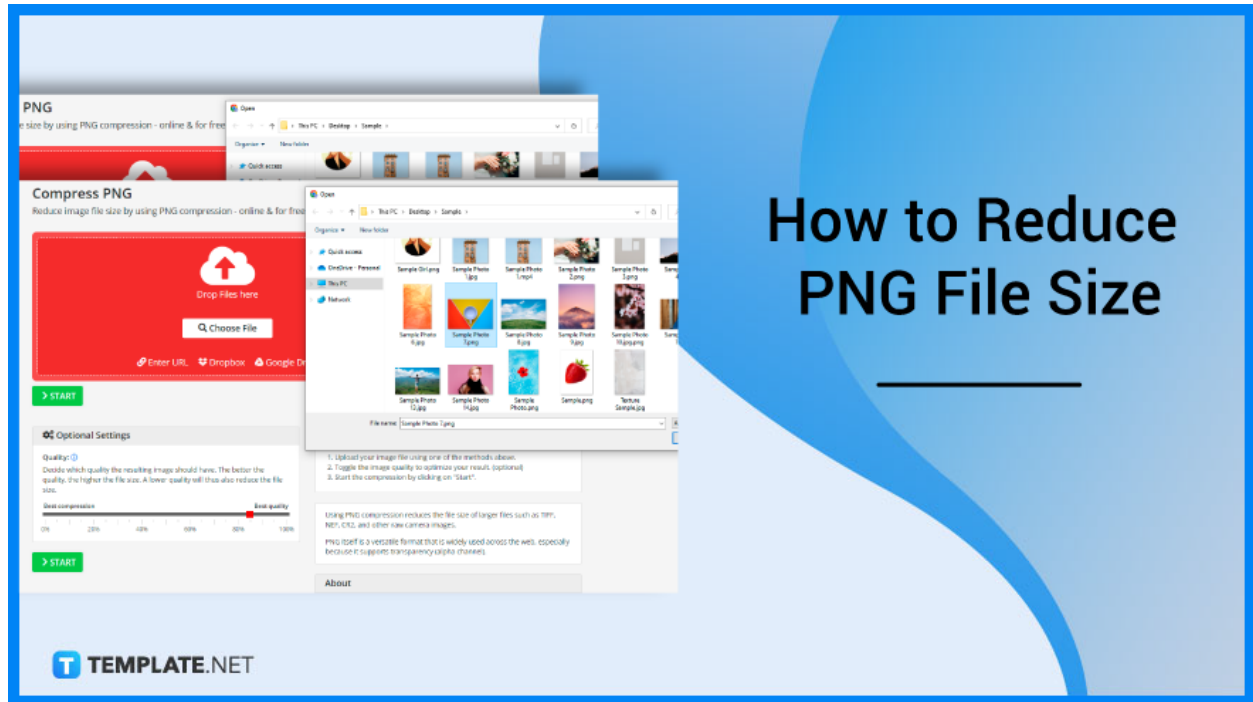# How to Reduce PNG File Size

It helps to know how to reduce PNG file sizes. Especially since illustrators and artists may want to upload their illustrations in a lot of sizes online.
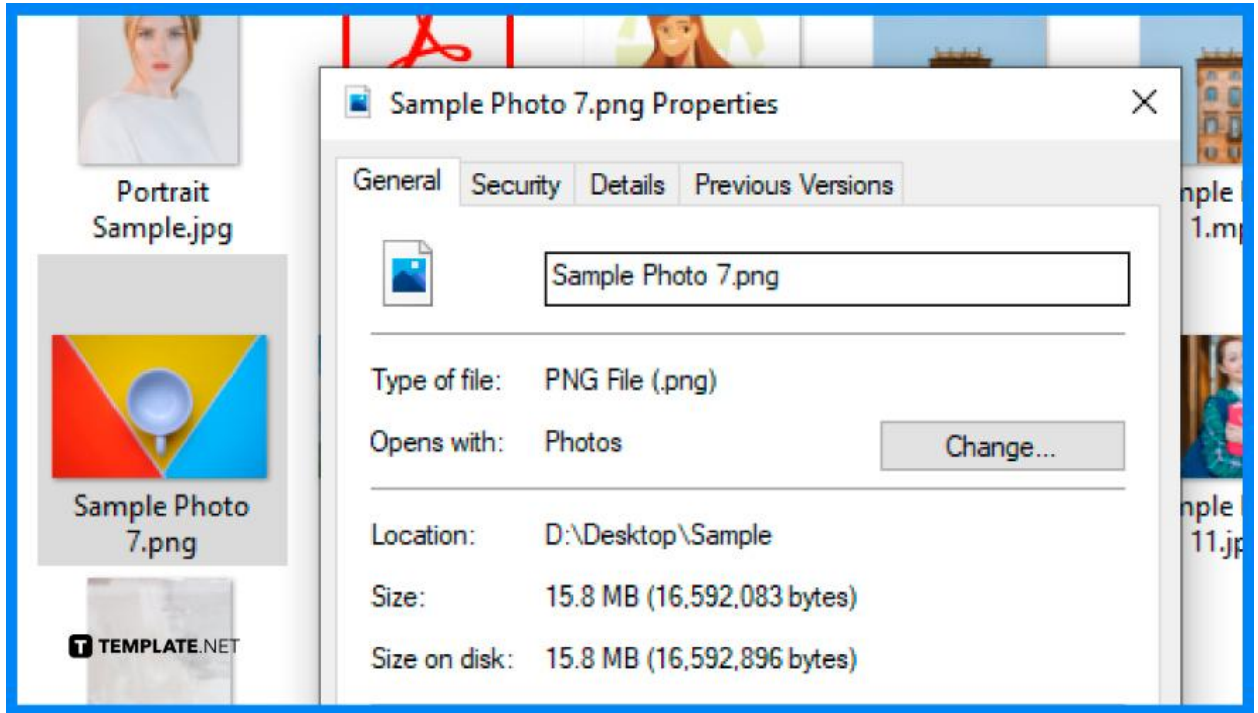

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PNG files can be uploaded and shared on all sorts of online platforms. Whether it's a drawing, photo, or