

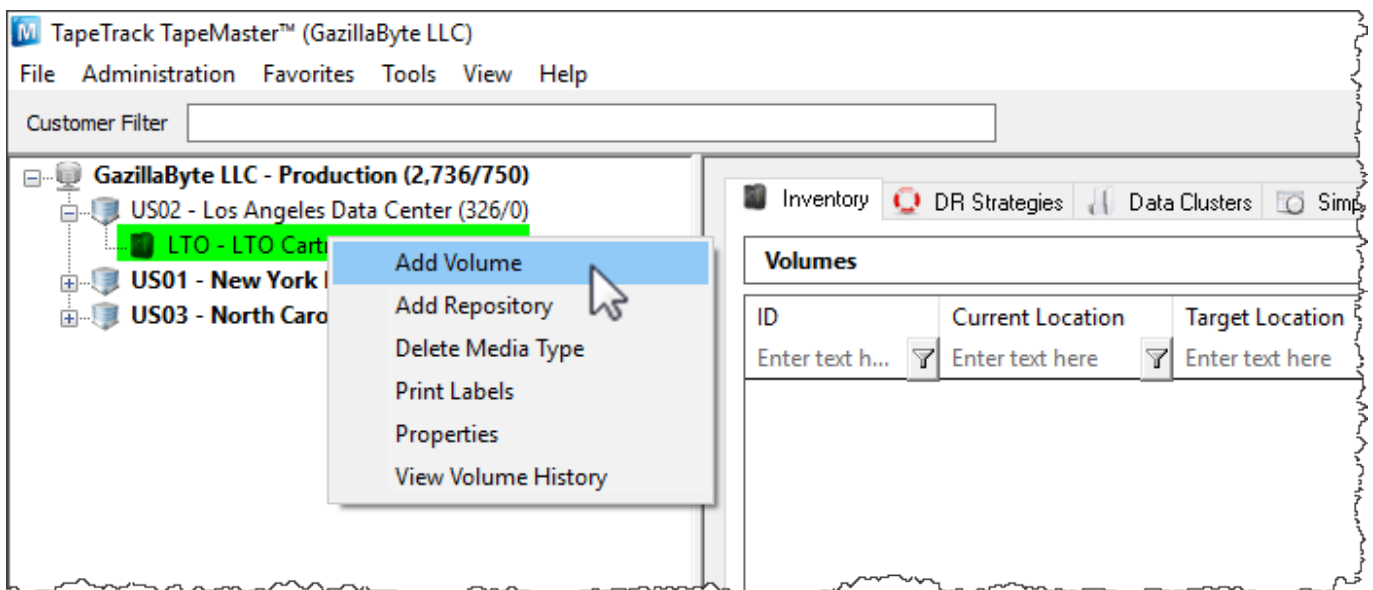
# Adding and Maintaining Volumes

## Adding Volumes

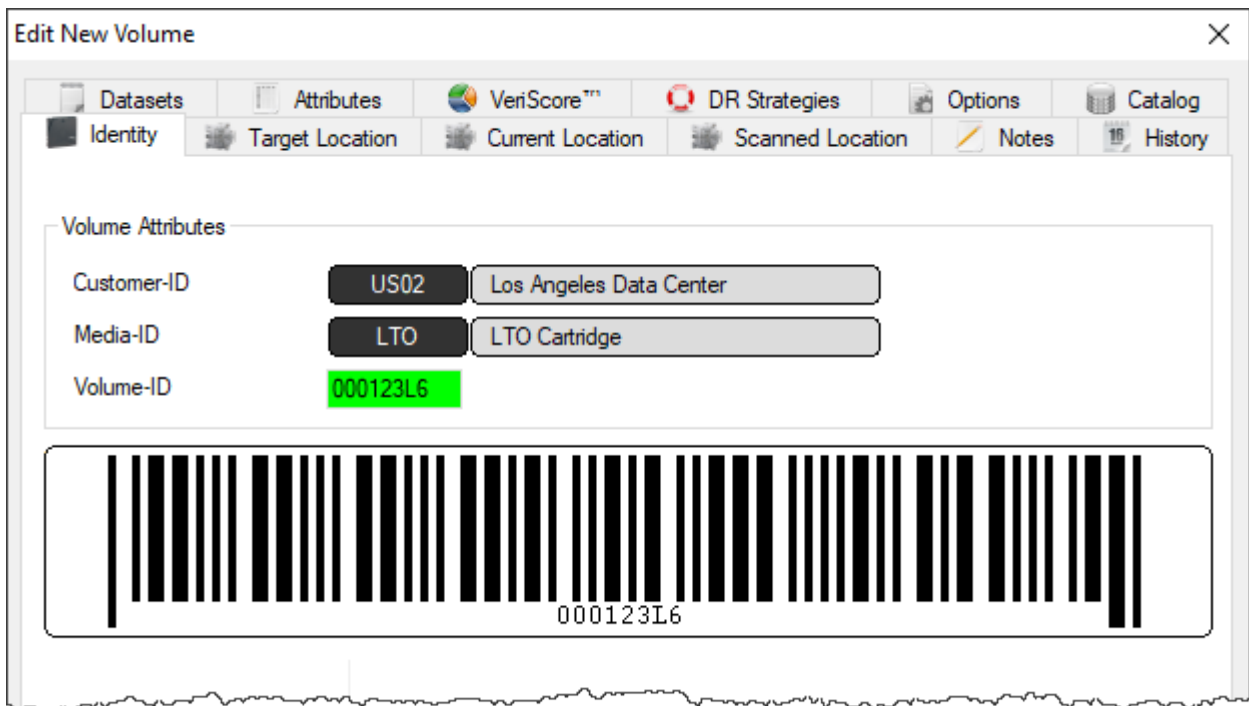
### Right-Click to add volumes

To add a Volume either:

- Right-click on a [Media Type](#) and select Add Volume
- Right click in the inventory window and select Add
- Press Insert on the keyboard when viewing the [Volume List](#).

