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## INTRODUCTION

How to disassemble the laptop in case to clean the cooling / fan system.

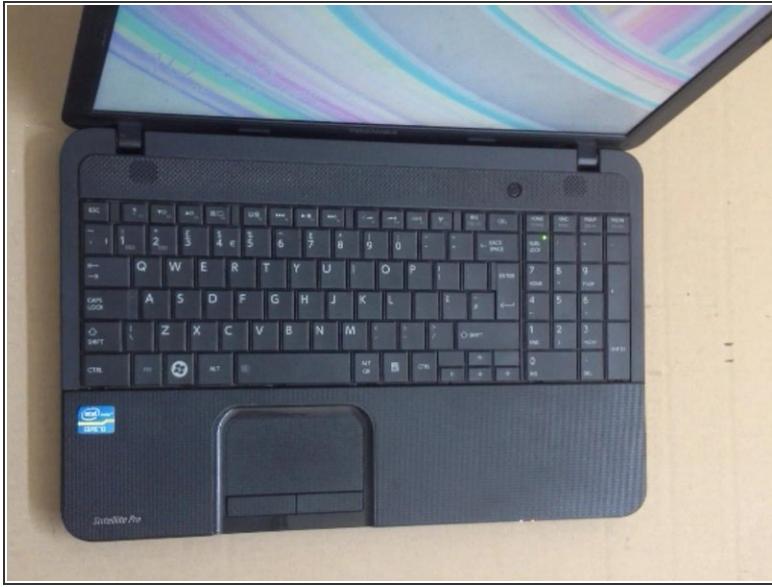
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[video: <http://youtu.be/7rPK6fAMM74>]

### **TOOLS:**

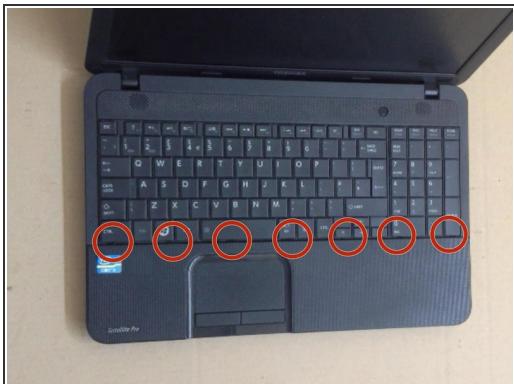
- [iFixit Opening Tools \(1\)](#)
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver \(1\)](#)

## Step 1 — Repairing Toshiba Satellite C850 - Cleaning the Cooling / Fan System



- Switch-off the laptop and remove the battery.

## Step 2



- To remove the Keyboard you must open 7x locking clips.
- You can use a cutter and a plastic tool.

