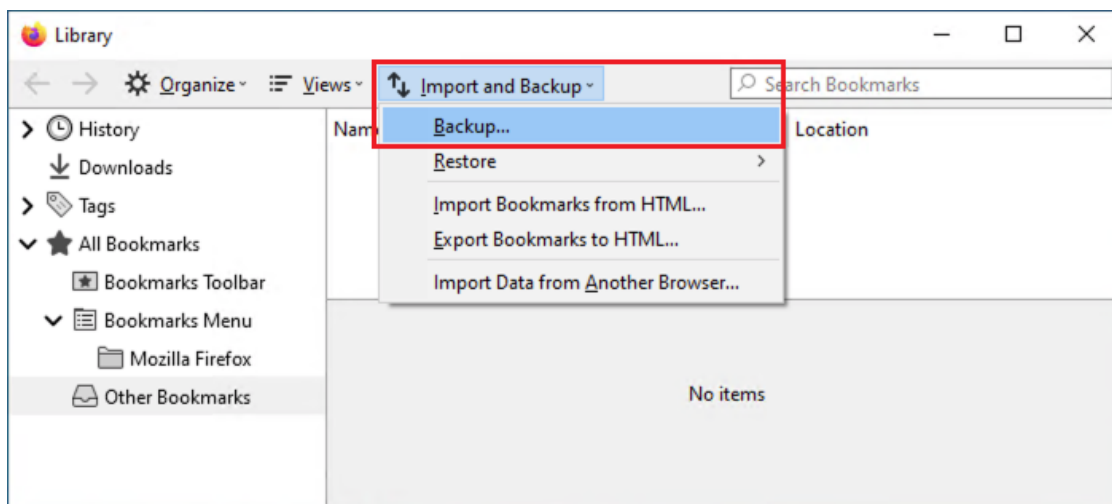


# Bookmarks backup and restore - Firefox browser

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## BACKUP

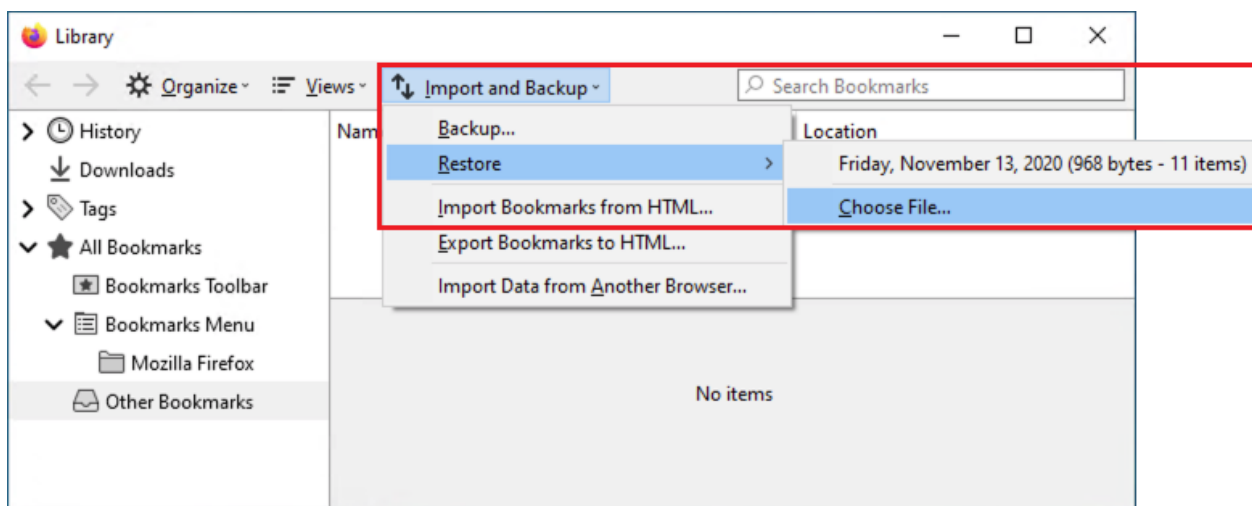
- Open the Firefox browser.
- Press the **Control + Shift + B** keys on the keyboard.
- Select **Import and Backup - Backup...**



