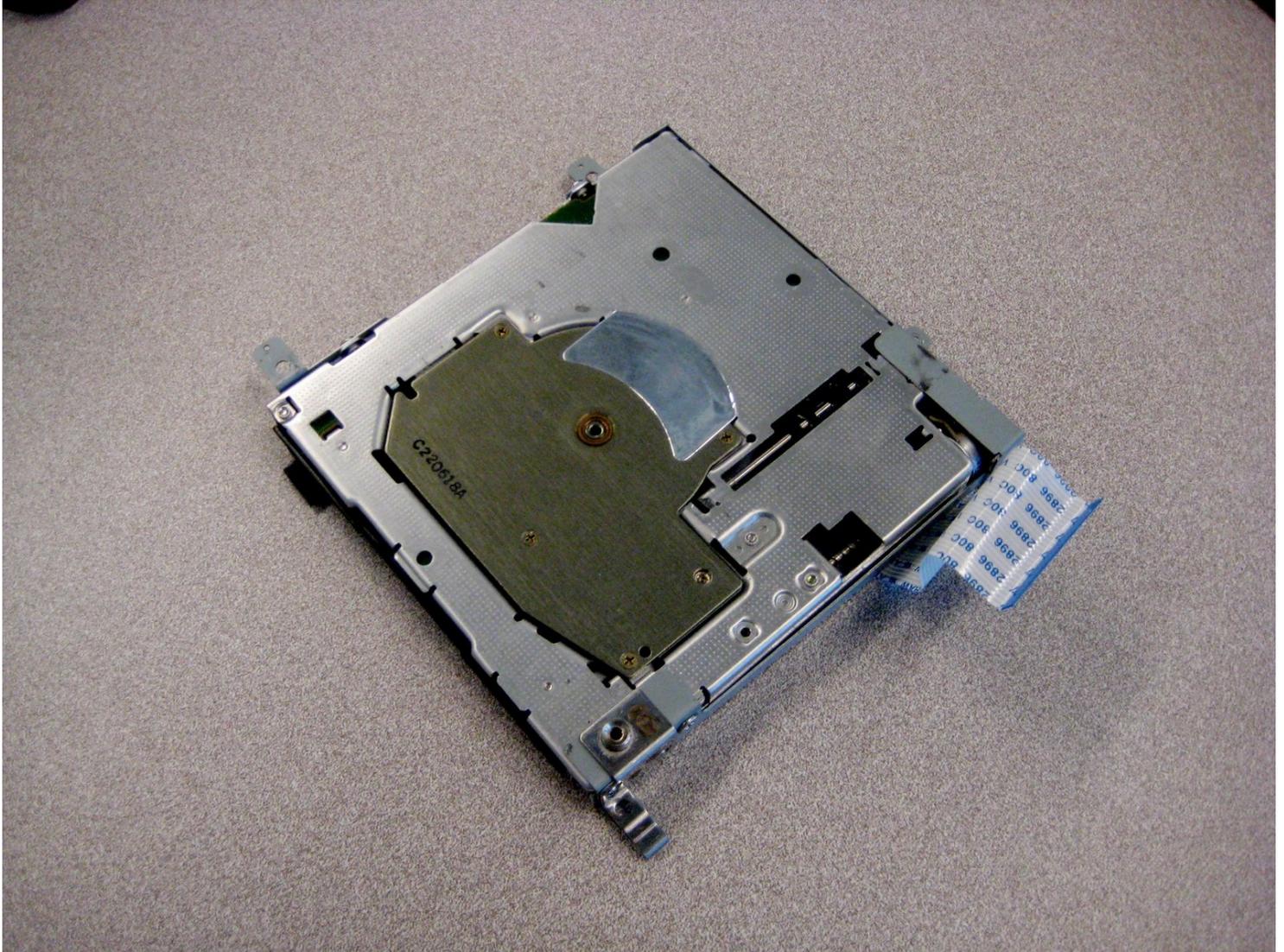




# Compaq Evo N1000v Floppy Drive Replacement

A guide on how to remove the Floppy Drive.

