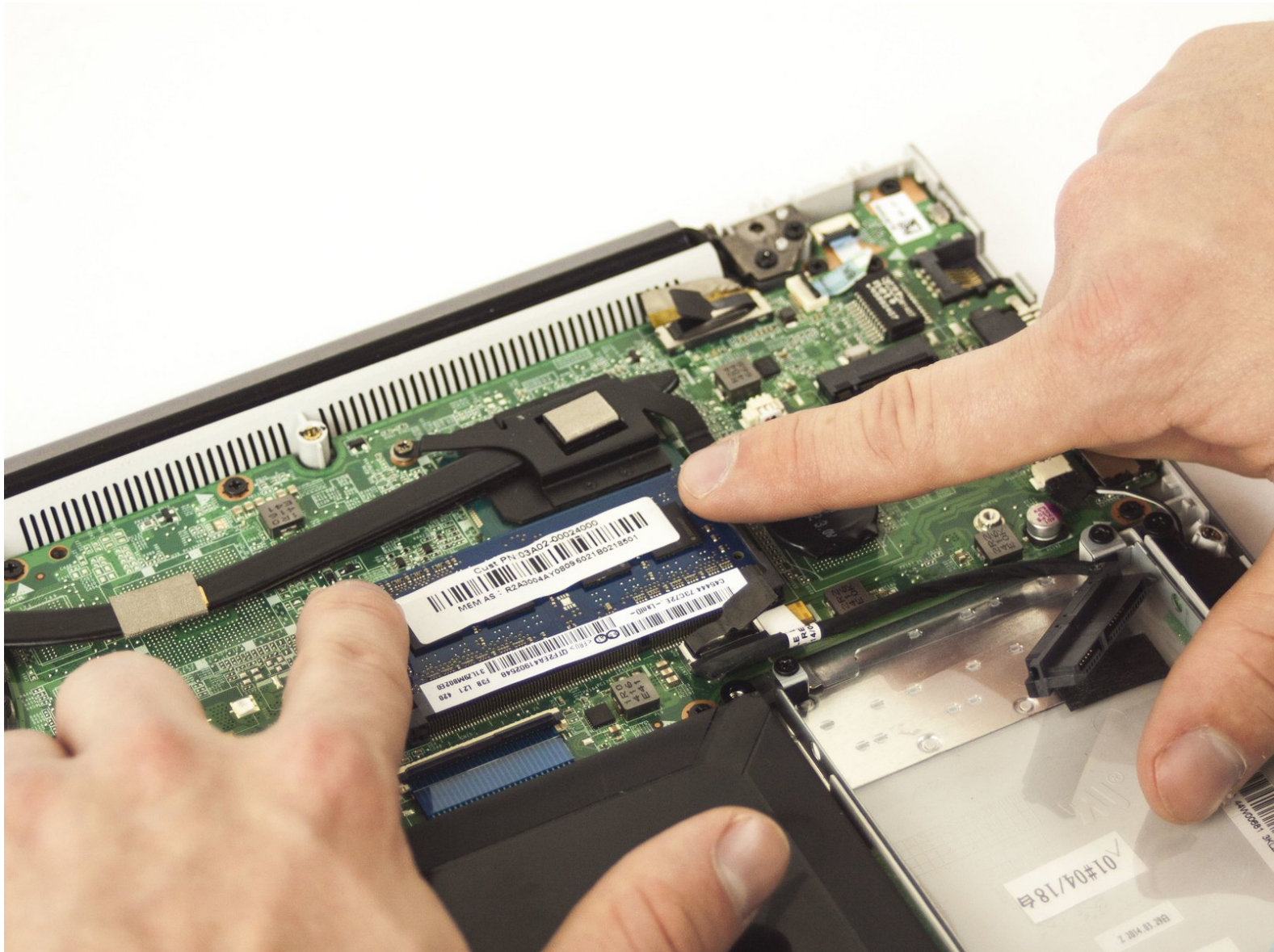


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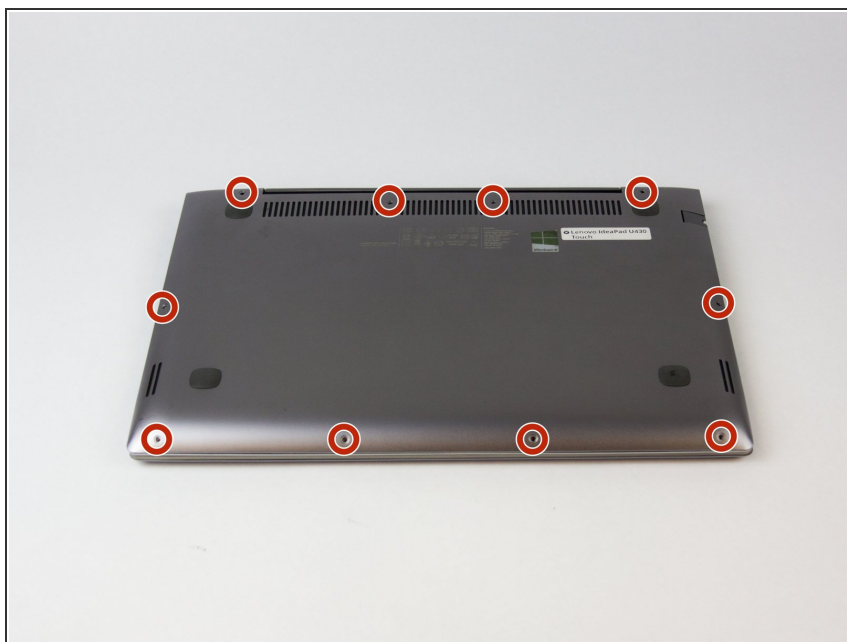
INTRODUCTION

For this guide, we will be replacing the RAM on a Lenovo IdeaPad U430 Touch. Once the back of the computer case is off, no tools are necessary for replacement.

TOOLS:

- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [iFixit Opening Tools](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Bottom Cover



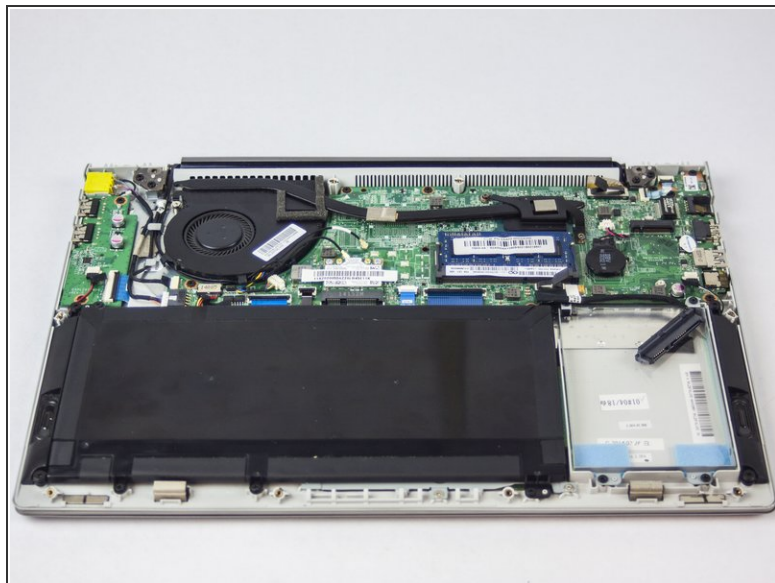
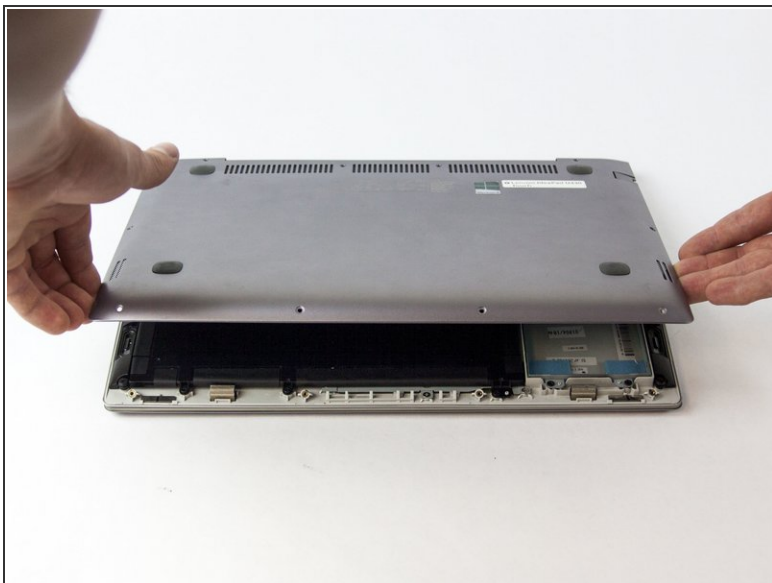
- Power off your computer before you begin.
- Find and remove the 10 Phillips style body screws on the bottom of the laptop case.

