



# HP Compaq Presario CQ56-110US

## Disassembly

Compaq CQ56 Dissassembly

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# INTRODUCTION

Complete Disassembly of The Laptop excluding Laptop Display

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## TOOLS:

- [Phillips #0 Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [Flathead Screwdriver](#) (1)
  - [iFixit Opening Picks set of 6](#) (1)
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## Step 1 — Removing Battery



- Remove Battery by sliding the tab

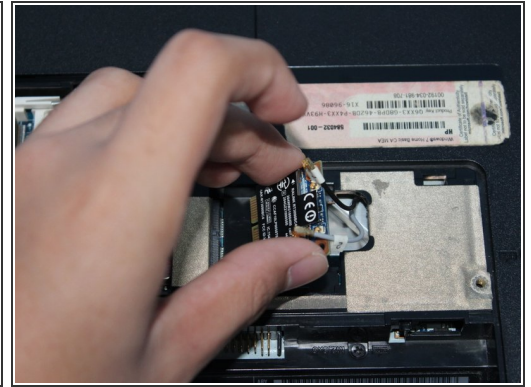
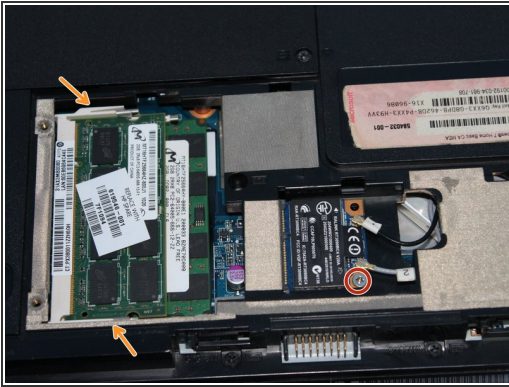
## Step 2 — Removing Ram Cover



- Remove the 3 screws from the Ram Cover and lift up the cover

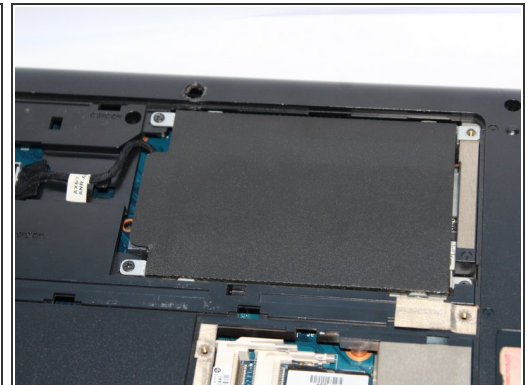
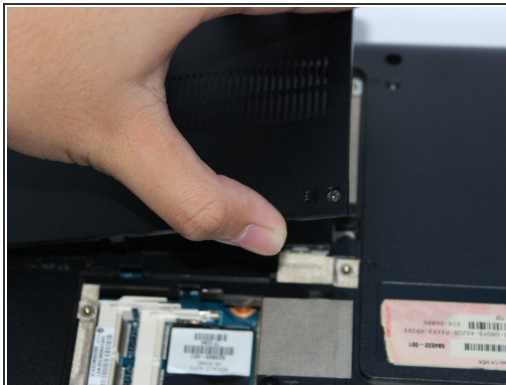
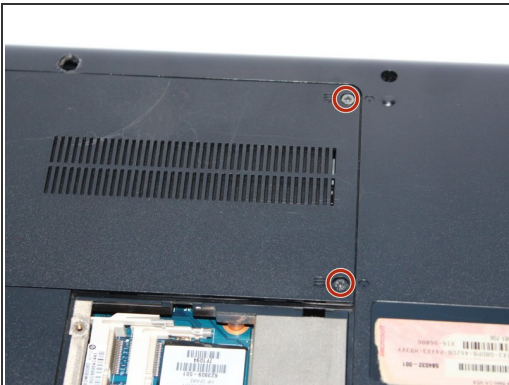


