

# Troubleshooter: Deleting Volumes

The purpose of this troubleshooter is to diagnose why volumes in TapeTrack can not be deleted.

To diagnose why you cannot delete volumes, select the error presented:

Security does not allow this operation

The error **Security does not allow this operation** means your user ID does not have sufficient access rights to delete volumes from TapeTrack.

[image](#)

To remove volumes from TapeTrack you will need to either:

- Have you administrator raise your access to include **Alter** rights.
- Have a user with **Alter** rights remove the volumes for you.

[image](#)

Actual Repository does not allow volume delete

The error **Actual Repository does not allow volume delete** means that the repository option **Allow deletes** is set to false. This option is set to false by default to limit the ability of accidental deletion of volumes.

To allow volume deletion, set **Allow Deletes** to True for the required repository.

[image](#)

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