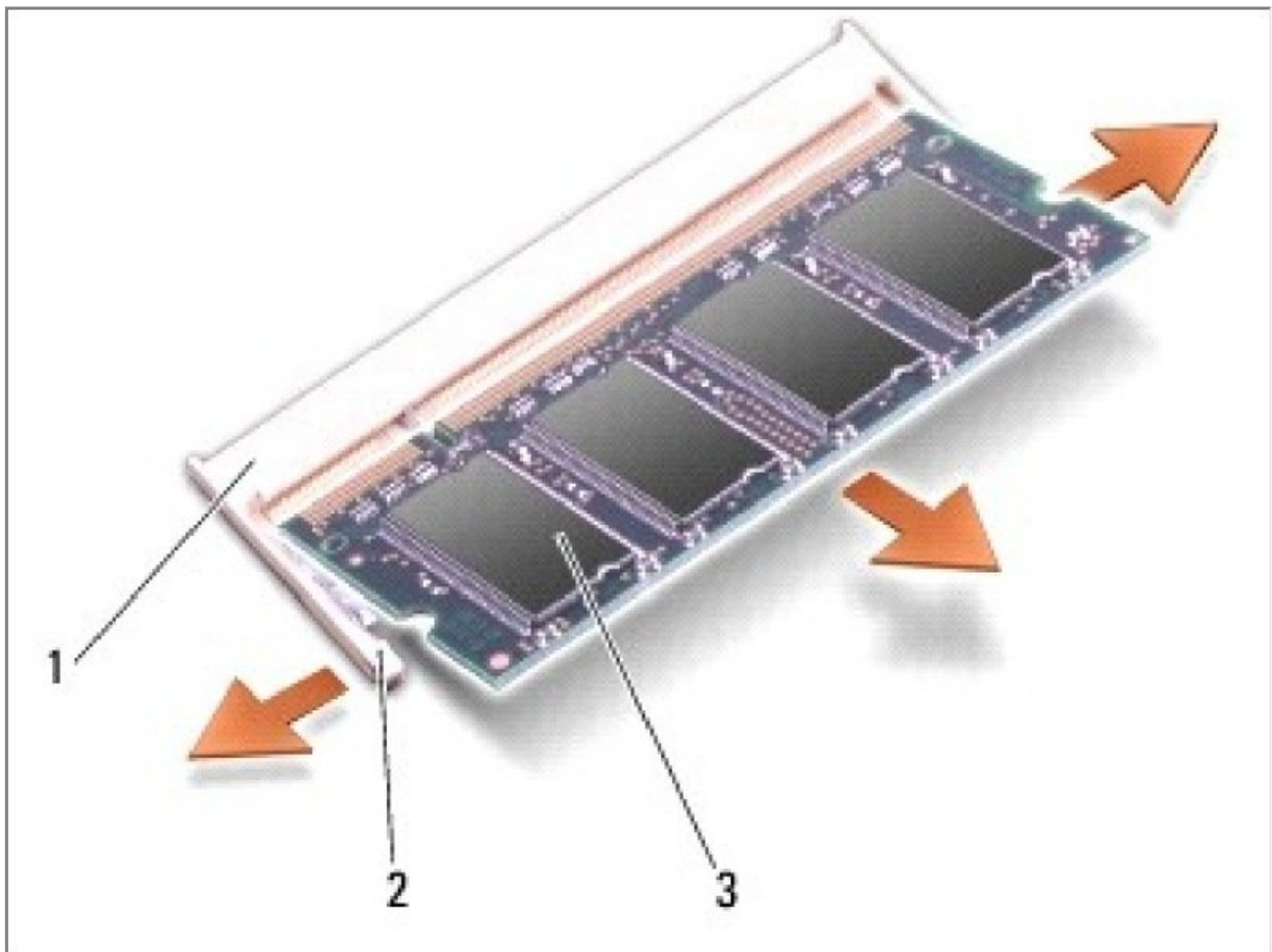




# Dell Studio XPS M1640 Memory Module Replacement

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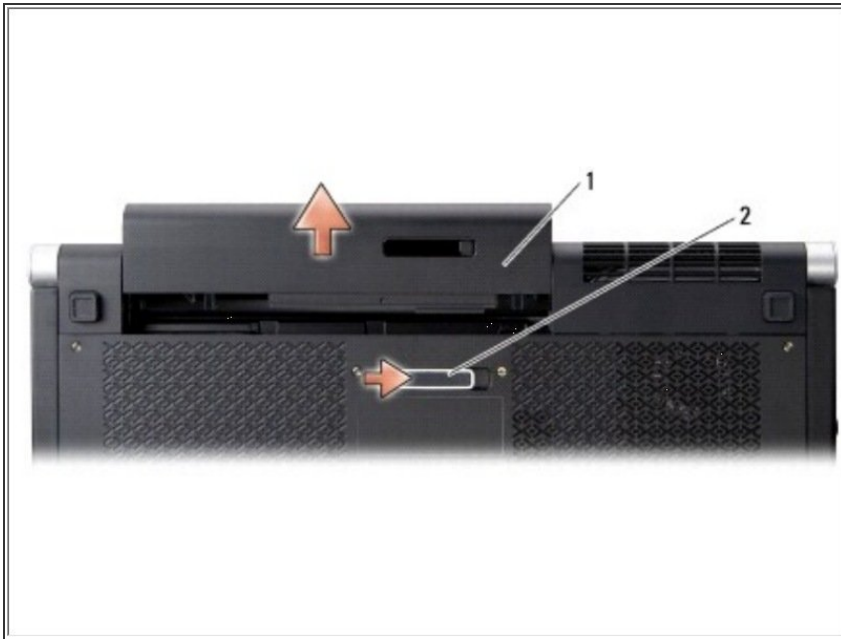




## TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [Spudger](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Battery



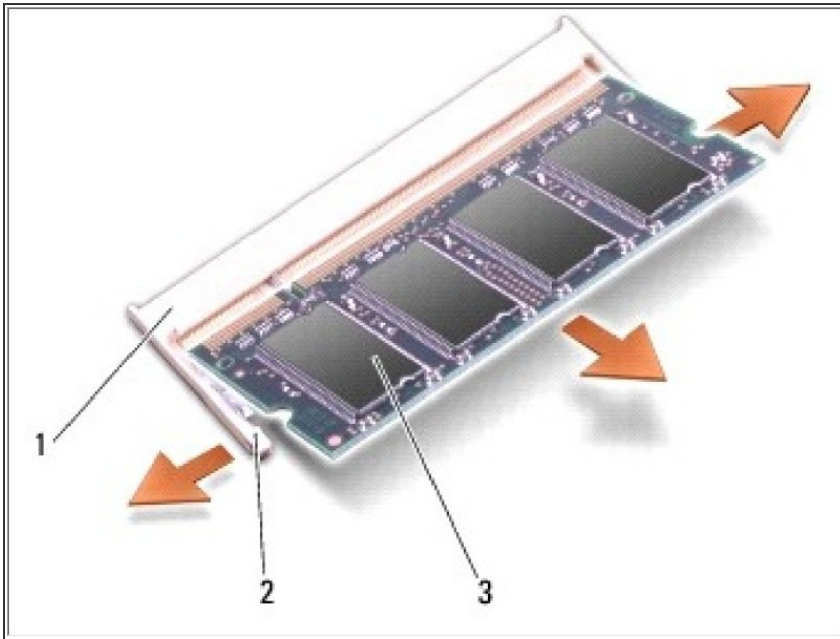
- Slide the battery release latch to the side. {2}
- Slide the battery out of the battery bay. {1}

## Step 2 — Base Cover



- Loosen the ten captive screws on the base cover and lift the cover off the computer at an angle as shown in the figure.

## Step 3 — Memory Module



- ⓘ **NOTICE:** To prevent damage to the memory module connector, do not use tools to spread the memory module securing clips.
- Use your fingertips to carefully spread apart the securing clips on each end of the memory module connector until the module pops up.
  - Remove the module from the connector.

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