### Step 3 — Removing Ram Sticks and Wifi Card



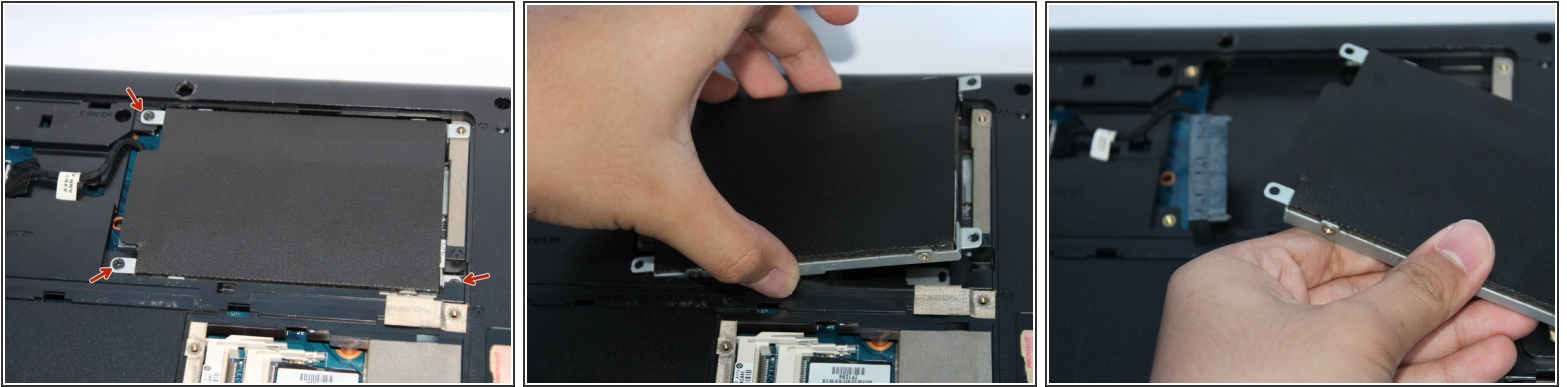
- Remove Ram Stick by pulling the tabs to it side
- Remove the to remove the Wifi Card and remove its antenna wires

### Step 4 — Removing Hard Drive Cover



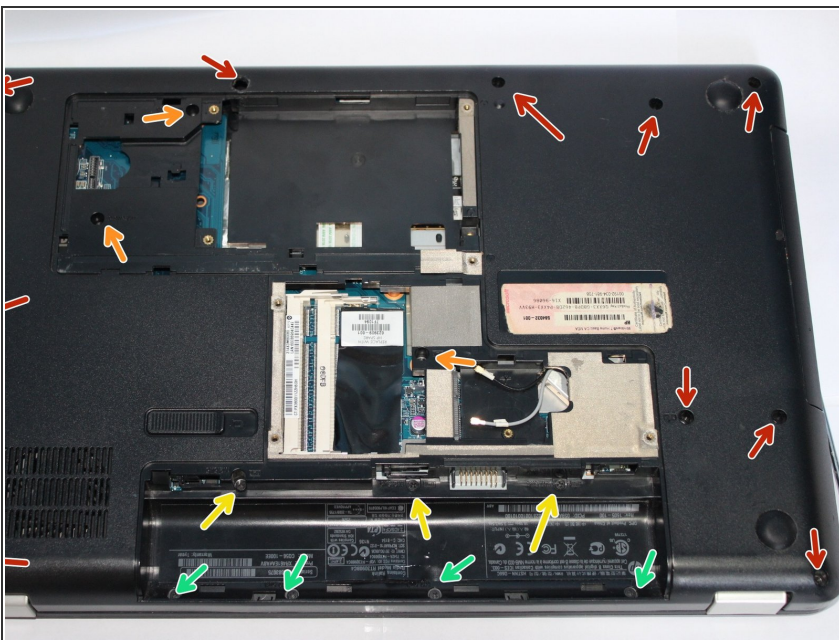
- Remove 2 Screw from the Hard Drive Cover and lift up the cover

## Step 5 — Removing the Hard Drive



- Remove the 3 screws from the Hard Drive
- ☑ Remove the SATA Cable from the Hard Drive and Motherboard

