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Thread: [Clean pc and not have to install Windows after?](#)

Germi87 - March 8, 2020, 5:41 am

How?

Been looking for free software that clean the entire pc of my pics, browsing history, and so but i cant find anything.

Please help.

ItsJigSaw - March 8, 2020, 6:09 am

Why u dont want to fresh install windows tho?

Also, Windows has prebuilt feature for deleting temporary stuff etc(Disk Cleanup) and every browser has a option to delete temporary stuff it created and things it saves.

Charmz- - March 8, 2020, 6:11 am

Are you running Windows 10? If so, go to Start > Settings > Update & security > Recovery > Reset this PC > Get Started and then select Remove Everything. This will remove every file from your computer and restore Windows to its factory condition.

Bastille - March 8, 2020, 6:11 am

Not sure such a tool does exist, if it does there I guess there is some risks for you to see your system corrupted due to deleting files which shouldn't

Otherwise, just delete your user's profile and create a new one

Germi87 - March 8, 2020, 6:15 am

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BlackDarwin - March 8, 2020, 6:31 am

I suggest you format your drive and switch to Linux. Windows 10 is shitware.

Germi87 - March 8, 2020, 6:34 am

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AsianKid - March 9, 2020, 12:11 pm

Yeah, Eraser should be decent for your needs. I've tested it myself before.

Germi87 - March 10, 2020, 11:19 am

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Sorceforge is a virus site

markferr - March 19, 2020, 5:18 am

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Germi87 - March 27, 2020, 7:37 am

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Not really. If you found something please share link