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# INTRODUCTION

A guide on how to remove the **Floppy Drive**.

## 🔧 TOOLS:

Phillips #00 Screwdriver (1)

Spudger (1)

TR8 Torx Security Screwdriver (1)

## Step 1 — LED Cover



- Flip the laptop over with the rear panel facing forward.



## Step 4



- Locate the **F1** and **F2** keys near the top left corner of the keyboard.

## Step 5



- While holding the **F1** and **F2** keys, insert a spudger between the keys into the notch in the LED cover. Lift up.

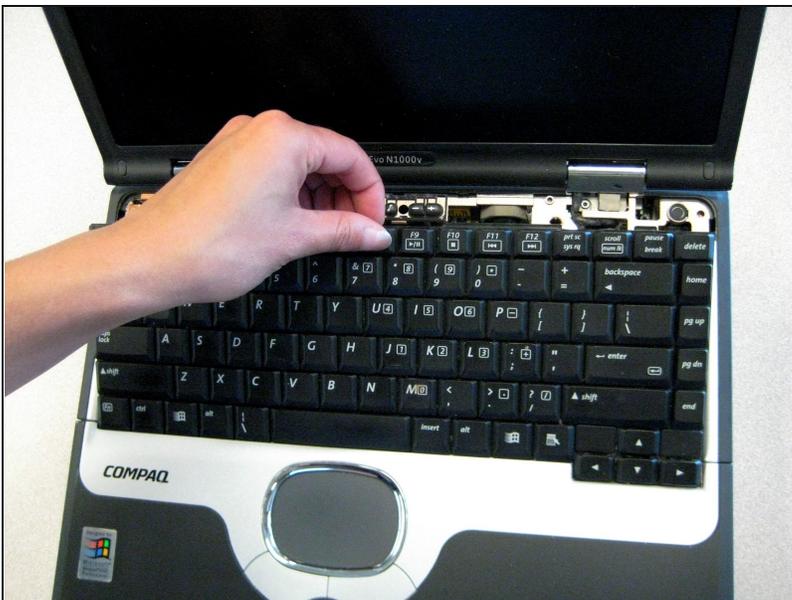


## Step 8



- Insert a spudger between the **F7** and **F8** keys. Lift up to remove the LED cover.

## Step 9 — Keyboard



- Lift the back edge of the keyboard and pull towards the screen.

## Step 10



- Pull the cable and lift up to release.

## Step 11



- Remove the keyboard.

## Step 12 — Palm Rest



- Close the laptop and flip it so the rear panel is facing up.

## Step 13



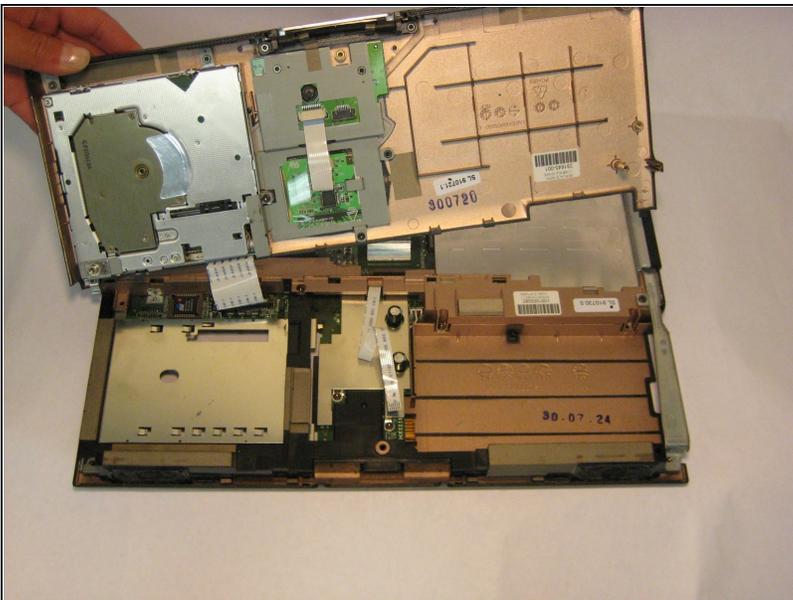
- Using the TR8 Torx screwdriver, remove the six screws from the back case.

