



Whitepaper

# Benefits of a clean PC

**PC related issues are among the common tickets that IT help desks often deal with, resulting in significant IT maintenance costs.**

Computers with hard drives cluttered by unused and temporary files run slower and are more prone to crashes. Additionally, cookies, internet history, and saved passwords in browsers can pose risks to online security and privacy. This document explains how CCleaner Cloud enables centralized Windows PC cleaning and optimization within your organization to help enhance speed, performance, security, and free up valuable disk space.



## Challenges



### Slow computers

Employees are becoming increasingly dependent on web-based applications and are spending more time accessing information via browsers. However, as browser activity, history, temporary files, and downloads accumulate, it can lead to slower performance.

By regularly optimizing PCs, a company can help extend the lifespan of its computers, delay the need to purchase new ones, and invest in new tools.



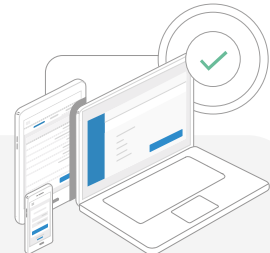
### Identity and data theft

While redundant information, such as temporary files and browser history, consumes disk space, it can also compromise user online privacy and company security. With the increased use of online/cloud applications and user tracking, employees' internet history becomes even more susceptible to data and identity theft. This potentially puts company and user passwords at risk of being stolen and misused to access confidential and sensitive data. Attackers with the right tools can recover forgotten or seemingly deleted files and sensitive information.



### Unstable systems

At the core of every Windows system lies the Registry, and its maintenance is crucial for preventing operational and performance issues. The Windows Registry is prone to accumulating redundant and corrupted entries. Signs of trouble include frequent system crashes, freezes, and slower computer processes. Additionally, spyware can leave keys in the Windows Registry that may not be removed by all anti-spyware software.



### Challenging maintenance

In the past, efficiently cleaning an entire company's fleet of PCs and laptops on a system-wide basis was not feasible. To address issues like slow performance or slow startup times, individual users might attempt to optimize their PCs themselves or hand-deliver their machines to the company help desk for maintenance. It may happen that PC optimization and cleaning only take place when IT staff reconfigures old computers for new employees.



## Solution

**CCleaner Cloud** is designed to clean and optimize Windows computers throughout a business, helping to address and prevent common issues experienced by end users. It assists in freeing up valuable hard disk space, improving speed, enhancing security, and ensuring efficient system operation. By contributing to the overall health of a company's machines, CCleaner Cloud can reduce costs related to hardware upgrades and unnecessary helpdesk tickets.

### PC performance optimization

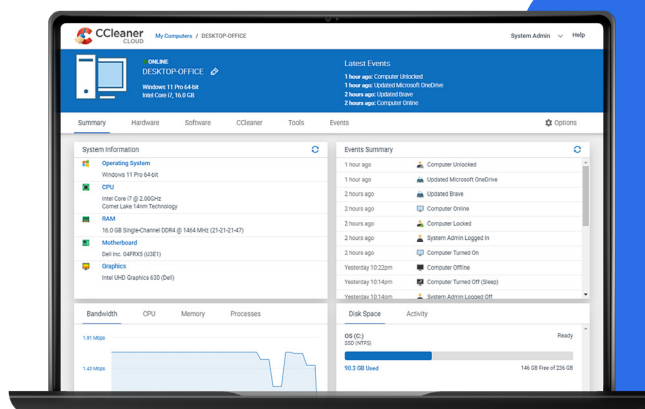
CCleaner Cloud helps you clean unwanted data from your organization's PCs. You can even automate cleanup by scheduling it at the preferred time and days, leading to improved web browsing experience, faster boot times, and enhanced application performance. Optimized PCs can enhance user productivity by providing more efficient web navigation and more reliable access to both web and desktop apps.

### Windows Registry fixing

Registry cleaning with Cleaner CCloud allows for the remote removal of Windows registry errors on managed machines within your organization, reducing the likelihood of crashes and other performance issues.

### Secure data deletion

In addition to clearing browsing history, CCleaner Cloud helps you ensure that deleted confidential documents cannot be recovered. Its Drive Wiper uses military-grade techniques to wipe free space with up to 35 overwrites.



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**CCleaner Cloud** is the cloud-managed version of the world-renowned and award-winning\* Cleaner Professional for Windows. Using the online console and tasks automation, IT managers can efficiently clean and optimize managed computers within their organization. This reduces the need for physical visits to employees' workstations for individual PC checks, saving both time and resources.

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## CCleaner Cloud Benefits



### Reduce IT costs

CCleaner Cloud helps extend the usable lifespan of your organization's Windows PCs and can have a preventative effect on how often certain kinds of common PC problems reoccur. This means less needless IT tickets and reduced spend on replacement hardware.



### Simplify IT maintenance

CCleaner Cloud helps optimize and maintain all your Windows PCs at once, from a single online-based console, helping eliminate tedious maintenance for you and your IT technicians. This leads to higher efficiency, and time and money saved.



### Bolster productivity

The automation and scheduling functions of CCleaner Cloud help free up time for IT specialists, so they can work on other projects. Optimized and well-maintained PCs also help boost overall employee productivity, as they're much less prone to crashes, slow processing power, and other common errors.

## CCleaner Cloud Features

- ✓ Maintain and monitor Windows PCs with cloud-based management console
- ✓ Clean internet browsers history, cache, cookies, saved forms or passwords
- ✓ Run system and apps cleaning, Windows Registry fixing, and overall PC optimization remotely
- ✓ Securely erase free space on the selected drives.
- ✓ Remotely restart, shutdown, or hibernate selected computers
- ✓ Defragment hard drives and optimize SSDs using the TRIM function
- ✓ Get detailed insights into system and hardware specifications
- ✓ Install and uninstall software and manage Windows updates remotely push Windows updates remotely
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## Clean your Windows plus third-party software

### Windows

Recycle bin, temporary files, recent document history, log files, clipboard, memory dumps, error reporting data, broken shortcuts

### Google Chrome

Temporary internet files, history, cookies, recent URLs, form history, autocomplete data

### Other browsers

Support for all versions of Edge, Firefox, Opera, and Safari

### Browser plugins

Flash, Silverlight, Adobe Reader

### Other applications

Microsoft Office, Adobe Acrobat, and more than 200 other applications

## System Requirements:

CCleaner Cloud application supports Windows 11, 10, 8.1, 8, or 7 (both the 32 and 64-bit versions, excluding Windows on Arm, in S mode, Mixed Reality, Mobile, IoT, Starter, and RT editions).

Windows7

Windows 8 / 8.1

Windows 10 / 11

Windows Server 2008

Windows Server 2012 / R2

Windows Server 2016

Windows Server 2019

Windows Server 2022

## Next Steps

To learn how CCleaner Cloud can clean and optimize all the PCs in your organization, email us at [sales@ccleaner.com](mailto:sales@ccleaner.com)