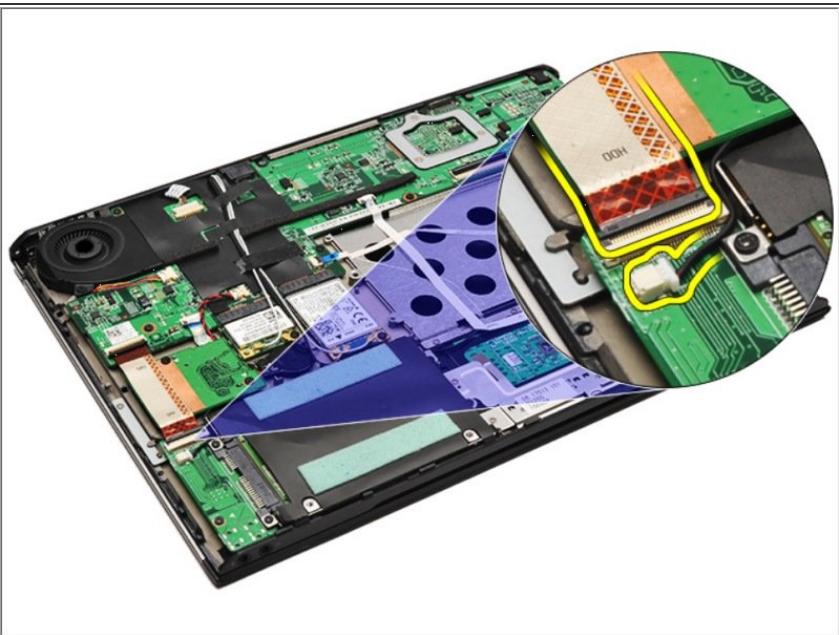
Step 5 — Lift the Battery



- Lift the battery up and away from the computer.

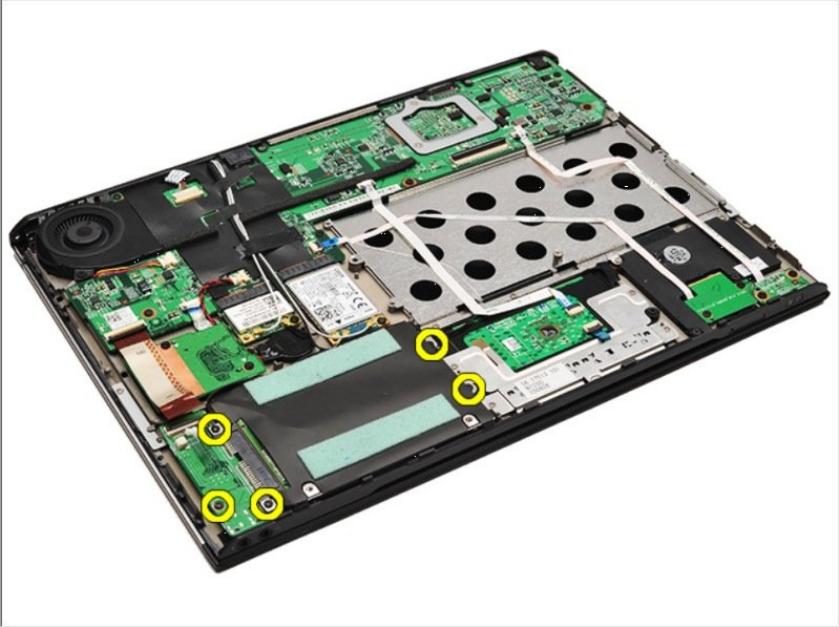
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Step 6 — Disconnecting the Speaker



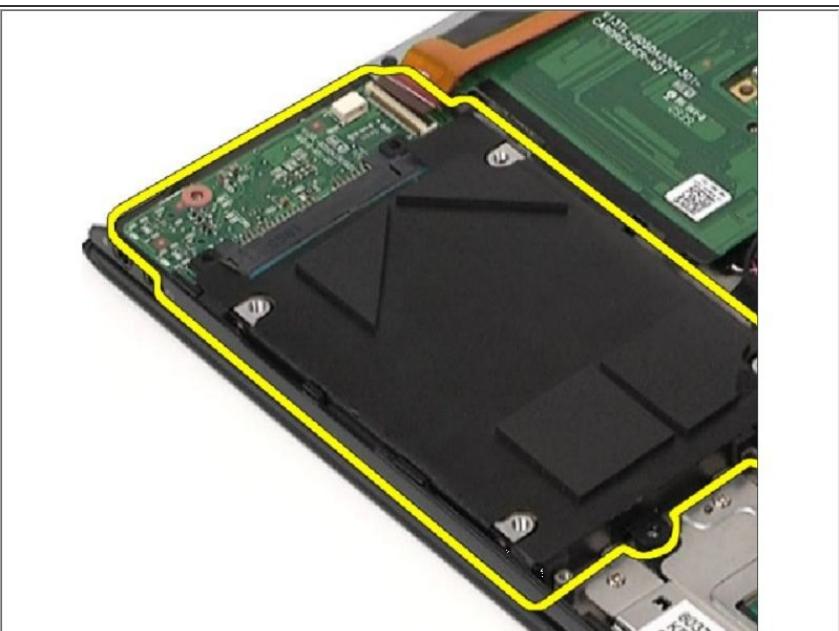
- Disconnect the speaker and system board cables from the audio board.

