Dell Inspiron 8600 Upper Case Replacement

We will show you how to remove the display...

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INTRODUCTION

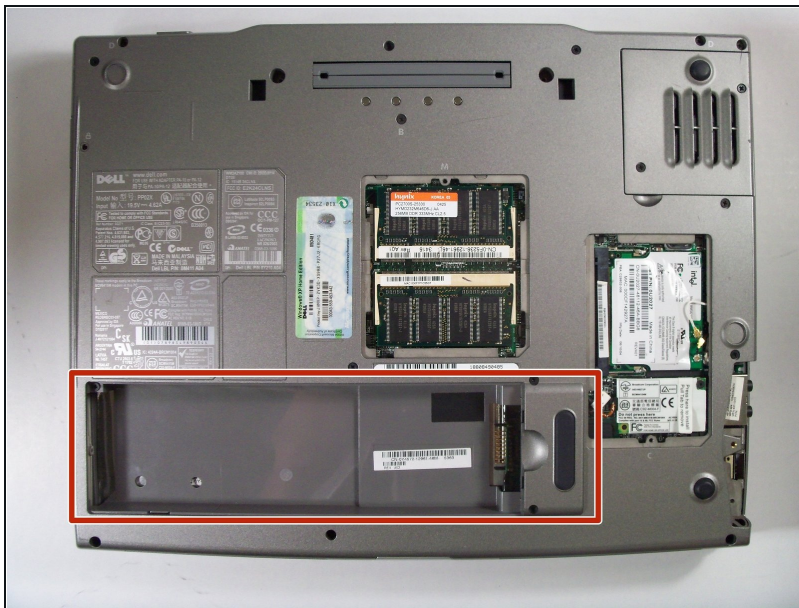We will show you how to remove the display module which will then allow you to remove the upper case.

🔧 **TOOLS:**

Phillips #1 Screwdriver (1)

Step 1 — Battery

- Remove the battery from the bottom left of the laptop as shown.

⚠️ **Remove the battery before operating on the computer to avoid electrocution.**
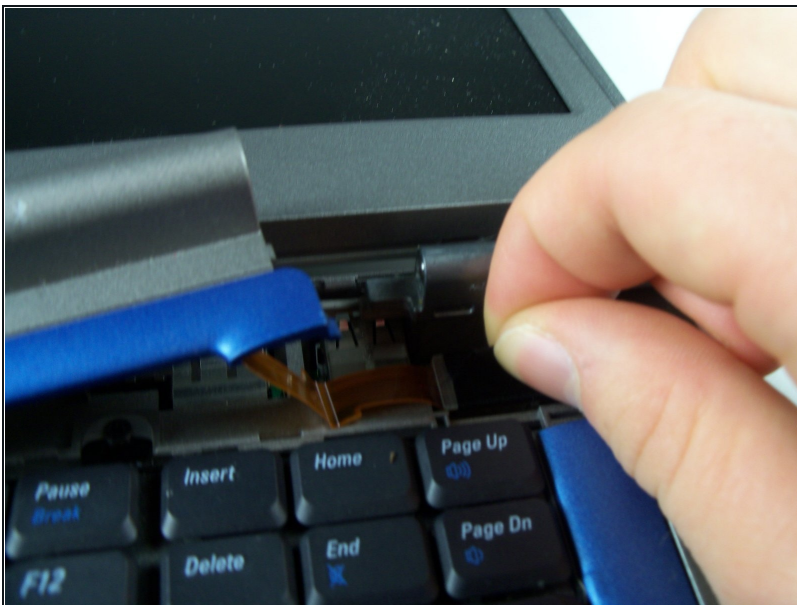
Step 2 — Hinge Cover

- Insert a spudger into the notch at the far left side of the top blue panel and pry the hinge cover off.

- You may need to pry the other side off as well. You can do this by inserting the spudger between the hinge and the top cover.
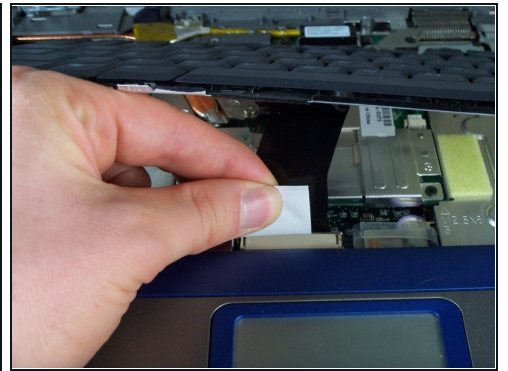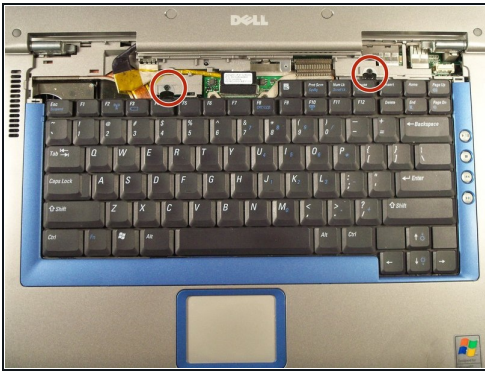
⚠ Be careful of the wire attached to the underside of the hinge cover.

