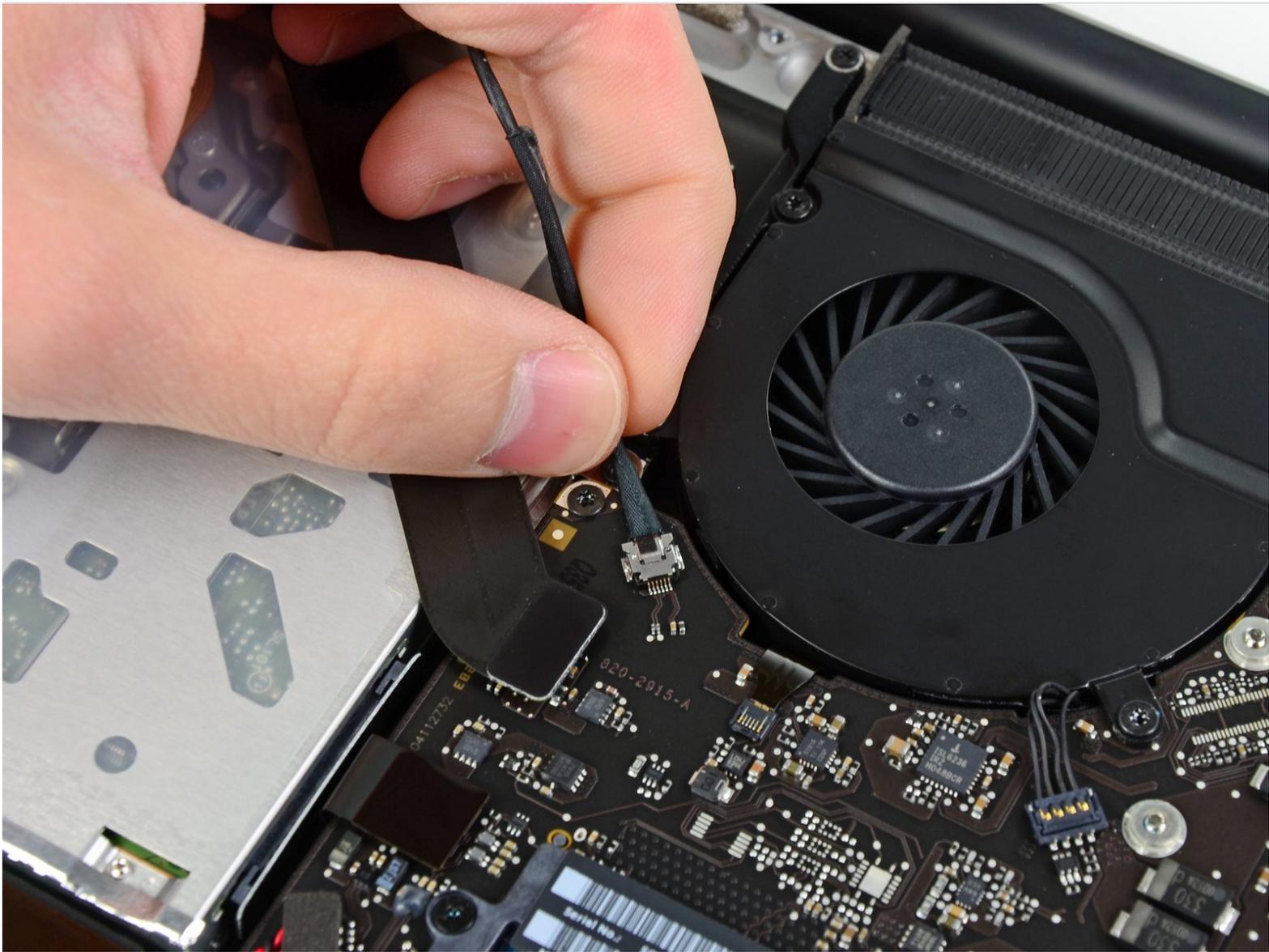




MacBook Pro 15" Unibody Early 2011 AirPort/Bluetooth Board Assembly Replacement

AirPort/Bluetooth Board Assembly prereq.

