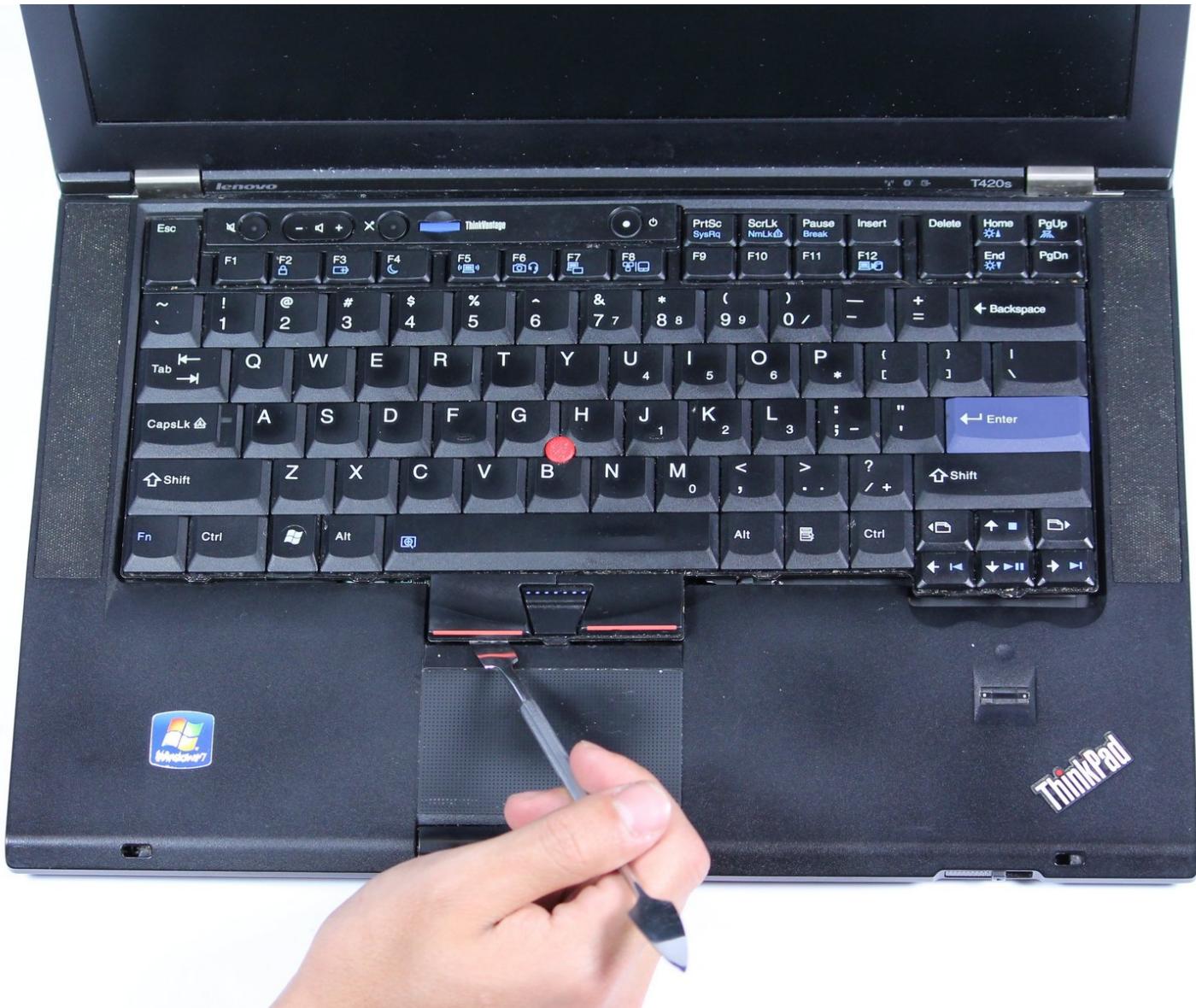




Lenovo ThinkPad T420s Keyboard Replacement

How to replace the keyboard on the Lenovo ThinkPad T420s.

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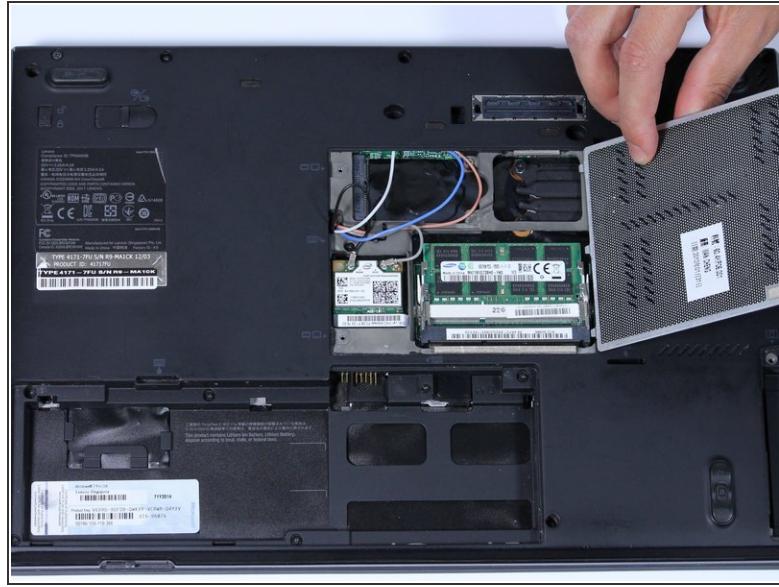
INTRODUCTION

If you are experiencing sticky, unresponsive keys, you may need a new keyboard. This guide shows you how to replace your laptop's keyboard.