Step 3

- Pull the small black tab on the right hand side of the laptop.

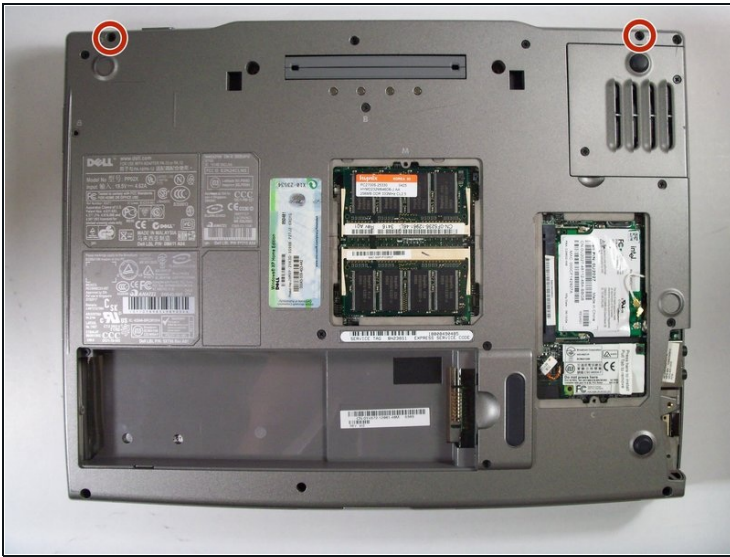- You have now removed the hinge cover.

Step 4 — Keyboard

- Using the Phillips #1 remove the screws at the top of the keyboard as indicated.

- (i) Do not just lift up. There is a tab underneath the keyboard that is still connected to the mother board.

- You will need to pull out the white tab underneath the keyboard upwards until it pops out of its socket.

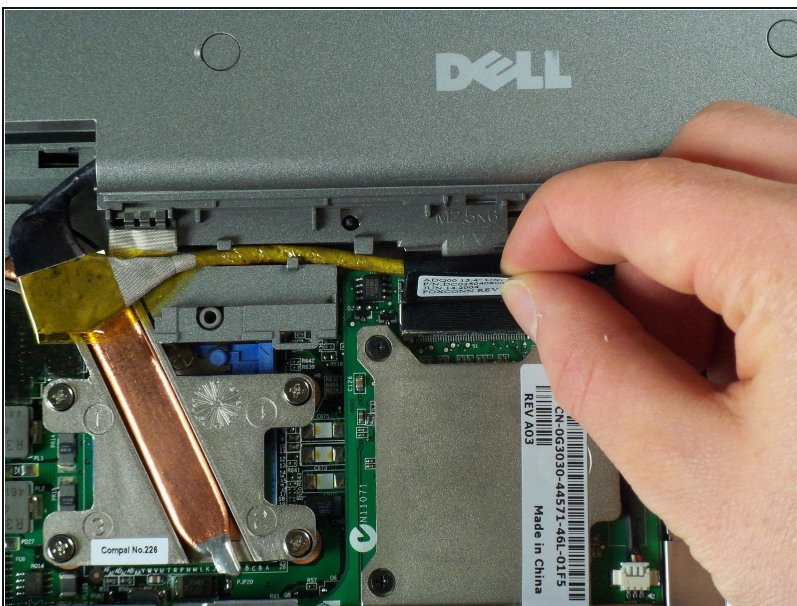- (i) The keyboard should be easily removable at this point.

Step 5 — Display Module

- Flip the laptop over and remove the indicated screws.

- Flip the laptop back over.

- Find the two places where the display module is attached to the base of the computer.

Step 6

- Disconnect the video card from the display module by gently lifting upwards on the black tab.

Step 7

- Lift the display module directly upwards from the base of the computer.
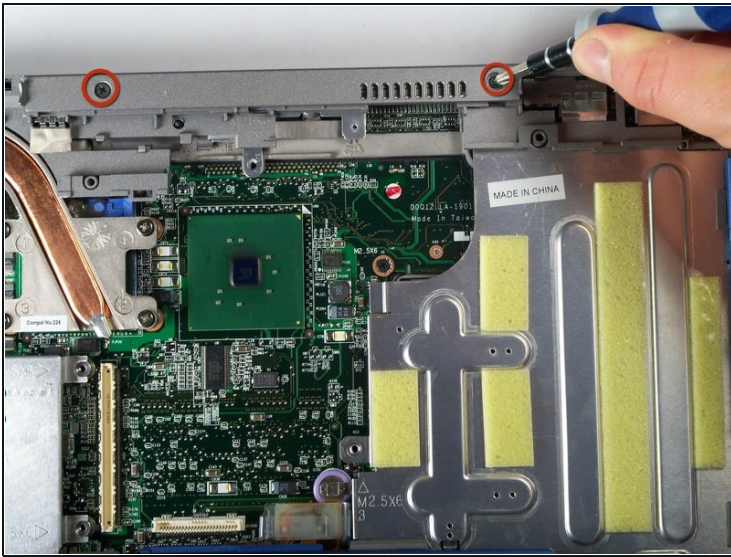
Step 8

- Now remove the display module.

Step 9 — Upper Case

- Remove the two screws that hold the upper case.

- You can now pop up the upper case and replace.

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