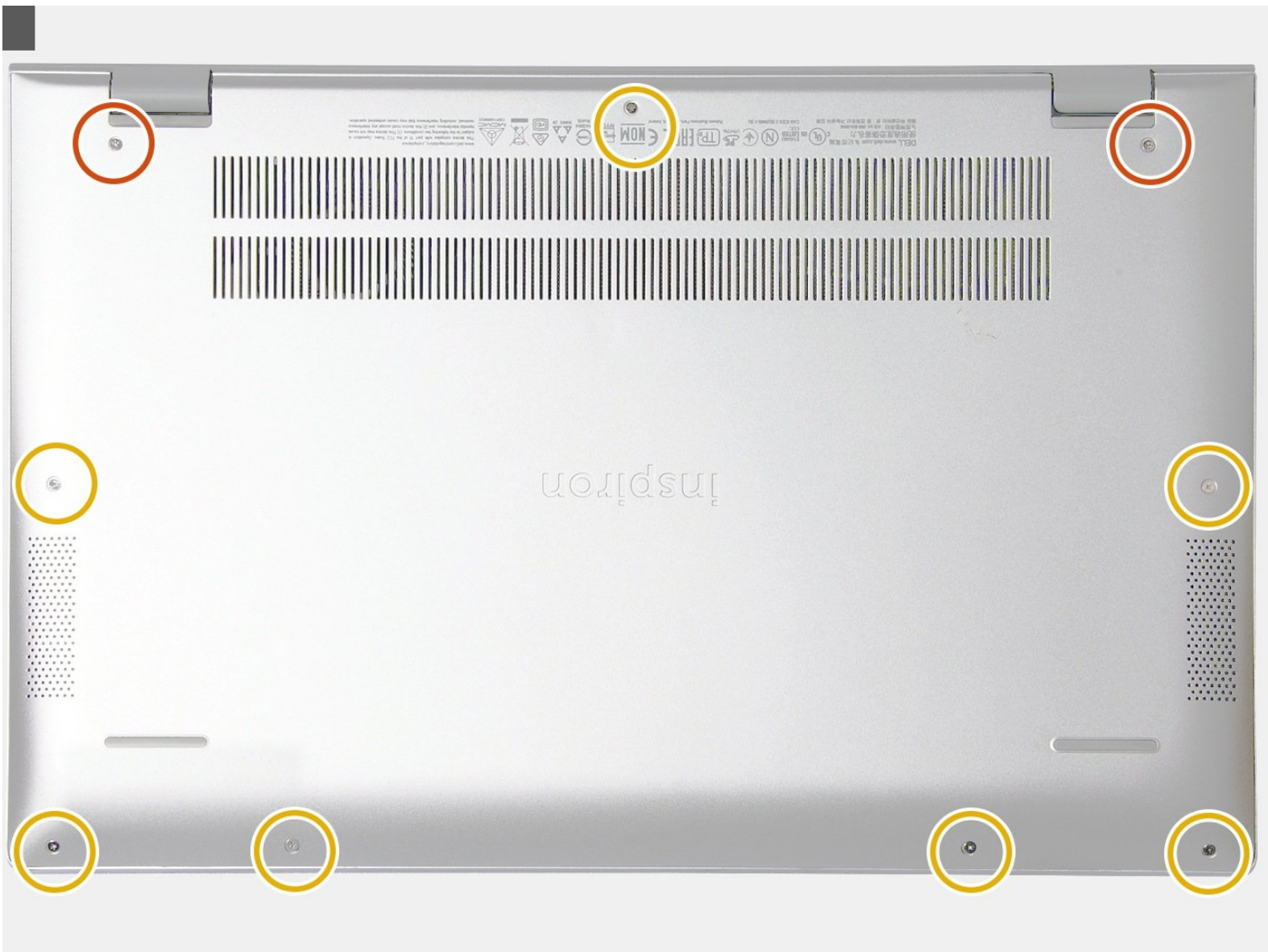![iFixit logo](X IFIXIT)

