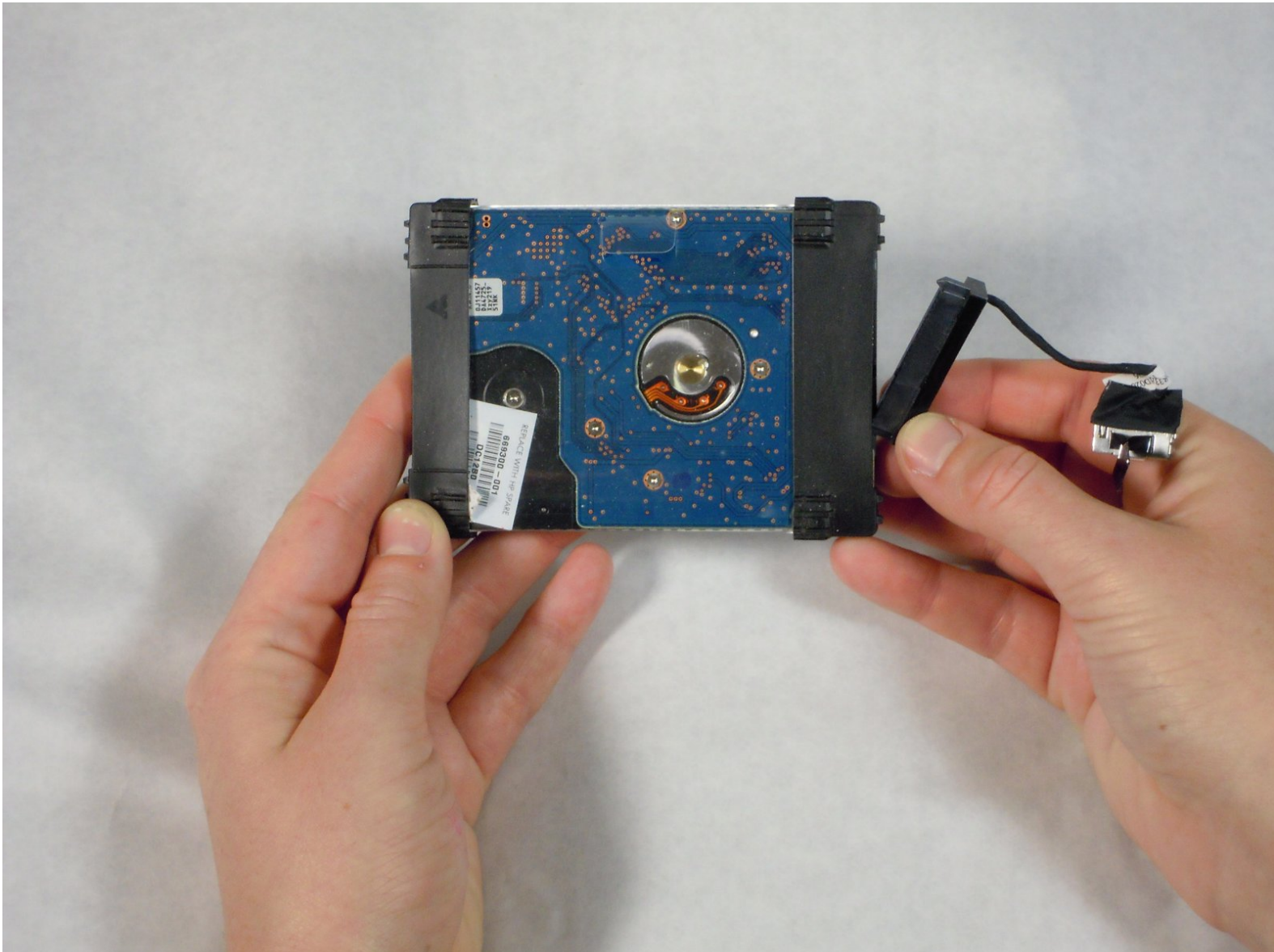




HP Pavilion g7-2275dx Hard Drive Replacement

Replacing the hard drive in your HP g7-2275 dx.