## Step 14



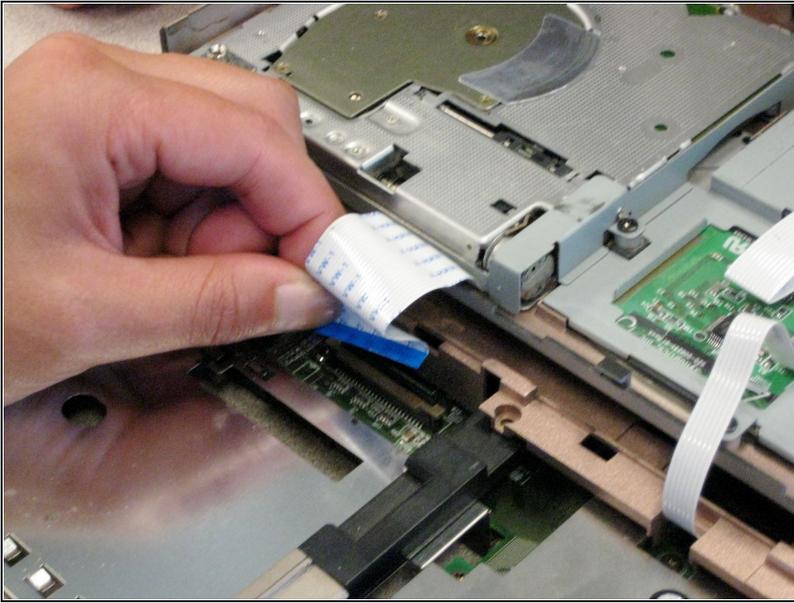
- Remove the battery.
- Remove the screw from the metal support on the case edge with a Torx T8 screwdriver.
- Flip the laptop over again so the top is facing up.
- Open the laptop screen and face it towards you.

## Step 15



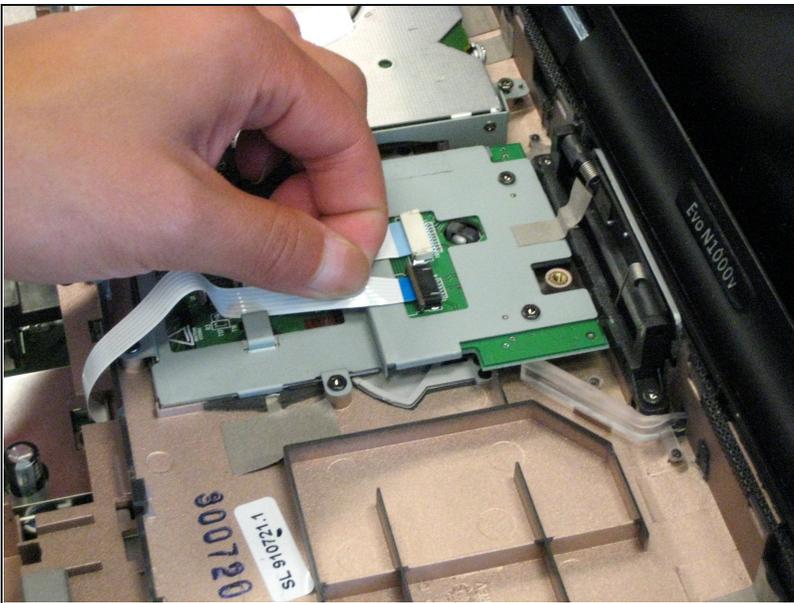
- Lift the the palm rest up from the front edge of the laptop and swing it towards the screen.
- ⚠ Be gentle as it is connected by some cables.

