

Upgrade memory to 4GB and replace mechanical drive with ssd ditto

Don't forget to have the ACER eRestore DVD's ready

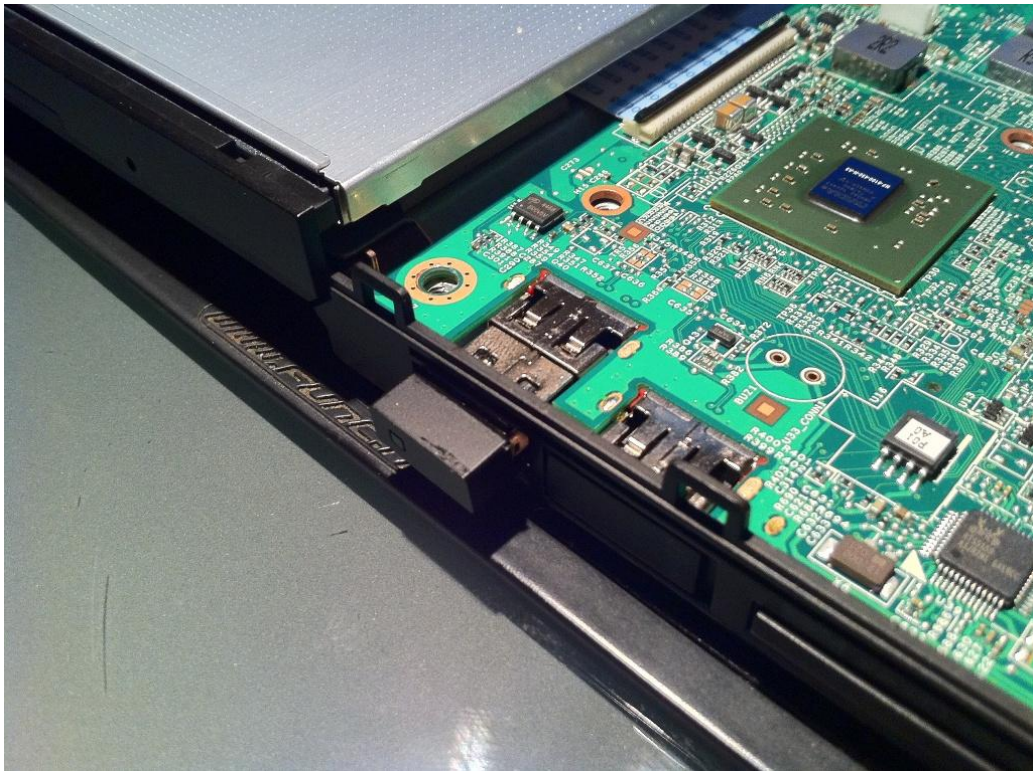
Loosen all 5 screws, 4 in the back and 1 on the right side when facing the front



The fan and motherboard needs to be completely taken out to access the memory modules and the screws that hold the current harddrive



Remove the cardslot holder and the ir usb dongle and of course all screws that hold the fan and motherboard. Bend open the holder for the Blu-ray drive connector too.



