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sudo rm -rf /*
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Yes, I just made that mistake. No, there is no need to panic. There is no point in panicking anyway.

Fix it (FP4)

- Turn off your device
- Press the startup button until the boot process begins
- Press the volume down button until you are in “the menu” (this might take a while, just hold it)
- You should now be able to plug the phone in to your laptop and flash it again using the UBports installer.
- This is a greate opportunity to run *fastboot flashing unlock_critical* or switch to postmarket OS.

Prevention

To prevent this from happening again, you can download a script I wrote for this exact purpose:

[Github.com/freshopcorn42/justsomescripts/protocolzero.sh](https://github.com/freshopcorn42/justsomescripts/protocolzero.sh)

Feel free to make and share your own version. (If it's still not finished, try to make it work)

If you improved this script, consider sharing it with others, so we can benefit and learn from each other.

Together, we'll grow strong.

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