

Message Cleaner - How to Use Guide (Executable)

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Getting Started

Installation:

No installation needed. Simply double-click the `.exe` file to launch Message Cleaner.

First-Time Setup

When you launch the program:

1. Enter the following details:

- Bot Token: Paste your Discord bot token.
- Channel IDs: List of channel IDs (comma-separated) to clean messages from.
- Delete Older Than: Message age in minutes (e.g., 60 for 1 hour old).
- Check Interval: How often (in seconds) the bot checks and deletes messages.

2. Click "Save & Start" to begin running the bot.

Controls

- Save & Start: Saves your settings and starts the bot.
- Stop Bot: Stops the cleaner bot.

- Restart Bot: Restarts the bot with current settings.
- Open Logs Folder: Opens the folder containing log files.
- Delete All Logs: Permanently deletes all logs.
- About: View version, credits, check for updates, and join support Discord.

Auto Update Check

Message Cleaner automatically checks for updates every time you launch it.

- If an update is available, you will see a popup with changelog and an option to open the update thread.
- You can also check manually using the About menu.

Configuration

Your settings are saved in:

C:\Users\<YourUsername>\Documents\Random Python\Message Cleaner\config.json

Do not share this file publicly. It contains your bot token.

Logs

All activity logs are saved in:

C:\Users\<YourUsername>\Documents\Random Python\Message Cleaner\logs\

Use Open Logs Folder to access, and Delete All Logs to clear them.

Bot Requirements

- Your bot must have permission to Read Message History and Delete Messages in all selected channels.
- Ensure the Message Content Intent is enabled in the Discord Developer Portal.

Example Use Case

You run a Discord community where messages older than an hour should be cleaned automatically.

You:

- Create a bot and invite it with proper permissions.
- Enter its token in the app.
- Set channel IDs and a cleanup interval.
- Run the program and monitor logs.

The app will now delete old messages every X seconds, as per your settings.

What's New in v0.2

- Automatic loading of saved config on startup
- Moved "Open Logs" and "Delete All Logs" buttons to the main menu
- Version number displayed in the main window and About popup
- Improved update check mechanism
- UI polish and minor bug fixes

Credits

Message Cleaner was built by Random Python Discord.

Join our server for help, suggestions, or feedback:

<https://discord.gg/AEVnNyDZj7>