## Step 16



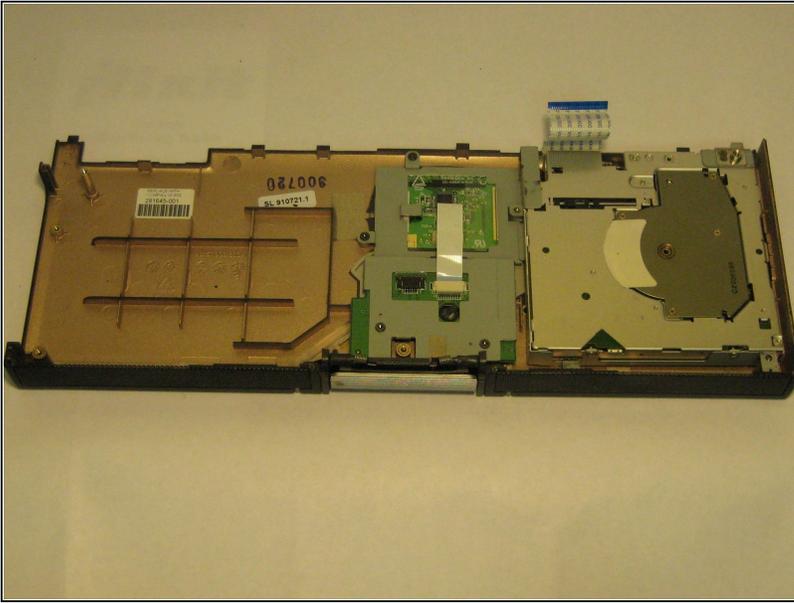
- [Disconnect the ribbon connector](#) from the socket.

## Step 17



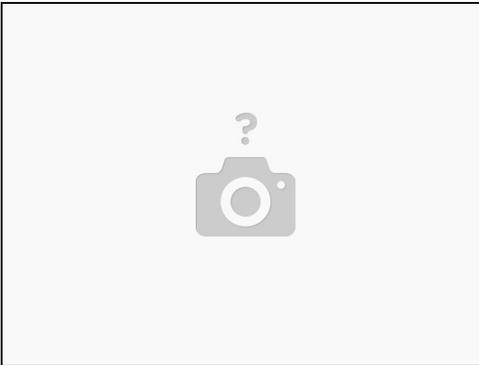
- Disconnect the second ribbon cable.

## Step 18



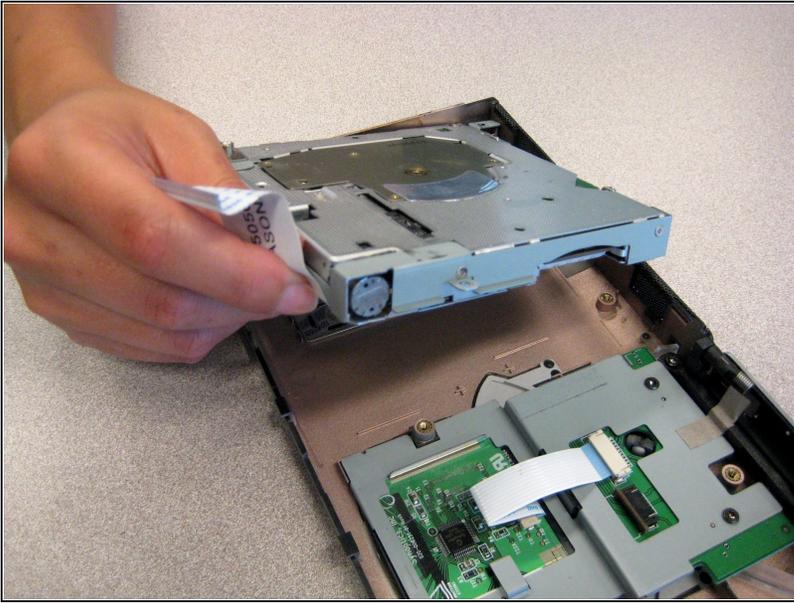
- Remove the palm rest.

## Step 19 — Floppy Drive



- Locate and remove the three screws shown in picture.

## Step 20



- Lift up and remove floppy drive from the palm rest.

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