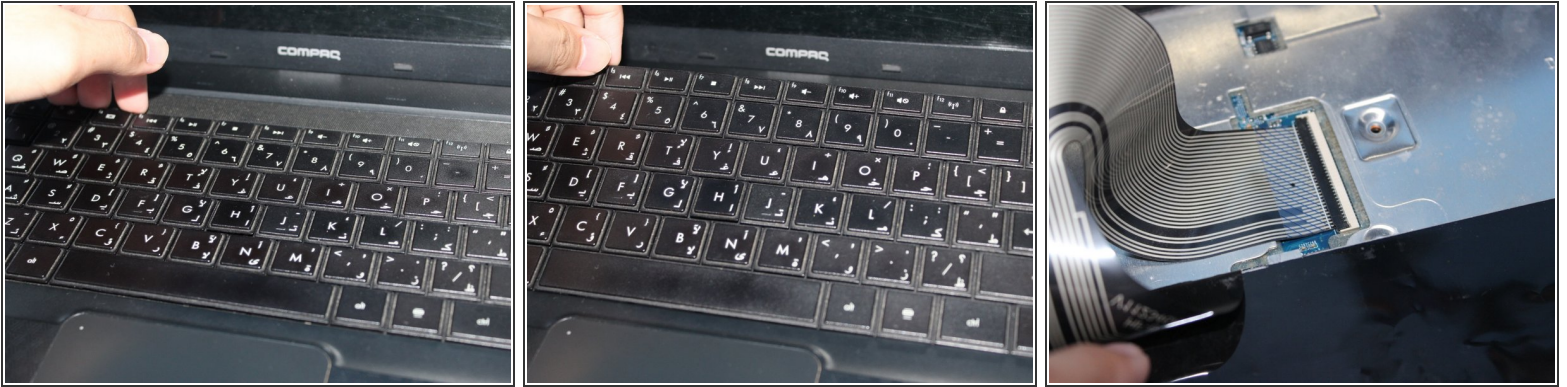
## Step 6 — Removing Screws



- Remove 10 screws from the laptop
- Remove 3 2.5 x 6.5 screws from the laptop
- Remove 3 2.5 x 5 screws from the laptop
- Remove 4 2.5 x 3 screws from the laptop
- ⓘ \*The Photo looks incomplete because it exceeded the crop limit



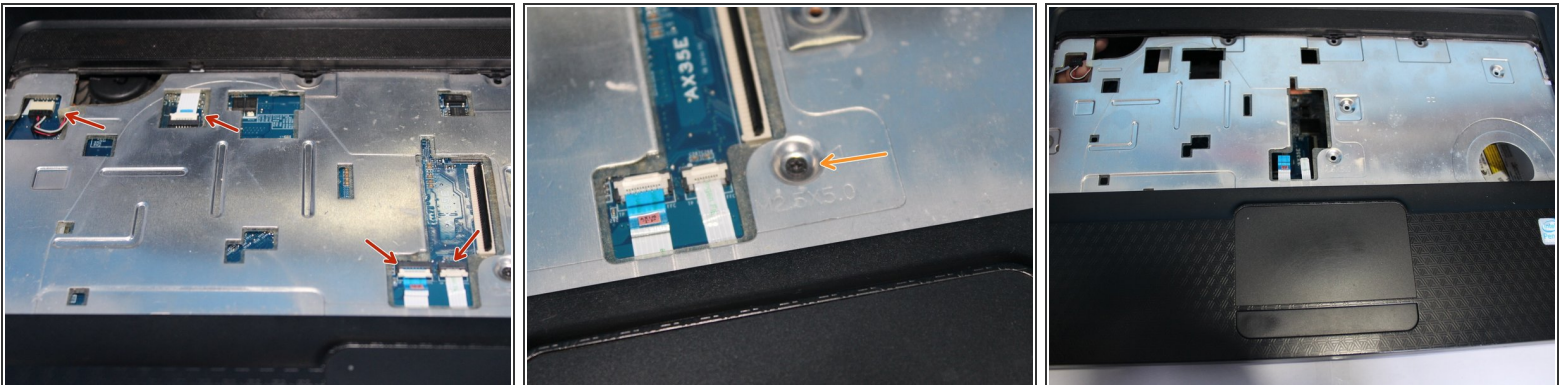
## Step 7 — Removing the Keyboard



- Put Your Hands on the Top Corners and Put some little pressure

⚠ Be careful that there is a ribbon cable under there and make sure that it is removed

