

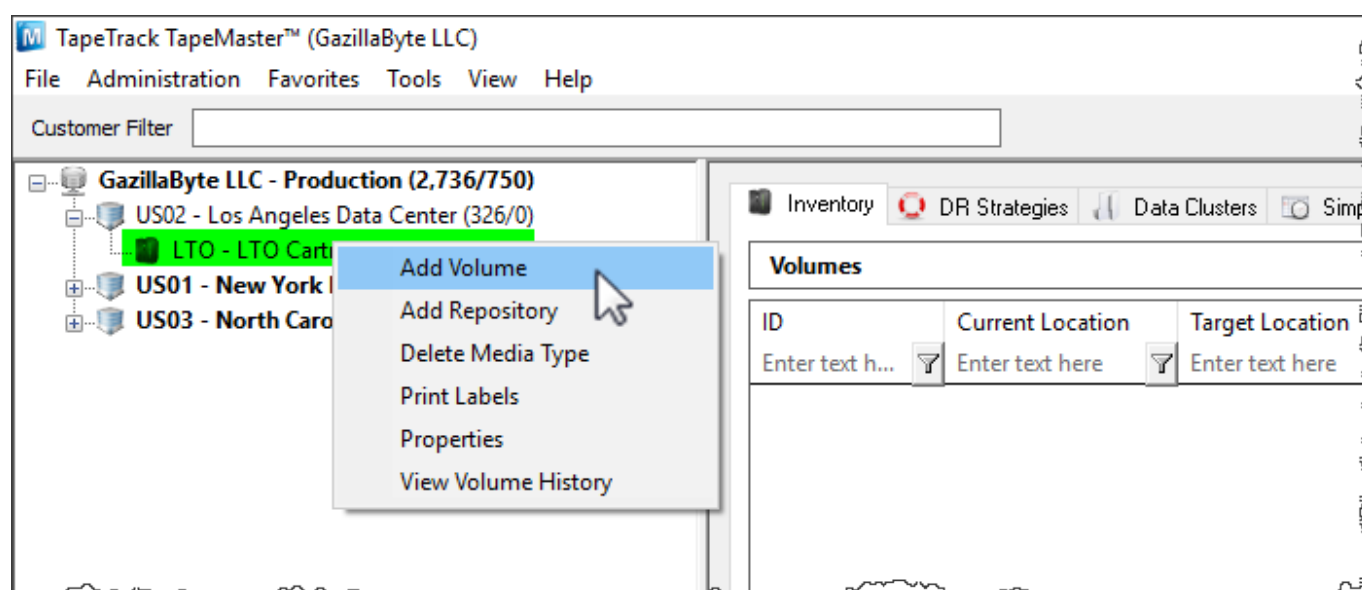
# Adding and Maintaining Volumes

## Adding Volumes

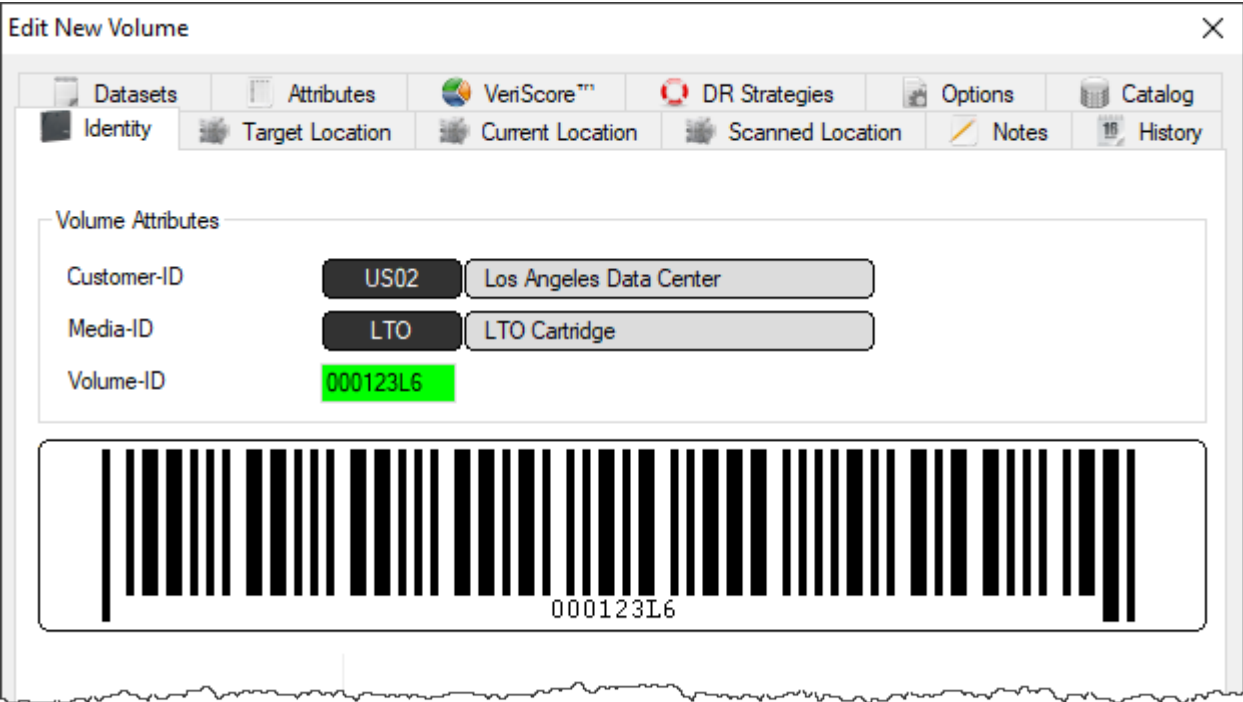
### Right-Click to add volumes

To add a Volume either:

- Right-click on a [Media Type](#) and select Add Volume
- Right click in the inventory window and select Add
- Press Insert on the keyboard when viewing the [Volume List](#).

