Powershell - Delete Folder

Cmdlet

Remove-Item cmdlet is used to delete a directory by passing the path of the directory to be deleted.

Example 1

In this example, we'll delete a folder D:\Temp\Test Folder1

Type the following command in PowerShell ISE Console

```
Remove-Item 'D:\temp\Test Folder1'
```

You can see the Test Folder1 in Windows Explorer is deleted now.

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Example 2

In this example, we'll remove the folder D:\Temp\Test Folder1 recursively. In first example, PowerShell confirms if directory is not empty. In this case, it will simply delete the item.

Type the following command in PowerShell ISE Console

```
Remove-Item 'D:\temp\Test Folder' -Recurse
```

You can see the content of temp folder in Windows Explorer where its folders are now removed.