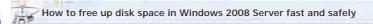




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#### Windows 2008 Server low disk space

Today's hard drives feature jaw-dropping amounts of space, but no matter how big your drive, you'll be amazed at how quickly application/Windows update installs, browser caches, and temporary files can eat up your free space and clutter your system.



Windows created the low disk space warning to alert computer users when their hard drive is running low on available disk space. Windows 2008 Server low disk space will cause many problem, such as:

- 1. System runs much slower.
- 2. You cannot install any applications or Windows updates.
- 3. System crash if extremely low free space remains.

You'd better fix this problem as fast as possible, the eariler and the better, as no one wants to see the System crash, in that case, you have to start over and keep the Server under downtime for a long time.

When this low disk spacw alert pops up, the first choice to many users is free up disk space in Windows 2008 Server, then how to do this?

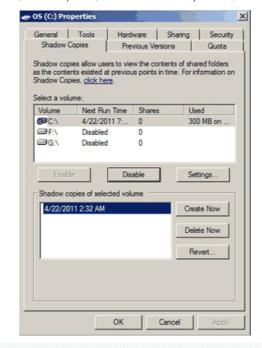


### Delete Temp files to free up disk space

Click Start > Run, input "%temp%" or open directory step by step "C:\Users\Administrator\AppData\Local\Temp"

### **Delete old Shadow Copies**

Open "My Computer", right-click C drive, select Properties, switch to "Shadow Copies" tab, delete old volume copies.



### Empty Recycle Bin and decrease the disk usage size

Empty Recycle Bin to delete the unused files, but before this, you'd better check again wether these files can be deleted permanently

To decrease the Recycle Bin disk usage size:

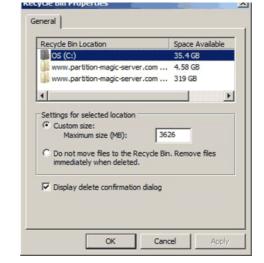
Right-click Recycle Bin > Properties, you can easily custom size



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### Empty or Decrease your Web Browsers disk usage for Cached files

Every web browser has a preferences or options area to adjust the temporary internet files and cache usage.

## **Run the Windows Clean Manager**

Windows comes already with a built in cleaner that does simple basic tasks to free up disk space.

To access it click start -> Run -> type cleanmgr -> press OK.

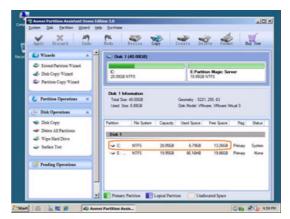
After these steps, you can free up some disk space in Windows 2008 Server, but generally, these tools cannot free up large amout of space, they just help you disable Windows 2008 Server low disk space alert temporarily.

### **Extend Windows 2008 Server system partition**

The most effective and fast way to solve Windows 2008 Server low disk space problem permanently is extending the system C drive. That is to say, shrink an existing data partition to get some free space and then add it to the system C drive. No need to delete or reformat partition and help you increase C drive space within several minutes.

### Steps to increase C drive space on Windows 2008 Server

Step 1, Launch Partition Magic Server, you'll see all disks and partitions that connected to your Server and free space, used space and other properties of each partition.

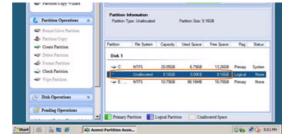


Right-click the data partition and select "Resize", in the pop-up window, drag the left border rightwards to shrink it.



There will be some Unallocated space behind the system partition

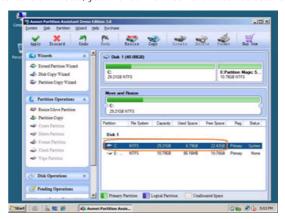




Step 2, Right-click C drive and select "Resize", in the pop-up window, drag the right border rightwards to hold the Unallocated space.



Click "Apply" to proceed, done. After several minutes, you'll have a "new" Server that can be used for a long time again.



How to allocate free space from any data partition and add to C drive?

1 For enterprise users, Unlimited Edition allows unlimited usage within your company to save time and money.

Partition Magic Server Resources:

# Benefits to resize Windows 2008 partition with this Partition Magic Server

- √All-in-one Partition Solution All your partition and disk maintenance requirements can be fulfilled.
- Enhanced Data Protecting No Data Loss
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