

# cPanel API 1 Functions - Fileman::emptytrash

## Guide to cPanel API 1

Return Data

cPanel Tags  
(deprecated)

Bandwidth:  
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Bandwidth:  
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### BoxTrapper

BoxTrapper:  
change status

BoxTrapper:  
clean config file list

BoxTrapper:  
edit message

BoxTrapper:  
fetch config file

BoxTrapper:  
get boxconfdir

BoxTrapper:  
list messages

BoxTrapper:  
log controls

BoxTrapper:  
message action

BoxTrapper:  
multi message action

BoxTrapper:  
reset message

BoxTrapper:  
save config file

BoxTrapper:  
save config

BoxTrapper:  
show autowhitelist

BoxTrapper:  
show emails

BoxTrapper:  
show fromname

BoxTrapper:  
show log

## Description

This function deletes the user's `/trash` directory's contents.

### Warning:

cPanel API 1 is **deprecated**. We **strongly** recommend that you **do not use** cPanel API 1. However, no equivalent function exists in our newer APIs.

### Important:

In cPanel & WHM version 76 and later, when you disable the FileStorage role, the system **disables** this function. For more information, read our [How to Use Server Profiles](#) documentation.

## Examples

### LiveAPI PHP Class

```
$cpanel = new  
CPANEL(); // Connect  
to cPanel - only do  
this once.  
$empty_trash =  
$cpanel->apil('Fileman',  
'emptytrash'); //  
Call the function.
```

### Note:

For more information, read our [Guide to the LiveAPI System](#).

### LiveAPI Perl Module

```
my $cpliveapi =  
Cpanel::LiveAPI->new(  
); # Connect to  
cPanel - only do this  
once.  
my $empty_trash =  
$cpliveapi->apil('Fileman',  
'emptytrash');  
# Call the function.
```

### Note:

For more information, read our [Guide to the LiveAPI System](#).

## Function information

## About this module

The Fileman module provides access to file functions.

**Note:**  
This function is a File Management feature.

## About cPanel API 1

cPanel API 1 accesses information about cPanel accounts.

- BoxTrapper:: show message
- BoxTrapper:: show queue
- BoxTrapper:: show queuesearch
- BoxTrapper:: show queuetime
- BoxTrapper:: status
- BoxTrapper:: statusbutton
- Branding:: file
  - Branding:: image
  - Branding:: killing
  - Branding:: setbrandingpkg
  - Branding:: setmyacctspkg
  - Branding:: setupdirs
  - Branding:: tempsetbrandingpkg
- Cgi:: backuplink
  - Cgi:: displayurchin
  - Cgi:: phpmyadminlink
- Chkserve:: getximport
  - Chkserve:: getximportssl
- ClamScanner:: bars
- cPAddons:: mainpg
- Cron:: crontab\_perms
- CustInfo:: getemail
- Denylp:: adddenyip
  - Denylp:: deldenyip
  - Denylp:: listdenyips

### ▼ cPanel Tag System (deprecated)

**Warning:**  
 In cPanel & WHM version 11.30 and later, cPanel tags are **deprecated**. We provide this example to help developers move from the old cPanel tag system to our [LiveAPI](#) system. We **strongly** recommend that you **only** use the [LiveAPI](#) system to call the cPanel APIs.

```
<cpanel
Module="Fileman::emptytrash ()">
```

### ▼ Command Line

```
cpapil
--user=username
Fileman emptytrash
```

**Notes:**

- You **must** [URI-encode](#) these values.
- username represents your account-level username.
- For more information and additional output options, read our [Guide to cPanel API 1](#) documentation or run the `cpapil --help` command.
- If you run CloudLinux™, you **must** use the full path of the `cpapil` command:

```
/usr/local
/cpanel/bin/cpapil
```

### ▼ Output (none)

*This function does not return output.*

## Parameters

This function does not accept parameters.

## Returns

**Warning:**  
 cPanel API deprecated. We **strongly** recommend [cPanel API](#) or [UAPI](#) instead.

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Find a function

▼ [DiskUsage](#)

DiskUsage:: show manager

This function does not return output.

▼ [Email](#)

Email:: addautoresponder

Email:: addforward

Email:: addfilter

Email:: addlist

Email:: addmx

Email:: addpop

Email:: addspam

Email:: addspambox

Email:: addspamfilter

Email:: changemx

Email:: checkfastmail

Email:: checkpipewd

Email:: clearspambox

Email:: delautoresponder

Email:: delforward

Email:: delfilter

Email:: dellist

Email:: delmx

Email:: delpop

Email:: delspam

Email:: delspambox

Email:: disable\_spam\_autodelete

Email:: editquota

Email:: enable\_spam\_autodelete

Email:: getaging

Email:: getarsbody

Email:: getarscharset

Email:: getarsfrom

Email:: getarshtml

Email:: getarsinterval

- [cPanel API 1 Functions - Fileman:htmleditor](#) — This function opens a file in the HTML editor.
- [cPanel API 1 Functions - Fileman:killdir](#) — This function deletes a directory.