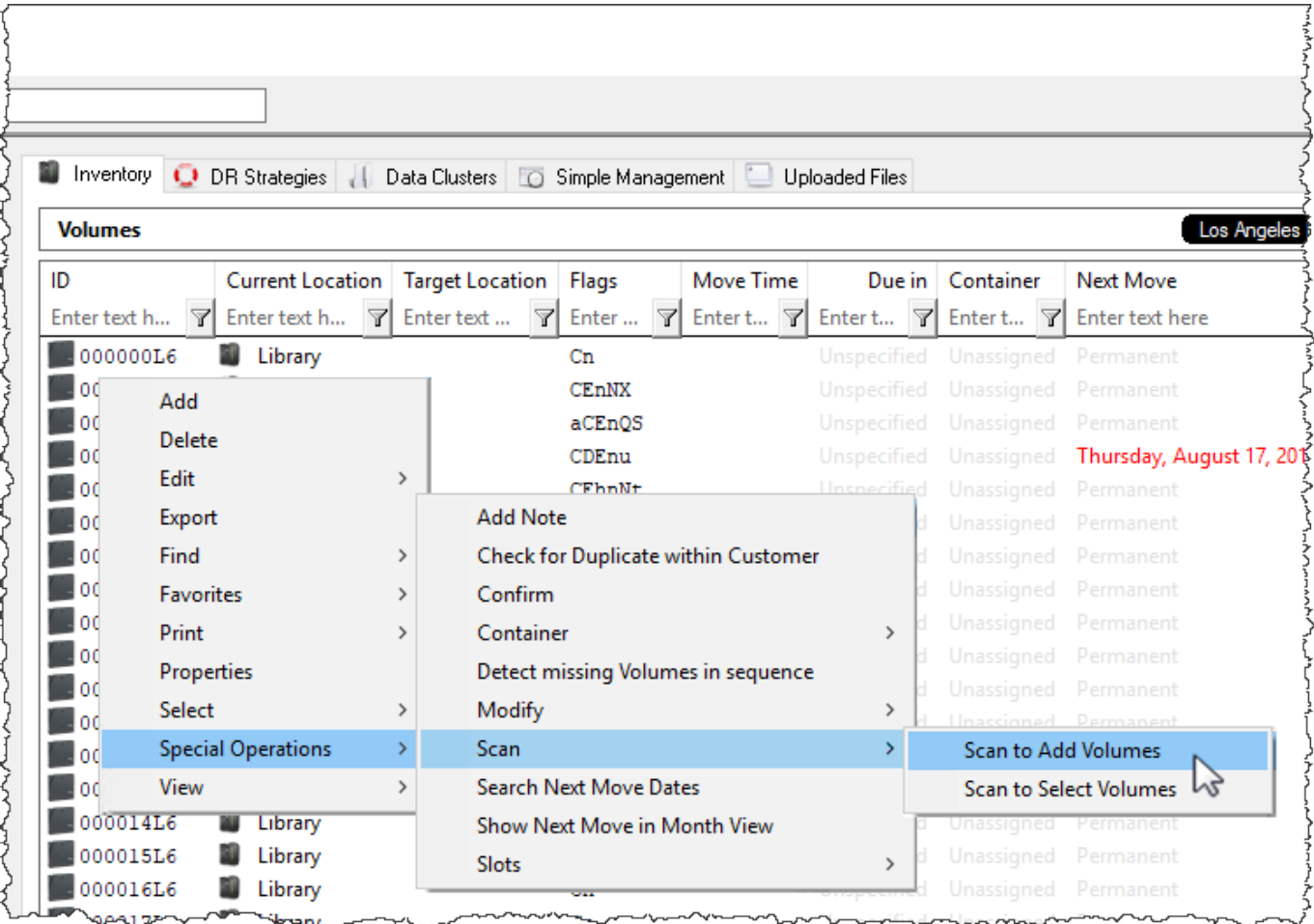


In the Edit new volume window enter the Volume-ID of the new volume to be added and click Save.

