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After information about the data of more than 50 million users was sold to third parties by Facebook to direct voters and affect the 2016 US presidential election, as well as the Brexit referendum in the year. 2016, many Twitter users and other social networks were very angry and shared the hashtag #DeleteFacebook calling together to delete their Facebook account.



Hashtag #DeleteFacebook is flooding social networks.

To leave Facebook, users have 2 choices: lock their account or delete Facebook nick permanently.

**Lock account or deactivate** : Your personal page will disappear from Facebook and others will not be able to see it. But anytime you want, you can log back in and your personal data is still intact. The process of locking accounts takes place very quickly, only a few minutes by locking the account will not delete the user's information from the server.



**Account deletion** : Everything users post on this social networking site from profile information to wall posts will be deleted except for messages sent via Facebook Messenger.

After deleting the account, users can still change this decision in a short time by logging in again and canceling the deletion process.

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If you intend to delete your account, it is recommended that you download all your Facebook information before deleting the account. Facebook supports this and will combine all the information on the user's personal page so they can download.

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