



Lenovo G50-70 Fan Replacement

This guide will show how to replace the cooling fan.

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INTRODUCTION

The fan on a computer is important for cooling the parts that generate a lot of heat. If fan is not running properly, there is a risk of other parts overheating and causing damage to critical components. Most computers have thermal throttling; this means speeds will decrease when it starts to overheat to prevent from damage.



TOOLS:

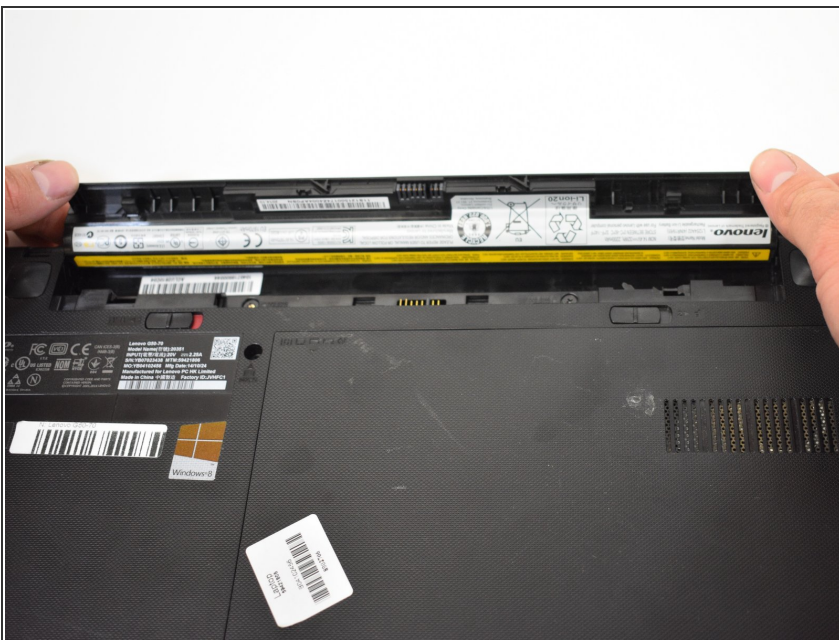
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Battery



- Push the left switch (labeled 1) to the left to show red underneath. This will unlock battery.
- Push the right switch (labeled 2) to the right. This will eject battery.

Step 2



- Rotate the battery away from the laptop.

Step 3 — Back Access Panel



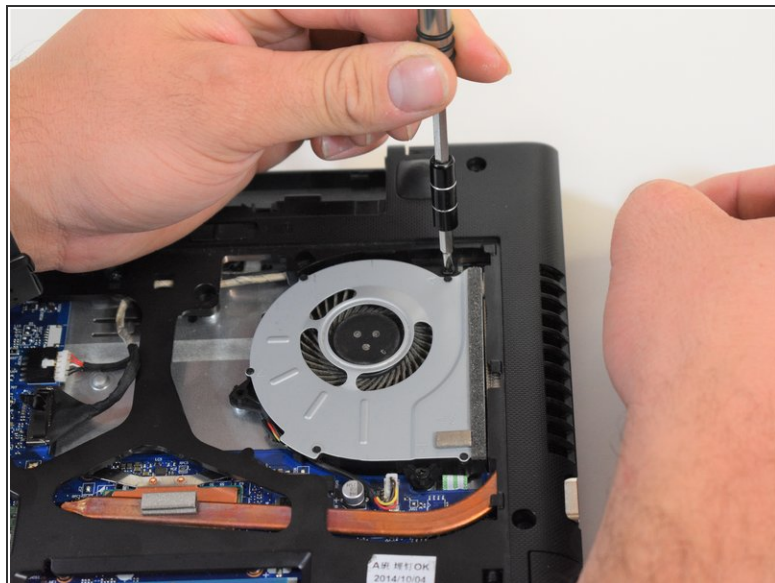
- Remove the three 6mm Phillips #0 screws holding the back access panel on.

Step 4



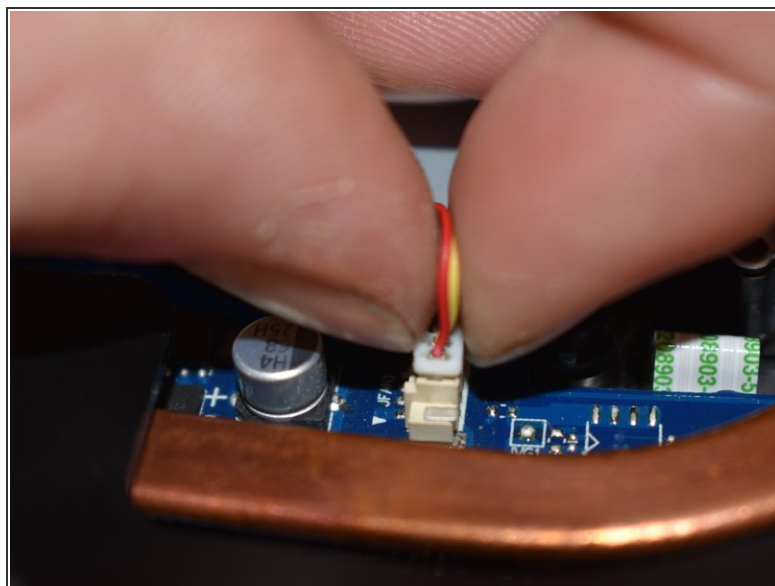
- Slide the cover toward you to unlatch it.
- The edge of the panel will slide away from the laptop so it can be lifted.

Step 5 — Fan



- Remove the three 6mm Phillips #0 screws on the perimeter of the fan.

Step 6

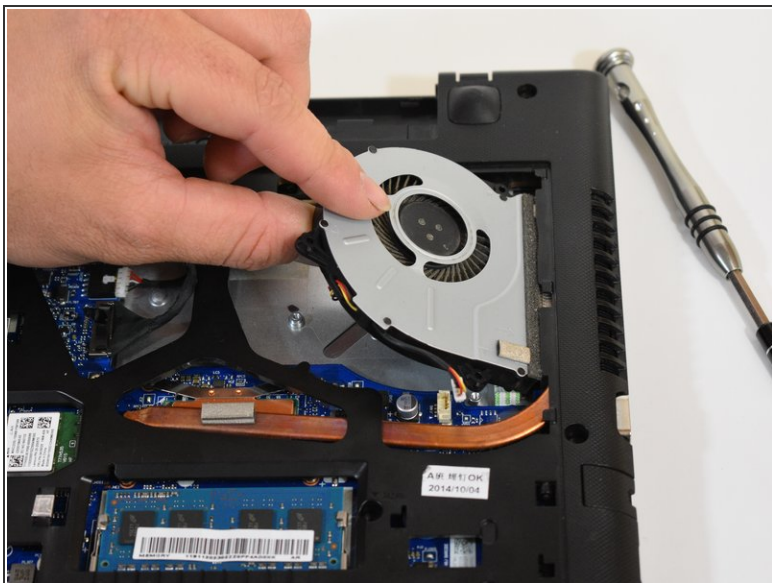


- ⓘ The fan is plugged into the motherboard next to the copper heat sync.

- Unplug the bundled wire connector by pulling up on the white plug.

- ⚠ Do not pull up by the wires.

Step 7



- Lift fan out of case.

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