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## INTRODUCTION

If the audio is distorted through an external speaker or another peripheral device, then the Audio port is defective. Use this guide to access, remove, and replace your Audio port.

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### TOOLS:

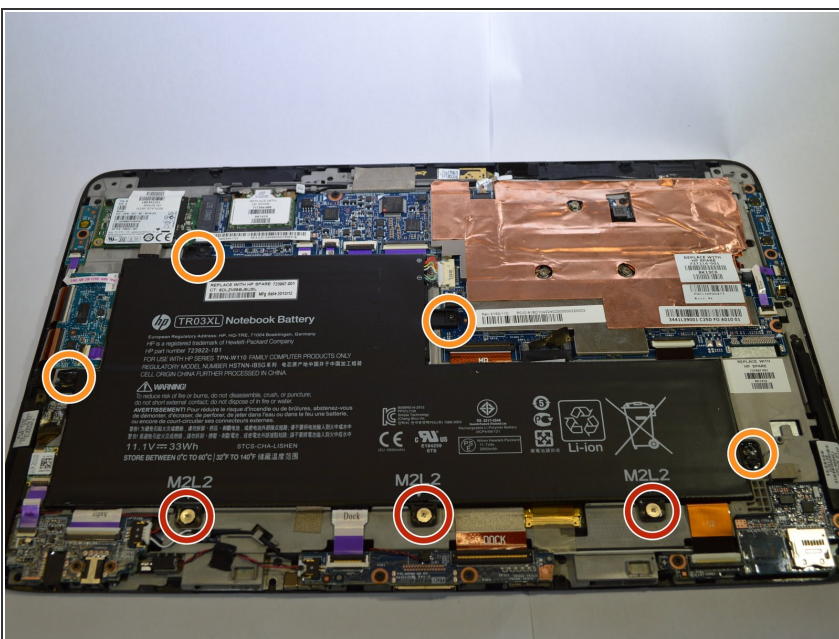
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [Spudger](#) (1)
  - [Tweezers](#) (1)
  - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Back Panel



- Carefully peel off the felt cover that is found beneath the display along the bottom of the device.
- Use a spudger to gently scrape away the padding that hides the screws in each of the four locations.
- Remove the four 4-mm Phillips #0 screws.
- Run a spudger along the crease of the entire laptop and slowly pry off the back panel of the device, beginning with the bottom edge.
- ⓘ You will hear popping noises as the clips separate from each other.

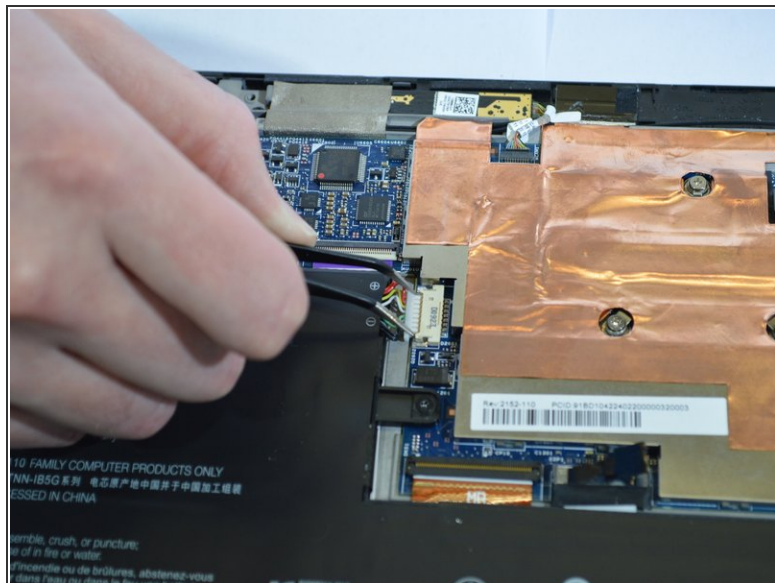
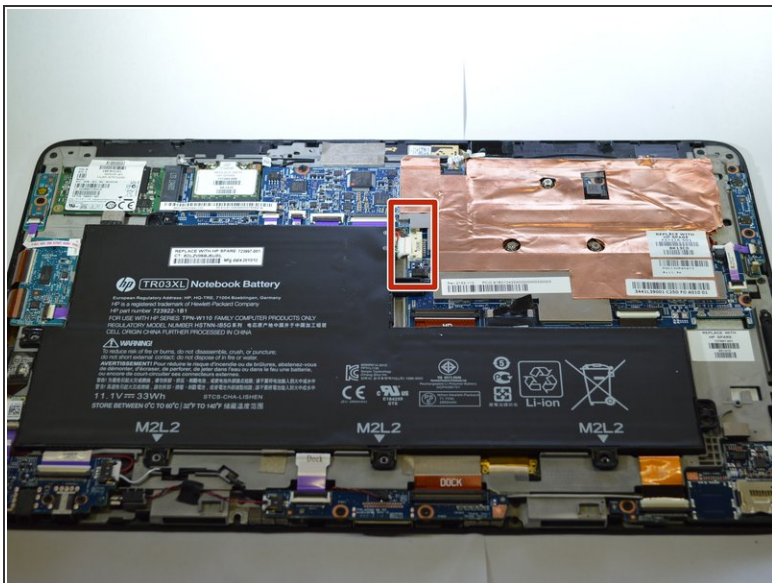
## Step 2 — Battery



- Remove the three 6-mm Phillips #0 screws.
- Remove the four 4-mm Phillips #0 screws.

