MacBook Pro 13" Unibody Mid 2010 RAM Replacement

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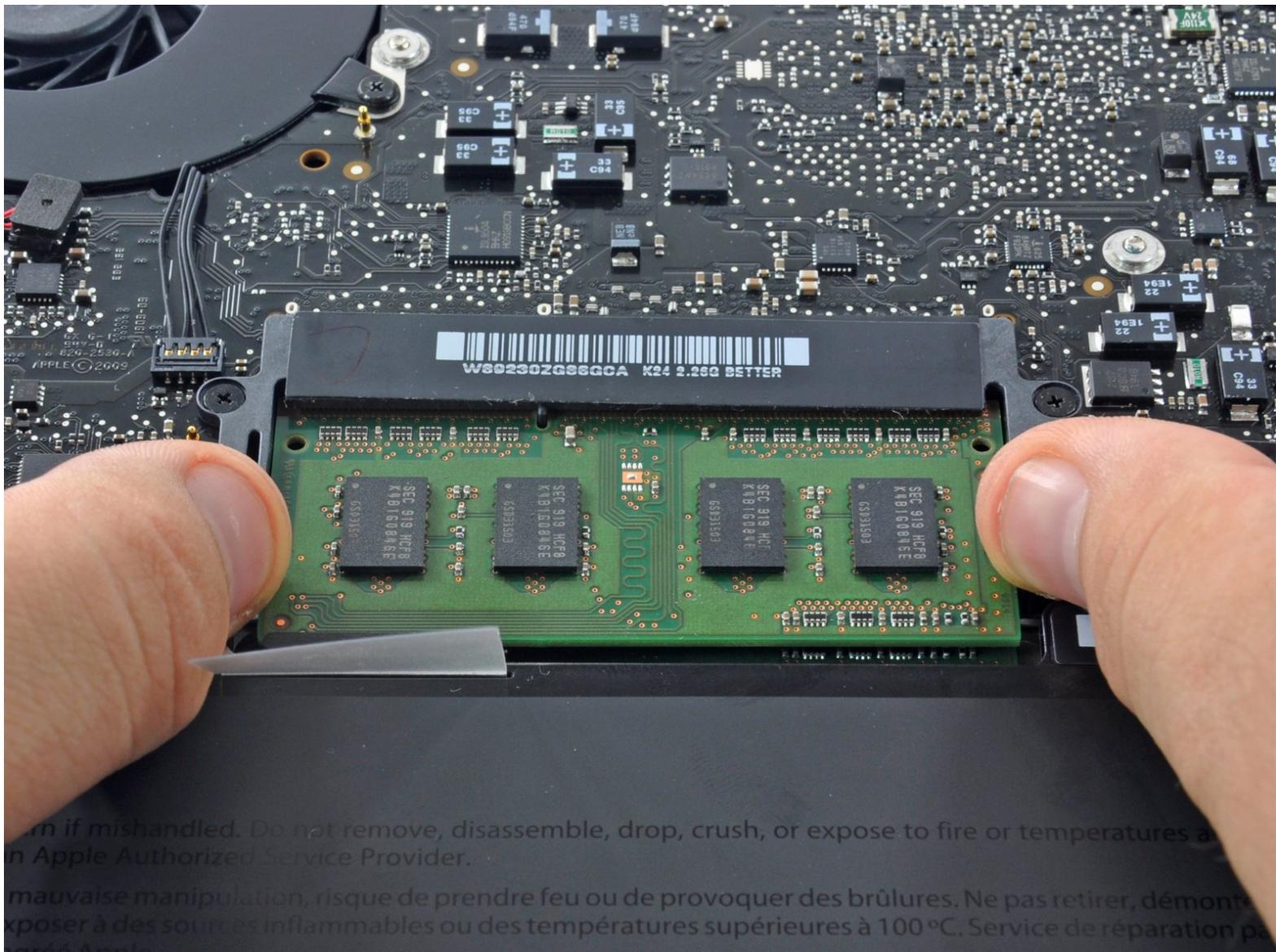
INTRODUCTION

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Originally, the maximum possible RAM configuration was 8 GB. However, systems running OS X 10.7.5 (or higher), updated with the latest EFI, and equipped with proper specification memory modules can support up to 16 GB of RAM. —Source

TOOLS:

- Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)
- Spudger (1)

PARTS:

- MacBook Pro 13" Unibody Mid 2010 Memory Maxxer RAM Upgrade Kit (1)
- PC3-8500 1 GB RAM Chip (1)
- PC3-8500 2 GB RAM Chip (1)
- PC3-8500 4 GB RAM Chip (1)
- PC3-8500 8 GB RAM Chip (1)

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Step 1 — Remove the lower case screws

- Remove the following 10 screws securing the lower case to the MacBook Pro 13" Unibody:
  - Seven 3 mm Phillips screws.
  - Three 13.5 mm Phillips screws.

Step 2 — Lift the lower case away

- Slightly lift the lower case and push it toward the rear of the computer to free the mounting tabs.

