



Acer Aspire R7 Speakers Replacement

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 **TOOLS:**

TR7 Torx Security Screwdriver (1)

Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)

iFixit Opening Tool (1)

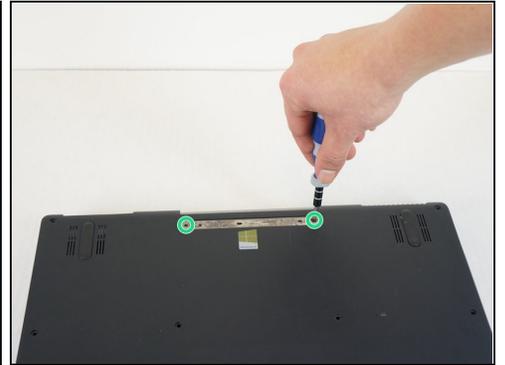
Spudger (1)

Step 1 — Cover



- Shut down the laptop and disconnect the power cord.
 - ⚠ Failing to disconnect or shut down the laptop could result in damage to the laptop or a shock hazard.
- Turn the laptop over.

Step 2



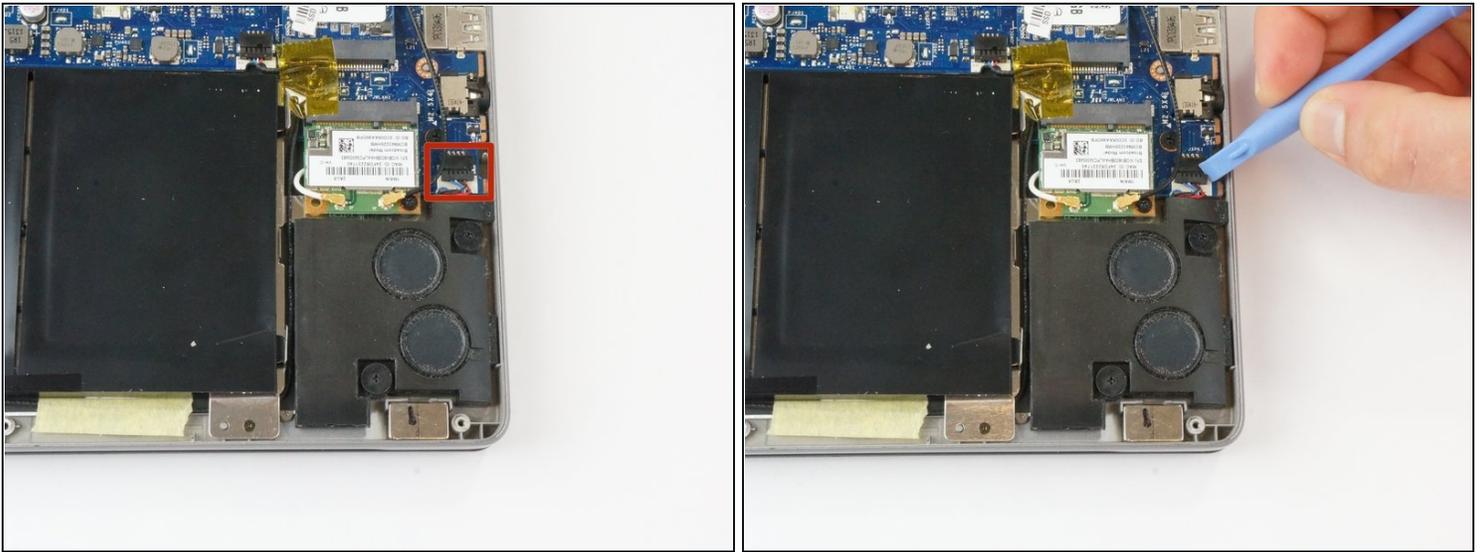
- Remove seven 10 mm T7 screws.
- Remove four 6 mm T7 screws.
- Use the blue plastic opening tool to carefully remove both rubber pads which cover the four remaining screws.
- Remove the remaining four 10 mm T7 screws.

