

Deleting Temporary Internet Files

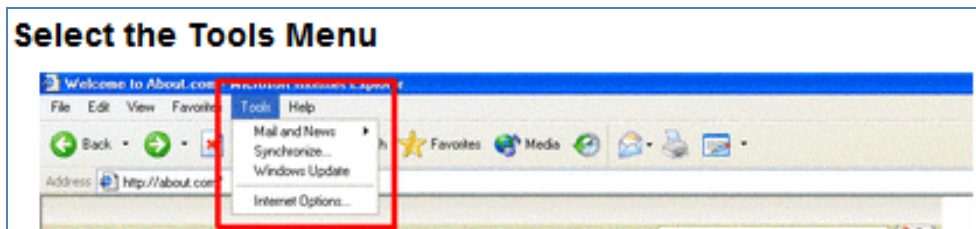
1. Temporary Internet Files - Temporary Internet Files are used to store copies of Web content on the local hard drive. This feature improves network performance but can fill the hard drive with large amounts of unwanted data. Temporary Internet Files are different from Cookies and stored separately on the hard drive. Internet Explorer provides a separate feature to delete cookies.

A. **Cookies** - A cookie is a piece of text that a Web server can store on a user's hard disk. Cookies allow a Web site to store information on a user's machine and later retrieve it. The pieces of information are stored as name-value pairs.

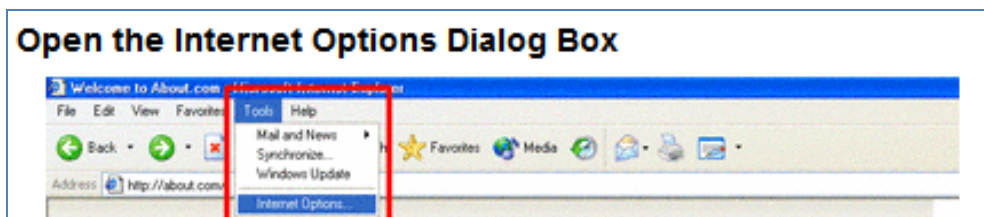
At your homepage “click tools” then

P.S. you can also get to the menu by:

1. Quit Internet Explorer and quit any instances of Windows Explorer.
2. Click **Start**, click **Control Panel**, and then double-click **Internet Options**.
3. On the **General** tab, click **Delete Files** under **Temporary Internet Files**.
4. In the **Delete Files** dialog box, click to select the **Delete all offline content** check box , and then click **OK**.
5. Click **OK**.



“click Internet Options” menu item



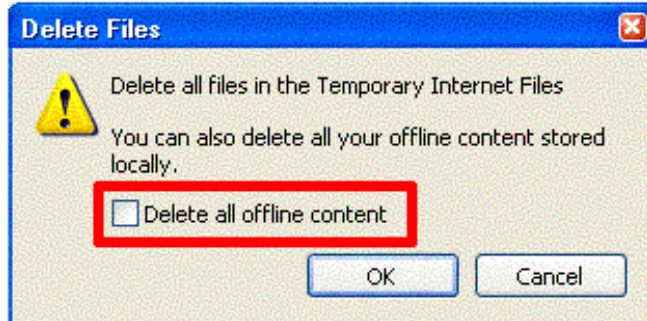
Click “Delete Files” you can also delete “cookies” from your computer the same way.



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In the **Internet Options** dialog box, click on **Delete Files...** to delete the temporary Internet files.

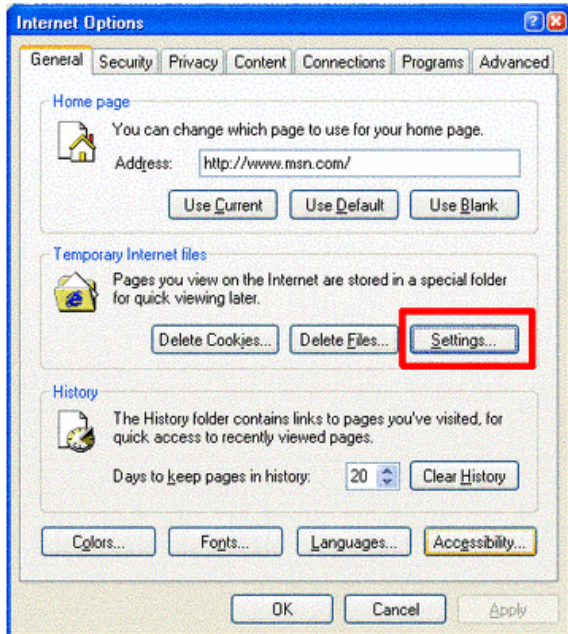
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If you want to delete all your offline content, check the box next to **Delete all offline content**. Offline content are complete Web pages that you have stored on your computer for browsing when you are not connected to the Internet.

Modifying Your Temporary Internet Files Settings



To modify your temporary Internet files settings, click on **Settings...**

In the dialog box that opens, you can change the location your files are stored in, the amount of space temporary files can use, and how often your browser checks for updates to the sites for which you have temporary files stored.