## Step 3



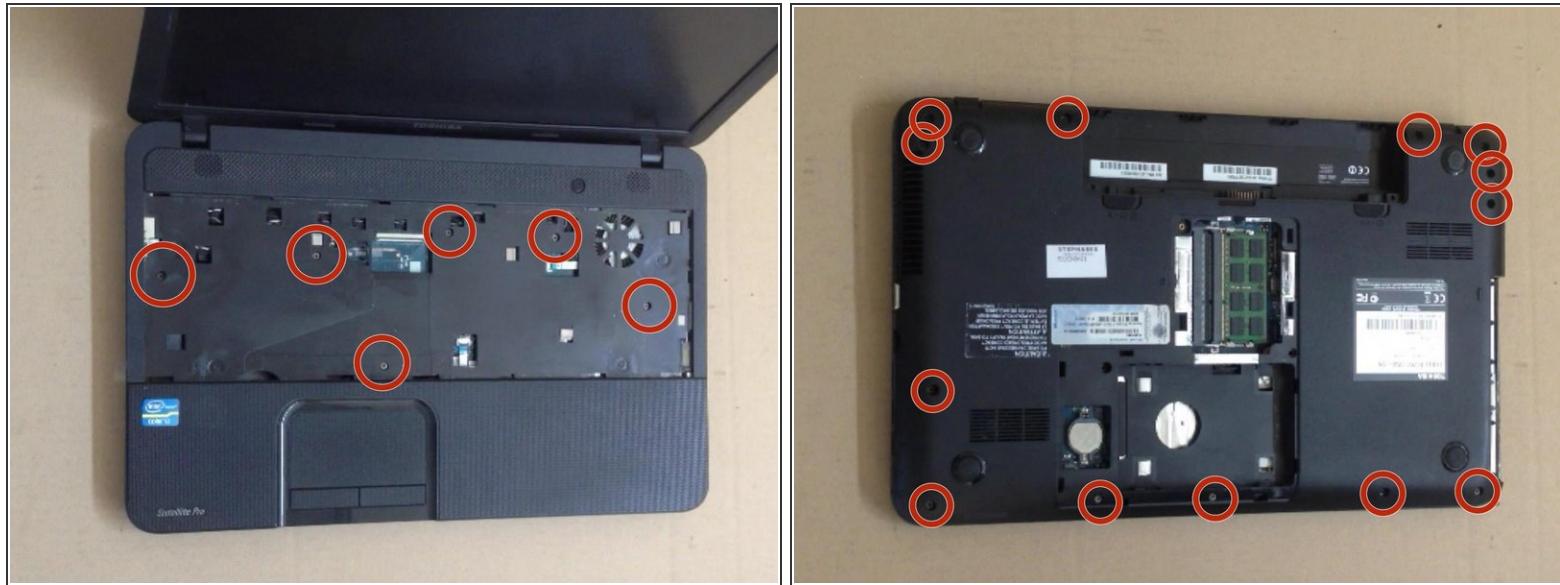
- Remove the Keyboard.
- Remove the HDD, RAM Memory cover.

## Step 4



- Remove the HDD and the DVD optical drive.

## Step 5



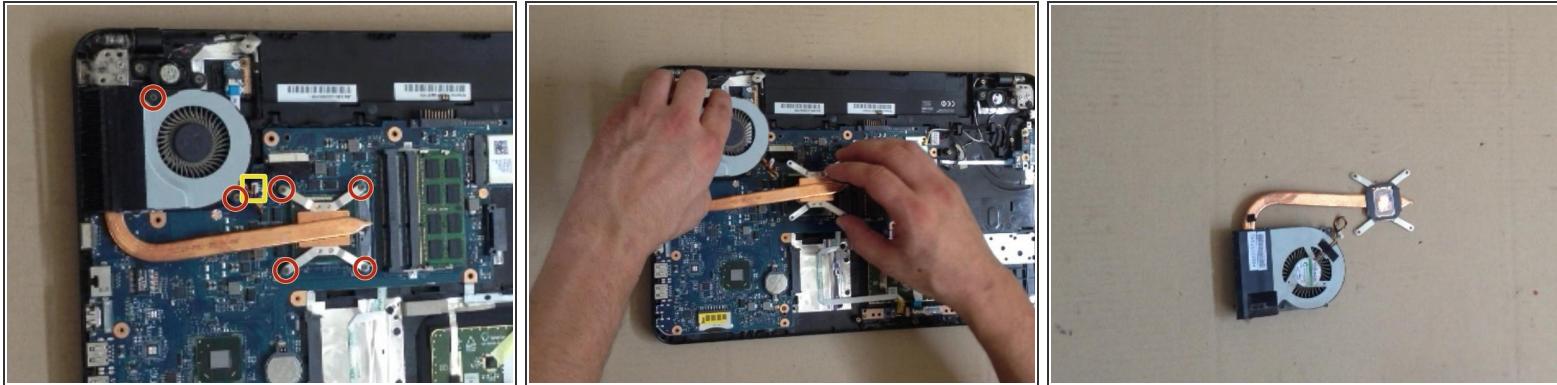
- Unscrew the screws from the upper and the bottom cases.

## Step 6



- With a plastic tool you can separate the bottom case from the laptop.

## Step 7



- Disconnect the CPU fan cable connector.
- Now you have 4x screws on the CPU side and 2x on the fan.

## Step 8



- Separate the fan from the radiator.
- Clean the radiator and the fan. Use a soft brush.

## Step 9



- Put thermal compose to the main CPU and you are ready for assembling.
- After the start-up, check if the fan works.
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To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.