

Crop Tool

The Crop Tool in CorelDRAW is used to remove unwanted areas from an object, image, or graphic. It allows you to focus on specific portions of your design by eliminating extraneous parts. Key features and uses include:

- **Precision Cropping:** Enables accurate selection of the area to retain.
- **Multiple Object Cropping:** Works on multiple selected objects simultaneously.
- **Non-Destructive Editing:** You can adjust the crop boundaries before finalizing the crop.
- **Quick Access:** Located in the Toolbox or accessed via shortcut (usually **C** on the keyboard).

How to Use:

1. Select the Crop Tool from the Toolbox.
 2. Click and drag to define the crop area.
 3. Adjust the crop box as needed using the handles.
 4. Double-click inside the crop area or press **Enter** to apply.
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Virtual Segment Delete Tool

The Virtual Segment Delete Tool is used to remove portions of overlapping objects or shapes. It allows you to cleanly erase parts of objects while keeping the remaining segments intact.

Key Features:

- **Efficient Editing:** Instantly deletes specific segments without ungrouping objects.
- **Works with Overlaps:** Particularly useful for intersecting shapes or paths.
- **Streamlined Workflow:** Avoids the need to manually break apart objects.

How to Use:

1. Select the Virtual Segment Delete Tool from the Toolbox.
 2. Hover over the segment you wish to remove; it will highlight.
 3. Click to delete the highlighted segment.
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Eraser Tool

The Eraser Tool lets you remove portions of an object or artwork by erasing specific areas. It operates like a digital eraser, with options to adjust the size and shape.

Key Features:

- **Adjustable Settings:** Change the eraser size and shape for precision.
- **Versatility:** Works on shapes, text, and images.
- **Path Editing:** Modifies paths and nodes in vector graphics.

How to Use:

1. Select the Eraser Tool from the Toolbox.
 2. Adjust the eraser settings (size, shape) in the Property Bar.
 3. Click and drag over the areas you want to erase.
 4. Release the mouse to finalize the erasure.
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Knife Tool

The Knife Tool is used to split objects or graphics into separate pieces. It enables creative and functional designs by cutting objects into desired shapes or segments.

Key Features:

- **Custom Cuts:** Allows freehand or straight cuts through objects.
- **Splitting Shapes:** Divides shapes into multiple segments.
- **Seamless Integration:** Works well with other tools for advanced editing.

How to Use:

1. Select the Knife Tool from the Toolbox.
2. Choose the cutting mode (straight, freehand, or bezier) in the Property Bar.
3. Click and drag across the object to define the cut.
4. Release the mouse to separate the object.