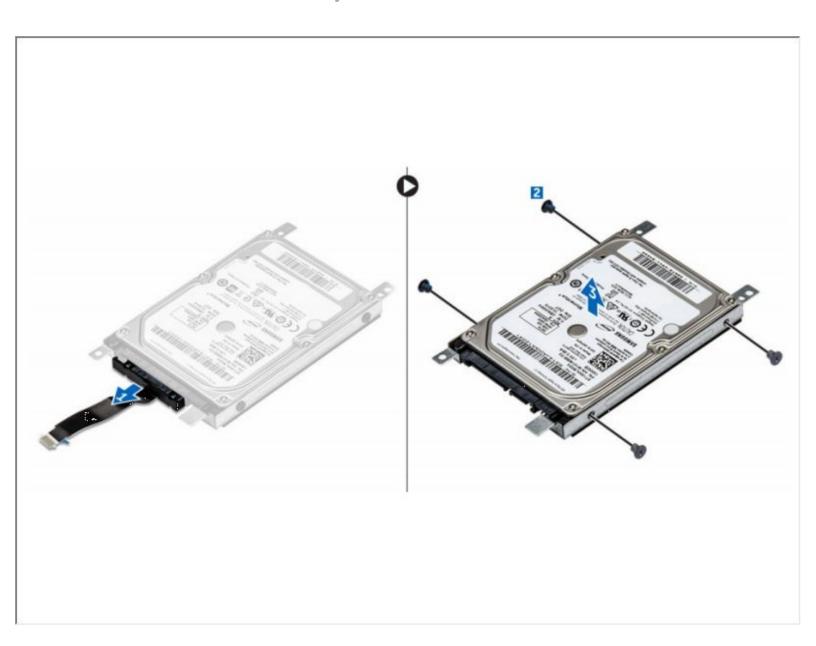


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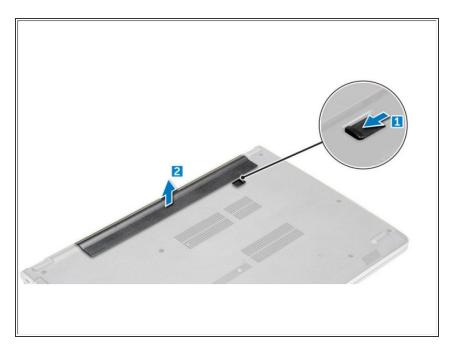
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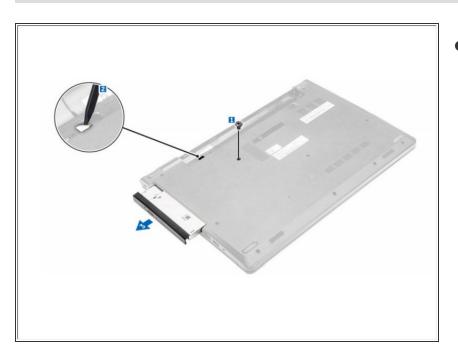
- Phillips #0 Screwdriver (1)
- Spudger (1)

# Step 1 — Battery



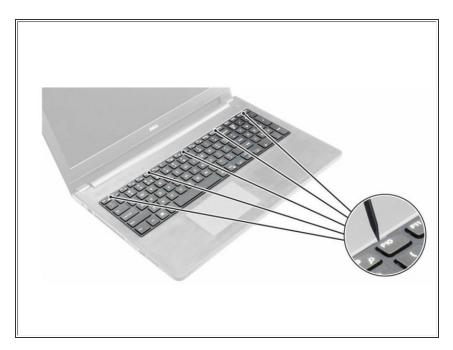
- Slide the release latch to unlock the battery [1].
  - Remove the battery from the computer [2].

