



Asus ROG Strix GL702VM-BHI7N09 Hard Drive Replacement

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INTRODUCTION

This guide explains how to remove the hard drive of the Asus ROG Strix GL702VM-BHI7N09 for replacement.



TOOLS:

- [iFixit Opening Tool](#) (1)
- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)



PARTS:

- [Crucial MX500 1 TB SSD](#) (1)
- [Crucial MX500 250 GB SSD](#) (1)
- [Crucial MX500 500 GB SSD](#) (1)
- [Crucial MX500 2 TB SSD](#) (1)

Step 1 — Back Panel



- Flip the laptop over to the back panel, with the serial numbers facing up.
- Using a Phillips #1 screwdriver, remove the ten 12 mm screws from the back panel.

Step 2



⚠ The snap seals don't need a lot of pressure to open, and may break if forced. Be gentle with the opening tool.

- Wedge the sharp edge of the plastic opening tool into the seam between the back panel and the rest of the laptop, then gently pry the panel up.
- ⓘ There will be a snapping sound as you remove the back panel, but that is just the seal loosening.
- Continue breaking the seals by sliding the plastic opening tool around the entire laptop under the seam until the back panel is free.
- Once you have broken all the seals, carefully lift the panel off.

Step 3 — Hard Drive



- Using a Phillips #1 screwdriver, remove the four 4 mm screws holding the hard drive.

Step 4



- Pull the hard drive directly away from the fan just above it.
- ⓘ The connecting pins should slide out easily, but you might have to move the hard drive around a bit to loosen the pins.

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