

Verifying the Existence of a File or Folder

One of the primary uses of Test-Path is to verify the existence of a file or folder. For example, this command checks to see whether the file C:\Scripts\Test.txt exists:

```
[crayon-6a9d5769e6fa8273073756/]
```

Test-Path returns True if the file exists, and returns False if the file does not exist.

As is usually the case with cmdlets, you can use wildcards with Test-Path. For example, this script tells you whether or not there are any .wma files in C:\Scripts:

```
[crayon-6a9d5769e6faf456487047/]
```

Did someone ask if you can check for the existence of registry keys using Test-Path? Of course you can:

```
[crayon-6a9d5769e6fb2093447444/]
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