Answers: 6.1.2.5 Lab - Configure Browser Settings in Windows 8

Introduction

In this lab, you will configure browser settings in Microsoft Internet Explorer.

Recommended Equipment

- A computer with Windows 8
- An Internet connection

Step 1: Set Internet Explorer as the default browser.

a. On the Start screen, type www.cisco.com, and click the link http://www.cisco.com.

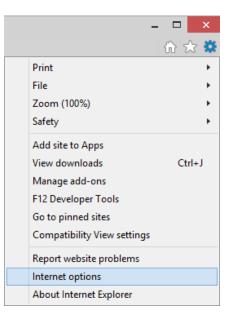
Note: If Quick Tasks opens, click the wrench icon (2) and click View on the desktop.

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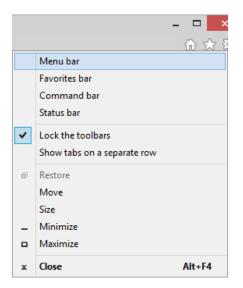
Which browser was used to open the web page?

If your answer is not Internet Explorer, use the following steps to set Internet Explorer as your default browser. Otherwise, go to step b.

- 1) Navigate to the Start screen and type Internet Explorer. Select Internet Explorer.
- 2) Click **Set default browser** in the Internet Explorer window. Click **Tools** () icon > **Internet options** if the option is not available.



If desired, right-click the title bar and select **Menu bar** to add the menu to Internet Explorer. Click **Help** menu **> About Internet Explorer**.



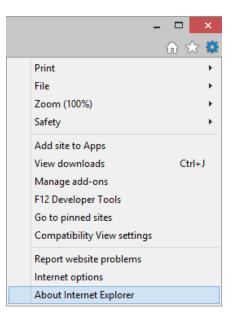
3) In the Internet Options window, select the Programs tab, and click Make Internet Explorer the default browser.

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General	Security	Privacy	Content	Connection	ns Programs	Advanced		
Opening	g Internet	Explorer						
Æ	Choose	Choose how you open links.						
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Open Internet Explorer tiles on the desktop Make Internet Explorer the default browser.								
Manage add-ons								
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Choose the file types that you want Internet Explorer to open by default. Set associations								
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4) In the Set Default Programs window, click Internet Explorer on the left panel. Click Set this program as default. Click OK in the Set Default Programs window to close it.

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Glendar Glendar File Explorer Firefox Food & Drink Games Genes Geneth & Fitness Genetet Explorer	Internet Explorer 11 provides an easier and more secure web browsing experience. Perform quick searches right from the toolbar, custom print your webpages, and discover, manage, and read RSS feeds.
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News DoeNote Paint People	Set this program as default Use the selected program to open all file types and protocols it can open by default.
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- 5) Click **OK** in the **Internet Options** window to continue.
- b. Click Tools () icon > About Internet Explorer or click Help menu > About Internet Explorer.



Which version of Internet Explorer is installed on your computer?

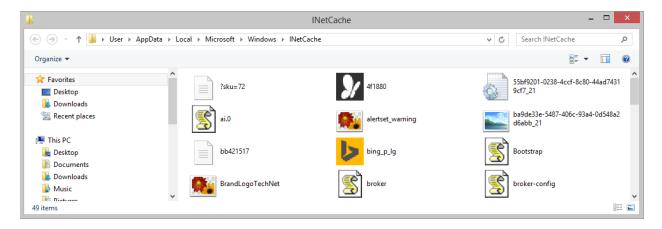
c. Click **Close** to continue.

Step 2: Clear Temporary Internet Files.

a. Select **Tools > Internet options**. Click **Settings** in the Browsing history section in the **General** tab.

		Internet	Options		? ×				
General	Security F	rivacy Content	Connections	Programs	Advanced				
Home p	Home page								
	To create home page tabs, type each address on its own line.								
	http://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/p/?Linkld=255141								
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Startup									
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b. In the **Temporary Internet Files** tab of the **Website Data Settings** window, click **View files** to list the temporary Internet files.



How many temporary Internet files were listed?

c. Close the INetCache or Temporary Internet Files window.

In the **Temporary Internet Files** tab of the **Website Data Settings** window, which setting is configured for **Check for newer versions of stored pages**?

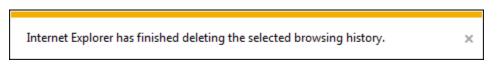
In the History tab, how many days is History set to store list of visited websites?

- d. Click OK to close the Website Data Settings.
- e. In the General tab of the Internet Options window, click Delete....

