



# Dell Inspiron 8600 Cooling Fan Replacement

This guide will show you how to remove and replace the cooling fan.

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## INTRODUCTION

First you must remove the hinge cover than keyboard lower case and finally have access to the cooling fan.

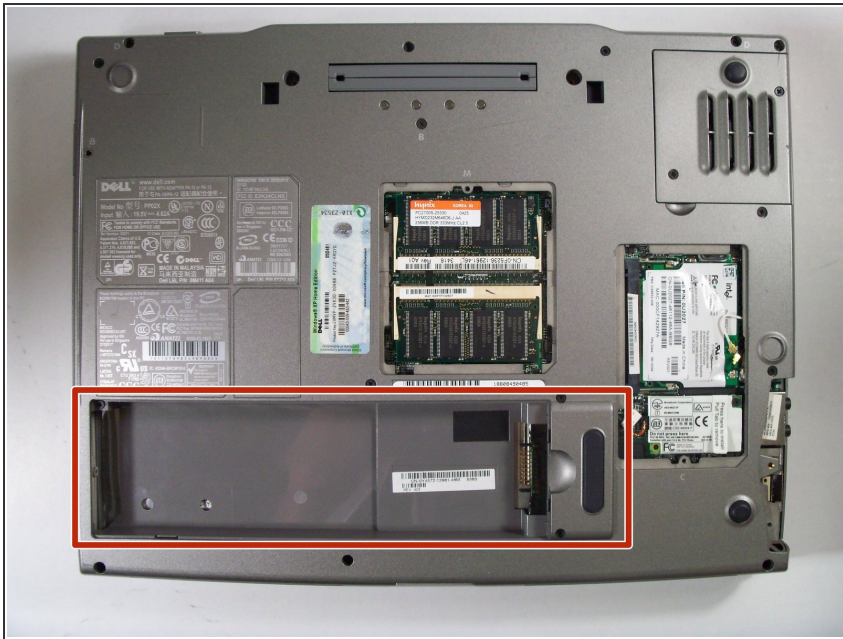
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### TOOLS:

- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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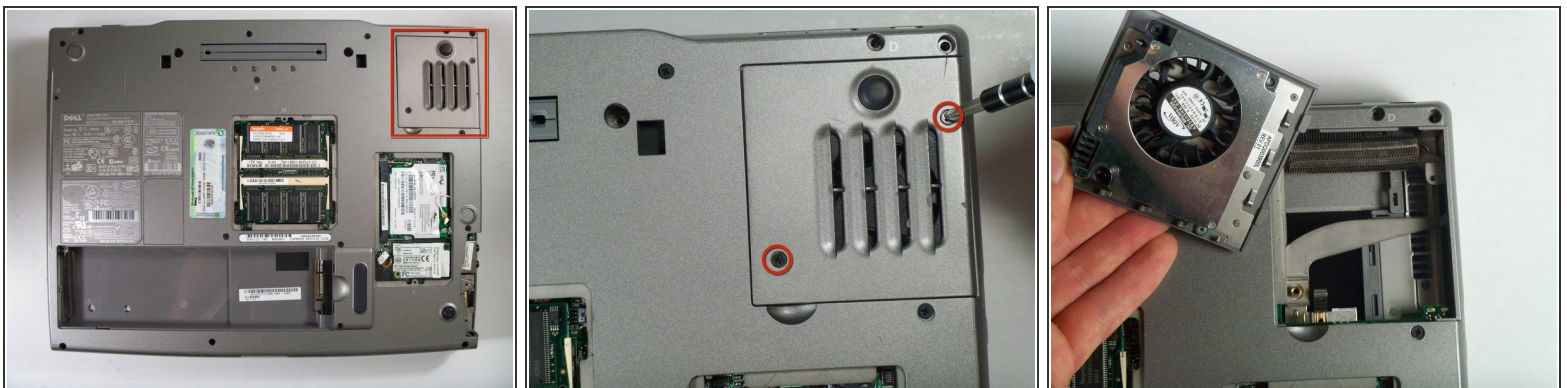


## Step 1 — Battery



- Remove the battery from the bottom of the laptop.
  - Please click on the following link for further instruction on how to remove the battery. [Dell Inspiron 9100 Battery Replacement](#)
- ⚠ It is important to remove the battery so that you will not be electrocuted while working with the computer's hardware.

## Step 2 — Cooling Fan



- Remove the screws on the top right of the bottom of the laptop.
- Once screws are removed, the fan can easily be slid out of its position.

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