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Email: [getarssubject](#)  
Email: [getmailserver](#)  
Email: [getmailserveruser](#)  
Email: [getpopquota](#)  
Email: [has\\_spam\\_as\\_acl](#)  
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Email: [spamboxstatus](#)  
Email: [spamstatus](#)  
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▼ [Fileman](#)

Fileman: [changeperm](#)  
Fileman: [delfile](#)  
Fileman: [dofileop](#)  
Fileman: [emptytrash](#)  
Fileman: [extractfile](#)  
Fileman: [fileimg](#)  
Fileman: [fmmkdir](#)  
Fileman: [fmmkfile](#)  
Fileman: [fmpushfile](#)  
Fileman: [fmrename](#)  
Fileman: [fmsavefile](#)  
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- [cPanel API 1 Functions - Optimize WS:loadoptimizesettings - bytes](#)  
— This function returns a cPanel account's free disk space quota.
- [cPanel API 1 Modules - Fileman](#)  
— The Fileman module provides access to file functions.

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Fileman:: fullbacku  
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Fileman:: getfile

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Fileman:: killdir

Fileman:: listfiles

Fileman:: listfullba  
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Fileman:: listtempl  
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Fileman:: restoreaf

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Fileman:: restorefil  
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Fileman:: restorefil  
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Fileman:: savehtml  
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Fileman:: showper  
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Fileman:: uploadfil  
es

Fileman:: viewfile

▼ Frontpage

FrontPage:: addfp

FrontPage:: delfp

FrontPage:: fpstat  
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▼ Ftp

Ftp:: addftp

Ftp:: delftp

Ftp:: ftpquota

Ftp:: ftpservernam  
e

Ftp:: ftpstatslogin

Ftp:: get\_anonftp

Ftp:: get\_anonftpin

Ftp:: get\_welcome  
msg

Ftp:: getftpquota

Ftp:: kill\_ftp\_sessi  
on

Ftp:: listftpstatsurl

Ftp:: passwdftp

Ftp:: set\_anonftp

Ftp:: set\_anonftpin

Ftp:: set\_welcome  
msg

▼ Gpg

Gpg:: deletekey

Gpg:: exportkey

Gpg:: exportsecret  
key

Gpg:: genkey

Gpg:: importkeys

▼ Htaccess

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▼ LastLogin

LastLogin:: lastlogi  
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▼ LeechProtect

LeechProtect:: disable

LeechProtect:: enable

LeechProtect:: setup

LeechProtect:: showpasswdfile

LeechProtect:: status

▼ LogManager

LogManager:: listdownloads

LogManager:: save settings

LogManager:: show settings

▼ MagicRevision

MagicRevision:: uri

▼ Mime

Mime:: add\_handler

Mime:: add\_hotlink

Mime:: add\_mime

Mime:: add\_redirect

Mime:: del\_handler

Mime:: del\_hotlink

Mime:: del\_mime

Mime:: del\_redirect

Mime:: linkallownull

Mime:: linkenable

Mime:: linkexts

Mime:: linkrurl

Mime:: linkurls

▼ Mysql

Mysql:: adddb

Mysql:: addhost

Mysql:: adduser

Mysql:: adduserdb

Mysql:: checkdb

Mysql:: deldb

Mysql:: delhost

Mysql:: deluser

Mysql:: deluserdb

Mysql:: gethost  
Mysql:: initcache  
Mysql:: listdbs  
Mysql:: listdbsopt  
Mysql:: listusers  
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Mysql:: number\_of  
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\_users  
Mysql:: repairdb  
Mysql:: routines  
Mysql:: updatepriv  
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▼ Net

Net:: dnslookup  
Net:: dnszone  
Net:: sethastracero  
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▼ News

News:: displaynew  
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▼ NVData

NVData:: set

▼ OptimizeWS

OptimizeWS:: load  
optimizesettings  
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▼ Park

Park:: disabledir  
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Park:: getredirectu  
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Park:: park  
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Park:: unpark

▼ Postgres

Postgres:: adddb  
Postgres:: adduser  
Postgres:: adduser  
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Postgres:: deldb  
Postgres:: deluser



Postgres:: deluser  
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Postgres:: initcach  
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▼ ProxyUtils

ProxyUtils:: proxya  
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▼ Resellers

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▼ Serverinfo

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estatus

▼ SetLang

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veconfig

▼ SSH

SSH:: getport

▼ SSL

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SSL:: deletectr

SSL:: deletecsr

SSL:: deletekey

SSL:: genctr

SSL:: gencsr

SSL:: genkey

SSL:: getcabundle

SSL:: getcname

SSL:: install

SSL:: installedhost

SSL:: listkeysopt

SSL:: showcrt

SSL:: showcsr

SSL:: showkey

SSL:: sslsharedsta  
tus

SSL:: uploadcrt

SSL:: uploadkey

▼ StatManager

StatManager:: doF  
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StatManager:: upd  
ateUserConfig

▼ Stats

Stats:: analoglist

Stats:: awstats

Stats:: bwbar

Stats:: errlog

Stats:: lastvisitors

Stats:: showbandw  
idth

Stats:: webalizer

Stats:: webalizerftp

▼ SubDomain

SubDomain:: adds  
ubdomain

SubDomain:: cplist  
subdomains

SubDomain:: disab  
lesubrd

SubDomain:: listsu  
bdomainsop

SubDomain:: setsu  
burl

▼ UI

UI:: confirm

UI:: redirect

UI:: showresult