Internet Options
General Security Privacy Content Connections Programs Advanced
Home page
To create home page tabs, type each address on its own line.
<pre>http://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/p/?LinkId=255141 </pre>
Use <u>c</u> urrent Use de <u>f</u> ault <u>U</u> se new tab
Startup
Start with tabs from the last session
Start with home page
Tabs
Change how webpages are displayed in tabs.
Browsing history
Delete temporary files, history, cookies, saved passwords, and web form information.
Delete browsing history on exit
Delete
Appearance
Colors Languages Fonts Accessibility
OK Cancel Apply

Which options are available in the Delete Browsing History for deleting browsing history?

f. Uncheck all selected options except for **Temporary Internet files**. Click **Delete** to remove the temporary files. When completed, Internet Explorer displays the following message:

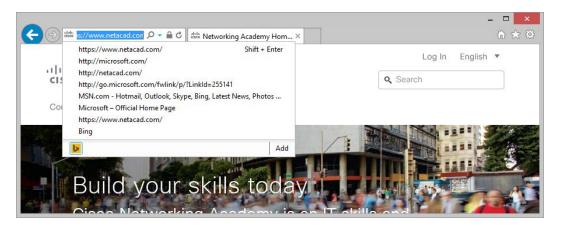


g. Close all open windows except for Internet Explorer.

Step 3: Clear Internet Browsing History.

a. Open Internet Explorer if closed and visit a few web sites using the same tab.

b. Click the down arrow, at the right end of the URL Address field, to view previously visited sites.



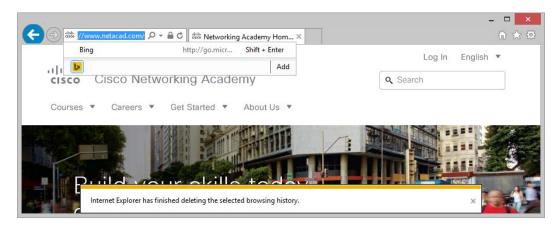
How many sites are listed in the drop-down box?

c. To clear the browser history, select **Tools > Internet options > Delete**. Uncheck all selected options except for **History**. Click **Delete**.

Delete Browsing History ×					
Preserve Favorites website data Keep cookies and temporary Internet files that enable your favorite websites to retain preferences and display faster.					
Copies of webpages, images, and media that are saved for faster viewing.					
Cookies and website data					
Files or databases stored on your computer by websites to save preferences or improve website performance.					
✓ History List of websites you have visited.					
Do <u>w</u> nload History List of files you have downloaded.					
<u>F</u>orm data Saved information that you have typed into forms.					
Passwords Saved passwords that are automatically filled in when you sign in to a website you've previously visited.					
Tracking Protection, ActiveX Filtering and Do Not Track A list of websites excluded from filtering, data used by Tracking Protection to detect where sites might automatically be sharing details about your visit, and exceptions to Do Not Track requests.					
About deleting browsing history Delete Cancel					

d. Close all open windows except for Internet Explorer.

e. When completed, click the **down** arrow at the right end of the **address** field to view previously visited sites.



How many sites are now found in the drop-down box for browsing history?

Step 4: Configure the Security Settings.

- a. Open Internet Explorer as necessary.
- b. Select Tools > Internet options, and then click the Security tab.



c. Click each of the four zones and describe their security settings.

Internet:

Local intranet:

Trusted sites:

Restricted sites:

d. Click the **Custom level... button**. In this window, you can select the options in the list that you wish to change for a zone. Click **Cancel** to close this window.

Security Settings - Internet Zone	×
Settings	
NET Framework	
Loose XAML	
 Disable 	
O Enable	
O Prompt	
AML browser applications	
Disable	
O Enable	
O Prompt	
XPS documents Disable	
Disable Enable	
O Prompt	
Reg .NET Framework-reliant components	
Permissions for components with manifests	
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*Takes effect after you restart your computer	
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Reset custom settings	
Reset to: Medium-high (default) V Reset	
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OK Cancel	

Step 5: Configure Privacy Settings.

a. Open Internet Explorer if necessary. Click **Tools >Internet options > Privacy** tab. Click **Advanced**.

	I	nternet	Options			?	×		
General Security	Privacy	Content	Connection	ns Progr	ams A	dvar	nced		
Settings	Settings								
-	Select a setting for the Internet zone.								
Bi	Hedium - Blocks third-party cookies that do not have a compact privacy policy - Blocks third-party cookies that save information that can be used to contact you without your explicit consent - Restricts first-party cookies that save information that can be used to contact you without your implicit consent								
Sites	Imp	port	Ad <u>v</u> ance	ed	<u>D</u> efau	ılt			
	Never allow websites to request your physical location								
	✓ Turn on Pop-up <u>B</u> locker Settings								
InPrivate									
${old V}$ Disable toolbars and extensions when InPrivate Browsing starts									
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b. In the Advanced Privacy Settings window, click Override automatic cookie handling and change the setting for Third-party Cookies to Prompt.

Advanced Privacy Settings ×						
You can choose how cookies are handled in the Internet zone. This overrides automatic cookie handling.						
Cookies	- 1					
✓ <u>O</u> verride automatic cookie handling						
First-party Cookies Third-party Cookies						
<u>Accept</u> <u>Accept</u>						
O Block O Block						
Prompt Prompt						
Always allow session cookies						
OK Cancel						

c. Click **OK** and close all open windows.

Reflection

Why would you want to clear temporary Internet files or Internet browsing history?