

## Remove database tables

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You can remove, or drop, existing tables from a database. This is usually recommended before importing a new database or restoring a backup. **Warning:** Before dropping your database tables, ensure that you have a backup of the database. Log into phpMyAdmin. You should see a list of all your database tables. Check the **Check All** box. **Note:** You can drop specific tables by checking individual boxes next to the table names. From the drop down next to the Check All box, select **Drop**. Click **Yes**, when prompted with "Do you really want to execute the following query?" Click **Yes** to drop the tables. **Note** - this will delete the selected table and it's content, this will not delete the database itself

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