



Mac Pro First Generation PCIe Fan Removal

How to remove the front PCIe fan in a 2009-2012 Mac Pro Tower

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TOOLS:

- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Side Panel Removal



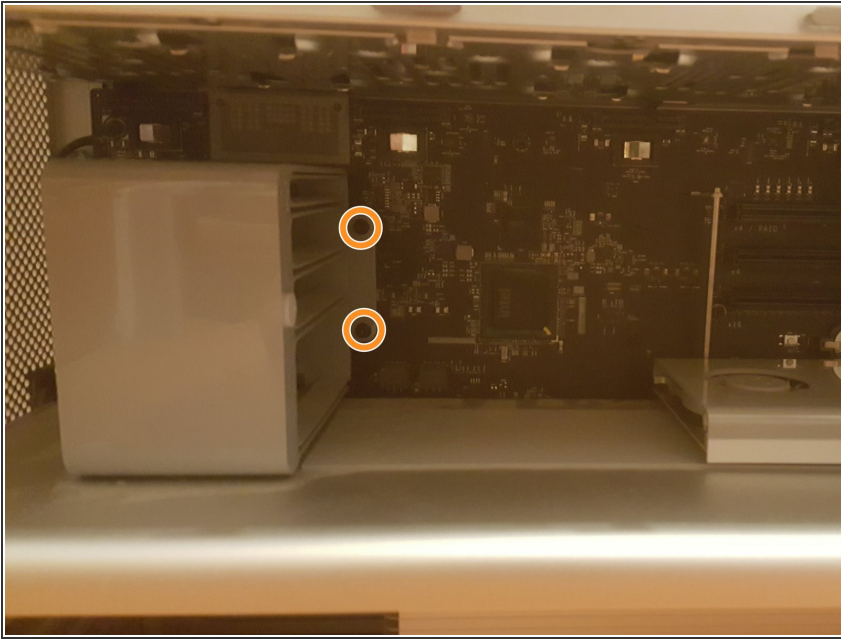
- Begin by pulling up on the lever located at the back of the computer to remove the side panel.

Step 2 — Hard drive removal



- Gently pull outward on each of the four hard drive trays to remove them.

Step 3 — Fan Removal



- Remove the two 10mm PH #1 screws holding in the PCIe fan.

Step 4 — Fan Removal



- Gently pull the fan outward to remove.

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