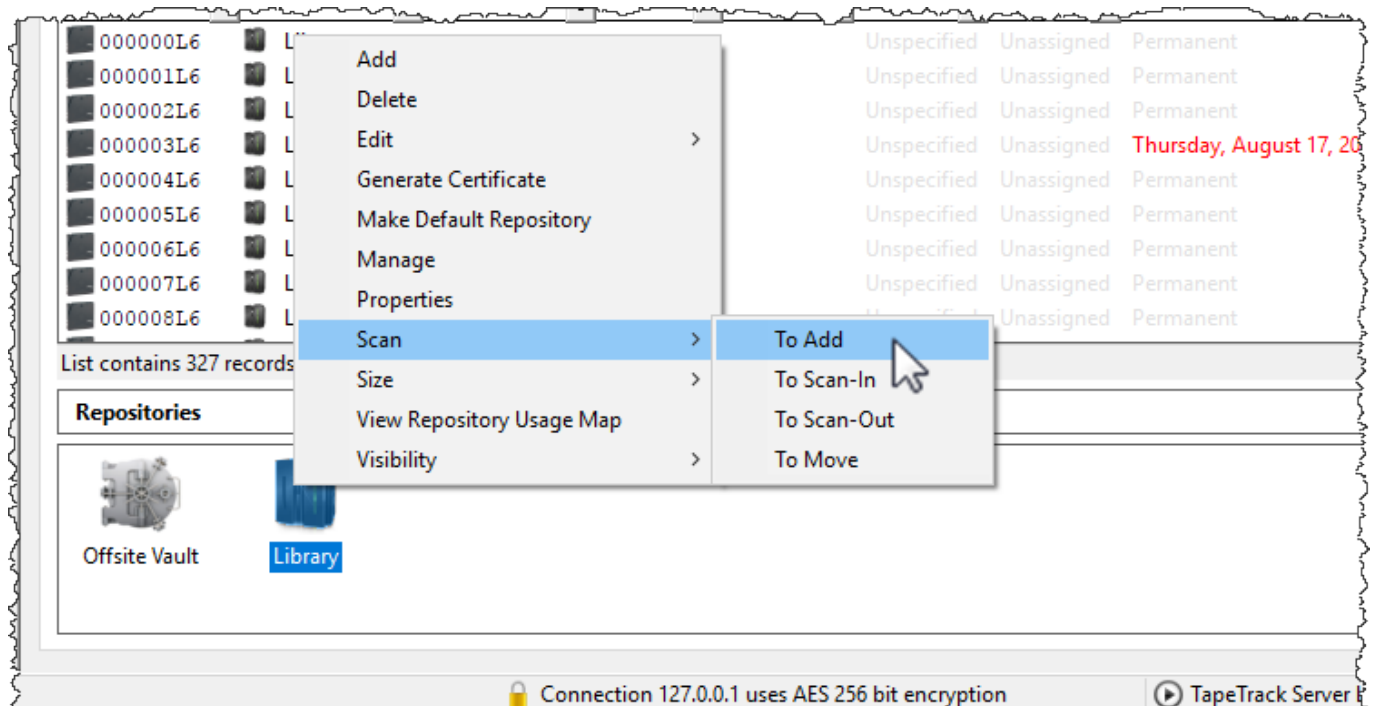


Scan to Add Volumes

Right-Click in the Volume List, navigate to Special Operations, and select Scan → Scan to Add Volumes to use a Barcode scanner to add Volumes to your default repository.



To add volumes to a repository other than your default, right