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Step 3 — Battery
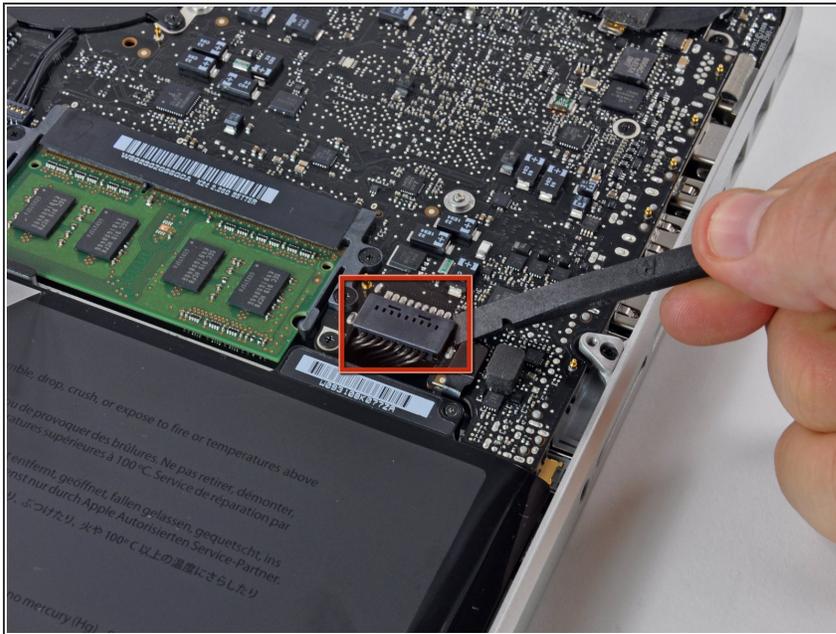
⚠ For precautionary purposes, we advise that you disconnect the battery connector from the logic board to avoid any electrical discharge.

● Use the flat end of a spudger to lift the battery connector up out of its socket on the logic board.

Step 4 — RAM
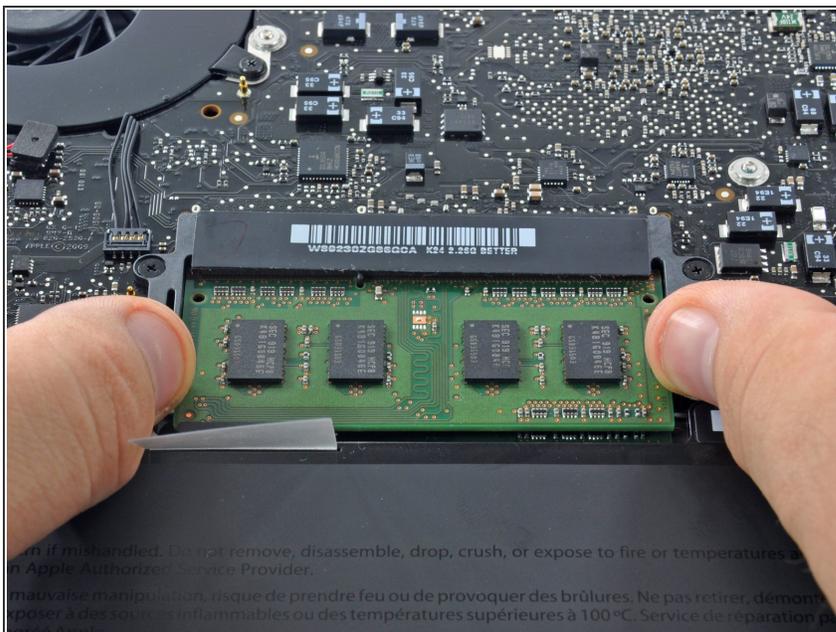
● Release the tabs on each side of the chip by simultaneously pushing each tab away from the RAM.

ⓘ These tabs lock the chip in place and releasing them will cause the chip to "pop" up.

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Step 5
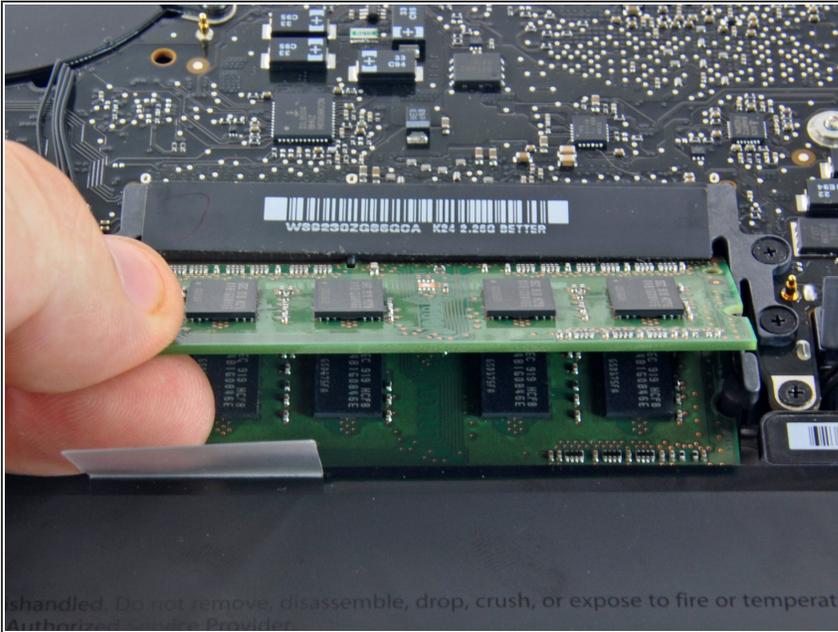
- After the RAM chip has popped up, pull it straight out of its socket.

- (i) Repeat this process if a second RAM chip is installed.

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