How to delete WhatsApp cache?

That your phone does not lock when you are on a call or sending multiple messages.

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Have you had trouble downloading files? Does it get stuck while making a call? Or you just notice that it doesn't work as before. Maybe you should consider **deleting WhatsApp cache** . We tell you why and how to do it.

What is the cache?

The cache is the storage area of a device where all the used and most requested data are stored. In this way, they recover faster when required.

All electronic devices have it, so you access passwords, search results and frequent items faster. And although it is very useful, if the cache memory becomes saturated, it can cause applications and devices, in general, to become slow.

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Why clear the WhatsApp cache?

The instant messaging application, part of Facebook , collects information about the texts, emojis, audios or stickers that you sent and received. According to the *Remo Software* site, the cache should be cleared to improve the app experience. Also, this way you will take care of your privacy against possible cyberattacks and hacks.

If what you are concerned about is your data, don’t worry, it won’t be erased, nor will your photos, information or conversations, it will only make your application work as if it were just installed.

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How to delete WhatsApp cache?

To have more space available, that is, clear or delete the WhatsApp cache, follow these steps:

1. Go to ‘Settings’ of your phone.
2. Select ‘Applications’
3. Search WhatsApp
4. Go to ‘Storage’
5. Clear cache

NOTE: you must select ‘Clear Cache Memory’ and not ‘Clear Data’. If you do this, your account and app chats will be deleted.

Image: Screenshot via WhatsApp.

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