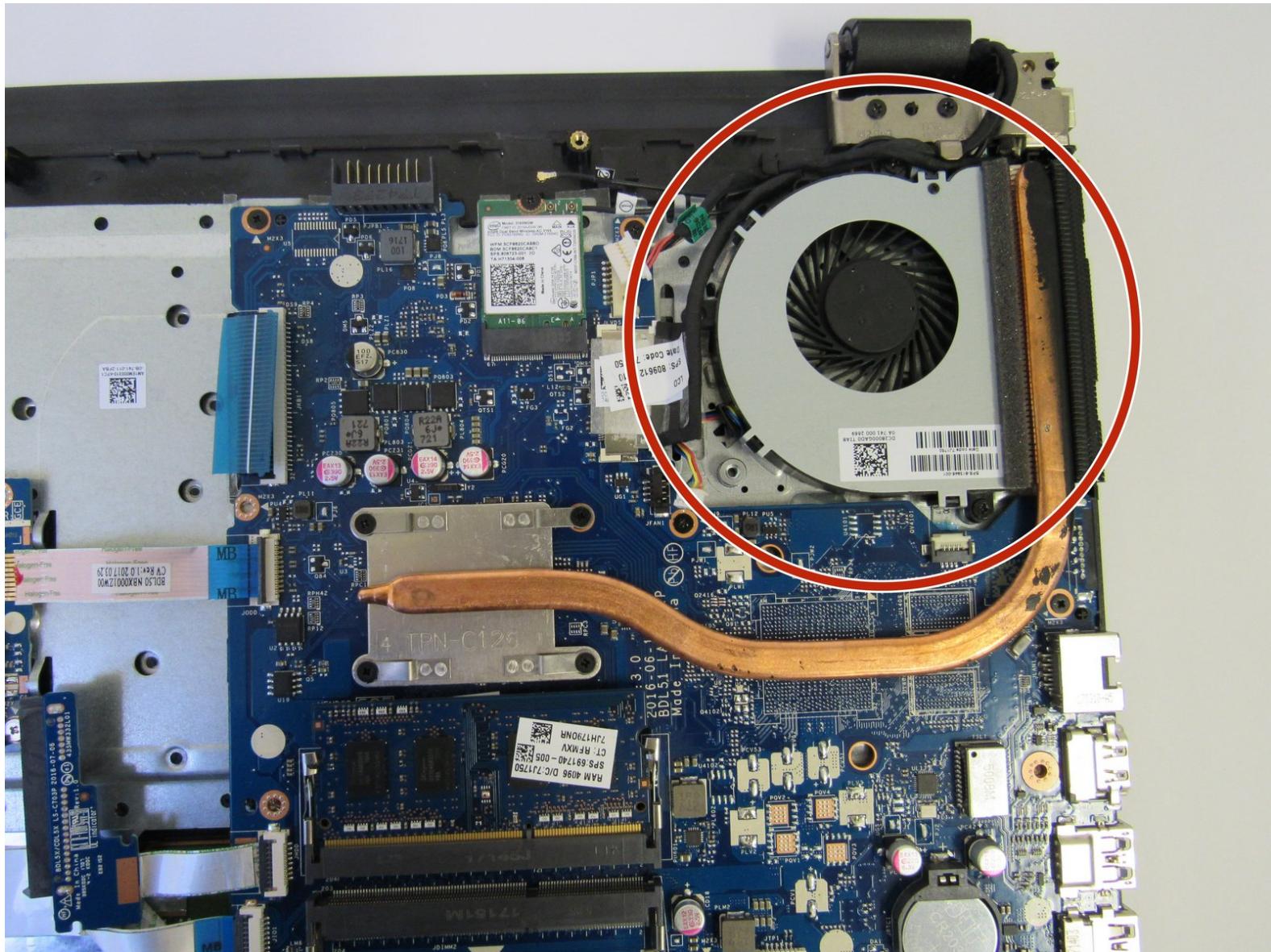




# HP Notebook 15-ba018ds Fan Replacement

This guide will help you replace and remove a HP Notebook 15-ba018ds fan.

