How to Empty the Recycle Bin

These directions explain how to create additional storage space by emptying the Recycle Bin.

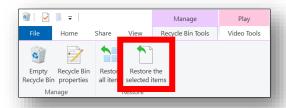
- 1. Locate the **Recycle Bin** on the desktop.

 Note: If the bin is not visible type Recycle Bin in the Search box, or locate it using the Start Button.
- 2. Double-click on the **bin** to open and verify that all files and folders are supposed to be permanently deleted.

 Note: To undelete a file or folder, right-click and select Restore. You can also click Manage and select Restore the selected items.



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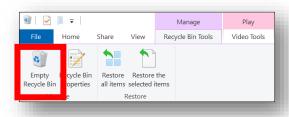


Files List

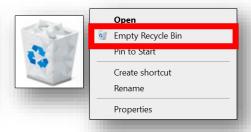


- 3. Remove the item(s) using one of the ways below:
 - a. Open the Recycle Bin and select Empty Recycle Bin.
 Or
 - b. Right-click on **Recycle bin icon** and select **Empty Recycle Bin**.

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Desktop



4. The **Recycle Bin** will now appear empty.



