



# Sony Vaio Duo 11 SSD Replacement

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## INTRODUCTION

Before start the procedure, make a system backup (I use ToDo Backup Free).

Some pictures were found in:

<http://henjinkutsu.com/text/pc/svd1121aj...>

[http://blogs.yahoo.co.jp/haitora\\_neko/30...](http://blogs.yahoo.co.jp/haitora_neko/30...)

<http://forum.tabletpcreview.com/sony/553...>



## TOOLS:

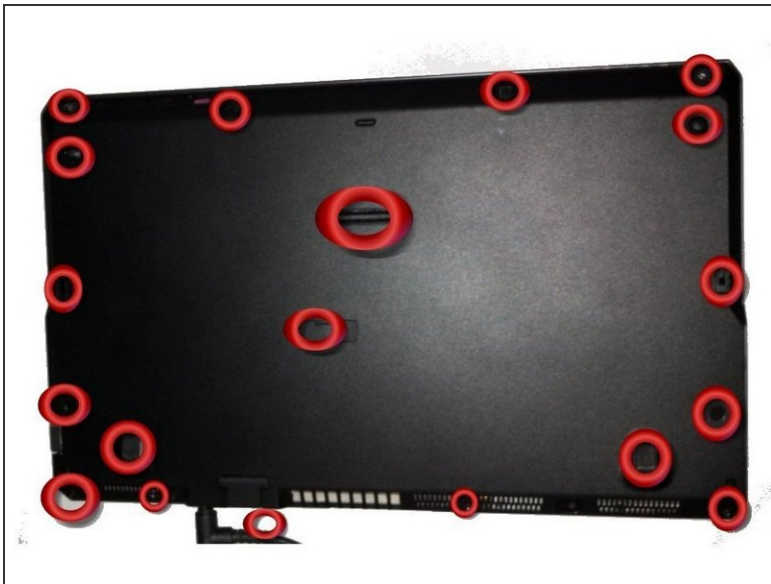
- [Pro Tech Toolkit](#) (1)

## Step 1 — SSD



- Make a system backup!

## Step 2



- Using a spudger, remove the rubber screw covers.
- Gently remove the speaker covers.

### Step 3



- Use a sharp tool to lift up the laptop's cover

### Step 4



- Remove cover

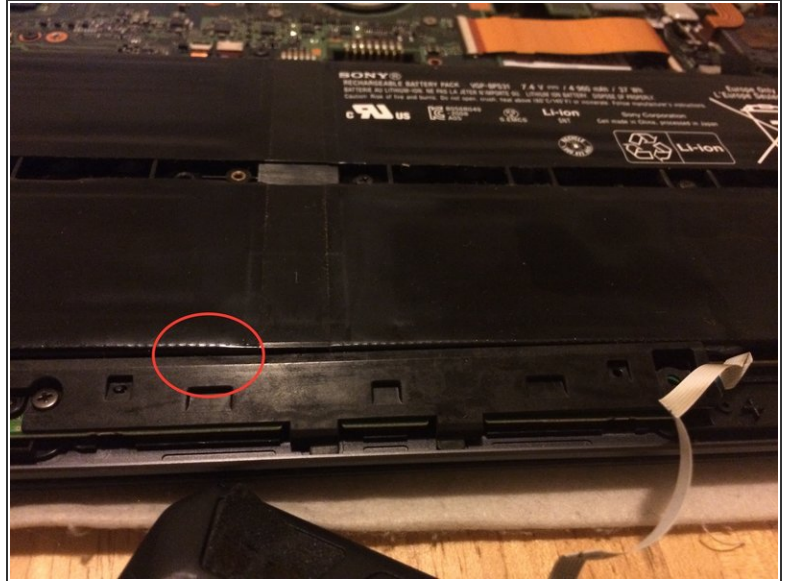
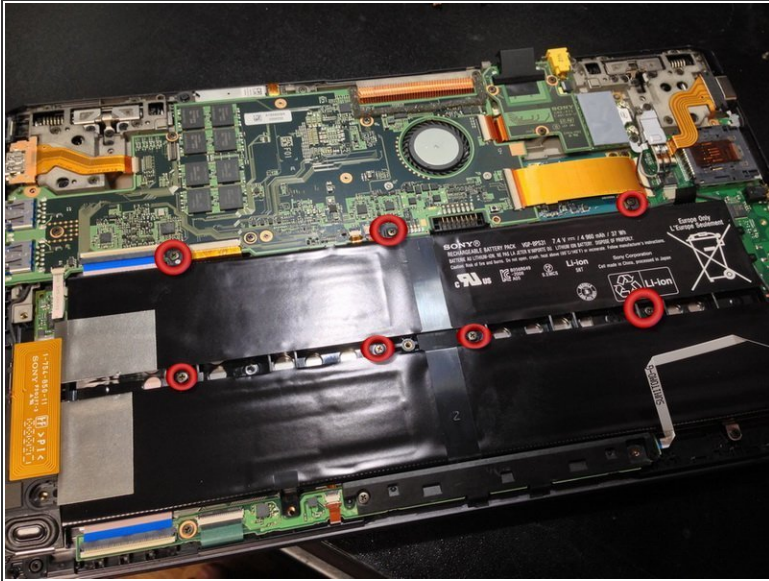