click the required repository and select Scan → To Add and scan volumes to be added.



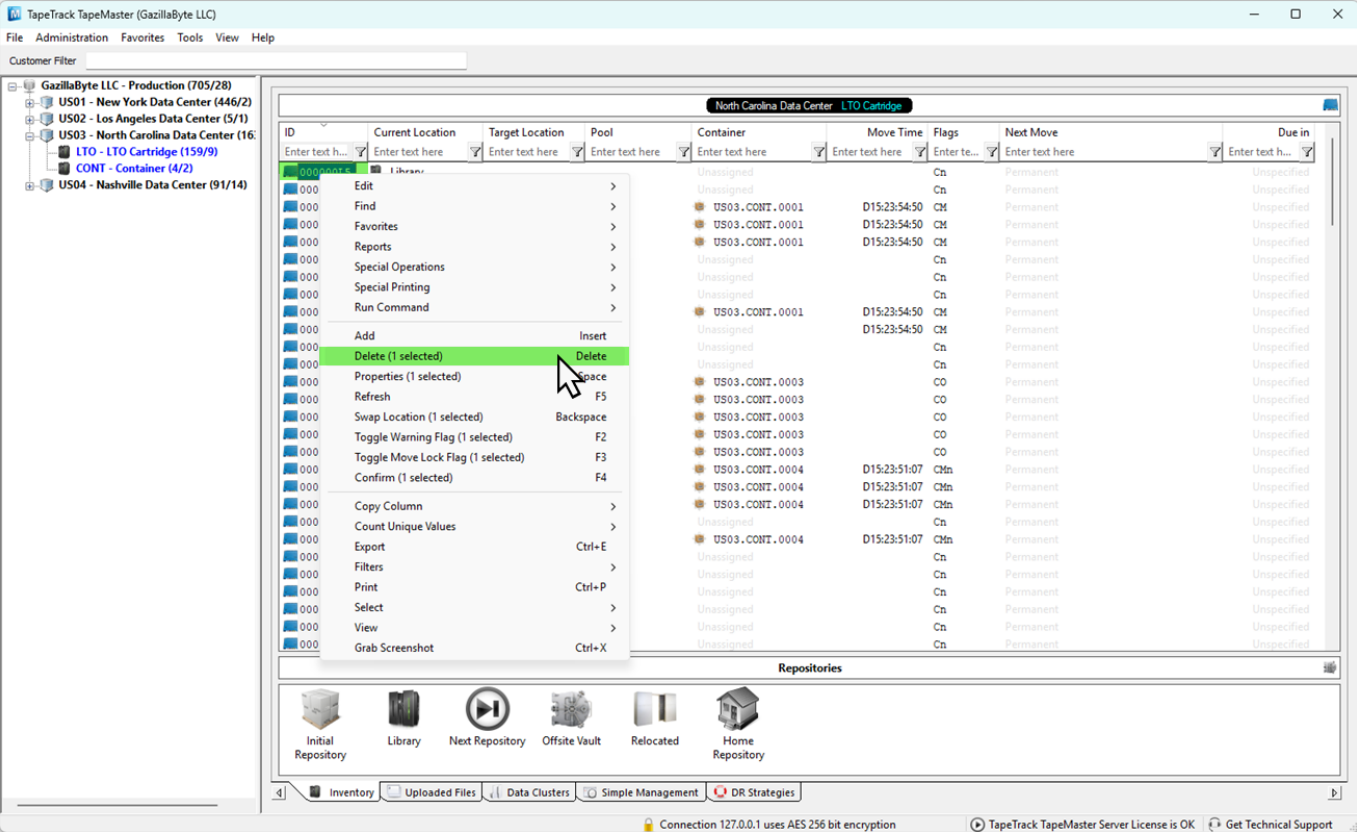
## Deleting Volumes



You must have **Alter** rights to delete volumes

Select the required volume, or range of volumes from the inventory window you want to delete.

