**Outlook 2010: How to Save or Remove Emails from the Server**

In this article we will cover how to configure Outlook 2010 to save/remove emails on the server when using **POP3** after downloading them to Outlook.

This article ONLY applies to POP3 connection types.

1) **Open** Outlook

2) Click **File**


3) Click the **Account Settings** button


4) Select the **Account Settings** button from the drop-down


5) Double click on the email you wish to edit.


6) Click the **More Settings** button


7) Click the **Advanced** tab


8) If you wish to keep the email on the server, click **Leave a copy of messages on the server
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9) If you wish to automatically delete them from the server after a certain time period, click **Remove from server after**, then pick the number of **days** you wish to keep them.

Please note that removing emails from the server does **NOT** remove them from your outlook. However, you will no longer be able to download them again in the future. Make sure you backup any email you wish to keep if you need to re-install outlook for some reason.

You can also automaticly remove them from the server when you delete the message in outlook by clicking **Remove from server when deleted from Deleted Items**

That’s it! You now know how to keep/remove emails from the server after you have downloaded them to outlook.