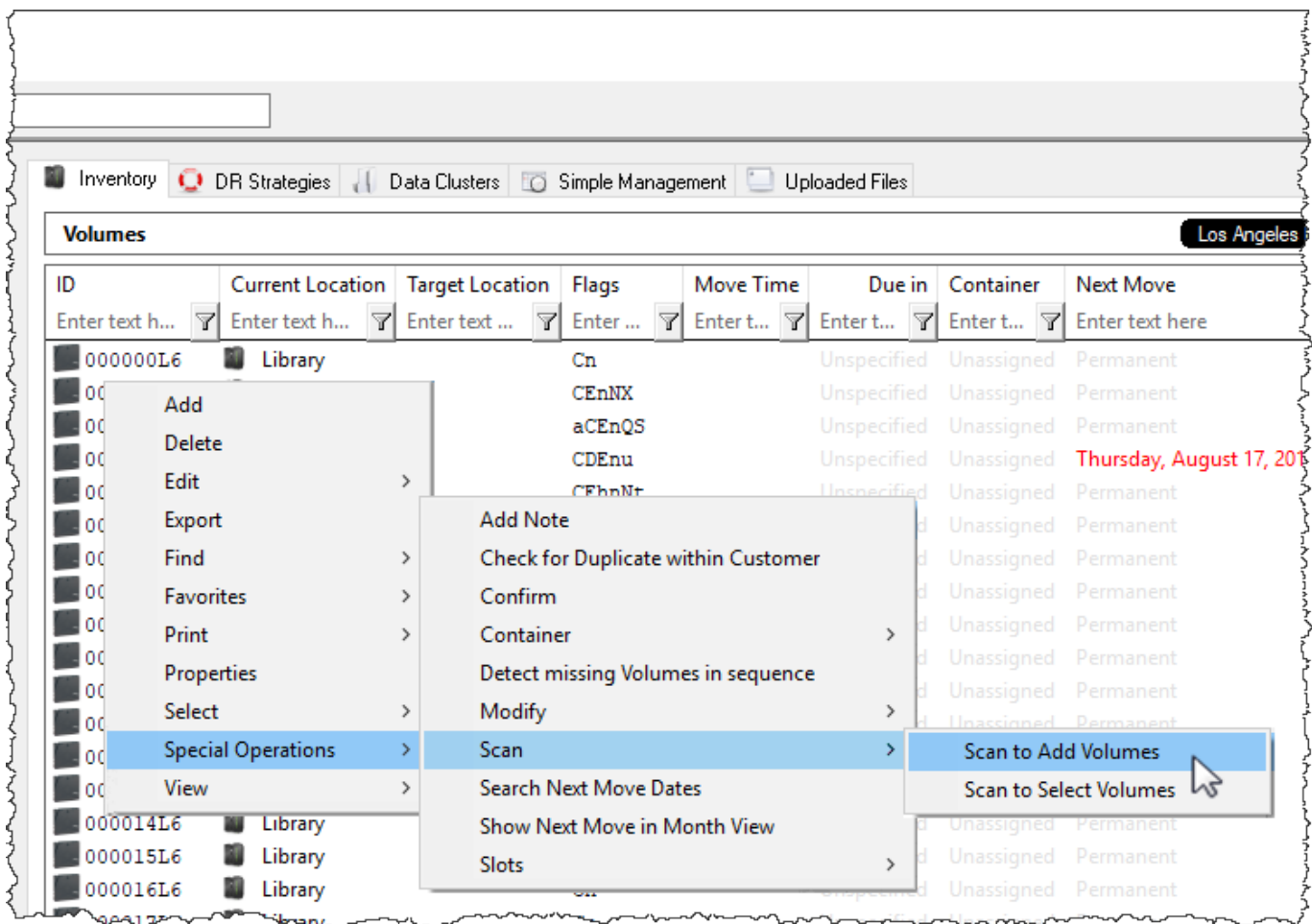


In the Edit new volume window enter the volume ID of the new volume to be added and click Save.



### Scan to Add Volumes


Right-Click in the Volume List, navigate to Special Operations, and select Scan → Scan to Add Volumes to use a Barcode scanner to add Volumes to your default repository.



To add volumes to a repository other than your default, right click the required repository and select Scan → To Add and scan volumes to be added.