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INTRODUCTION

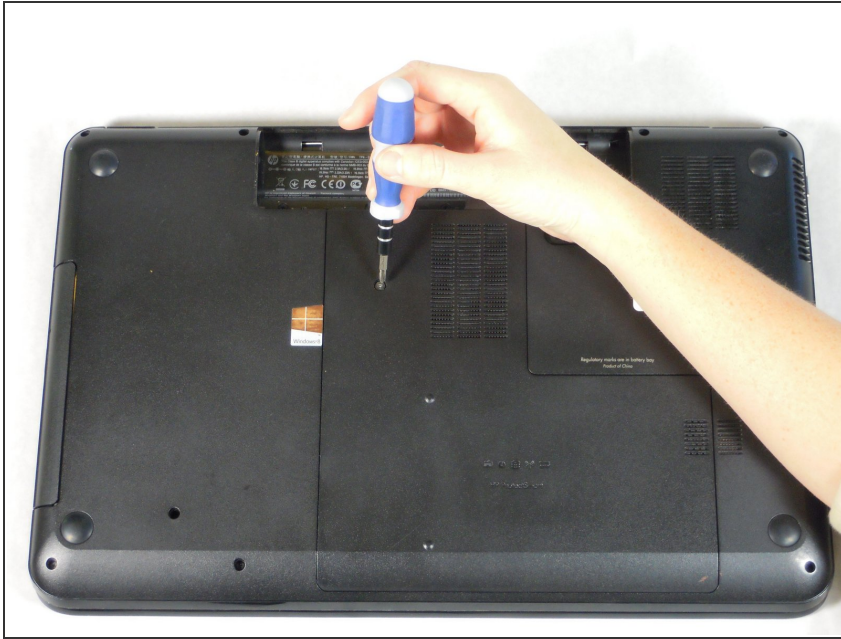
Did your hard drive crash? Or are you looking for more speed or capacity from a new hard drive? This guide will walk you through replacing your hard drive



TOOLS:

- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [Anti-Static Wrist Strap](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Disassembling HP Pavilion g7-2275dx Back Panel



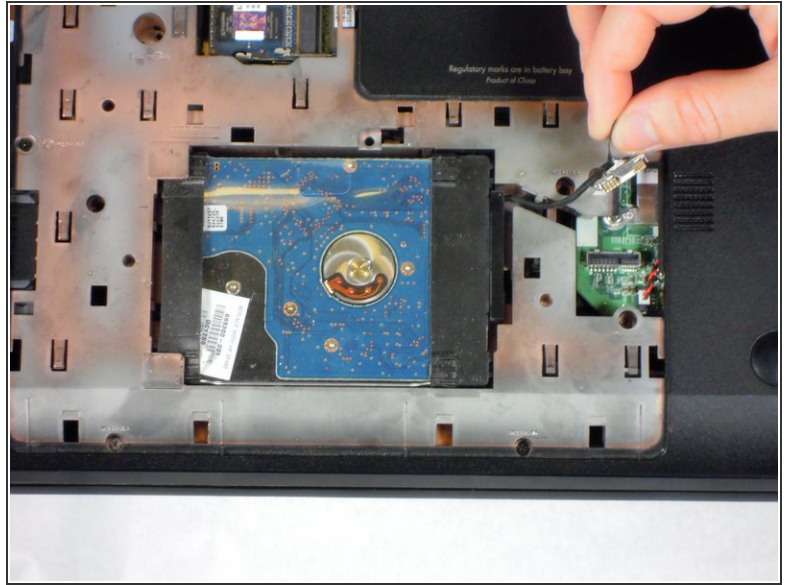
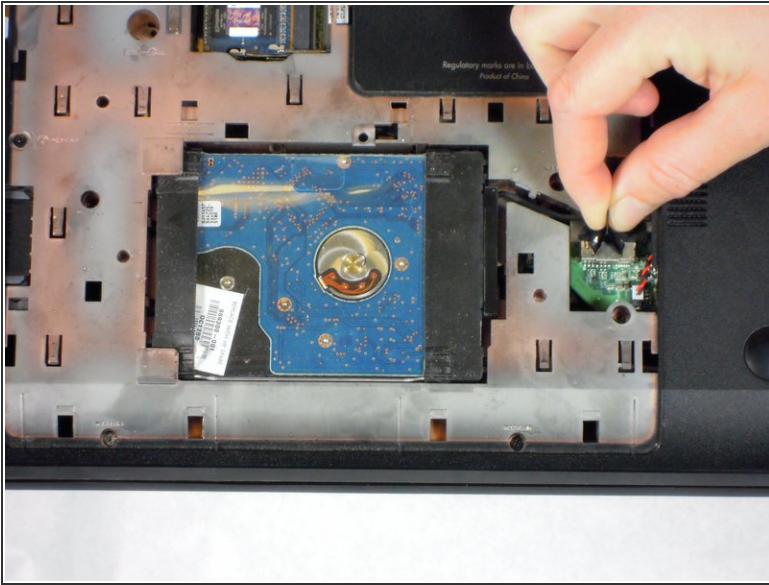
- Unscrew one Phillips #1 screw from the back panel.
- ⓘ The screw is on a spring and attached to the panel. It will pop up, but will not separate from the back panel.


