



# HP Compaq Presario V3000 CD/DVD ROM Replacement

This guide will help users remove and replace CD/DVD ROM drive.

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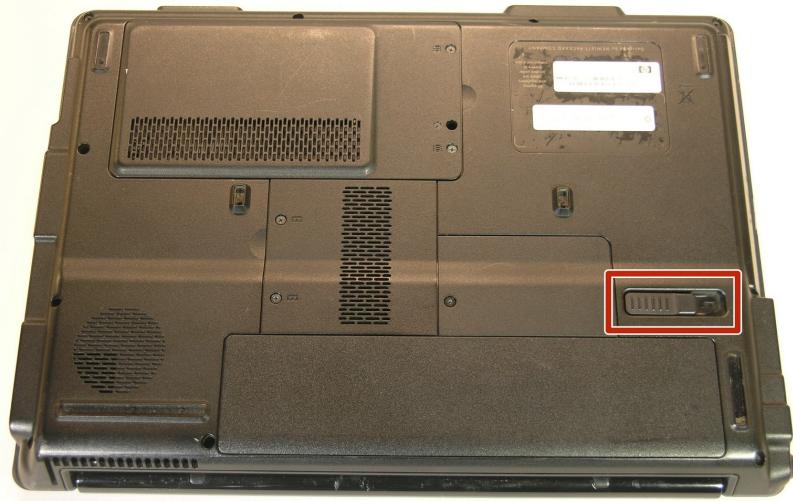
## INTRODUCTION

This guide will instruct users on how to successfully eject and replace the CD/DVD ROM drive.

### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Magnetic Project Mat](#) (1)

## Step 1 — Battery



- Make sure the laptop is powered OFF. Gently turn the laptop over and place it on a flat surface.
- ⚠ The battery may be warm or even HOT to the touch.
- Locate the battery **EJECT** latch.

## Step 2



- Grab the laptop firmly on the side and using your thumb, press the eject latch towards the **OUTER** edge of the device.
- The battery will be lifted out of the laptop slightly as you press the latch over as far as it will go.

★ When replacing the battery, you **DO NOT** need to adjust the latch. Once the battery is replaced, snap it into place and the latch will return to normal.

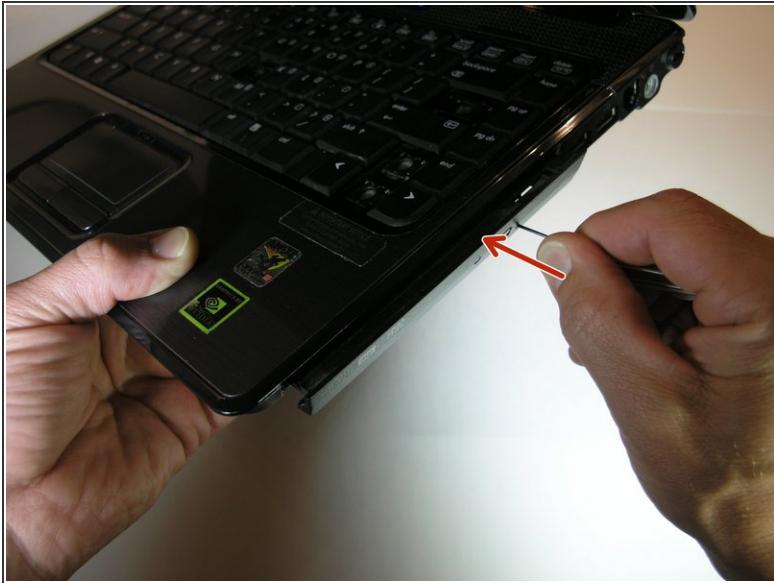
## Step 3



- Pull the battery up and towards you to remove it from the laptop chassis.
- Once the battery is out, you will be able to check the battery label for the replacement part number.

**i** The part number is needed when purchasing a new battery.

## Step 4 — CD/DVD ROM



- Locate the CD/DVD ROM drive. In order to recover an important disc from the drive, locate the manual release hole.
- Insert paper clip or other small diameter object to engage the release mechanism.

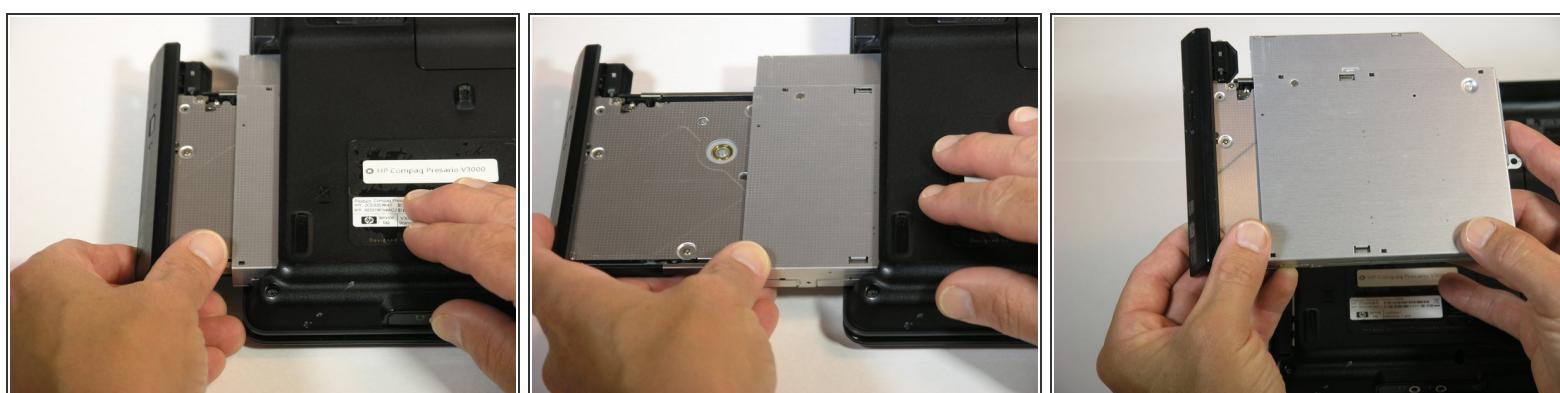
*ⓘ* Apply slow, steady pressure until the drive pops out. The ejection mechanism in the manual release hole is small. Multiple attempts may be needed to eject.

## Step 5



- Locate the screw that secure the CD/DVD ROM drive.
- Use Philips #0 screwdriver to remove the 2.5 x 5.0mm CD/DVD ROM screw.
- ① Place the 2.5 x 5.0mm CD/DVD ROM drive screw on the magnetic project mat.

## Step 6



- Slowly remove the CD/DVD ROM drive from the laptop.

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