TOOLS:

- [Metal Spudger \(1\)](#)
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)

Step 1 — Keyboard



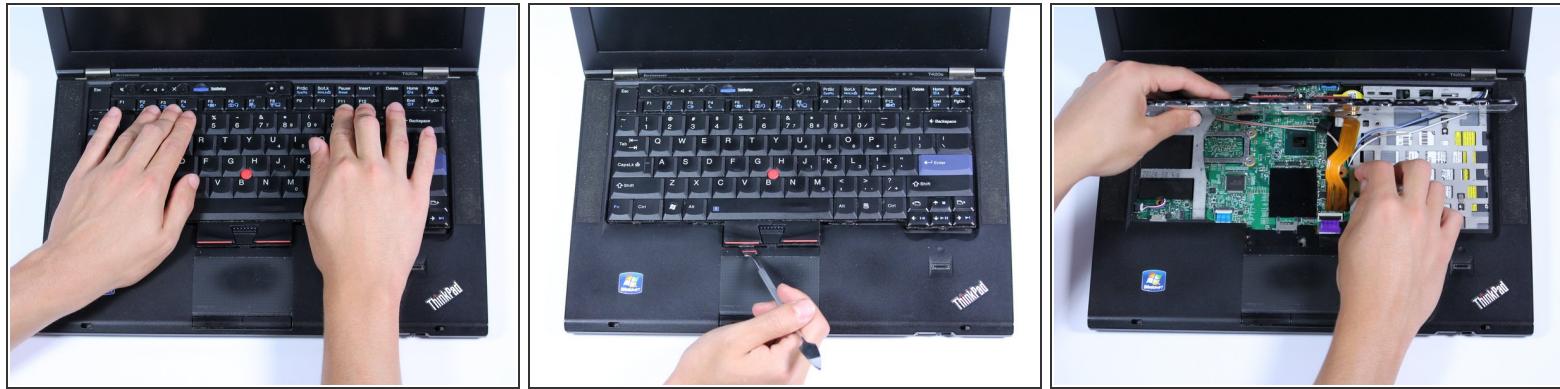
- Flip your laptop over so the bottom is facing up.
- Remove the memory panel by removing two black 5mm screws using the Phillips #0.
- Remove the memory panel.

Step 2



- Remove the two 5mm screw using the Phillips #0 screwdriver.
- Flip the laptop back over and open it.

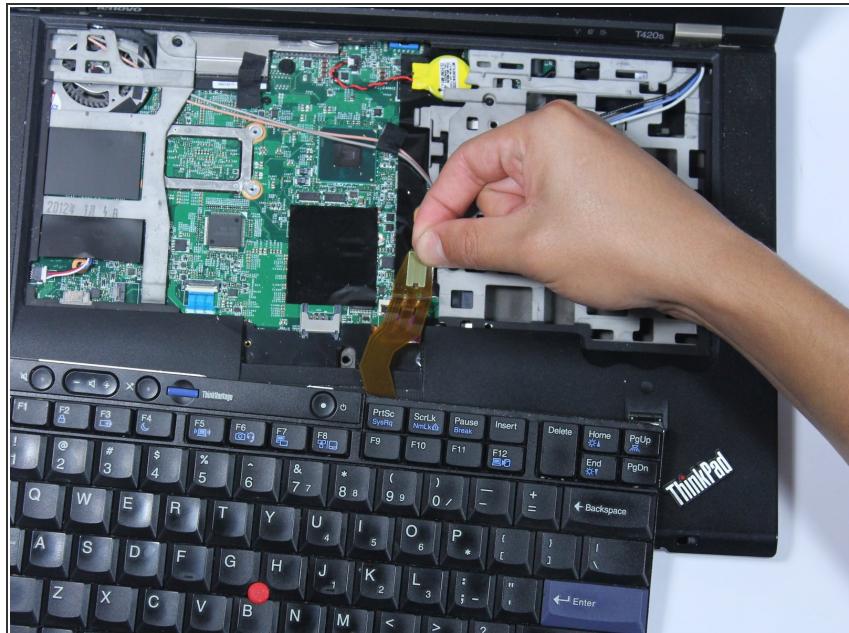
Step 3



- Gently push down on the keyboard and slide it towards the screen. This will pop the bottom of the keyboard out of the casing.
- The best place to push is on the frame of the keyboard by the power button.
- Using the metal spudger, lift and slide out the keyboard.

⚠ When lifting the keyboard do not remove it completely because a cable will still be connected to the laptop.

Step 4



- Remove the orange cable by lifting up on the tab on the end of the ribbon connection.

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