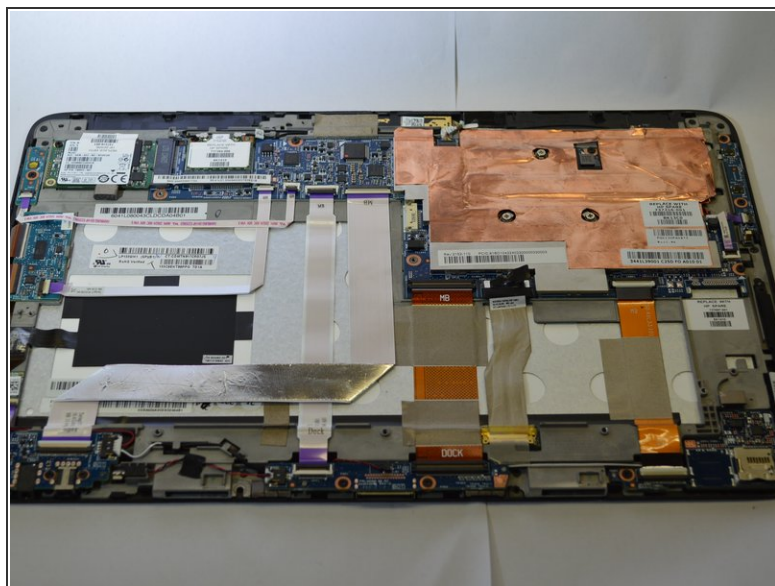


## Step 3



- Remove the white connector clip from the connector port using a sturdy tweezers.

## Step 4



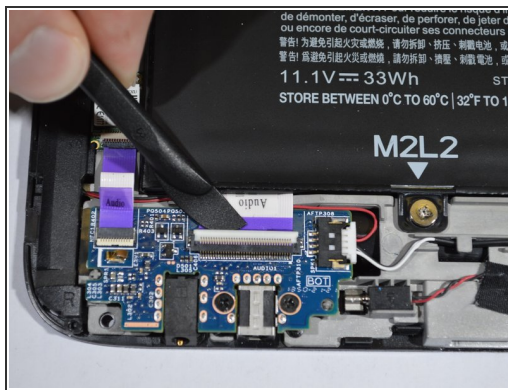
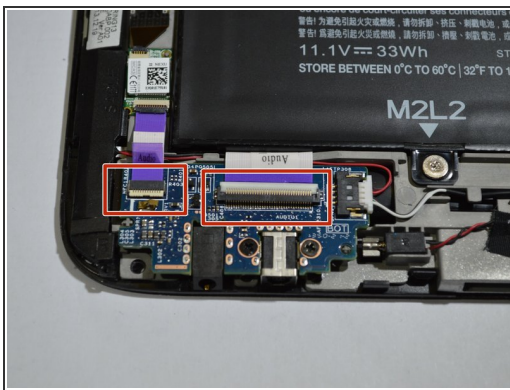
- Lift the battery away from the device.

## Step 5 — Audio Port



- Remove the two 4-mm Phillips #0 screws.

## Step 6



- Remove the two purple ribbons labeled "Audio" at the top of the audio port board using tweezers or a sturdy plastic opening tool.

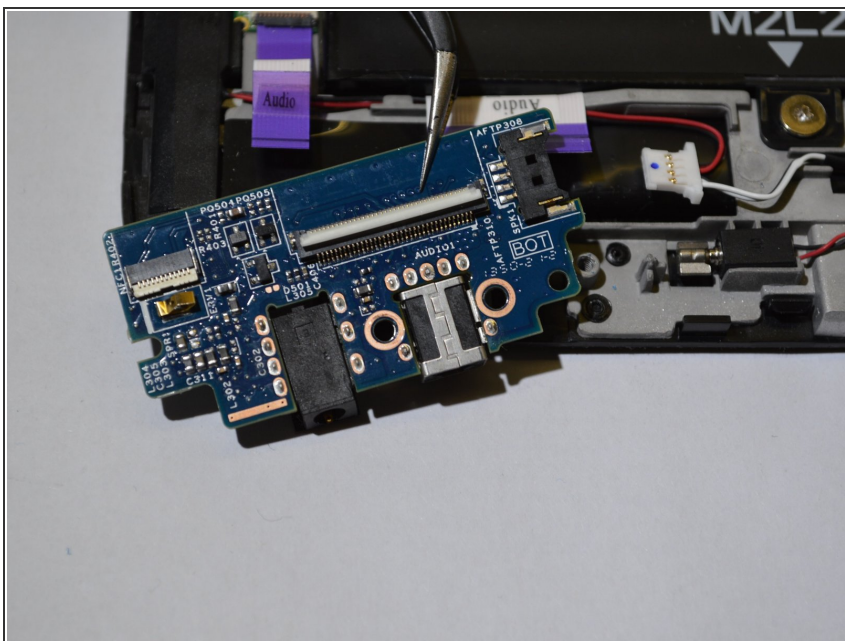


## Step 7



- Remove the white clip at the top right corner of the audio port board using tweezers.

## Step 8



- Lift the Audio port away from the device.

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