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### Issue

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Configure the automatic deletion of infected emails that are typically stored in the **Infected items** folder

### Solution

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#### Method 1: From the ESET Remote Administrator Console

1. Open the ESET Remote Administrator Console (ERAC), by clicking **Start → All Programs → ESET → ESET Remote Administrator Console → ESET Remote Administrator Console**.
2. From ERAC, click **Tools → Policy Manager**. Select the server policy you want to modify and click **Edit**.



**Figure 1-1**

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3. Expand **Windows desktop v5 → Email filter → Settings**, select **Perform the following with infected messages** and then select **Delete message** from the drop-down menu.



**Figure 1-2**

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4. Click **Console → Yes** to close the ESET Configuration Editor.

5. Click **OK** to exit Policy Manager.

## Method 2: On the client workstation

1. Open ESET Endpoint Security or ESET Endpoint Antivirus. [How do I open my ESET product?](#)
2. Press the **F5** key to open the Advanced setup window.
3. Expand **Web and email** → **Email client protection** and then select **Email clients**.
4. In the **Actions to perform on Infected email** section, select **Delete email**.
5. Click **OK** to save your settings.



**Figure 1-3**

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