## Step 5



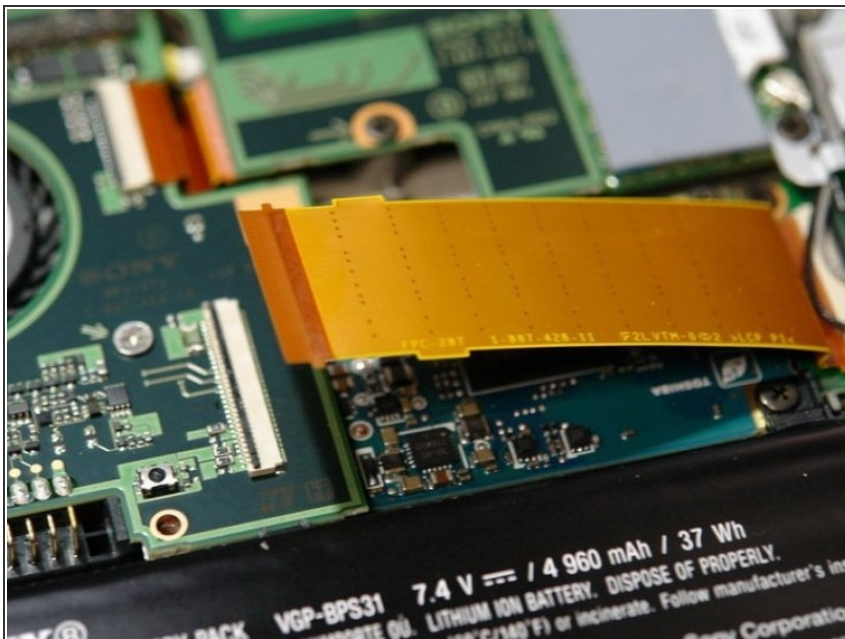
- Remove all the screws. (Attention: these screws are different! Save them.)

## Step 6



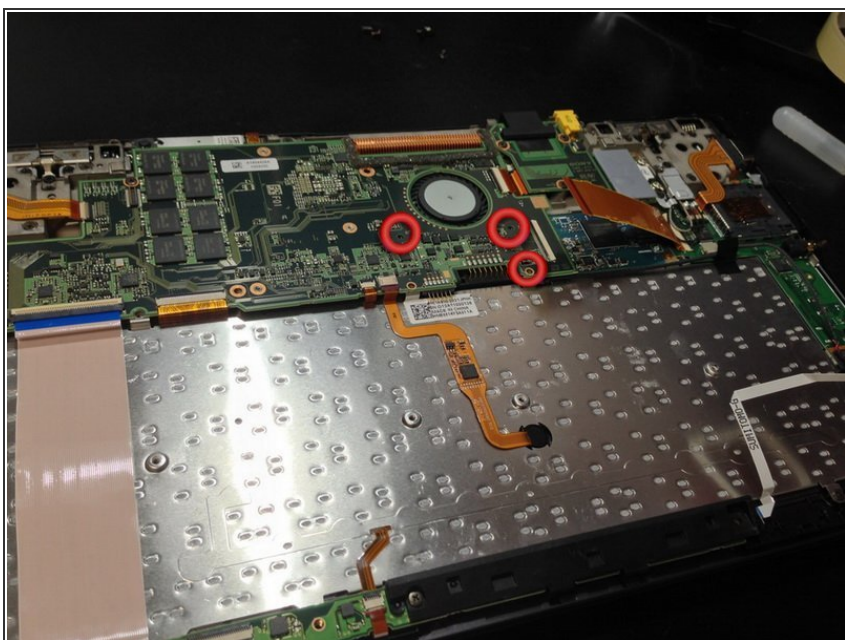
- Remove the cover carefully. One side is attached with a short, flat, white cable. (**Attention:** Don't detach the white cable.)
- Remove the screws (circled in red) and remove the battery.
- When reassembling : Remember to hide the piece of plastic beside the battery (circled in the second picture) behind the plastic. Otherwise you will not be able to press the right mouse button.

## Step 7



- Detach flat cable. To do so, you have to lift the black plastic bar, then release the orange ribbon.

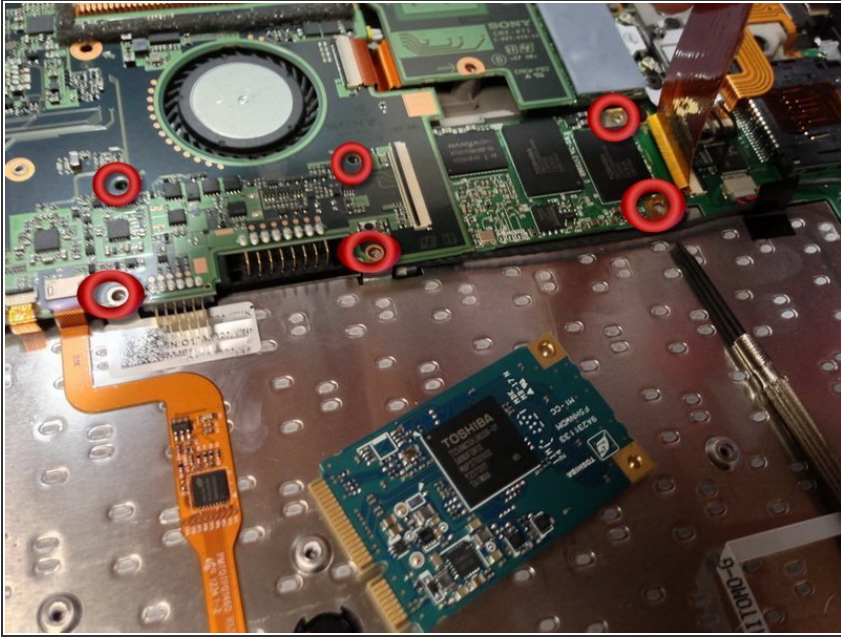
## Step 8



- Remove these screws to make it easier to remove the SSD.



## Step 9



- The remove of the ssd
- Remove the SSD (gently)
- Replace the SSD ( it is a mSATA SSD )
- Put back the screws and close the unit

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