## Step 8 — Removing Top Cover



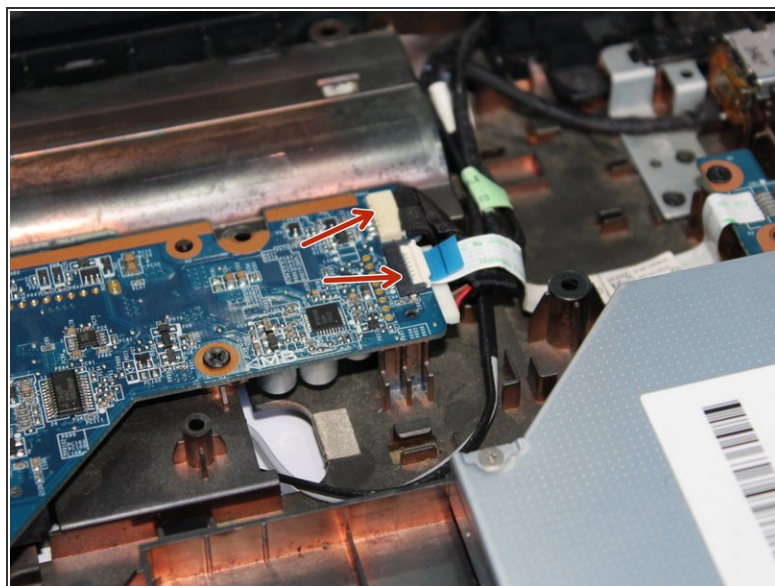
- Remove the Ribbon Cables and Wires from the Motherboard and use a pick to remove the top cover
- Remove 1 screw and lift up the top cover

## Step 9 — Removing the CD Drive



- Remove the CD Drive by Pushing or Pulling to the outside

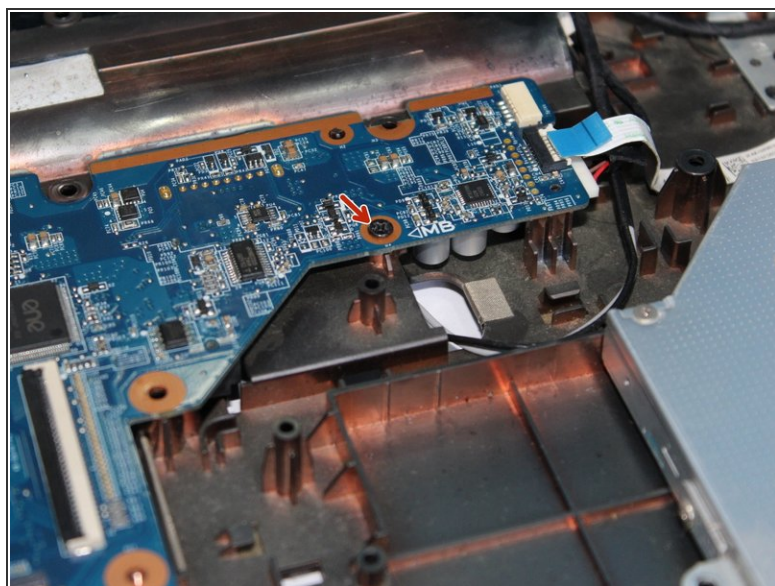
## Step 10 — Removing the Display Cable



- Remove the 3 Display Cables and a USB Port Ribbon Cable

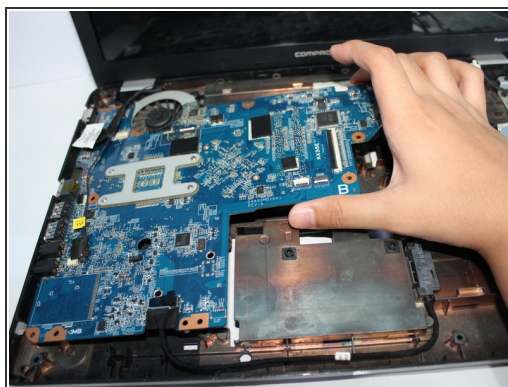
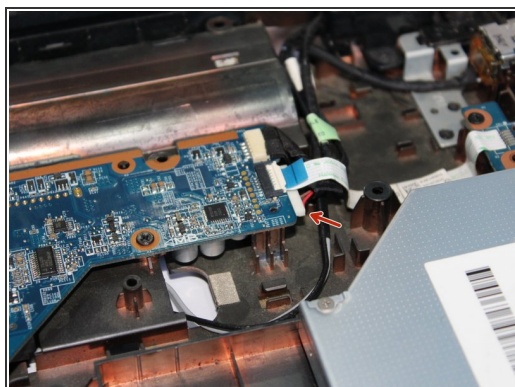