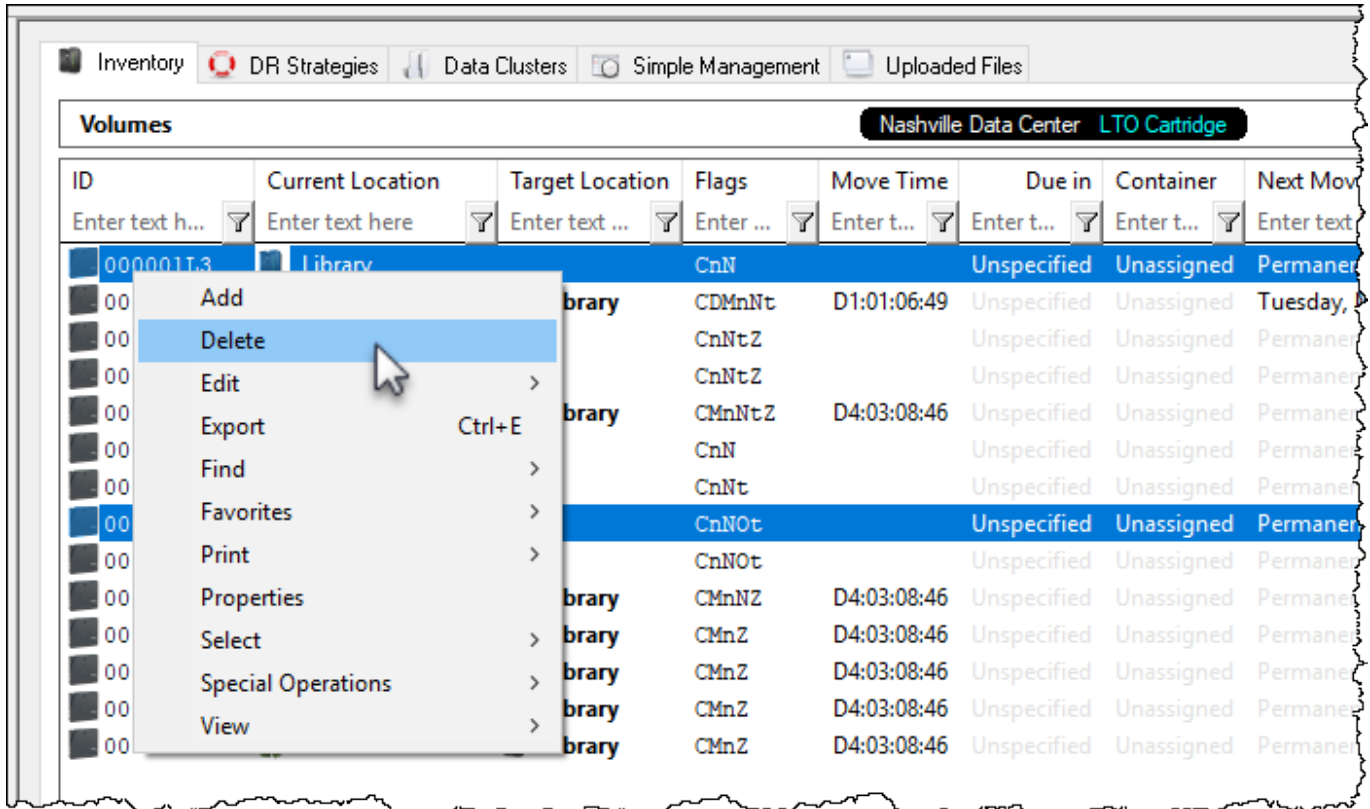


## Deleting Volumes


 You must have **Alter** rights to delete volumes