Step 2



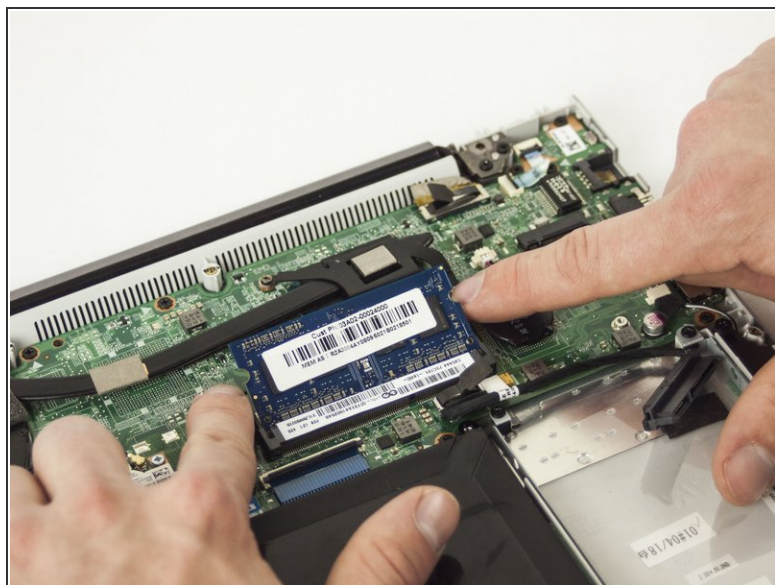
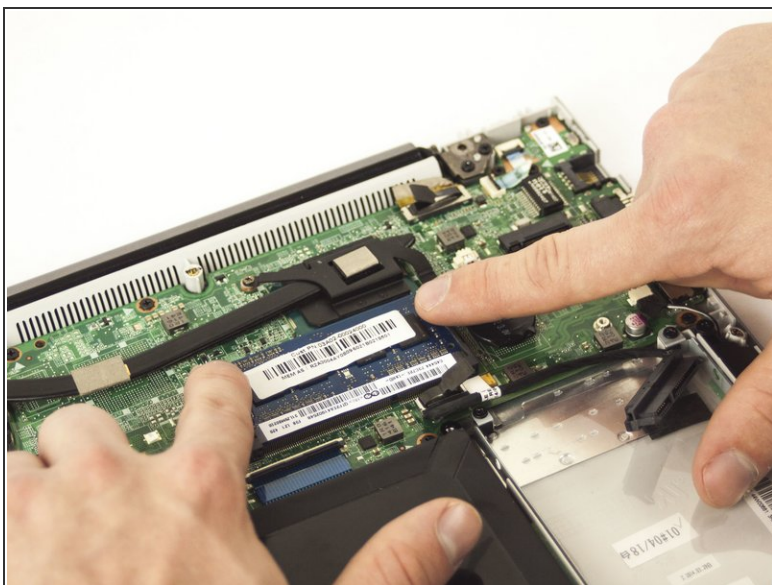
- Remove 2 screws, 1 located on the left hinge cover and one located on the right hinge cover.

Step 3



- Starting from the front, use a plastic opening tool to separate the bottom of the case from the body of the laptop.

Step 4 — Memory



- Press down and out on the topside of the clips holding the memory in place.

Step 5



- Once the clips are free, pull the topside of the memory up, and then remove it from the slot.

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