### Step 2 — Optical-Disk Drive



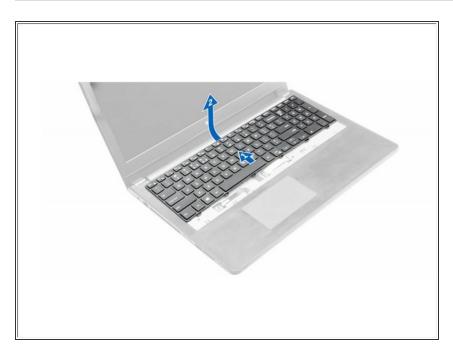
- Remove the screw that secures the optical drive to the computer [1].
  - Using a plastic scribe push the tab to release the optical drive [2].
    - Slide the optical drive out of the computer [3].

# Step 3 — KeyBoard



 Release the keyboard by prying on the keyboard release tabs by using a scribe.

# Step 4



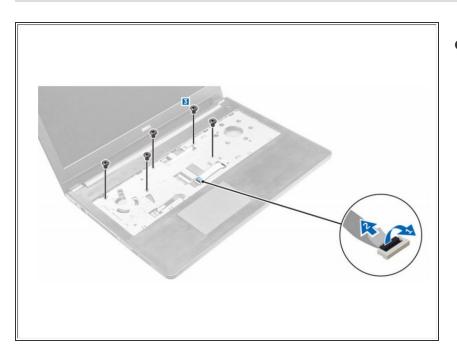
 Slide and lift the keyboard to access the keyboard connector cable under the keyboard [1,2].

# Step 5



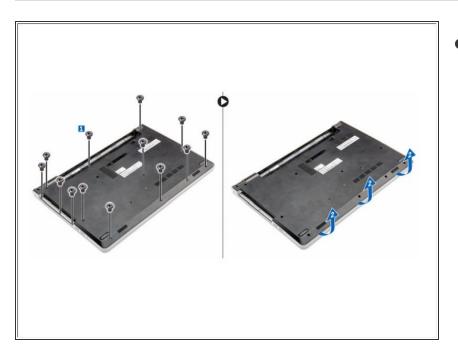
- Disconnect the keyboard cable from the system board [1].
  - Lift the keyboard cable to remove it from the computer [2].

### Step 6 — Base Cover



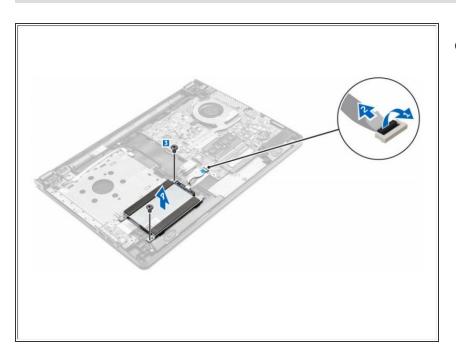
- Disconnect the optical drive connector and lift it to remove it from the system board [1,2]
  - Remove the screws inside the palmrest [3].

# Step 7



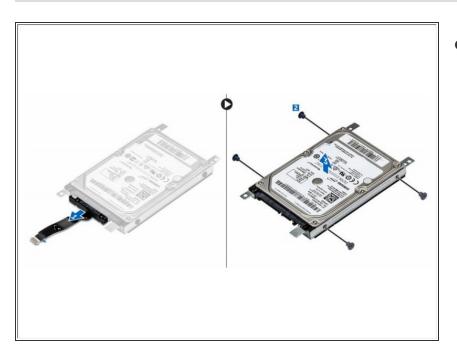
- Remove the screws that secure the base cover to the computer [1].
  - Pry the edges of base cover and lift it to remove it from computer
    [2].

### Step 8 — Hard Drive



- Disconnect the hard drive cable from the connector on the system board [1, 2].
  - Remove the screws that secure the hard drive assembly to the computer [3].
    - Lift the hard drive assembly away from the computer [4].

# **Step 9 — Hard Drive Bracket**



- Pull the hard drive cable connector to remove it from the hard drive [1].
  - Remove the screws that secure the hard drive bracket to the hard drive [2].
    - Lift the hard drive from the hard drive bracket [3].

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