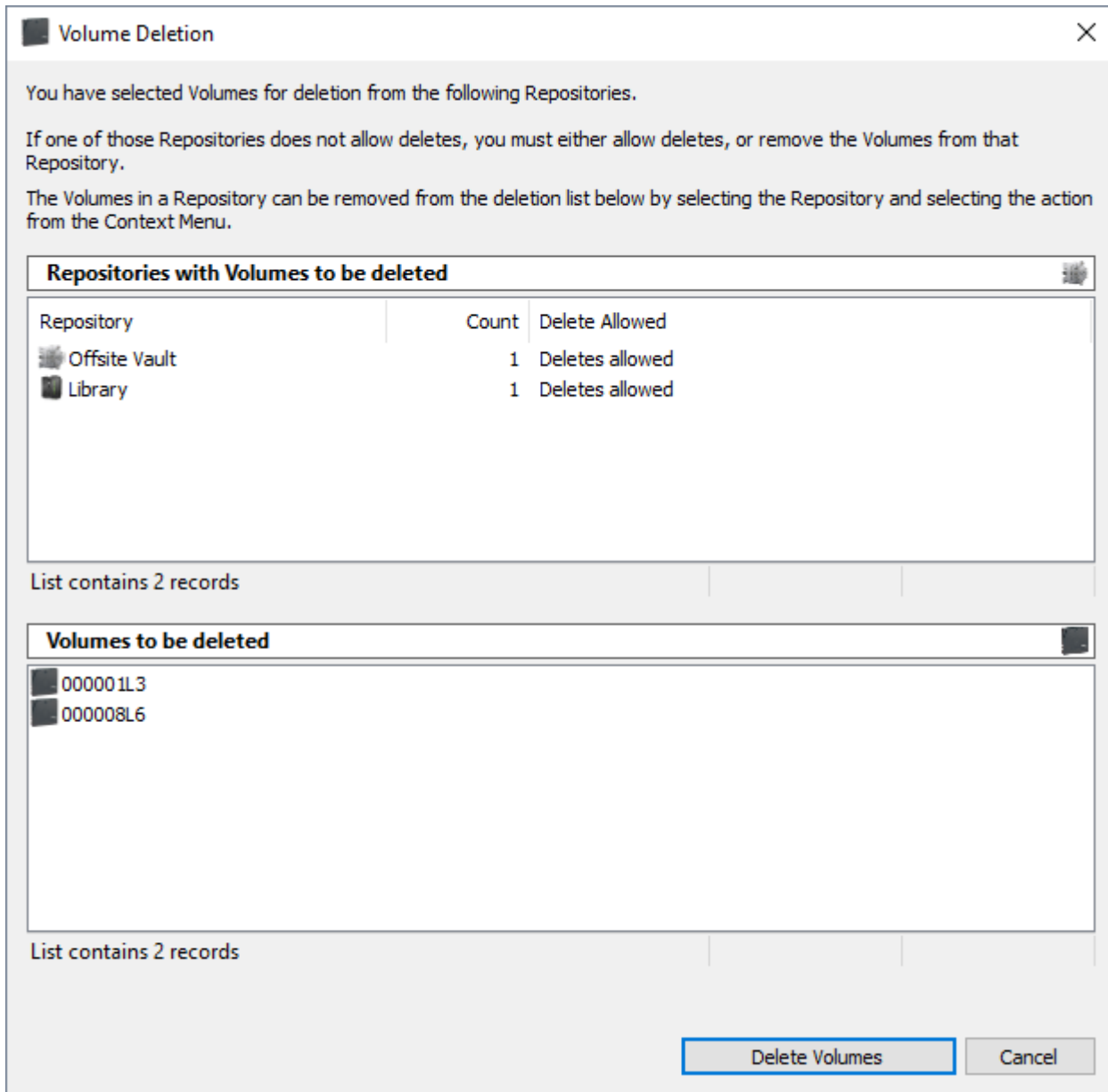
Select the required volume, or range of volumes from the inventory window you want to delete.

