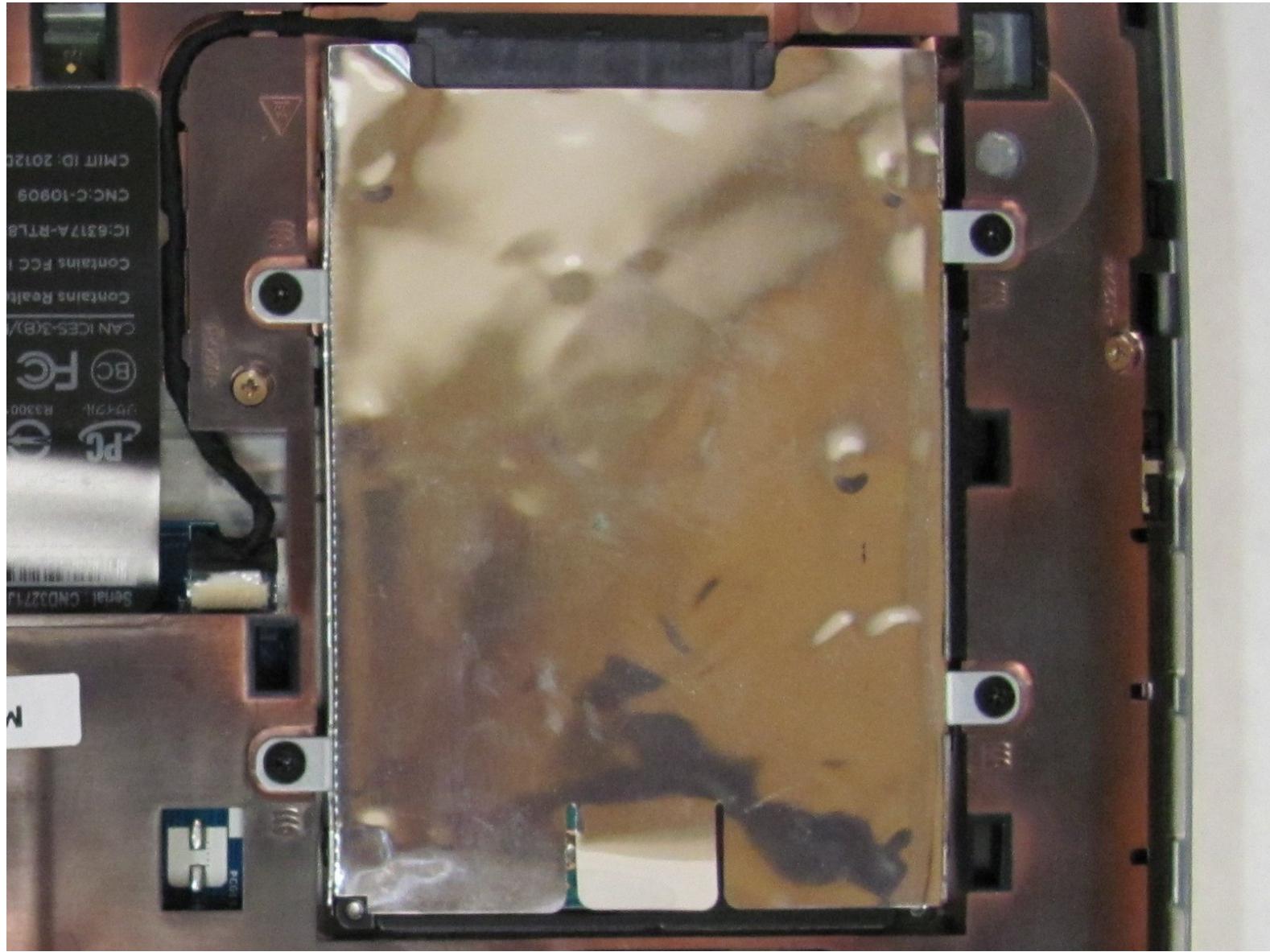




HP Pavilion Touchsmart 11z-e000 Hard Drive Replacement

This guide will instruct a user in the replacement of the laptop's hard drive.

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INTRODUCTION

The hard drive for a computer is essentially where all of the computers information is stored. They are crucial to the performance of any computer. Upgrading a hard drive can improve the speed of a computer, as well as allow the user to save more files, run more programs, and generally improve the performance.

TOOLS:

- [Small Phillips Head Screwdriver \(1\)](#)
- [iFixit Opening Tools \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — Battery



- Remove battery by pushing the two tabs and pulling the battery outwards slowly but firmly.