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INTRODUCTION

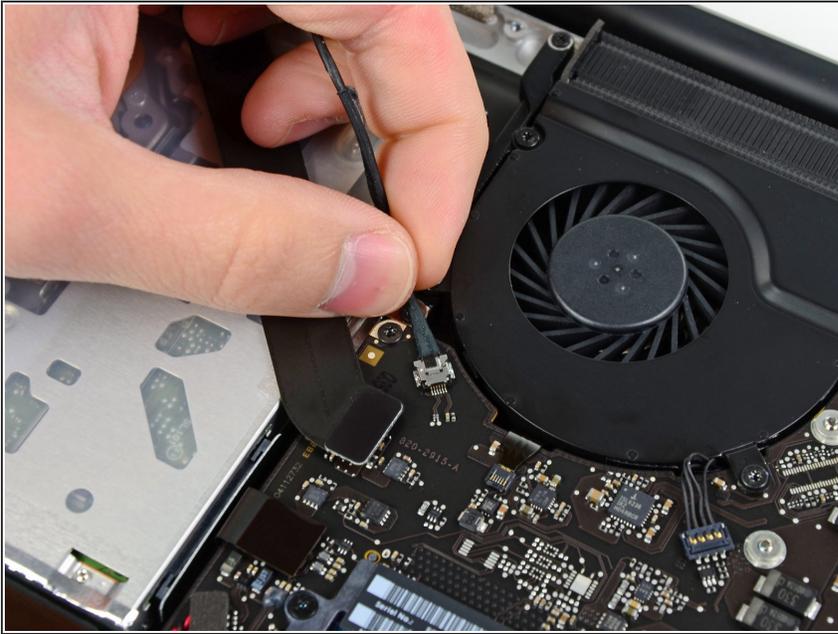
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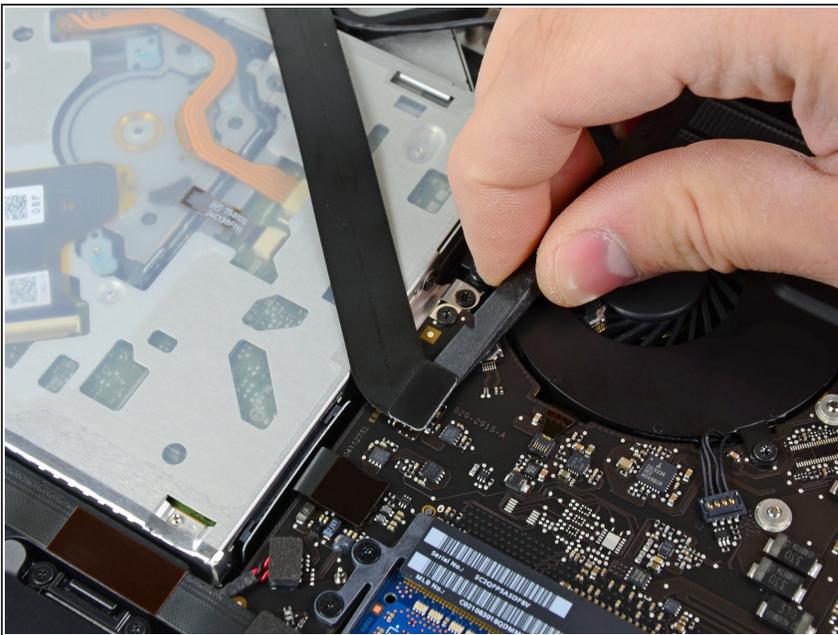
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [Spudger](#) (1)
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Step 1 — AirPort/Bluetooth Board Assembly



- Pull the camera cable connector straight out of its socket on the logic board.
- ⓘ Pull the cable parallel to the face of the logic board toward the optical drive opening.

Step 2



- Use the flat end of a spudger to carefully pry the AirPort/Bluetooth ribbon cable up off its socket on the logic board.

