# **Deleting Dimensions**

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## QUESTION

I have added a lot of dimensions to my plan and would now like to delete them. Is there a quick and easy way to delete all of my dimensions at once?

## ANSWER

You can quickly delete your automatic and manually drawn dimensions using the Delete Dimensions or Delete Objects tool. Additionally, you can turn off the display of your dimensions so they are not visible while working on other parts of your project. First, we will discuss how to toggle the display of dimensions.

#### To toggle the display of dimensions

- 1. In a floor plan view, select **Tools> Display Options** if from the menu.
- 2. Locate the "Dimensions" layer and remove the check from the **Disp** column.

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Properties for " Working Layer Set"				
Name	Used	Disp	Color	
Ceiling Break Lines	S	$\checkmark$		
Ceiling Surfaces	S			
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Dimensions	-			
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Electrical	ዋ	$\checkmark$		
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3. Click **OK**, and notice that your dimensions are now hidden from view.

You can access this same dialog to toggle the display of dimensions back on at anytime.

#### To delete dimensions using the Delete Dimensions tool\*

\*Applies to Home Designer 2025 and newer versions.

## 1. Select **CAD> Dimensions> Delete Dimensions** 💥 from the menu.

**Note:** A dialog may display stating: "Cannot delete Auto Dimensions while they are set to Auto Refresh in their defaults. Do you wish to turn Auto Refresh Dimensions off in these defaults and delete the associated Automatic Dimensions?" Click Yes to proceed with deleting dimensions.

Automatic dimensions that are generated going forward will not refresh when walls, doors, or windows are added or moved, unless this setting is re-enabled within the Dimension Defaults.

2. All dimensions located on the current floor or within the active cross section/elevation view will be deleted.

#### To delete dimensions using the Delete Objects tool

- 1. Select **Edit> Delete Objects** 💥 from the menu.
- 2. In the **Delete Objects** dialog that appears:

Delete Objects		×	
Delete Scope	O Single Room		
Objects			
Architectural Blocks	Doors	Plants	
Cabinets, Base	Dormers	Roof Planes	
Cabinets, Full Height	Electrical	Slab Surfaces	
Cabinets, Shelves/Partitio	ns 🗌 Fireplaces	Stairs/Ramps/Landings	
Cabinets, Soffits	Fixtures	Terrain Objects	
Cabinets, Wall	E Furniture	Windows	
Cameras, Saved	Geometric Shapes	Wall Hatching	
Corner Boards/Quoins	Hardware		
	Images/Billboards		
	Millwork		
CAD			
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Fencing	Room Dividers	🗌 Railing	
Other Walls		Retaining Walls	
	Delete	Cancel Help	

• Under the Delete Scope section, select the **All Rooms On This Floor** or **All Floors\*** option.

\*Applies to Home Designer Pro.

• Check the **Dimensions, Automatic** and/or **Dimensions, Manual** boxes.

**Note:** If you choose to delete automatic dimensions, a dialog may display stating: "Cannot delete Auto Dimensions while they are set to Auto Refresh in their defaults. Do you wish to turn Auto Refresh Dimensions off in these defaults and delete the associated Automatic Dimensions?" Click Yes to proceed with deleting dimensions.

Automatic dimensions that are generated going forward will not refresh when walls, doors, or windows are added or moved, unless this setting is re-enabled within the Dimension Defaults.

• Click the **Delete** button to remove the selected dimensions. You can repeat this process for any additional floors in your plan that you want to remove dimensions from.

If you're using Home Designer Pro and have selected the All Floors Delete Scope option, all dimensions of that type will be deleted from the plan.

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