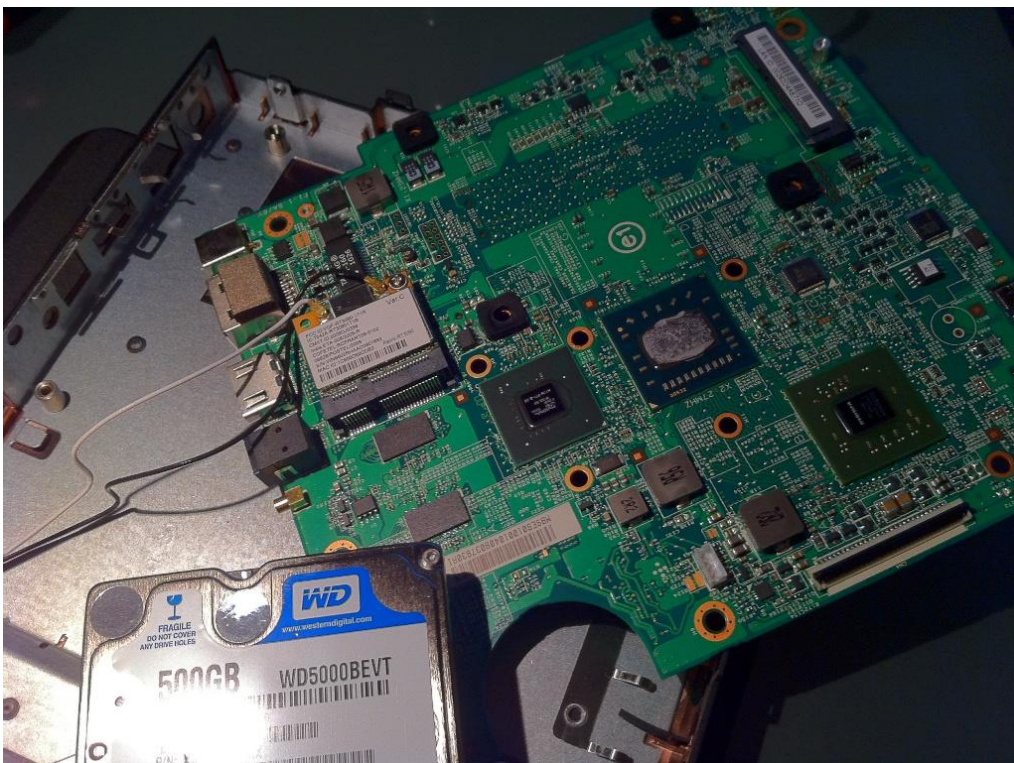
Flip over the board and replace both modules or add one...also remove the harddrive



One more module can be fitted, DDR3 1333Mhz. I replaced both.



Remember that 2 of the screws holding the drives are fitted with rubber rings, put them back in place correctly .Taking a picture before removing everything helps



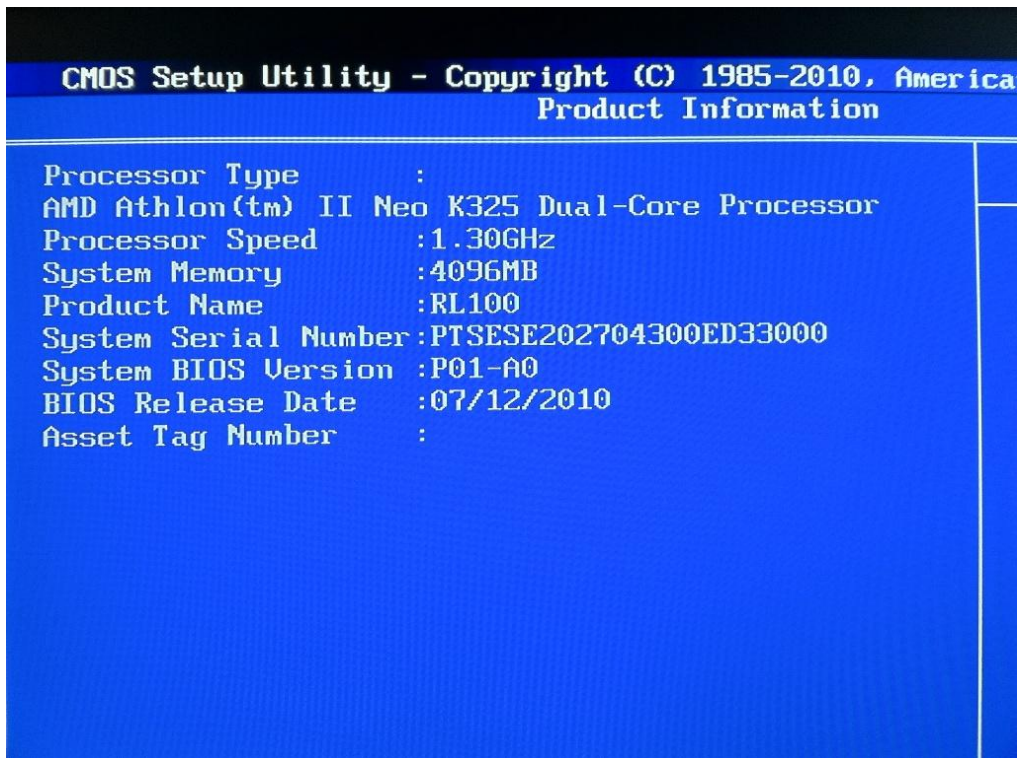
New SSD drive in place



And 2 new modules in place, a total of 4GB ram should be enough ☺



Everything boot as it should, no setting needed to be done after fitting the parts. Sata mode is set to IDE by default



Start to restore with Acers eRestore discs