Step 2



- Slide the back panel down and pull it up.

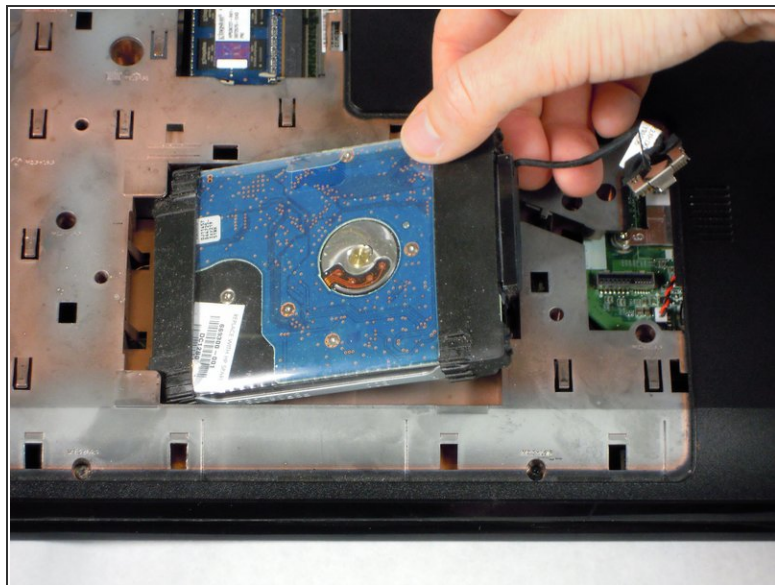
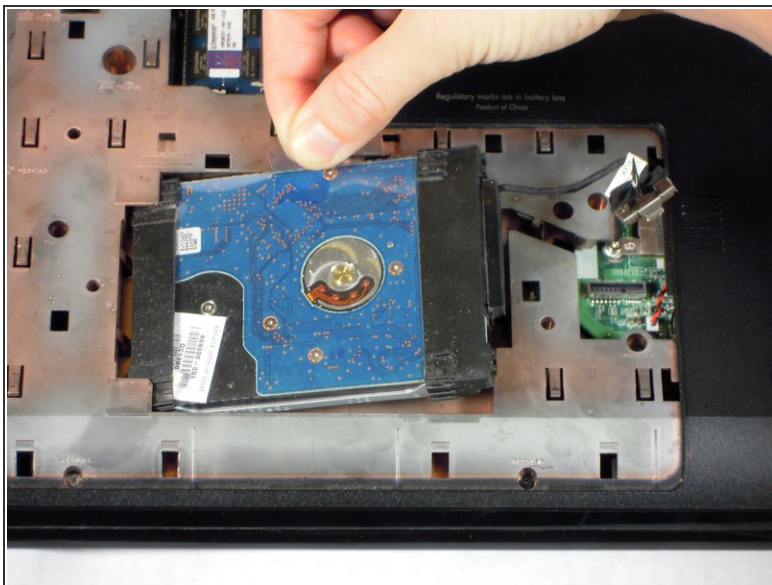
Step 3 — Hard Drive



 Static electricity can damage the components of your laptop. Make sure you are wearing an anti-static bracelet before you touch the hard drive.

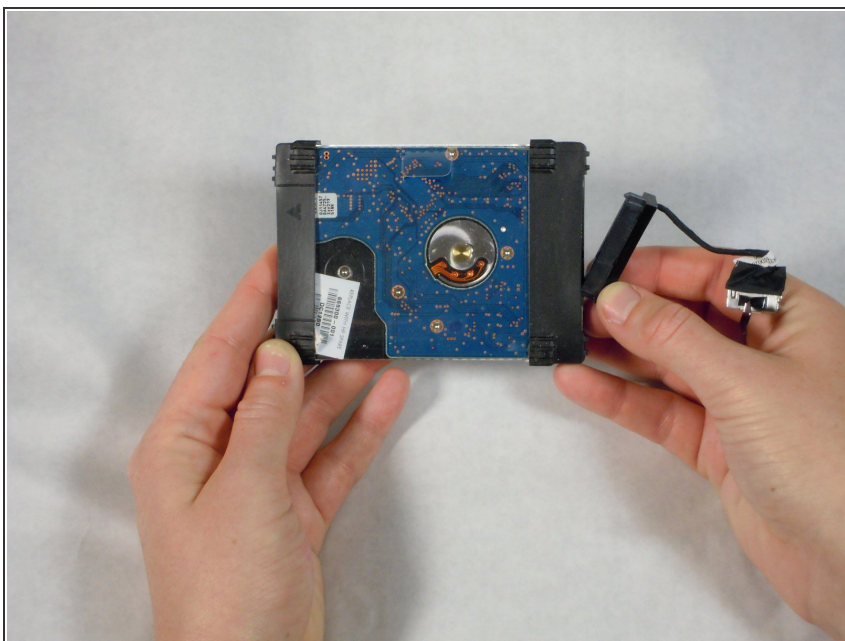
- Using the black tab on the connect and/or a prying tool, lift up to disconnect the black hard drive cable from the green circuit board.
- Pull the black cable up and out of the back panel. This will make taking the hard drive out much easier.

