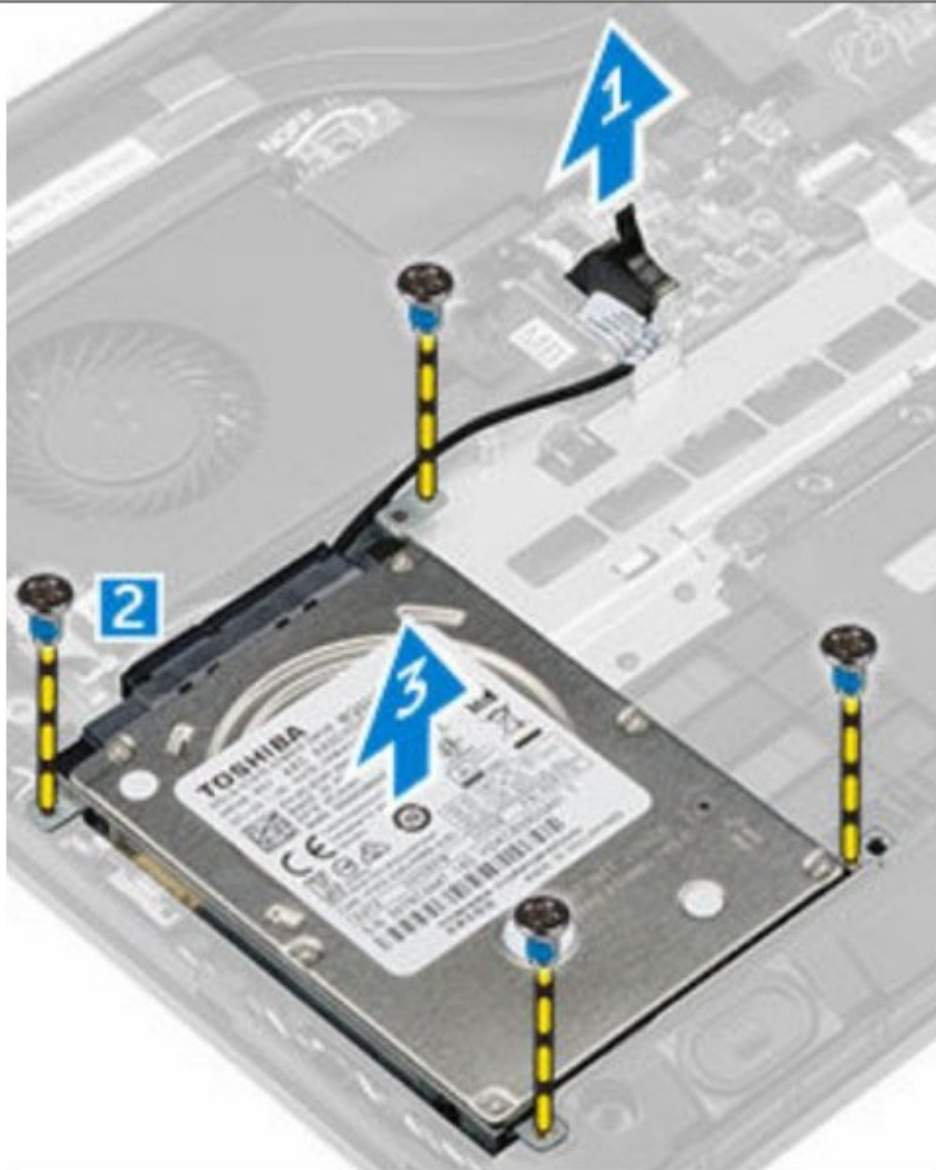




# Dell Vostro 5459 Hard Drive Replacement

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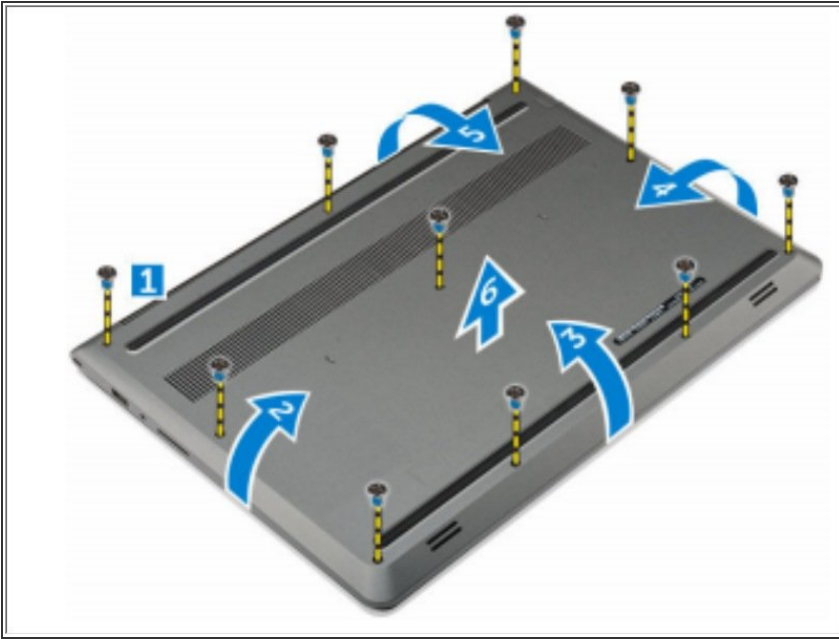




## TOOLS:

- [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)

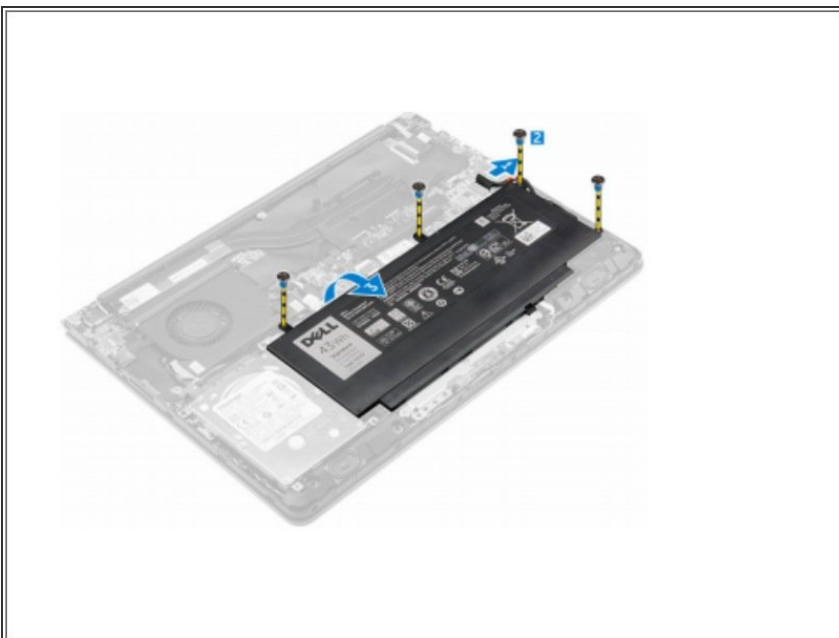
## Step 1 — Removing the Base Cover



- Remove the screws that secure the back cover to the computer.
- Pry the edges of the back cover from all sides, to release the back cover.
- Lift the back cover from the computer.

★ If this is all you are doing Follow Step In Reverse if not Go to Next Step.

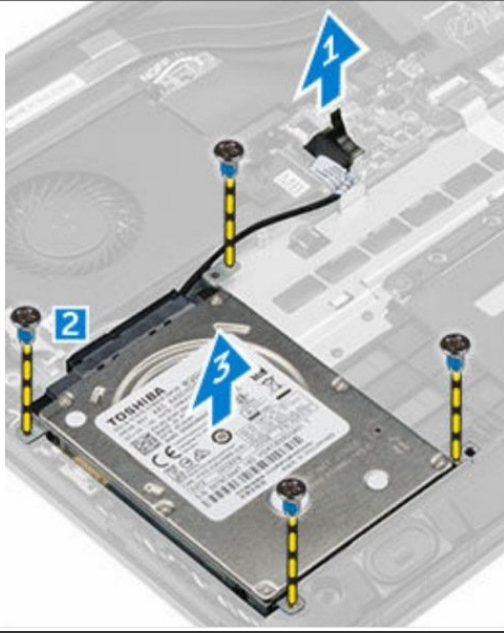
## Step 2 — Removing the Battery



- Disconnect the battery cable from the connector on the system board [1].
- Remove the screws that secure the battery to the computer [2].
- Lift and remove the battery from the computer [3].

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## Step 3 — Hard Drive



- Disconnect the hard drive cable from the connector on the system board [1] .
  - Remove the screws that secure the hard drive to the computer [2].
    - Lift the hard drive from the computer [3].
- ★ If this is all you are doing Follow Step In Reverse if not Go to Next Step.

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