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 **TOOLS:**

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

## Step 1 — Battery



⚠ Before beginning, make sure the laptop is completely turned off by pressing the off button and waiting for the screen to turn black.

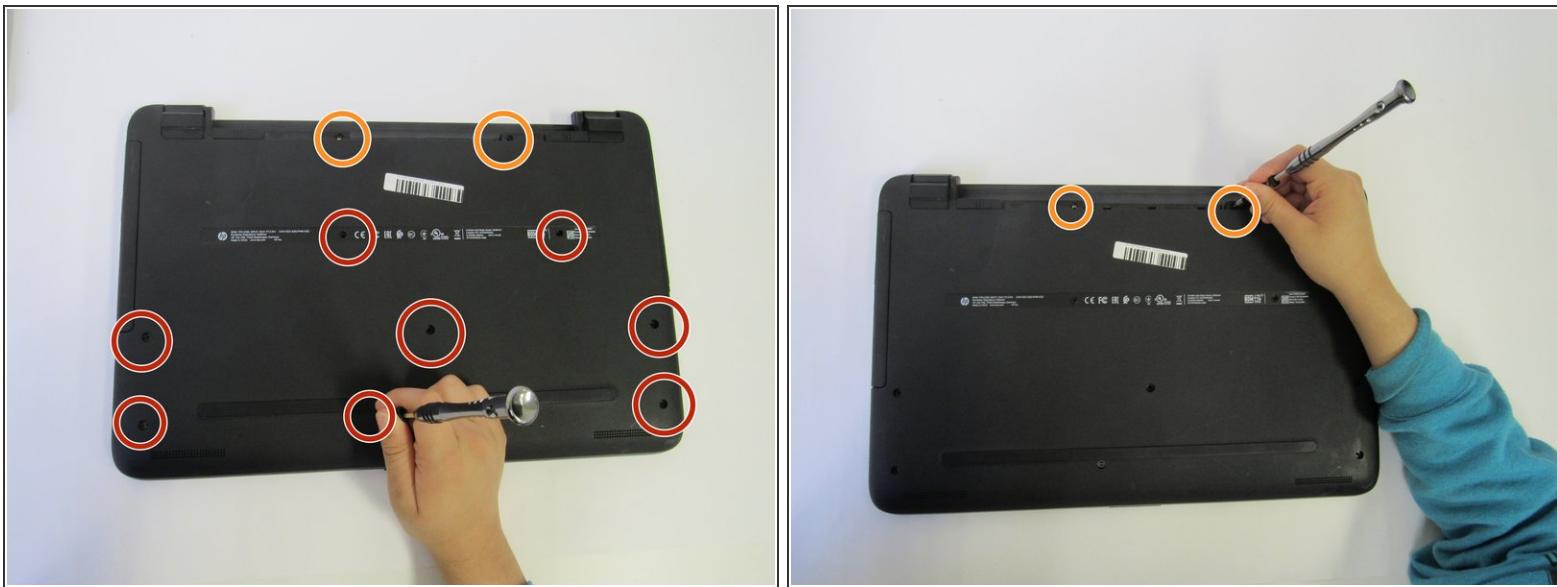
- Flip the laptop over so the battery is exposed which will be next to the hinges on the top left and right.

## Step 2



- Place your thumbs on the slide locks that are next to the hinges and simultaneously push them toward each other to unlock the battery.
- While still holding onto the slide locks, push the battery away from the laptop with your index fingers.