Step 7 — Remove the Screws



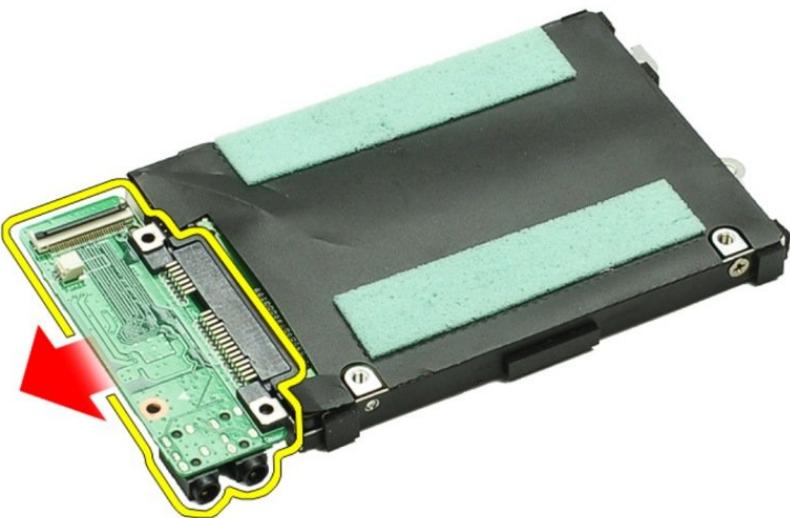
- Remove the screws that secure the audio board and the hard drive to the computer.

Step 8 — Lifting the Hard Drive and Audio Board



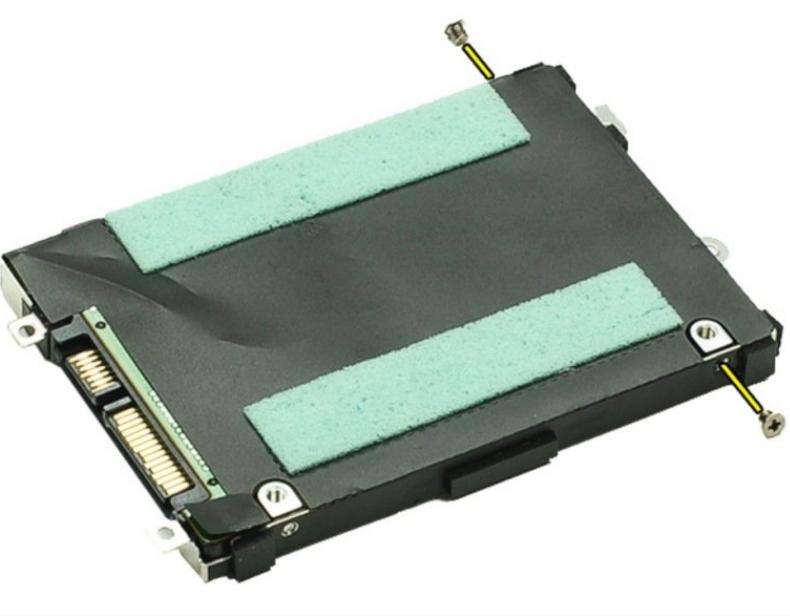
- Lift and remove the hard drive and audio board assembly from the computer.

Step 9 — Sliding the Audio Board



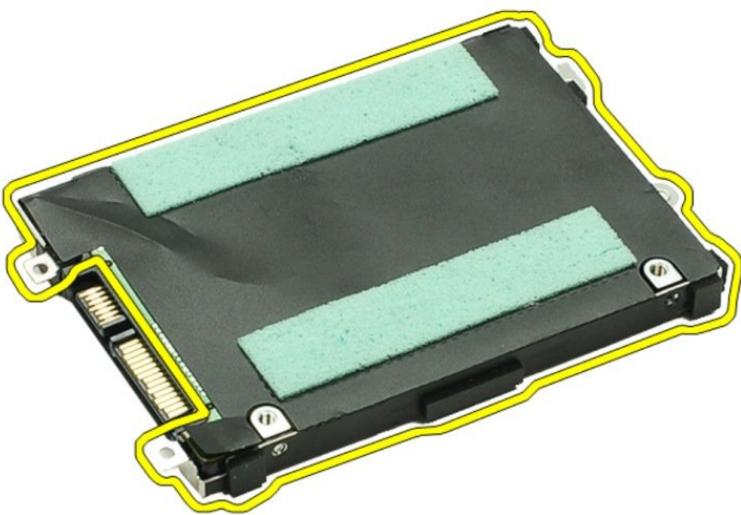
- Slide the audio board from the hard drive.

Step 10 — Remove the Screws



- Remove the screws that secure the hard-drive bracket to the hard drive.

Step 11 — Removing the Hard Drive



- Remove the hard drive from the hard-drive bracket.

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