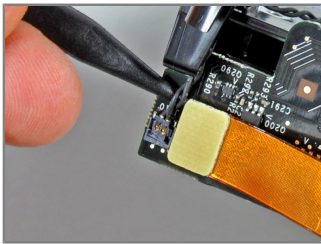
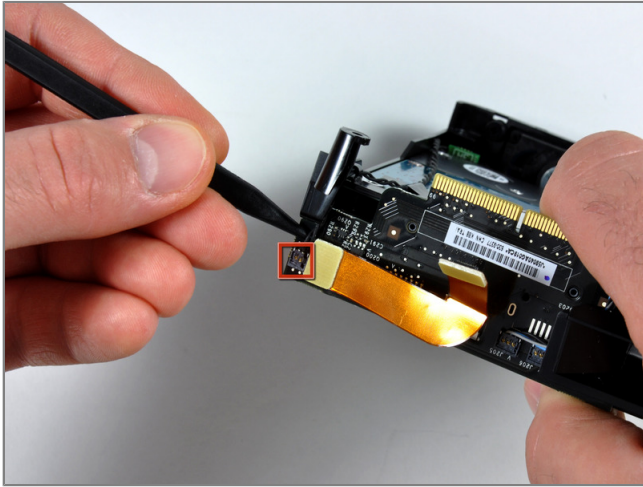




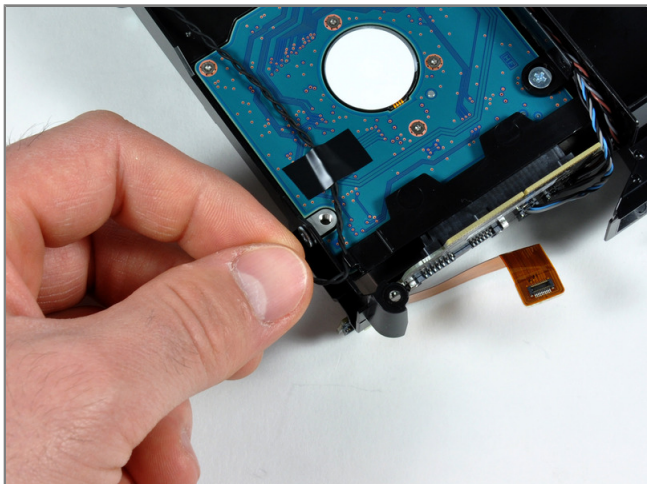
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Step 1 - Hard Drive

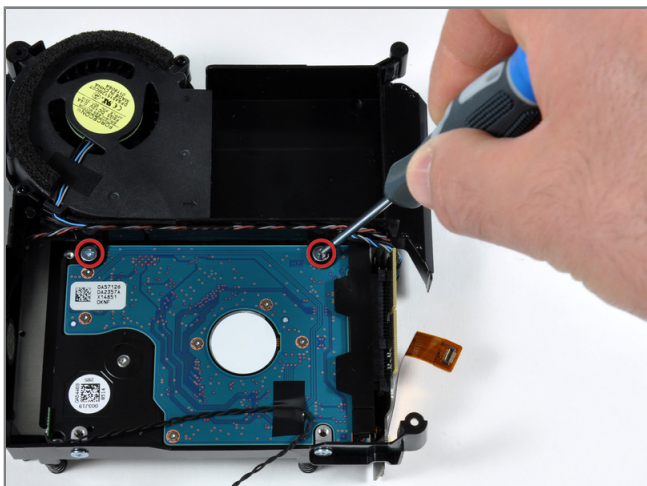
- In this step, make sure to only disconnect the connector from its socket, and not the entire socket from the interconnect board.
- Use the tip of a spudger to gently pry the hard drive thermal sensor connector away from its socket on the interconnect board. Make sure to only detach the connector and not the socket that is soldered to the interconnect board.





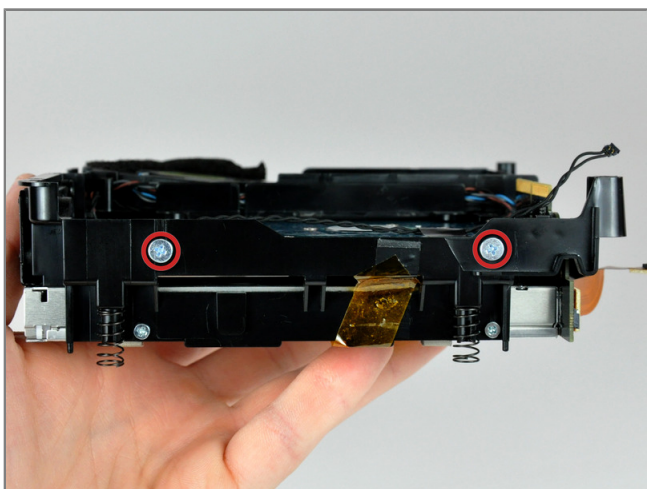
Step 2

- De-route the hard drive thermal sensor cable from under the clip on the internal frame.



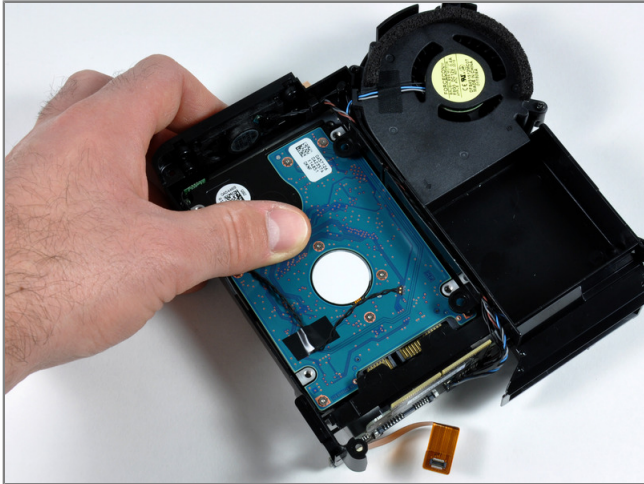
Step 3

- Remove the two Phillips screws connecting the underside of the hard drive to the internal frame.



Step 4

- Remove the two Phillips screws securing the side of the hard drive to the internal frame.



Step 5

- Slide the hard drive toward the speaker to disconnect it from the interconnect board.
- Lift the hard drive from the edge opposite the fan and remove it from the internal frame.

