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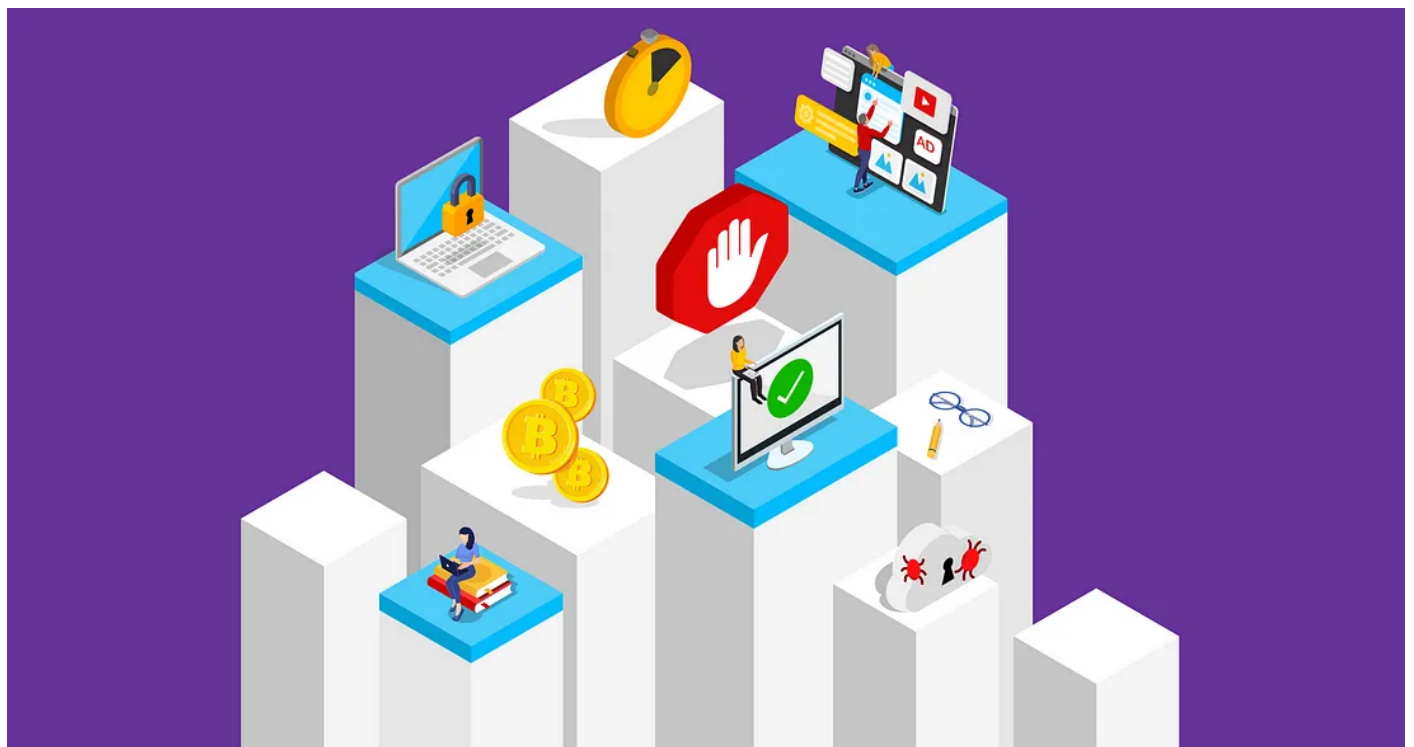🛑 Published in AdBlock's Blog

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How to Disable Pop-Up Blockers in Every Browser

Disabling pop-up blockers on your browser can be tricky business

P op-up ads have been called the internet's original sin. They've been with us for more than 20 years, and they're just as annoying today as they were in the 90s.

Pop-up *blockers,* however, serve an extremely useful purpose: preventing annoying ads from interrupting you while visiting a page. If you're not using an ad and pop-up blocker like AdBlock, we hope you're using your browser's settings to prevent pop-ups from bothering you. In fact most browsers enable basic pop-up blocking by default. But you may occasionally need to *disable* your

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pop-up blocker in order to print something, open a login screen, or get access to information that pops up in a new window.

If you're only using [AdBlock](#), temporarily disabling it to allow pop-ups is as easy as a [couple of clicks](#). But if you need to disable the pop-up blocker in your browser, it's a little more complicated. Here's how to disable your pop-up blocker in any browser:

How to Disable Pop-Up Blocker: Chrome (Desktop)

1. Open your Chrome browser

2. In the upper right-hand corner, click the three vertical dots, then select **Settings**

3. At the bottom of the menu, click **Advanced**

4. Scroll down to "Privacy and security," and select **Site Settings**

5. Select **Pop-ups and redirects**

6. At the top of the menu, toggle the setting to **Allowed** to disable the pop-up blocker

How to Disable Pop-Up Blocker: Firefox (Desktop)

1. Open your Firefox browser

2. Click the **Menu** button, then select **Options**

3. Select **Privacy & Security**

4. Under **Permissions**, uncheck **Block pop-up windows** to disable the pop-up blocker

How to Disable Pop-Up Blocker: Edge

1. Open your Microsoft Edge browser

2. Go to **Settings**, then select **more** > **Settings** > **Privacy & security**

3. Under **Security**, switch Block pop-ups to off to disable the pop-up blocker

How to Disable Pop-Up Blocker: Safari (Mac)
Mac:

1. Select **Safari** > **Preferences**, then select **Websites**

2. Select **Pop-up Windows**

3. Use the **When visiting other websites** drop-down menu and select **Allow** to disable the pop-up blocker

How to Disable Pop-Up Blocker: iPhone/iOS

Safari for iOS:

1. On your iOS device, open the **Settings** menu

2. Select **Safari**

3. Slide **Block Pop-ups** to off (white) to disable pop-up blocking

Chrome for iOS:

1. On your iOS device, open the Chrome app

2. Tap **More > Settings**

3. Tap **Content Settings,** then tap **Block Pop-ups**

4. Turn **Block Pop-up**s off to allow pop-ups

How to Disable Pop-Up Blocker: Android

Chrome:

1. On your Android device, open the Chrome app

2. Tap **More > Settings**

3. Tap **Site settings,** then **Pop-ups and redirects**

4. Turn **Pop-ups and redirects** on to allow pop-ups

Samsung Internet:

1. On your Android device, open the Samsung Internet app

2. Tap the **Menu** icon (three vertical lines)

3. Select **Settings**

4. Under **Advanced,** tap **Sites and downloads**

5. Slide **Block Pop-ups** to off (white) to disable pop-up blocking

Firefox:

There is currently no way to access the pop-up blocker settings in Firefox for Android. We recommend following these steps from Mozilla to adjust your pop-up blocker settings.