

OtherFile Privacy Policy

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Overview

OtherFile is a Chrome extension that helps users find, inspect, download, and locally convert images available on webpages. OtherFile is designed to work without user accounts, advertising, analytics, or developer-operated servers that collect browsing data.

Website content OtherFile accesses

To provide its core features, OtherFile may access image-related content on the webpage being viewed, including image URLs, image files, dimensions, formats, filenames, alternative text, titles, responsive image sources, linked originals, CSS background images, and related image metadata.

This information is used only to identify images, display useful information about them, locate higher-resolution or original versions when available, and complete downloads or conversions requested by the user.

OtherFile does not build or maintain a history of the websites a user visits.

How image processing works

Image detection and format conversion are performed locally in Chrome. When an image needs to be downloaded, inspected, or converted, the extension may request that image directly from the website or content delivery network that hosts it.

OtherFile does not upload image content, webpage content, or browsing information to a server operated by the developer.

Local storage

OtherFile uses Chrome's extension storage to keep limited local information needed for the extension to work, including:

- light or dark theme preference
- whether the one-time introduction has been shown
- recent OtherFile download information, such as filename, format, dimensions, download ID, and time saved
- temporary error information used to explain a failed action

This information is stored locally in Chrome and is not sent to the developer.

Permissions

OtherFile uses Chrome permissions only to provide its image-finding, downloading, and conversion features:

- Website access: detect image resources and retrieve user-selected images from their source websites or CDNs
- Context menus: provide right-click image download and conversion options
- Downloads: save user-requested files through Chrome
- Offscreen: perform local image decoding and conversion without opening another tab
- Storage: retain local preferences, recent download information, and temporary state
- Scripting: inject OtherFile's packaged image scanner when needed, including on a tab that was already open before installation or an update

OtherFile does not use remotely hosted executable code.

Data sharing and sale

OtherFile does not sell user data.

OtherFile does not transfer user data to advertising networks, data brokers, analytics providers, or other third parties for unrelated purposes.

OtherFile does not use user data for advertising, profiling, creditworthiness, lending, or other purposes unrelated to the extension's image downloading and conversion features.

Optional donations

OtherFile includes an optional link to Buy Me a Coffee. Opening or using that link is entirely voluntary. If a user chooses to visit or donate through Buy Me a Coffee, that service operates under its own privacy policy and terms. OtherFile does not receive payment-card details or other financial credentials through the extension.

Copyright and lawful use

OtherFile is intended for lawful use. Users are responsible for ensuring that they have permission to download and use media and that their use complies with applicable copyright laws, licences, and permissions.

Changes to this policy

This privacy policy may be updated if OtherFile's functionality or data practices change. The current version will be kept available at the privacy policy URL supplied on the Chrome Web Store listing.

Contact

Questions about OtherFile or this privacy policy can be sent to:

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