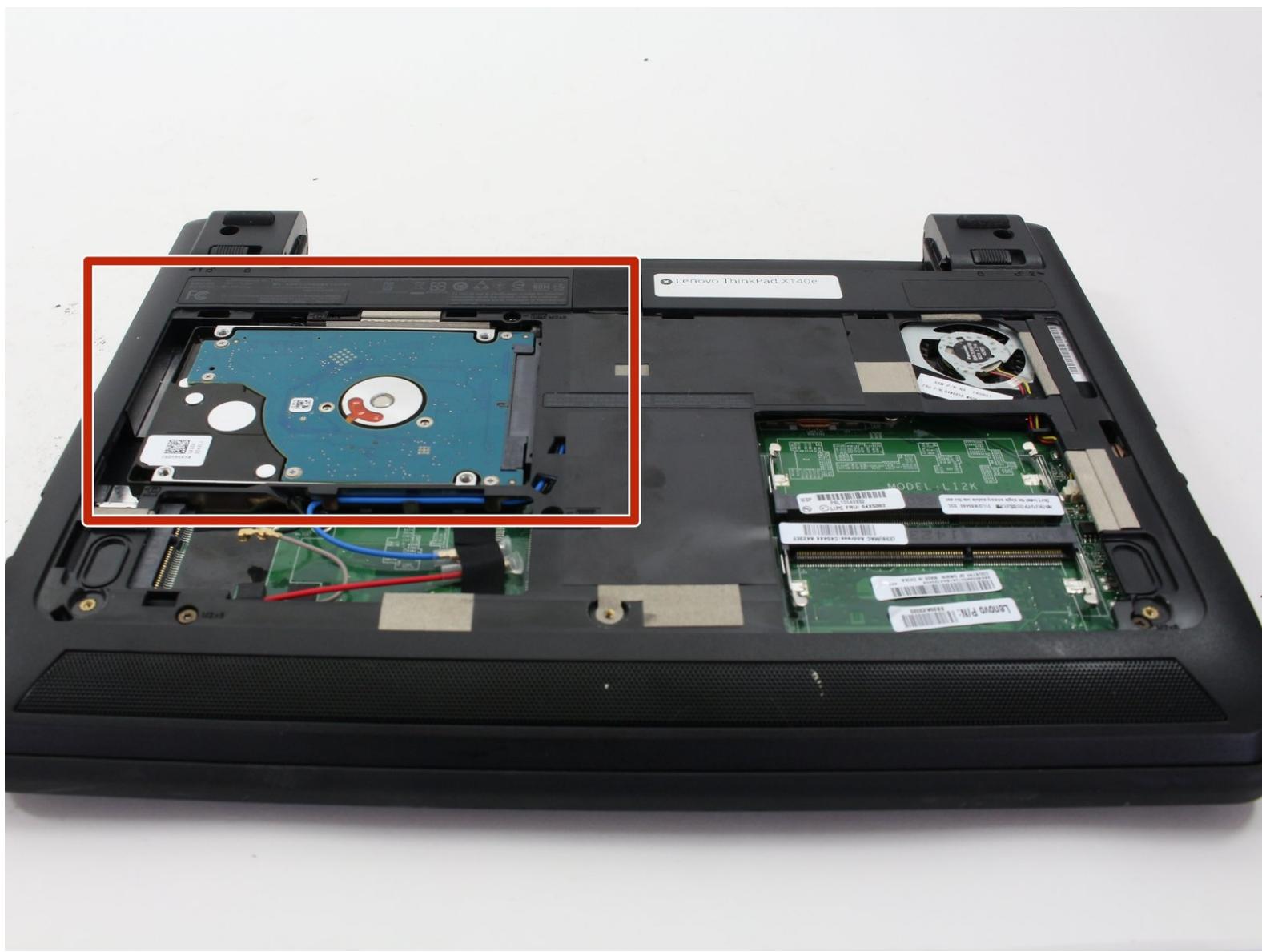




# Lenovo ThinkPad X140e Hard Drive Replacement

Use this guide to replace broken or malfunctioning hard drive.

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## INTRODUCTION

Hard drive replacement is necessary if your laptop fails to boot or because of hard drive errors. Prior to hard drive replacement, you will need to remove the back panel, both of which are quick, easy tasks.

### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)
- [iFixit Opening Tools \(1\)](#)

## Step 1 — Back Panel



- Flip the laptop upside down so that the battery is facing away from you.
- *(i)* Battery removal is not necessary to complete this guide.

## Step 2



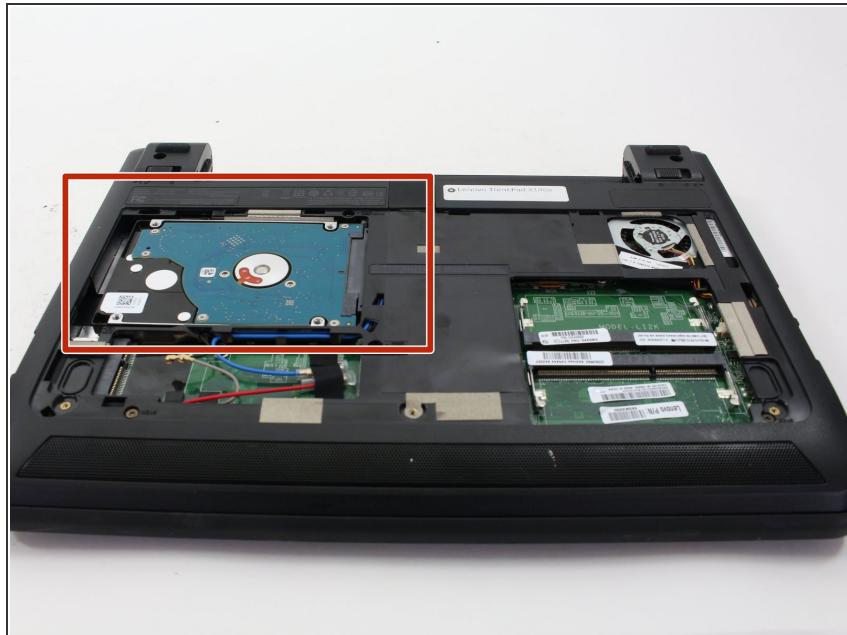
- Locate the three 3 mm Phillips #0 screws on the back panel.
- Remove each screw using a small Phillips #0 screwdriver.

## Step 3



- Using a small plastic opening tool, pry off the back casing starting at a point closest to you and working around the perimeter of the case.

## Step 4 — Hard Drive



- After removing the back panel, locate the hard drive located to the far left. It is distinguishable from

other parts based on its rectangular shape.

## Step 5



- Remove the four 3.5 mm Phillips #0 screws attached on the four corners of the hard drive.

## Step 6



- Slide the hard drive to the left.
- Grip the hard drive on both sides and proceed to lift up to remove the hard drive.

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