## Step 11 — Remove Motherboard Screws



- Remove 2 Screws from the Motherboard

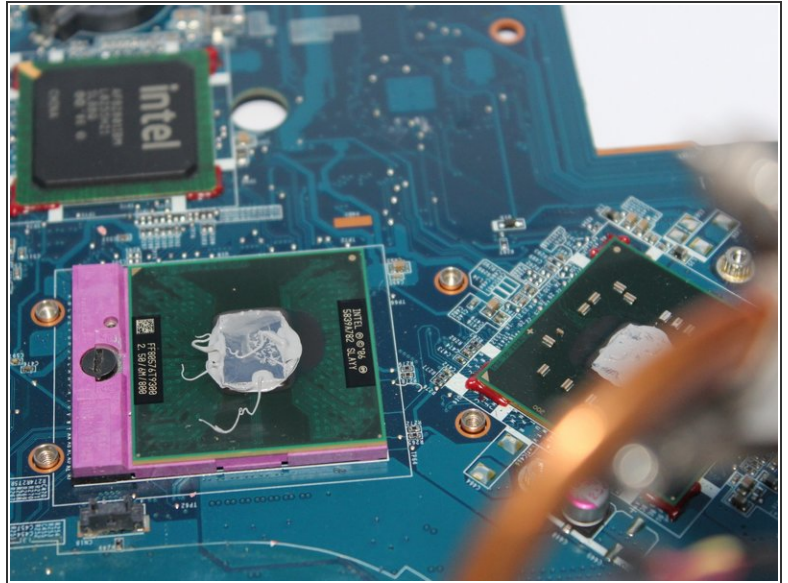
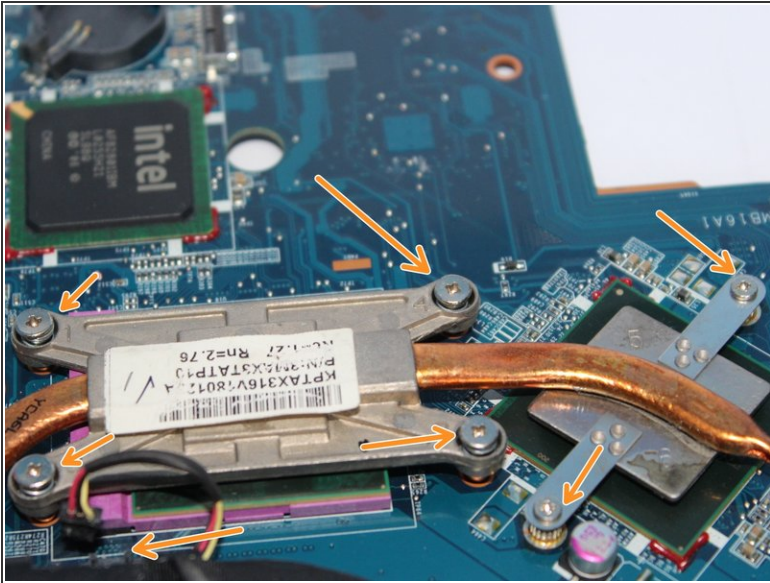
## Step 12 — Removing the Motherboard



- Remove the Power Cable and pull the motherboard to the right

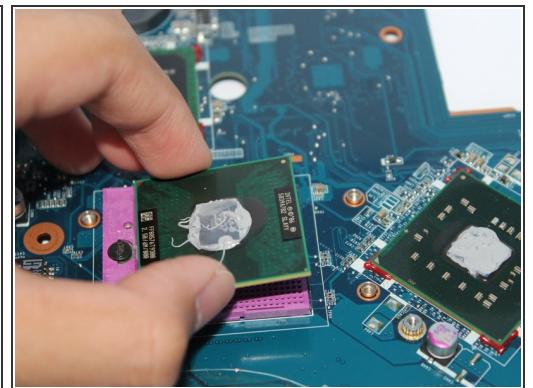
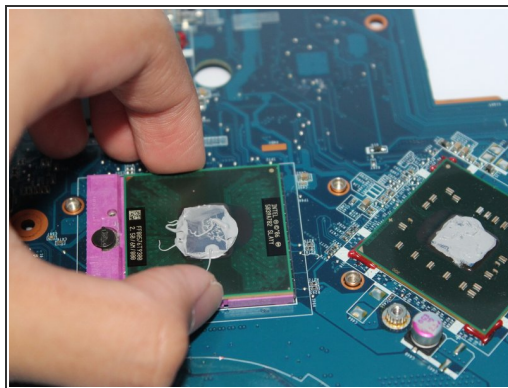
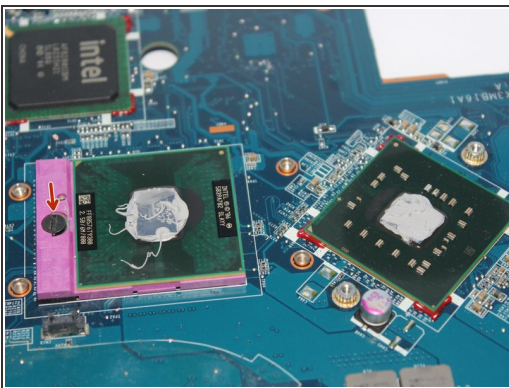


