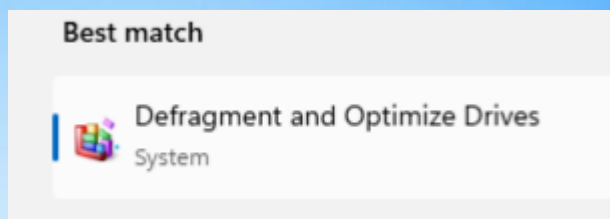
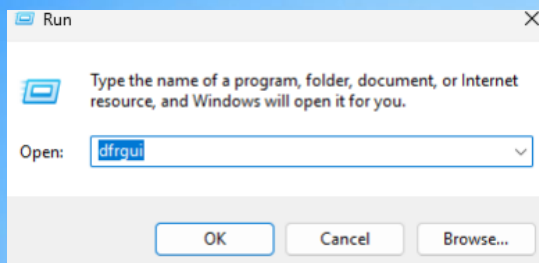


Quick-Tip No. R2D2

Regularly optimize your hard drives. 🎯

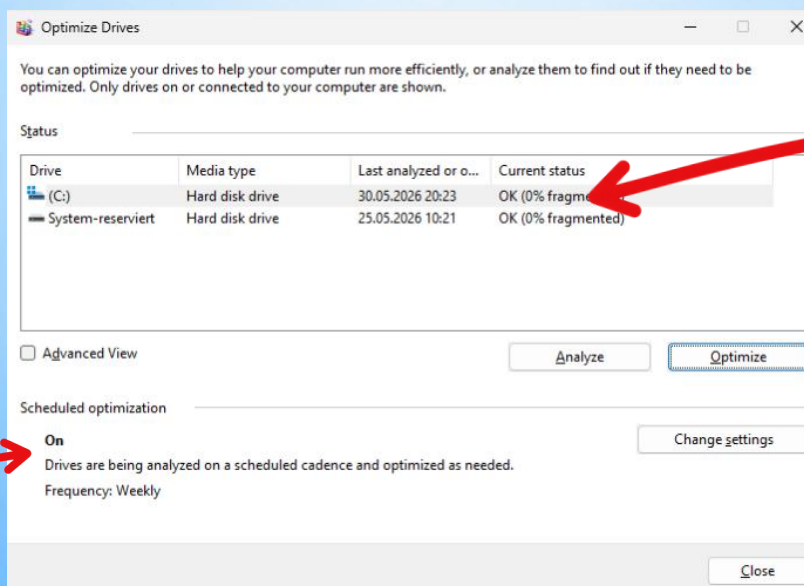
Here is an often-repeated expert tip. 😊 Regularly defragment your hard drive(s). Launch it by typing "dfrgui" in the Run window, or via the search bar using "Defrag...".



The defragmentation tool launches.

This tool used to be very useful and important. Since Windows Vista, Windows performs the optimization automatically.

You can view the current status of a hard drive in the last column. If it says "OK" there, everything is fine.



You can configure the scheduled optimization at the bottom.

The default setting is weekly. This is currently selected.

Therefore, optimization is generally not necessary.

When is it truly worthwhile to perform an additional check?

For external hard drives that are not always connected.