HP G62-223CL Optical Drive Replacement

This guide will show the user how to remove the optical drive.

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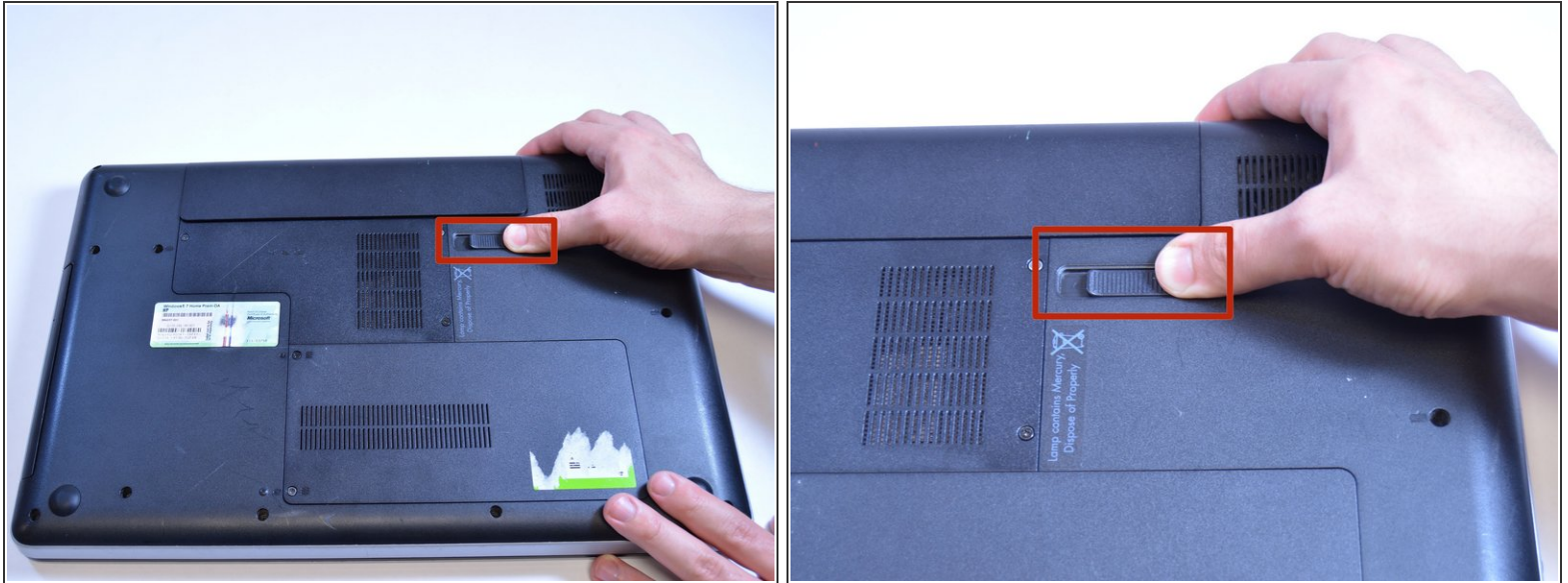This document was generated on 2019-09-24 02:46:07 PM (MST).

INTRODUCTION

This guide will show the user how to remove the optical drive.

🔧 TOOLS:

- Phillips #0 Screwdriver (1)
- iFixit Opening Tools (1)

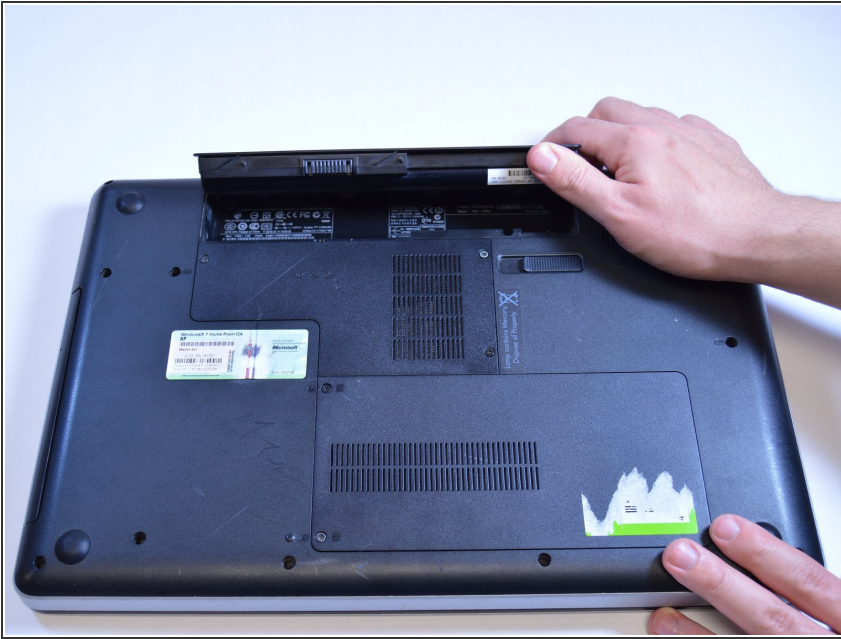This document was generated on 2019-09-24 02:46:07 PM (MST).