Step 3



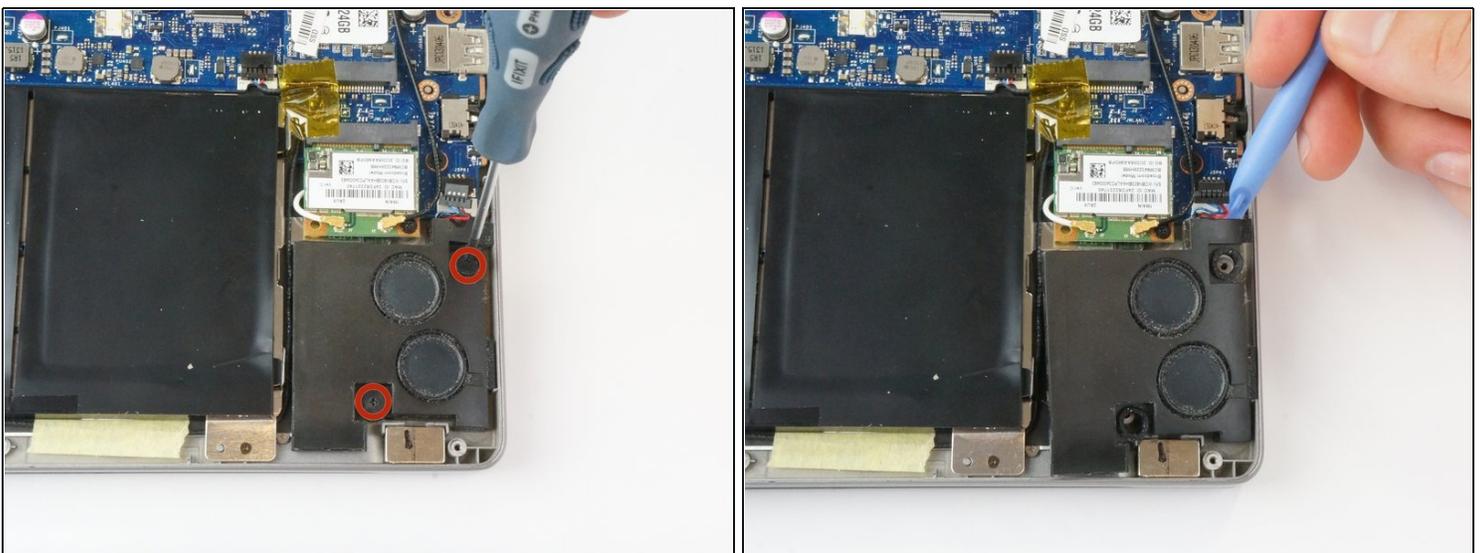
- Carefully lift the cover upwards.
- ⓘ If the cover seems stuck, use a spudger tool to pry the sides.

Step 4 — Speakers



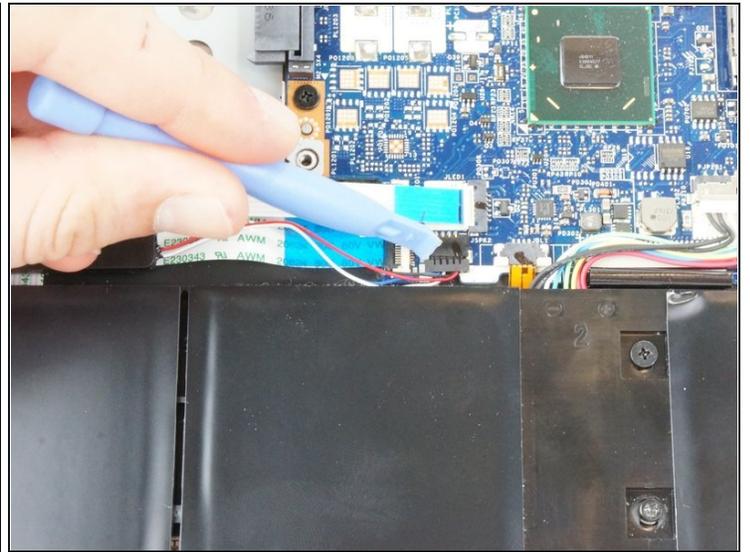
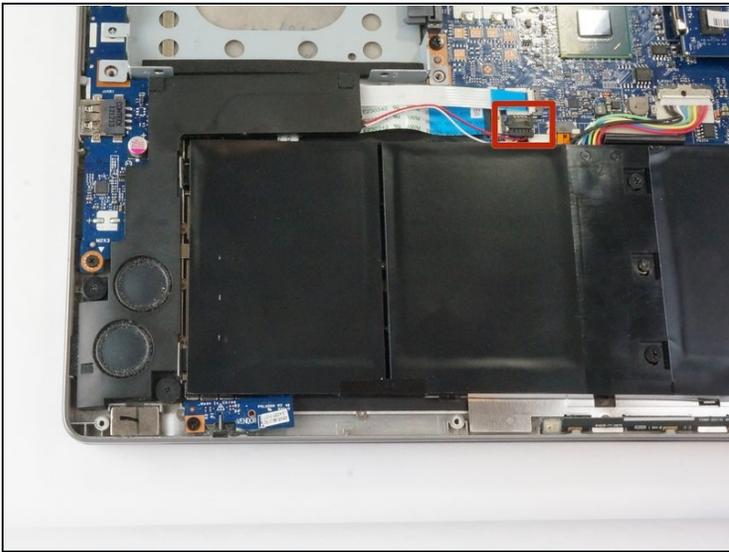
- Locate the clip attaching the right-side speakers to the motherboard.
- Carefully pull on the clip until it detaches from the motherboard.
 - ⓘ Use a plastic opening tool if needed.