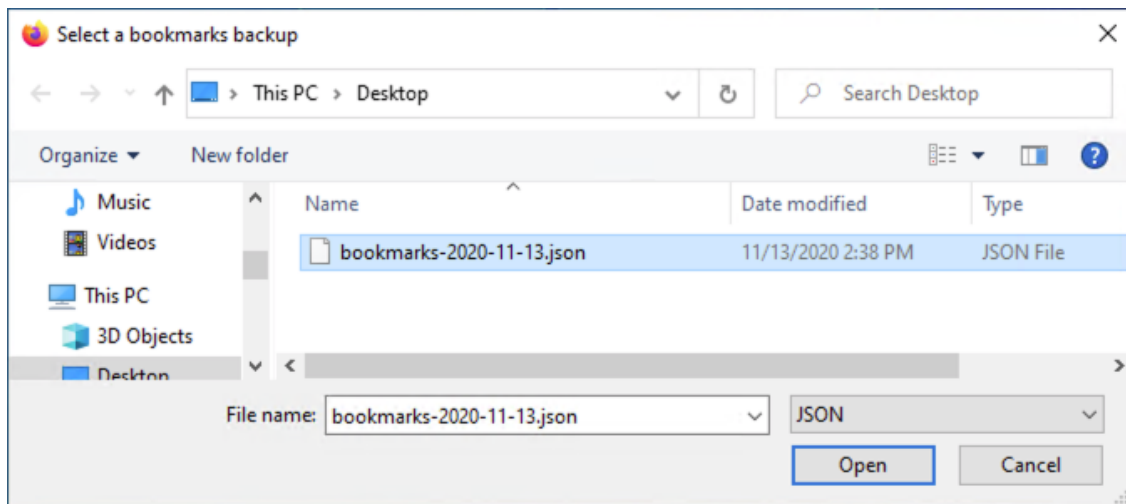
Save the bookmarks (Ex. *bookmarks-2020-11-13.json*) file, to your desired backup location (USB, network home drive, cloud drive, etc.).

## RESTORE

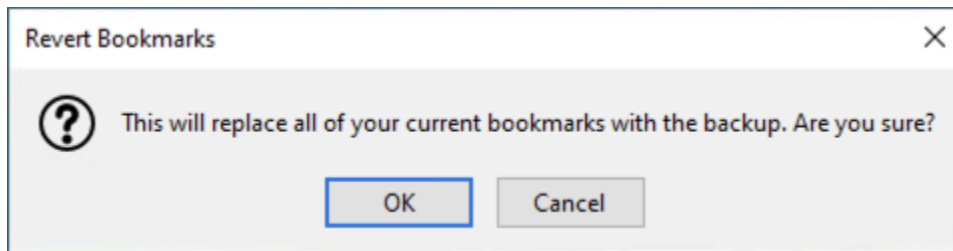
- Open the Firefox browser.
- Press the **Control + Shift + B** keys on the keyboard.
- Select **Import and Backup - Choose file...**



- **Browse** to the location, where you saved the bookmarks (JSON) backup file to, then click **Open**



- A message should pop-up "This will replace all of your current bookmarks with the backup. Are you sure?" Since you likely have not saved any new bookmarks yet, click **OK**.



**Note:** If you have existing bookmarks on a computer, and you do not want to overwrite them (*only add to them*), use the **Import/Export Bookmarks from HTML...** (.html rather than the .json) backup file method. (see links at bottom of page)

- The Bookmarks should now be restored, and available in the browser.

Also see:

Export Firefox bookmarks to an HTML file to back up or transfer bookmarks  
<https://support.mozilla.org/en-US/kb/export-firefox-bookmarks-to-backup-or-transfer>

Restore bookmarks from backup or move them to another computer  
<https://support.mozilla.org/en-US/kb/restore-bookmarks-from-backup-or-move-them>