Step 1 — Battery Removal

⚠️ Removing the battery while the laptop is still on may corrupt your files.
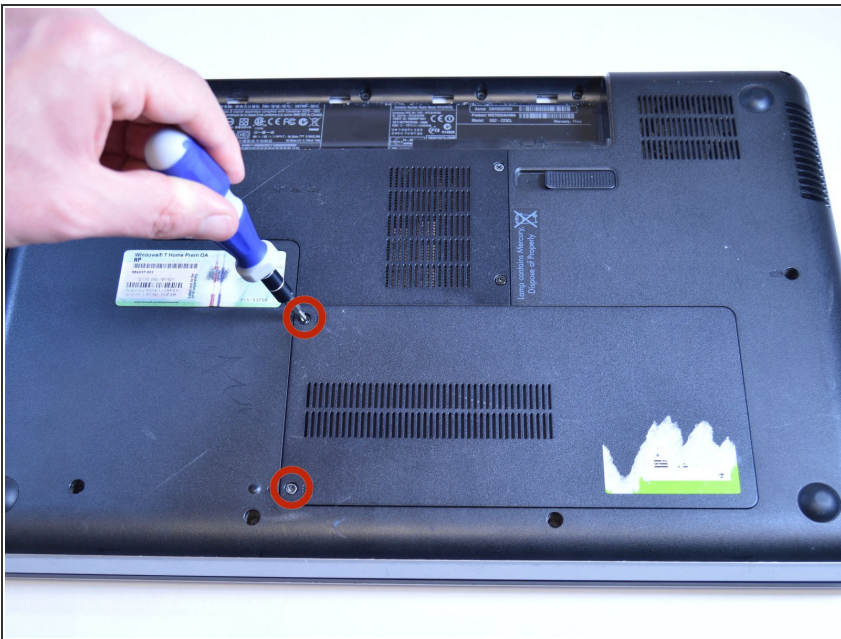
- Turn the device over to expose the bottom of the device.

- Slide the battery release all the way to the left.

- There will be a click and the battery will be released from its compartment.

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Step 2

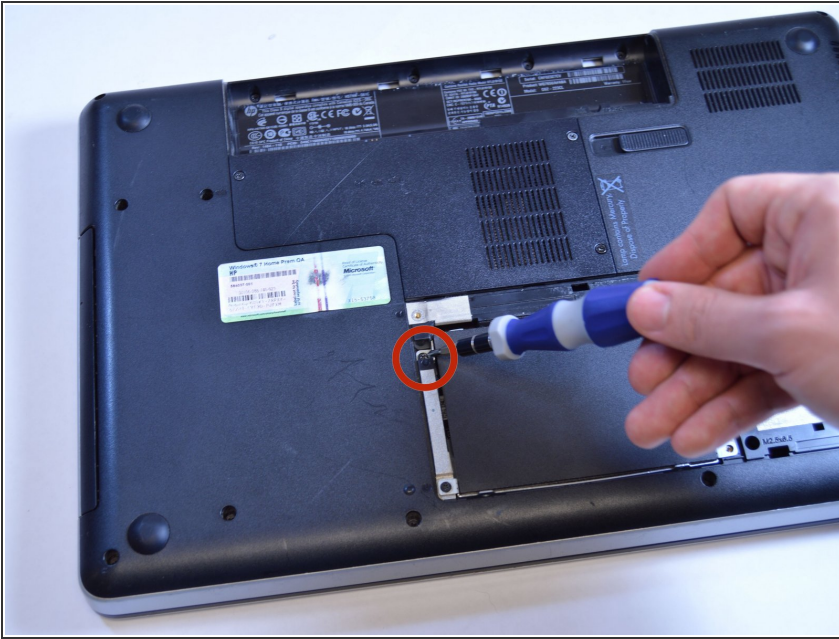- Carefully remove the battery from its compartment.

Step 3 — Optical Drive

- Locate two Phillips head retaining screws which secure the hard drive compartment.

- Use a Phillips #0 screwdriver to loosen the retaining screws.

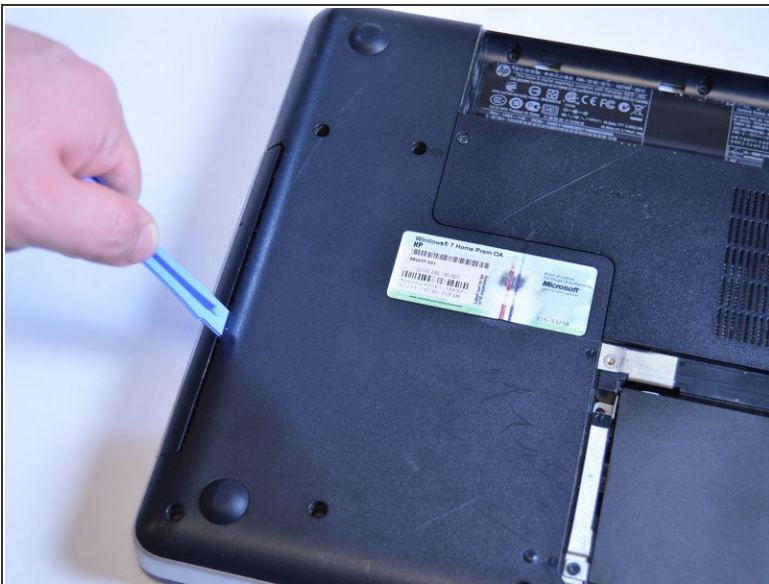- Remove the panel covering the compartment.

- ⚠ Ground yourself before attempting to touch any components. To ground yourself, touch a conductive metal to eliminate any static buildup in your body, which can damage computer components.

Step 4

- Locate the 6 mm Phillips head screw to the left of the hard drive.

- Use a Phillips #0 screwdriver to remove the screw.

Step 5

- Once the screw is removed, use a plastic opening tool and place it between the body of the computer and the optical drive.

- Apply enough pressure to loosen the optical drive.

- The optical drive can then be removed by hand.

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

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