

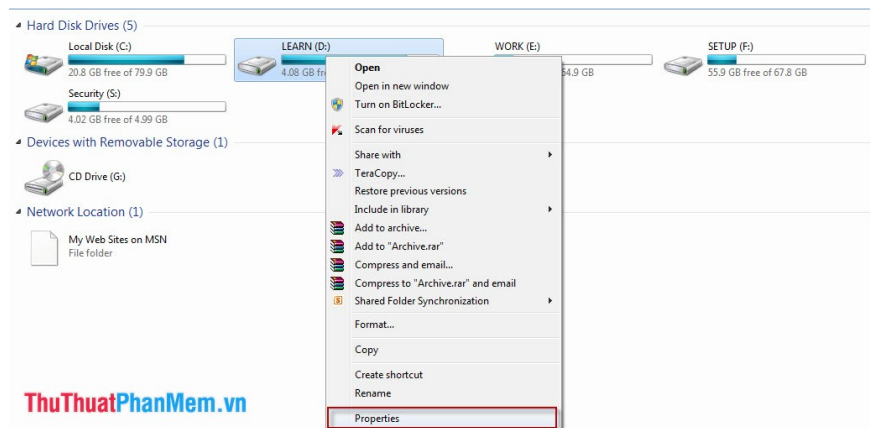
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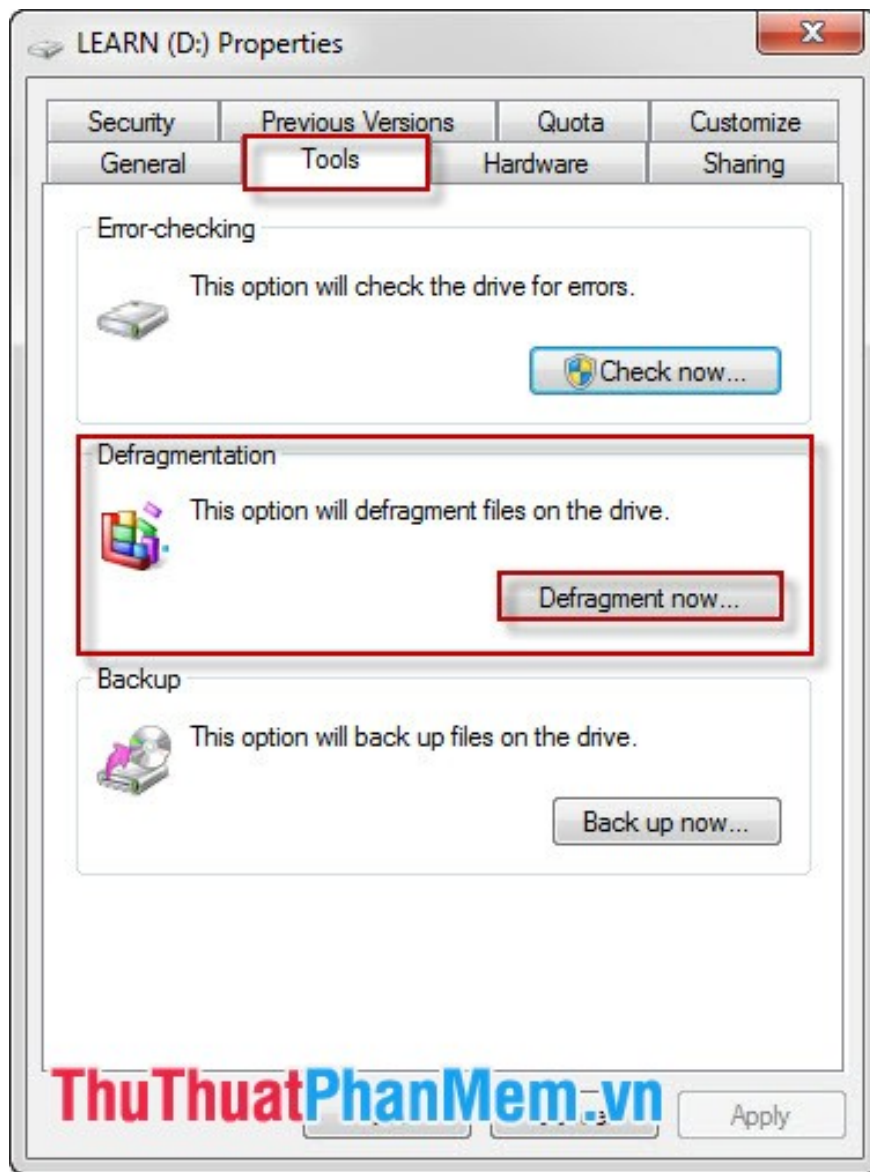
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So in this article I will show you how to defragment your hard drive with the **Disk Defragment** function available in **Windows** .

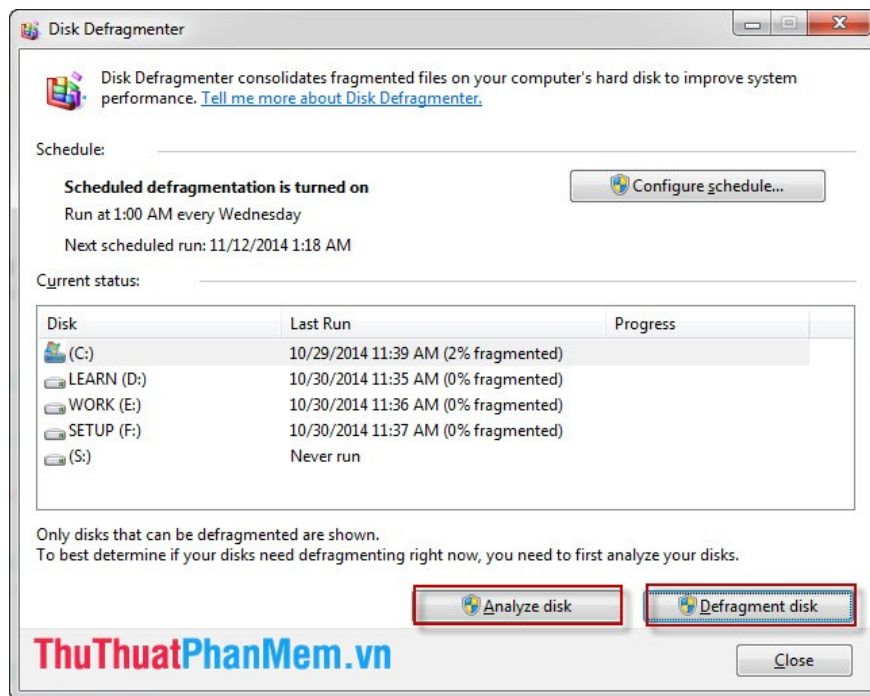
Step 1: Right-click on any drive and select **Properties** .



Then click on the **Tools** tab and select **Defragment now** in the **Defragmentation** section .



Step 2: To find out if your current hard drive is fragmented, click **Analyze disk** to let **Windows** perform the test automatically. If so, click on **Defragment disk** to start defragmentation.



Wait for the defrag process to complete and click **Close** to close the function. You can do the same with other hard drives.

In addition to using the **Disk Defragment** function available on **Windows** , you can use other defragment software to help protect your hard drive more completely and comprehensively.

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