Step 4



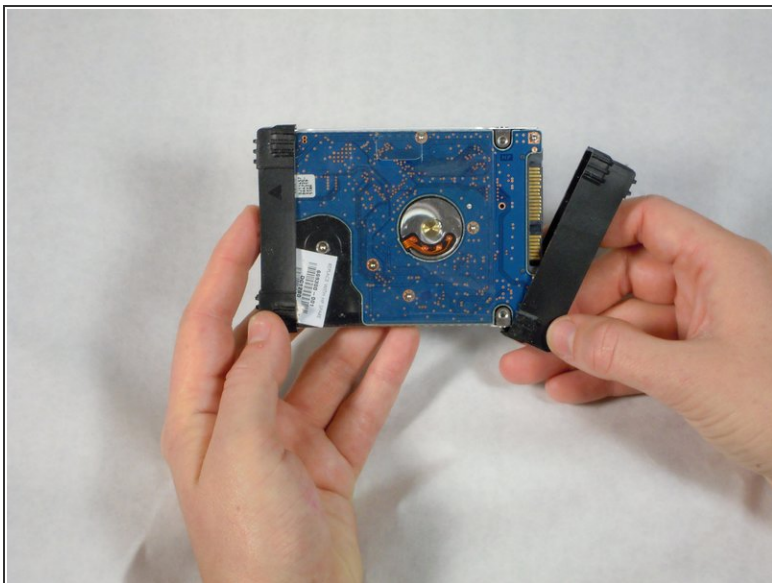
- Gently pull up on the plastic tab attached to the hard drive.
- Pull the hard drive up and to the right to remove it completely from the laptop.

Step 5 — Hard Drive



- Remove the black SATA cable from the hard drive.

Step 6



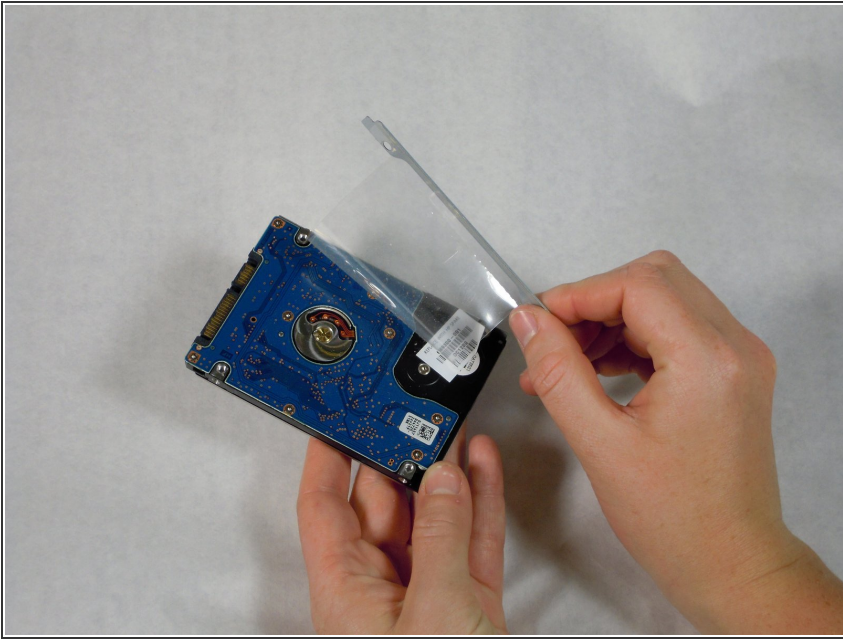
- Remove the black rubber end caps.

Step 7



- Remove the four silver 5 mm Phillips #1 screws from the hard drive.

Step 8



- Remove the plastic cover from the hard drive.

To reassemble or replace your hard drive, follow these instructions in reverse order with the working drive.