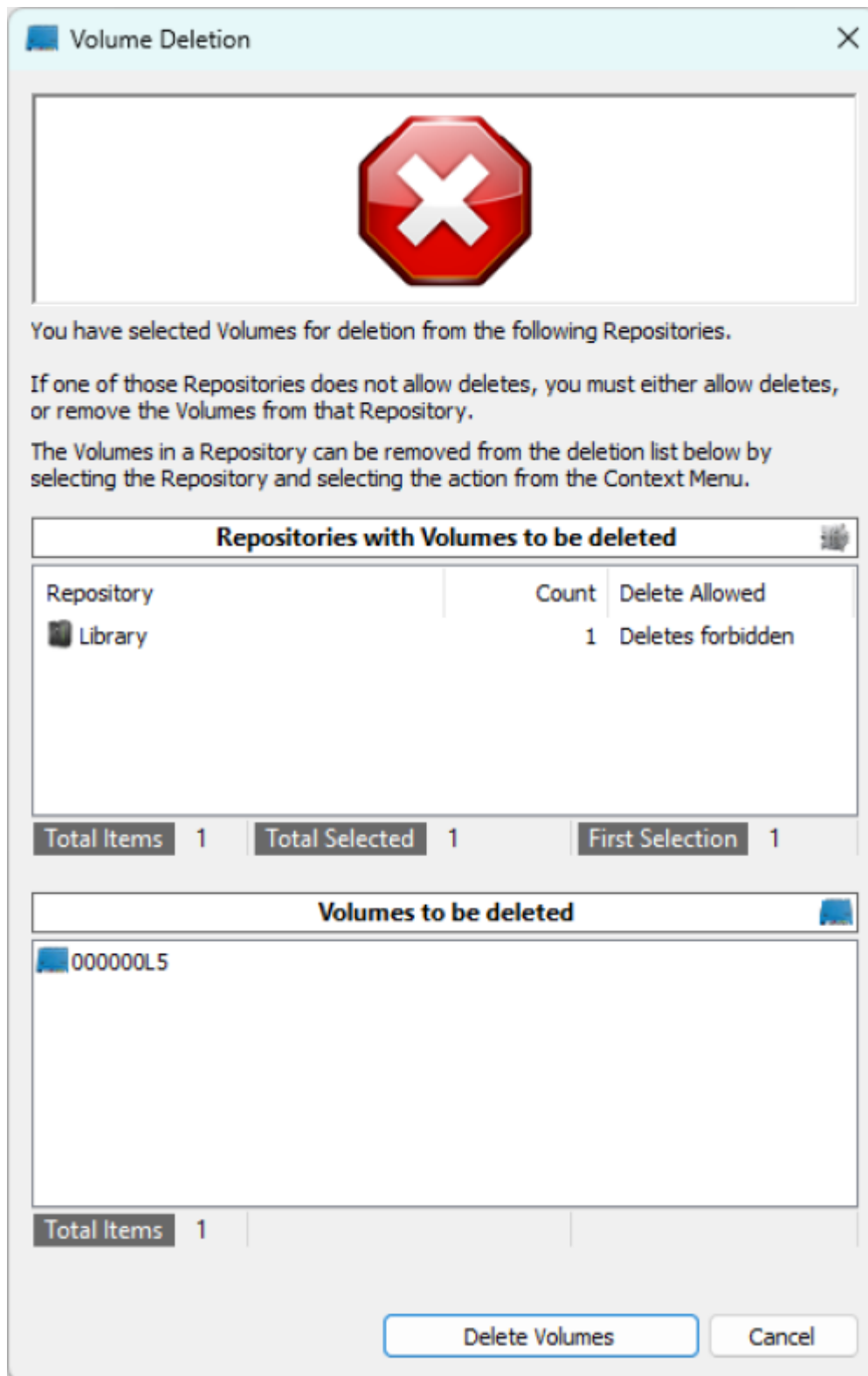
Right click highlighted volume/s and select Delete, or press Delete (DEL) on the keyboard.