## Step 13 — Removing the CPU Heatsink



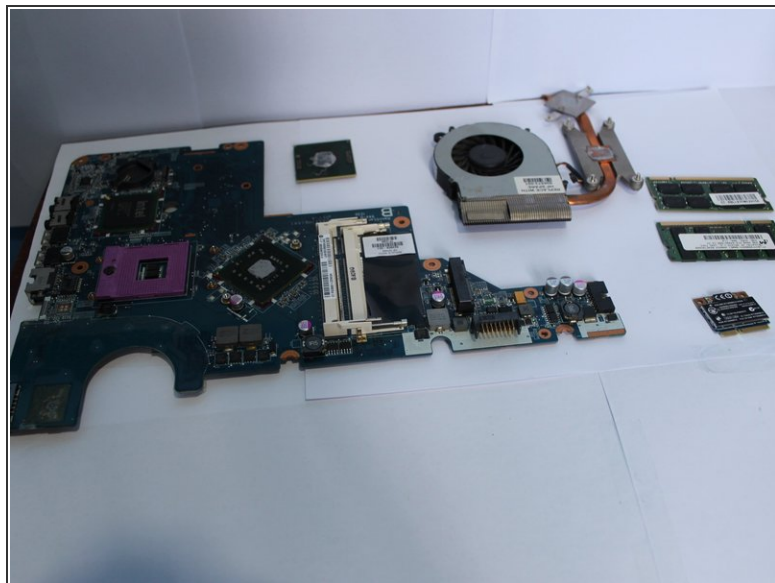
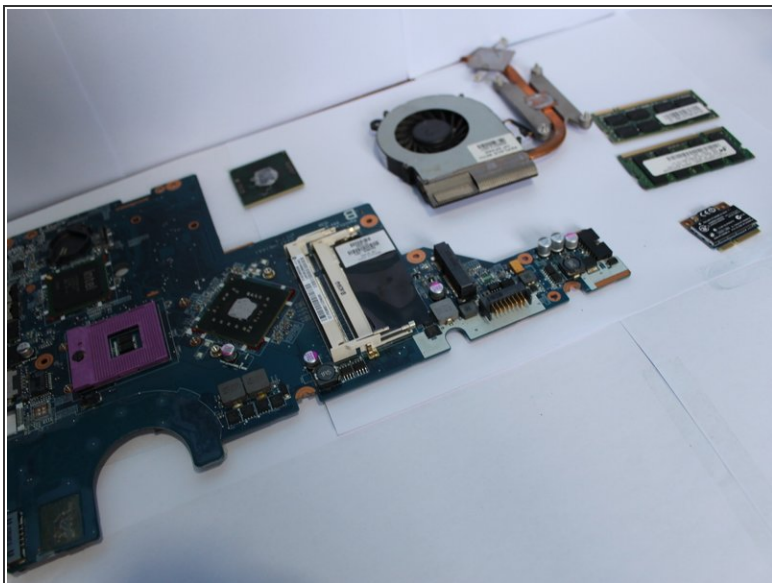
- Remove the Six Screws from the Heatsink
- Remove the Cable of the fan

## Step 14 — Removing the CPU



- Use Something Flat Tipped like a Flat tip screw driver
- ⚠ Be Careful with removing the CPU because it has fragile pins under it, remove it by wiggling it back and forth

## Step 15 — And We're Done.....



- Laptop Dissassembly Complete, Here is Everything except for the Case and Display

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order. This can be useful for a CPU Upgrade