Right click highlighted volume/s and select Delete, or press Delete (DEL) on the keyboard.



The **Volume Deletion** window will display the **Repositories** where the volumes to be deleted are located in the top pane and volume ID's in the lower pane.

 If the **Volume Deletion** window is not displayed it is because you are running an outdated version of TapeMaster. Instructions to delete volumes in older versions of TapeMaster can be found [here](#)



Each row in the top pane will, along with the repository description (or ID), list the number of volumes for deletion and the delete status of either **Deletes Allowed** or **Deletes Forbidden**.

For any repository listed with a status of **Deletes Forbidden** you must either:

- Right clicking the row and selecting Allow to change status to **Deletes Allowed**
- Right clicking the row and selecting Remove to remove the volumes before deletion of any volumes located in a repository with **Deletes Allowed** status.



Click Delete Volumes and Yes to the delete confirmation to delete the volumes.



As deleting volumes is permanent, clicking No to the delete confirmation is your last opportunity to cancel the delete function.

When a volume is deleted its historical entries remain in the database. If a deleted Volume is added back in to the database, all previous history records including when deleted and added back, are listed under that volumes History tab.

The screenshot shows a software window titled "Edit Volume: 000017L5". At the top, there is a menu bar with options: Datasets, Attributes, VeriScore™, DR Strategies, Options, and Catalog. Below the menu bar is a toolbar with icons for Identity, Target Location, Current Location, Scanned Location, Notes, and History. The main area contains a table with the following columns: Date, Type, From, and To. The table lists various operations performed on the volume, with the entry for "2018-06-12 09:18:07" highlighted in green.

Date	Type	From	To
2018-06-12 09:18:58	Scanned-In	Scratch Volumes	Library
2018-06-12 09:18:51	Target Scratch	Scratch Volumes	Library
2018-06-12 09:18:42	Scanned-In	Offsite Vault [000020]	Scratch Volumes
2018-06-12 09:18:35	Target Scratch	Offsite Vault [000020]	Scratch Volumes
2018-06-12 09:18:28	Scanned-In	Library	Offsite Vault [000020]
2018-06-12 09:18:22	Target	Offsite Vault	Offsite Vault [000020]
2018-06-12 09:18:14	Target	Library	Offsite Vault
2018-06-12 09:18:07	Added		Library
2018-05-03 09:04:20	Deleted	Library	
2018-05-02 12:49:28	Target	Library	Offsite Vault
2018-04-19 11:26:28	Added		Library

See [Special Operations Menu](#) for further information.

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