Dell Inspiron 15 5502 Case Removal

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INTRODUCTION

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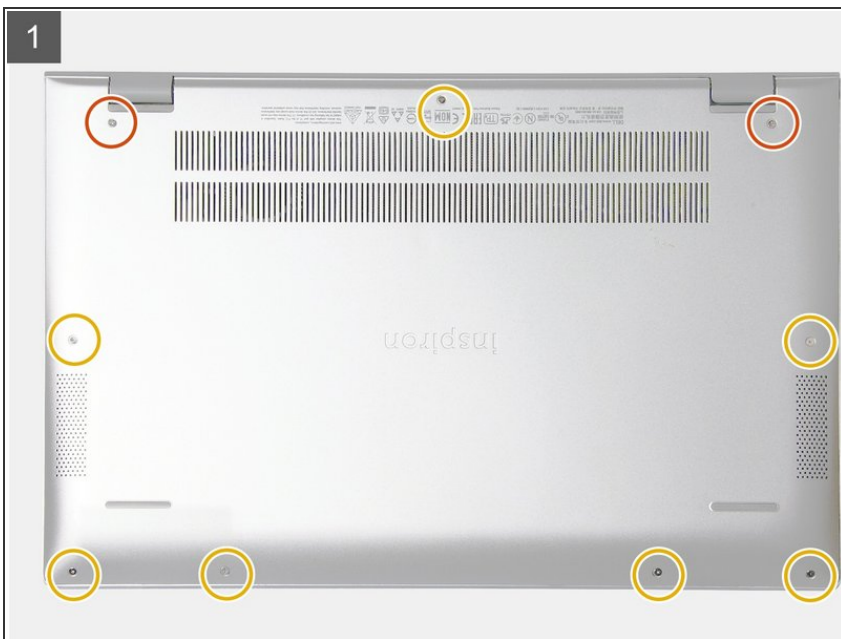- Small plastic scribe (1)
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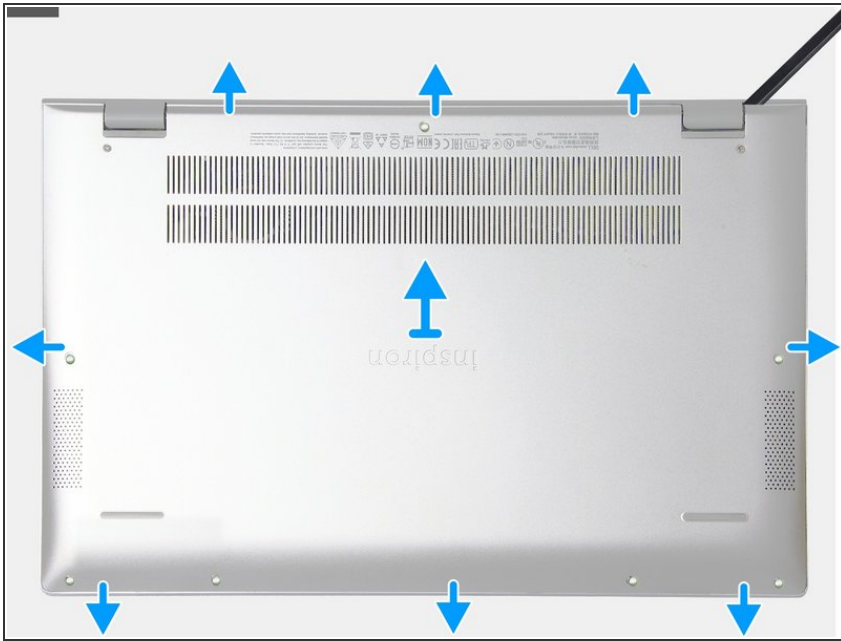## Step 1 — Before working inside Dell inspiron 15 5502

- Save and close all open files and exit all open applications.

- Shut down your computer. Click Start > Shut down.

- Disconnect your computer and all attached devices from their electrical outlets.

- Disconnect all attached network devices and peripherals, such as keyboard, mouse, and monitor from your computer.

Step 2 — Screws

- In the back there are 9 screws.

- (captive) M2x7.5

- M2x4

- Unscrew these and store in a safe place. (eg: nescafe cup, container)

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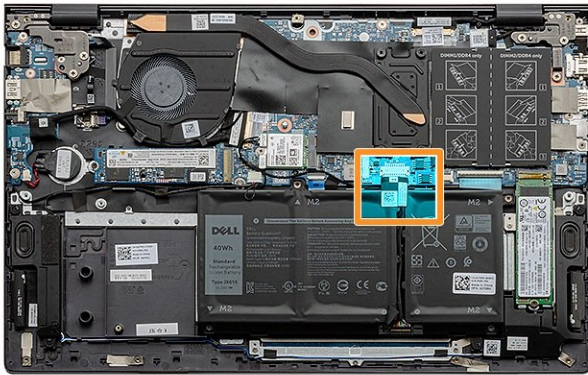
Step 3 — Getting the base cover out

- Using a plastic scribe, pry the base cover starting from the recess at the display hinge and work your way around the sides to remove the base cover.

Step 4 — Lifting

- Lift the base cover off the palm-rest and keyboard assembly.

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Step 5 — Battery disconecting

- The sticker and the cable connector(below the sticker)

- Peel the tape and disconnect the battery cable from the system board.

Step 6 — Drain the power

- Press and hold the power button for five seconds to ground the computer and drain the flea power.

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

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