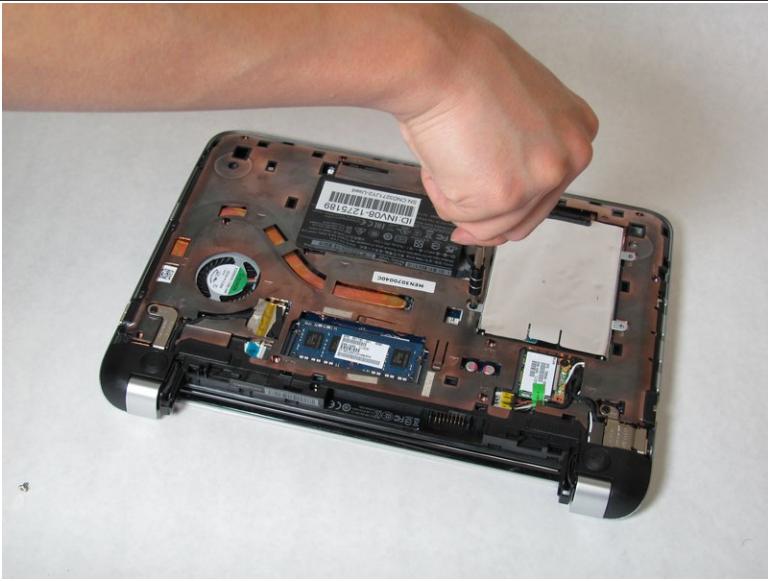
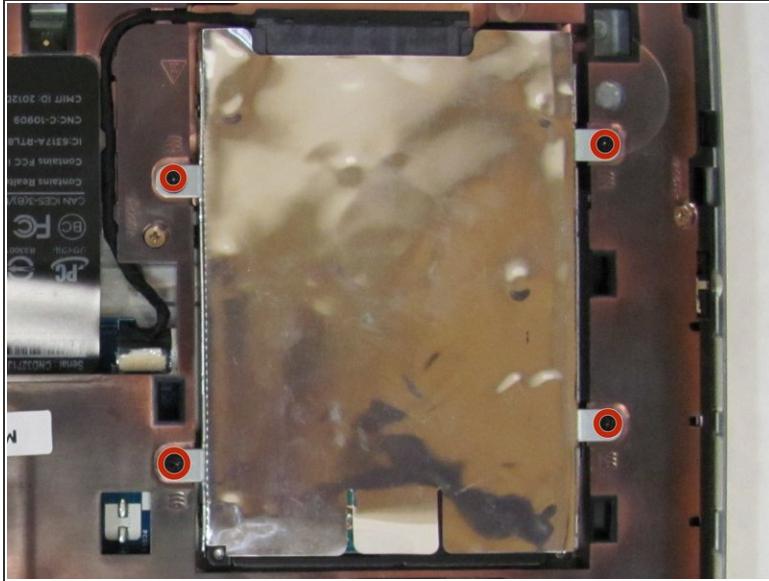
Step 2 — Hard Drive



- Wedge your finger (or tool) in between the outer plastic cover of the laptop and the main part of the laptop.
- Pry the outer plastic cover off of the laptop.

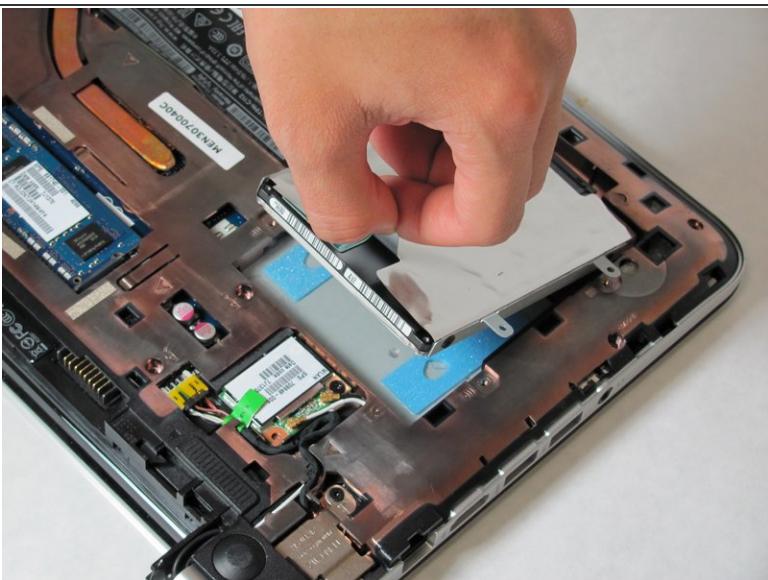
i Prying the outer plastic cover off may take a significant amount of force.

Step 3



- Unscrew all screws that surround the hard drive with a Philip Head

Step 4



- Carefully lift the hard drive up by holding the tag shown here.

Step 5



- Remove the final attachment to the hard drive located at the end shown here.

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