



WARNING

- The notebook must be turned off and disconnected from its power source. Failure to disconnect the power from the notebook may result in personal injury.
- Remove all loose articles of clothing and jewelry before touching components inside the notebook.
- The case may contain sharp edges. Use caution.
- Ground yourself by touching the metal ports on the back of the notebook. If you are not properly grounded, you could generate static electricity that may cause a component to fail.
- Make sure your hands are dry before performing this task.

Tools Required: None

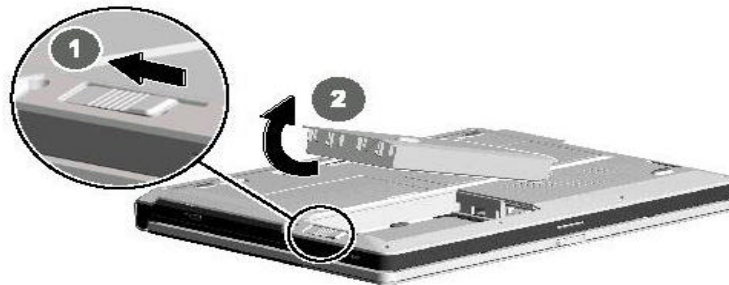


HINT: Make sure your notebook is completely turned off by going to the Start -> Turn Off Computer menus prior to getting started.



NOTE: There is danger of an explosion if the battery is installed incorrectly. Replace with the same or equivalent type recommended by eMachines.

Disconnect the power cord from the outlet and then from the back of the notebook. Disconnect all devices connected to the back of the notebook (e.g. any external devices, phone line, mouse, or monitor if applicable). Make sure the display is closed, and place the notebook upside down on a stable work surface.



Step 1: To remove an existing battery pack, slide and release the battery release button. **(1)** The battery will pop up.

Step 2: Grasp the raised edge of the battery and lift it out of the battery compartment. **(2)**

NOTE: The battery pack is keyed so that it can be inserted in only one direction. If the battery does not slide in easily, verify that the connector end of the battery lines up with the connector in the battery compartment.

Step 3: Slide the connector end of the battery into position and then press down on the other end of the battery until it clicks into place. **(3)**

