

Deleting Files from the Repository

If you delete a file under version control, it still exists in the repository until deletion is committed. A deleted file is placed to the active changelist, and is displayed in grey font.

To delete a file

1. Select a file in any navigation view, and press **Delete**, or choose **Delete** on the context menu.
2. In the dialog that opens, you can opt to delete file without search for usages, or perform safe delete, to make sure that you are deleting an unused file, by checking **Safe delete** option. In this case, specify the refactoring options.



The encountered usages are reported in the Usages Detected dialog box. You can view and correct these usages in the Safe Delete tab of the Find tool window. The deleted files are added to a changelist.

3. [Commit changes](#) to the repository.

See Also

Procedures:

- [Checking in Files](#)
- [Safe Delete](#)

Reference:

- [Version Control Reference](#)

Web Resources:

- [Developer Community](#) 