



Dell Inspiron 15z 5523 Hard Drive Assembly Replacement

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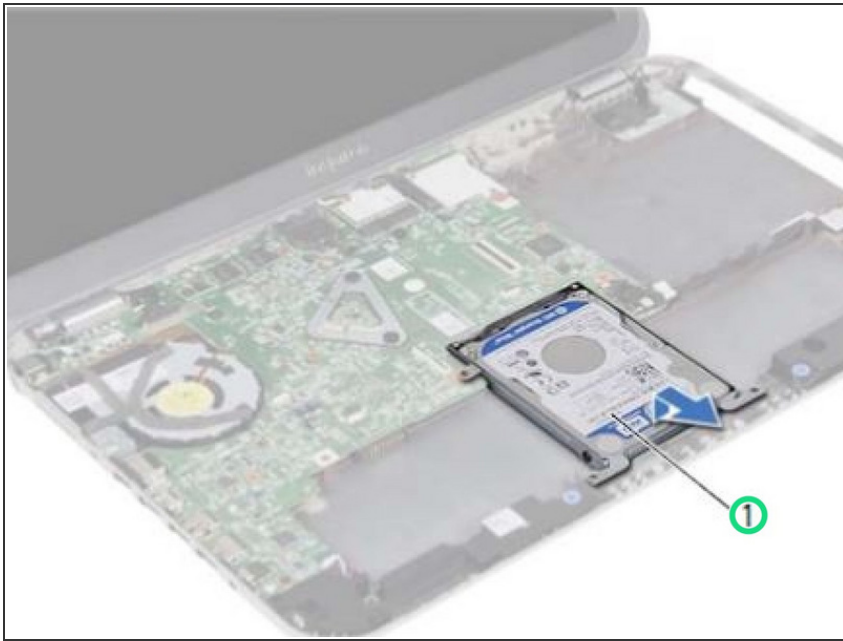
INTRODUCTION

In this guide, we will be showing you how to remove and replace the Hard Drive Assembly.

TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Lifting the Hard Drive Assembly



⚠ WARNING: Before working inside your computer, read the safety information that shipped with your computer and follow the steps in ["Before You Begin"](#). After working inside your computer, follow the instructions in ["After Working Inside Your Computer"](#).

- Lift the hard-drive assembly to disconnect it from the system board and remove the hard-drive assembly from the computer base.

Step 2 — Remove the Screws



- Remove the screws that secure the hard drive to the hard-drive bracket.

Step 3 — Lifting the Hard Drive



- Lift the hard drive out of the hard-drive bracket.

Step 4 — Placing the Hard Drive



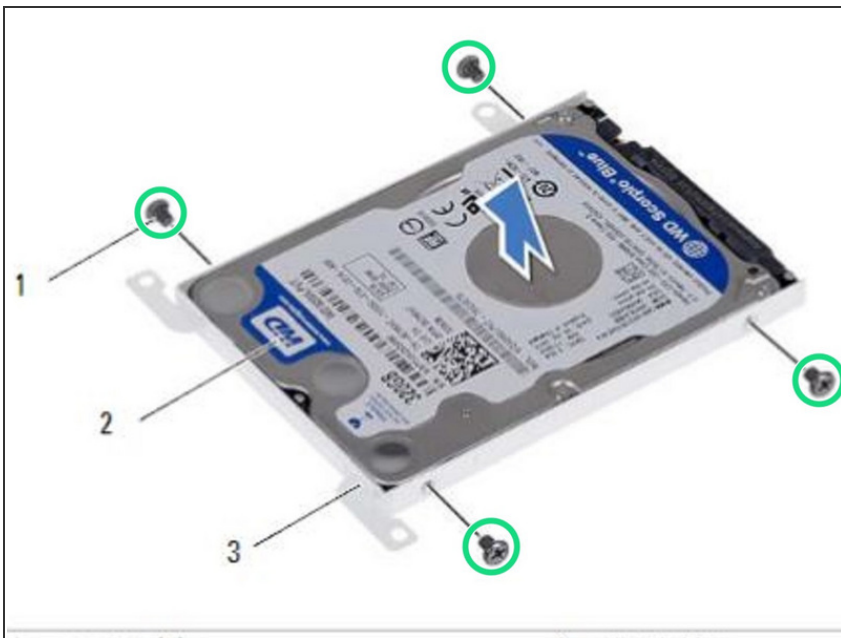
- Place the **NEW** hard drive into the hard-drive bracket.

Step 5 — Align the Screw Holes



- Align the screw holes on the hard-drive bracket with the screw holes on the hard drive.

Step 6 — Replace the Screws



- Replace the screws that secure the hard drive to the hard-drive bracket.

Step 7 — Placing the Hard-Drive Assembly



- Place the hard-drive assembly on the computer base.

Step 8 — Sliding the Hard-Drive Assembly



- Slide the hard-drive assembly toward the back of the computer, to connect the hard-drive assembly to the connector on the system board.