The **Volume Deletion** window will display the **Repositories** where the volumes to be deleted are located in the top pane and Volume-ID's in the lower pane.



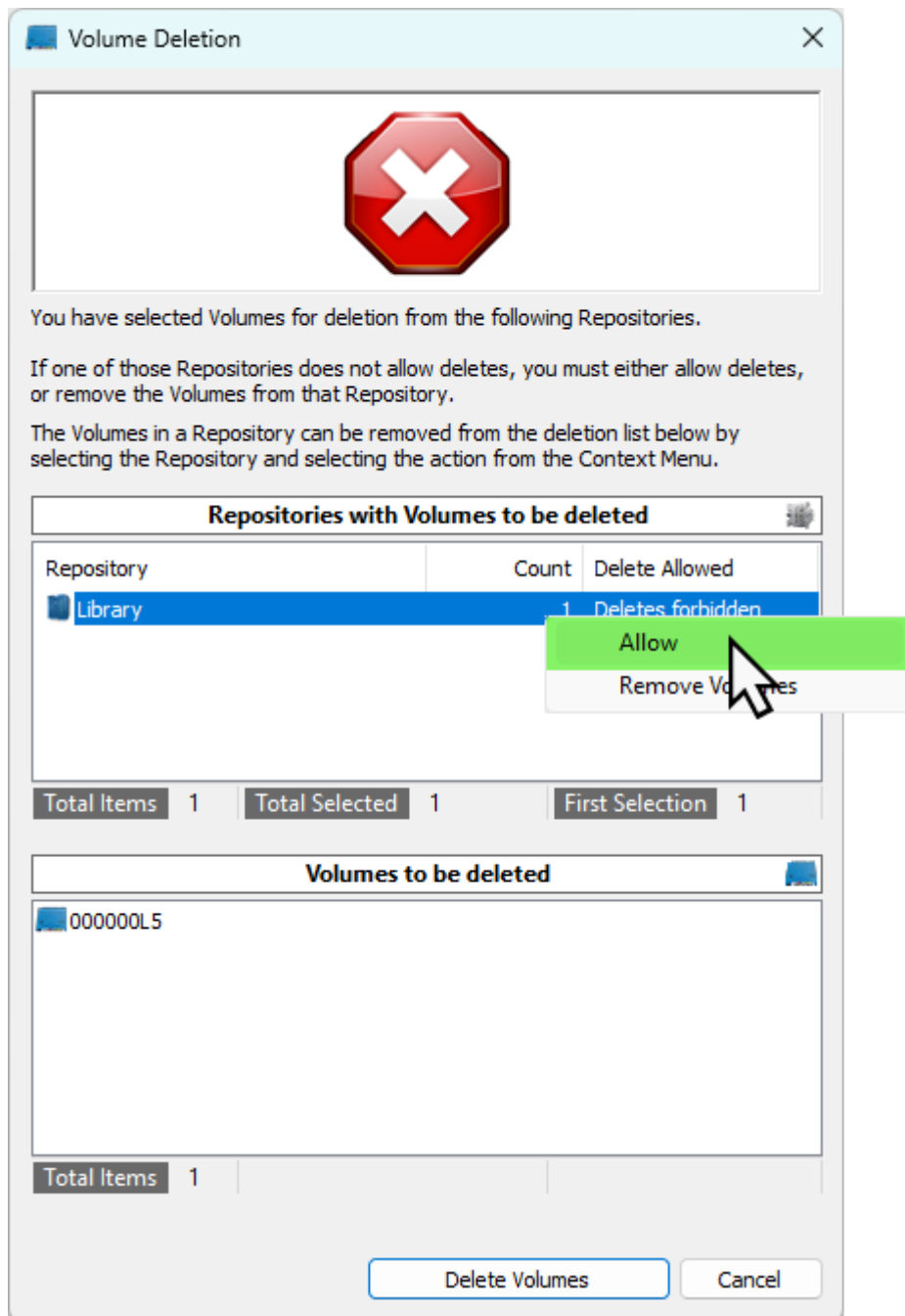
If the **Volume Deletion** window is not displayed it is because you are running an outdated version of TapeMaster. Instructions to delete volumes in older versions of TapeMaster can be found [here](#)