Step 3



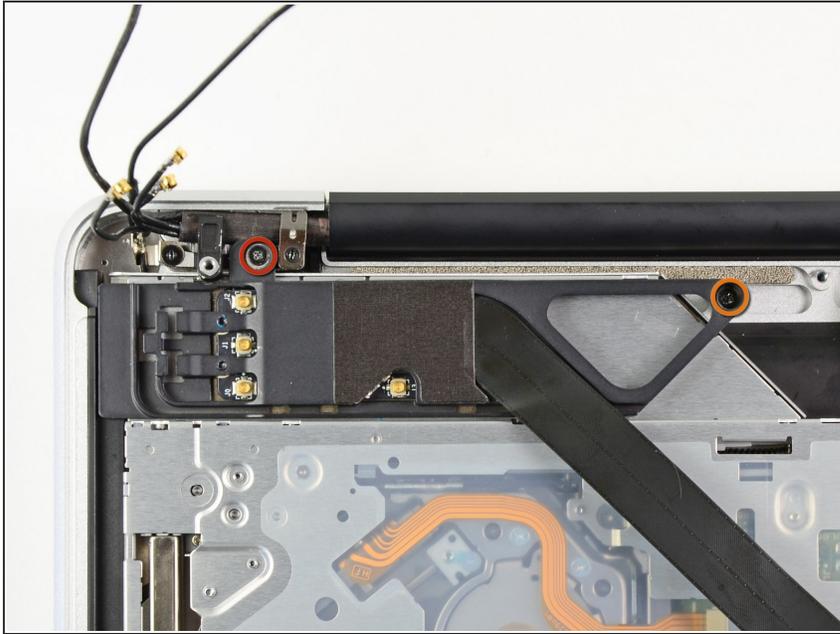
- Use the tip of a spudger to pry the four antenna connectors up from their sockets on the AirPort/Bluetooth board.

Step 4



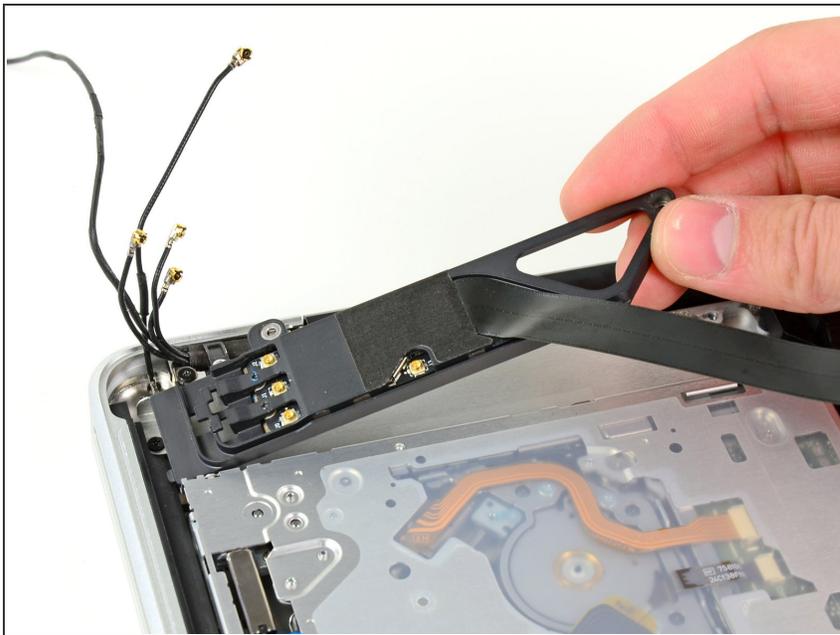
- De-route all four antenna cables from their channels in the AirPort/Bluetooth housing.
- De-route the camera cable from its channel in the AirPort/Bluetooth housing.

Step 5



- Remove the following two screws securing the AirPort/Bluetooth assembly to the upper case:
 - One 8.6 mm Phillips screw
 - One 3.9 mm Phillips screw

Step 6



- Remove the AirPort/Bluetooth assembly from the upper case, minding any cables that may get caught.

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