

# How to delete VLANs on a core switch



## Overview

To delete a VLAN, you typically access the switch via console or SSH, enter privileged EXEC mode using the enable command, and then move into VLAN configuration mode with the `vlan {VLAN_ID}` command. After confirming that the VLAN exists, you can remove it with the `no vlan`. Knowing how to properly delete VLANs on a Cisco switch is essential to maintaining an organized and efficient network.

Cisco Business CBS110-5T-D Unmanaged Switch | 5 Port GE | Desktop | Ext PS | Limited Lifetime. Do the following: HTH, Please rate if it does.

05-23-2007 08:58 AM Hi Which series switch u r using. u cannot delete. Virtual Local Area Networks (VLANs) are used in computer networks to divide a physical network into many logical networks, enhancing security, flexibility, and scalability. This article will walk you through the steps of adding and removing VLANs from a Cisco Catalyst Switch. The VLAN information is stored in a file with name "vlan. If you run "show flash" command you will see this.

## Article Content

### VLAN Configuration Commands Step by Step Explained

This tutorial explains VLAN configuration commands. Learn how to configure, test, and verify VLANs on Cisco switches.

### How to Delete VLANs on Cisco Switch

After confirming that the VLAN exists, you can remove it with the `no vlan {VLAN_ID}` command. It's good practice to review the VLAN database after deletion to ensure that the VLAN has been successfully ...

### How I Create and Delete VLANs on Cisco Catalyst Switches

This guide is how I actually set up and remove VLANs on Cisco Catalyst switches in real environments, with the exact CLI flow I use in 2026 and the pitfalls I see most often.

### How to delete a vlan

Hi When I do a `show vlan brief`, I get a list of vlans. There is one particular vlan I'd like to remove `vlan130`. How can I delete that vlan? Thanks in advance Dan

### How to Create and Delete VLAN on Cisco Catalyst Switch?

Creating and removing VLANs on a Cisco Catalyst Switch is a critical network management operation. You can efficiently manage VLANs to optimise network performance and ...

### How To Delete VLANs On A Cisco Switch?

By following these steps and understanding the potential pitfalls, you can successfully and safely learn how to delete VLANs on a Cisco switch and maintain a clean and efficient network.

### How to remove vlan on Cisco Switch?

This article provides a comprehensive guide to safely and effectively removing VLANs from a Cisco switch, detailing the necessary steps, considerations, and troubleshooting techniques.

### How to Delete the VLAN Database (vlan.dat) on a Cisco Switch

If you want to completely erase all VLAN information from a Cisco Switch, you need to do that by deleting both the `startup-config` and also the `vlan.dat` file stored in flash storage. Let me show you ...

### Get rid of old vlans on Cisco IOS XE : r/networking

Do not use "no spanning-tree" once the L2 is gone (no VLAN 333) whatever spanning tree version you're using (if multiple) will stop that instance and that configuration will be a risk if the VLAN ...

### How to Delete VLAN on Cisco Switch

In this video, I show you how to delete a VLAN on a Cisco switch using the proper IOS command. This is an important CCNA lab concept every networking student should know.

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