## Step 3 — Fan



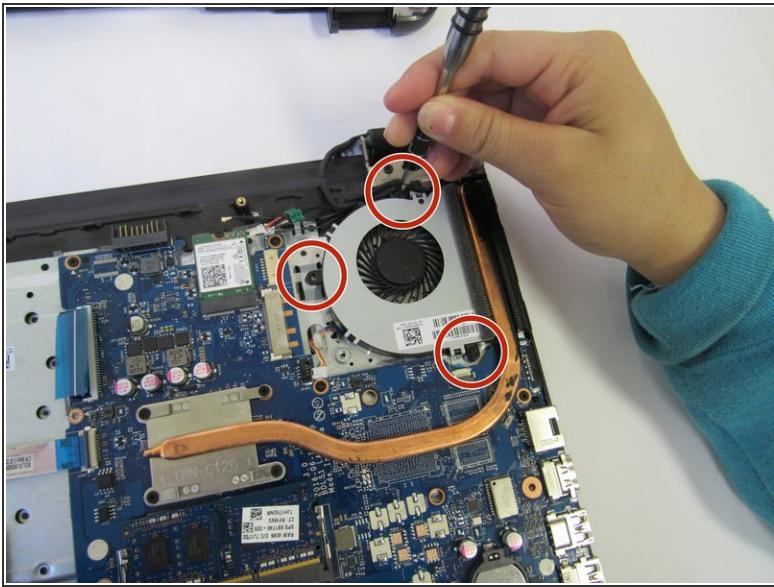
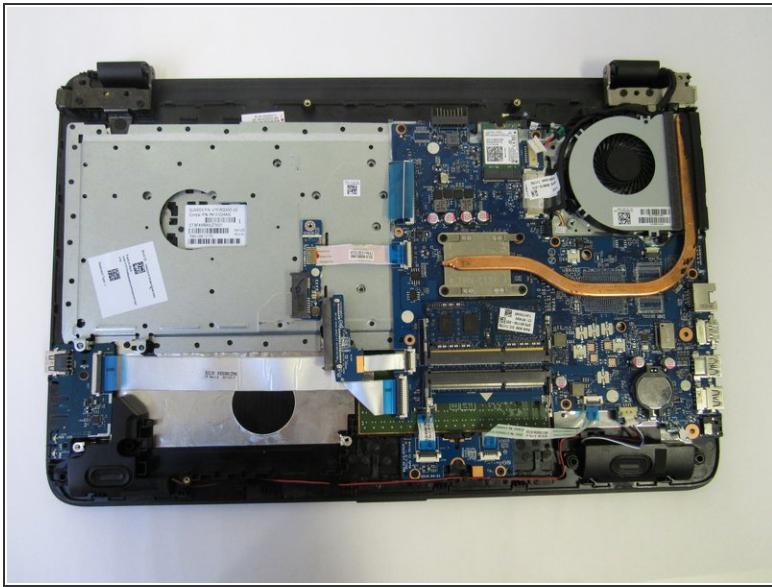
- Unscrew the 8 screws on the back cover.
- There are also two screws in the battery area that need to be removed.

## Step 4



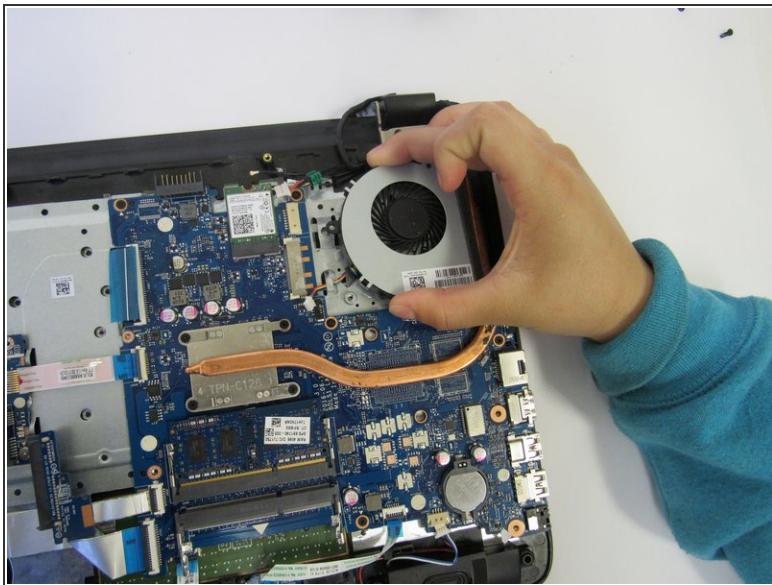
- Use an opening tool to help remove the back cover.
- *i* If you look at the side of the laptop, you can see where it can be separated into two parts.

## Step 5



- Remove the three Phillips head screws attached to the fan.

## Step 6



- Remove old fan and replace with a new fan.

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