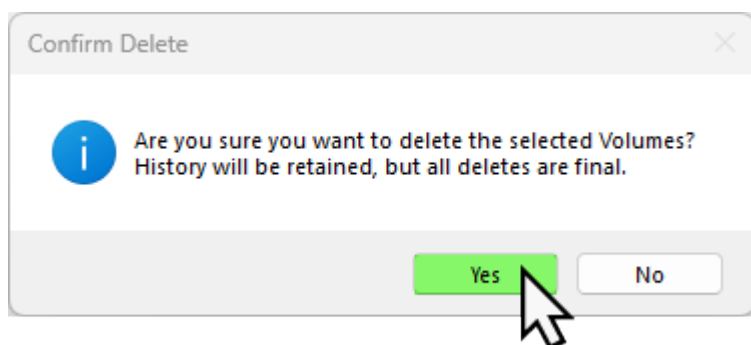
Each row in the top pane will, along with the repository description (or ID), list the number of volumes for deletion and the delete status of either **Deletes Allowed** or **Deletes Forbidden**.

For any repository listed with a status of **Deletes Forbidden** you must either:

- Right clicking the row and selecting Allow to change status to **Deletes Allowed**
- Right clicking the row and selecting Remove to remove the volumes before deletion of any volumes located in a repository with **Deletes Allowed** status.



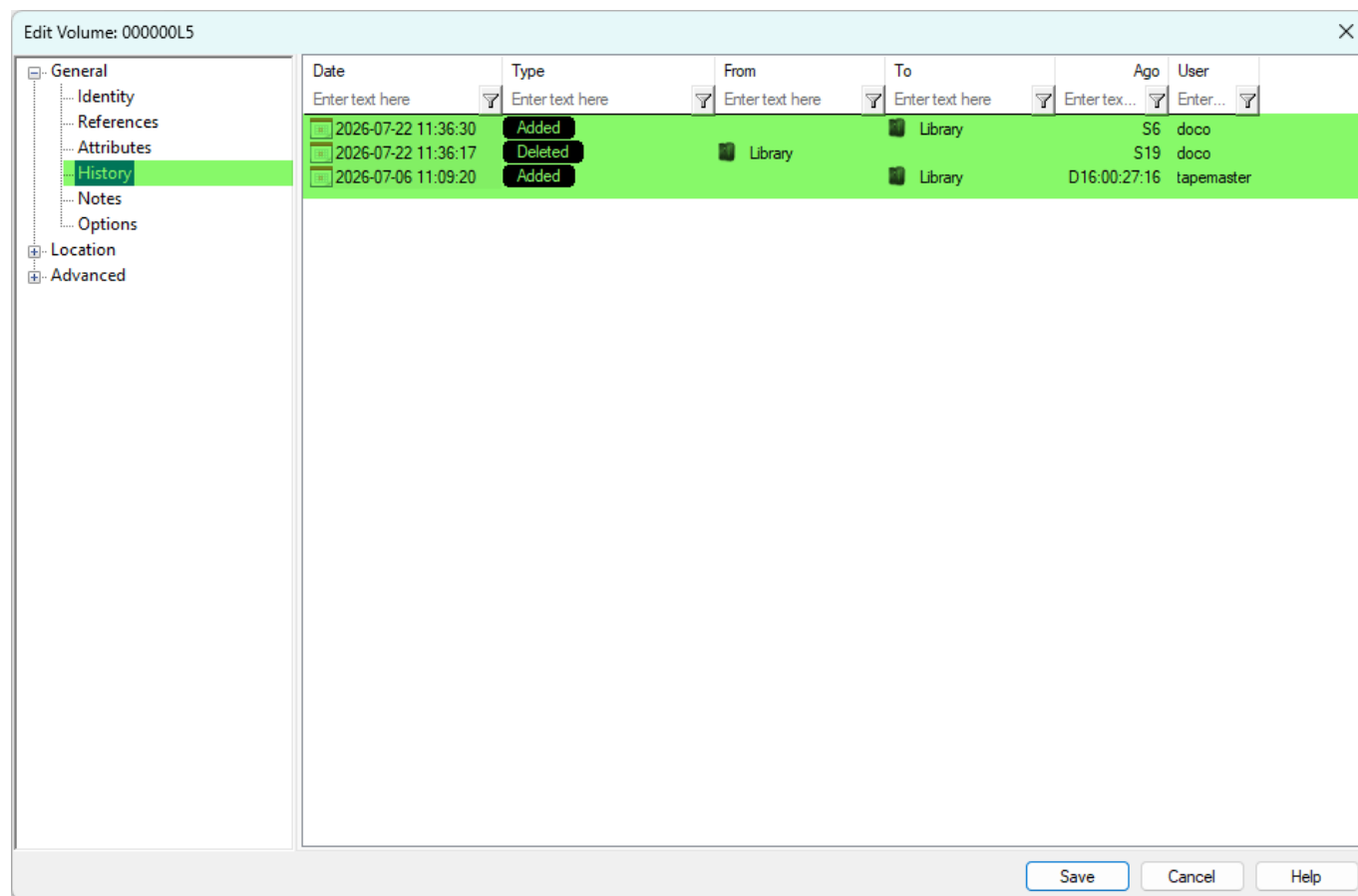
Click **Delete Volumes** and **Yes** to the delete confirmation to delete the volumes.



