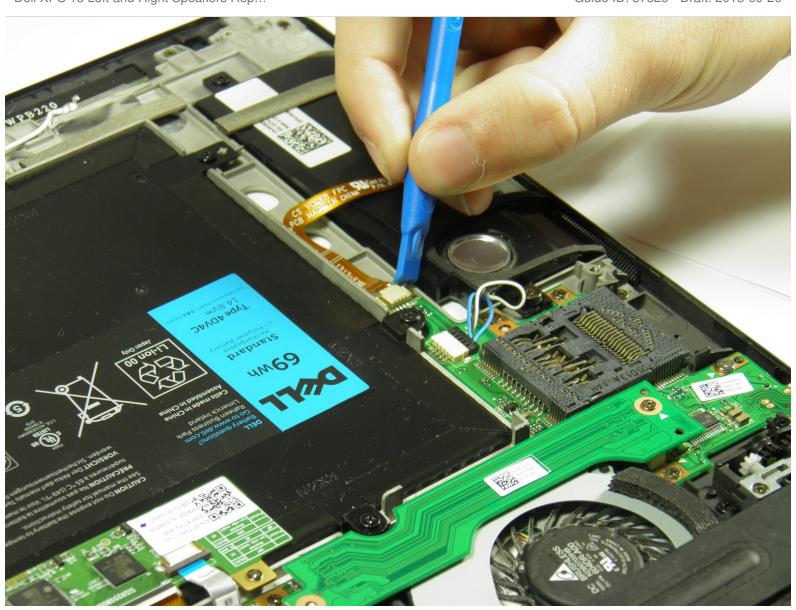


Dell XPS 18 Left and Right Speakers Replacement

This guide will inform users on how to remove the left and right speakers of the Dell XPS 18 (180).

Useful for devices that no longer produce sound, produce scratchy sound, or have generally defective speakers.

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INTRODUCTION

This guide will show you how to properly remove and replace the left or right speaker of your Dell XPS 18.



TOOLS:

- T9 Torx Screwdriver (1)
- Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)
- iFixit Opening Tools (1)



PARTS:

- Dell XPS 18 Left Speaker (1)
- Dell XPS 18 Right Speaker (1)

Step 1 — Back Cover



- Turn the device on its screen.
- Remove the ten 4mm screws using a T8 Torx screwdriver.

Step 2



 Gently flip out support feet located near the bottom of device.

Step 3



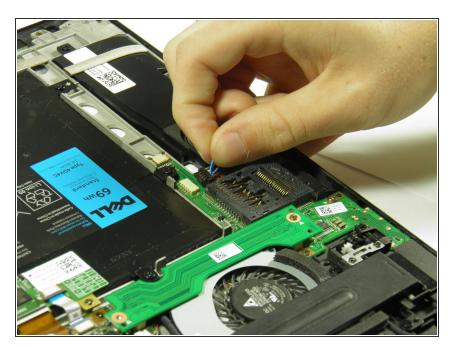
 Gently lift the back cover off the device. The back cover should come off easily.

Step 4 — Left and Right Speakers



- Use the plastic opening tool's angled edge to lift the clasp securing the copper colored volume control cable.
- Disconnect the volume control cable and pull it back.

Step 5



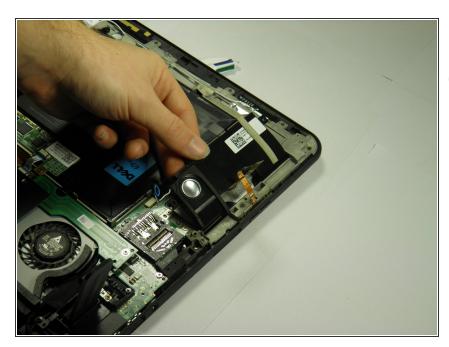
 Firmly pull the blue speaker cable loose.

Step 6



 Remove the two black 4mm screws with a Phillips 00 screwdriver.

Step 7



- Carefully remove the speaker.
- To remove the right speaker, follow these same steps.

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