Step 5



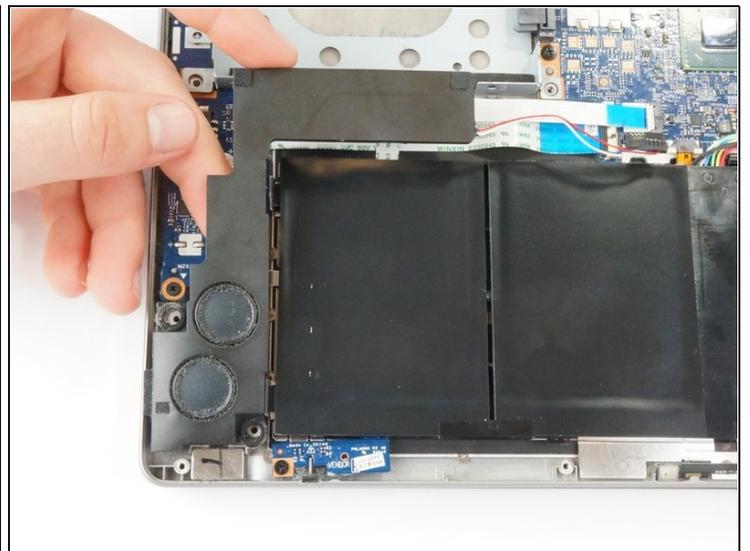
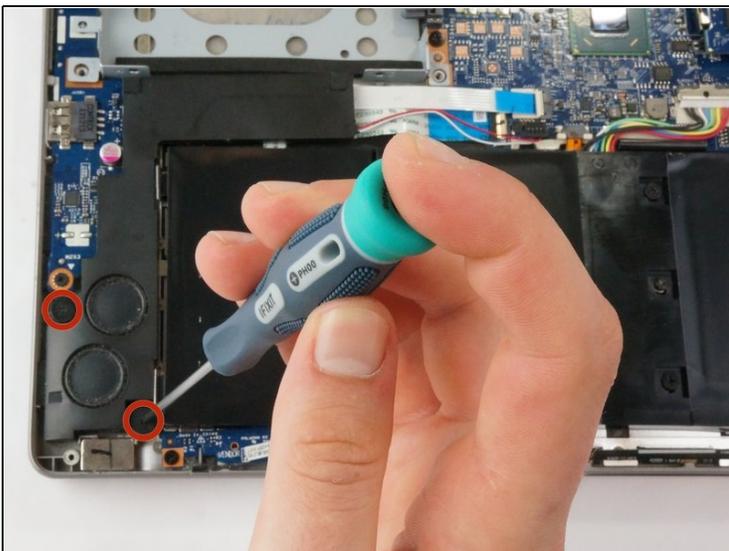
- Remove the two 3.5mm #00 Phillips screws which hold the speaker in place.
- Carefully lift the right-side speaker assembly away from the motherboard.

Step 6



- Locate the clip attaching the left-side speakers to the motherboard.
- Carefully pull on the clip until it detaches from the motherboard.
 - ⓘ Use a plastic opening tool if needed.

Step 7



- Remove the two 3.5mm #00 Phillips screws which hold the speaker in place.
- Carefully lift the left-side speaker assembly away from the motherboard.

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