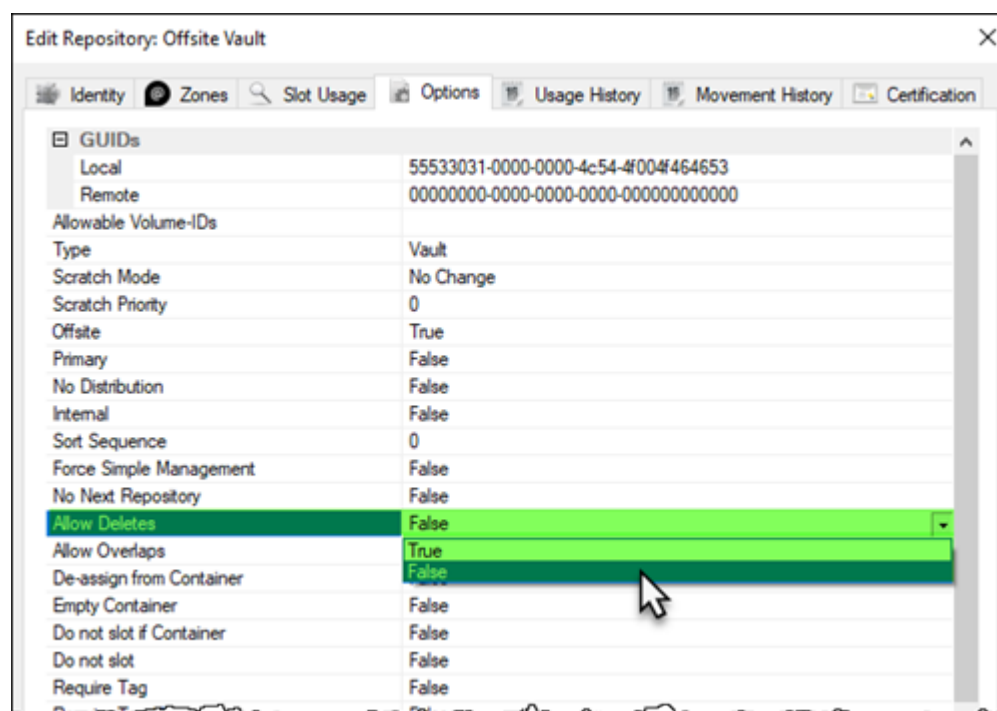
As deleting volumes is permanent, clicking **No** to the delete confirmation is your last opportunity to cancel the delete function.

When a volume is deleted its historical entries remain in the database. If a deleted Volume is added

back in to the database, all previous history records including when deleted and added back, are listed under that volumes History tab.



As setting repository to **Allow Deletes** alters the properties of that repository, if required, reset the repository to **no deletes** by right clicking the required repository, selecting Properties and change the Allow Deletes field in the Options tab to false.



See [Special Operations Menu](#) for further information.

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