visual illustration, PNG is a great file type to go. Here are the steps on how to reduce it to the size one prefers.
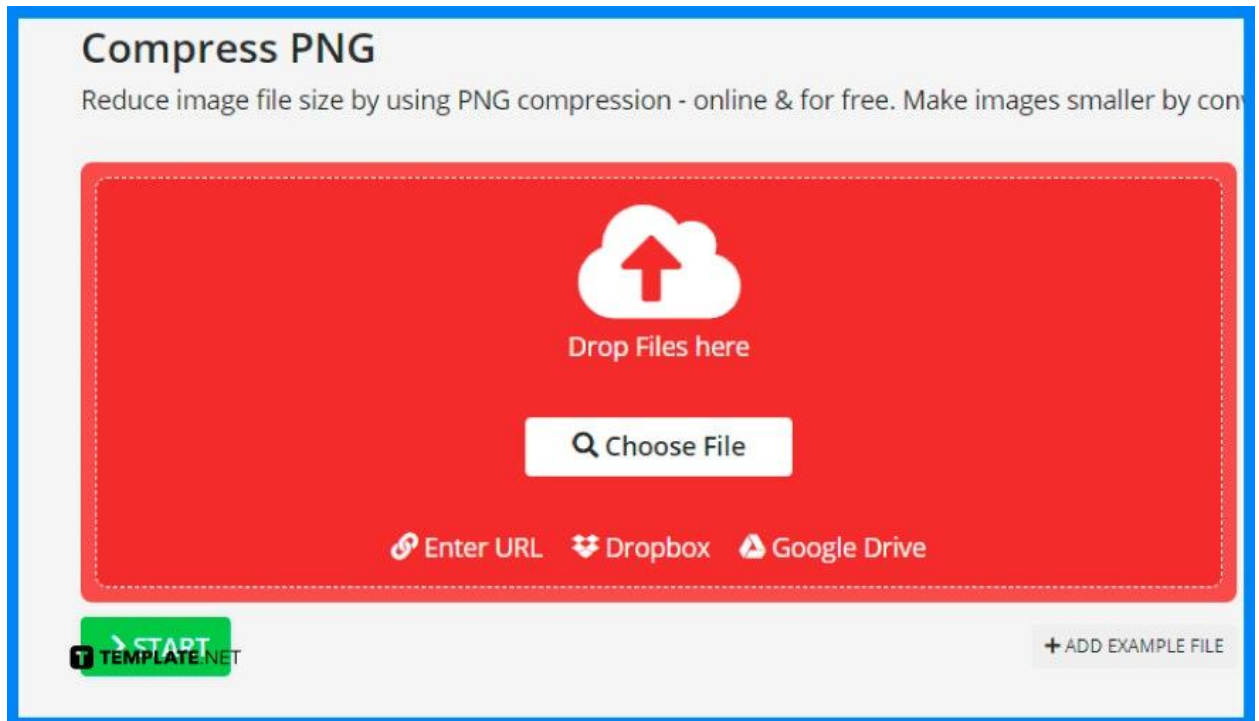
- **Step 1: Open PNG image**
  The first step users need to do is to choose and pick the PNG image that they wish to resize. This is to double-check and ensure that they are resizing the right image especially if it has similar images placed together.
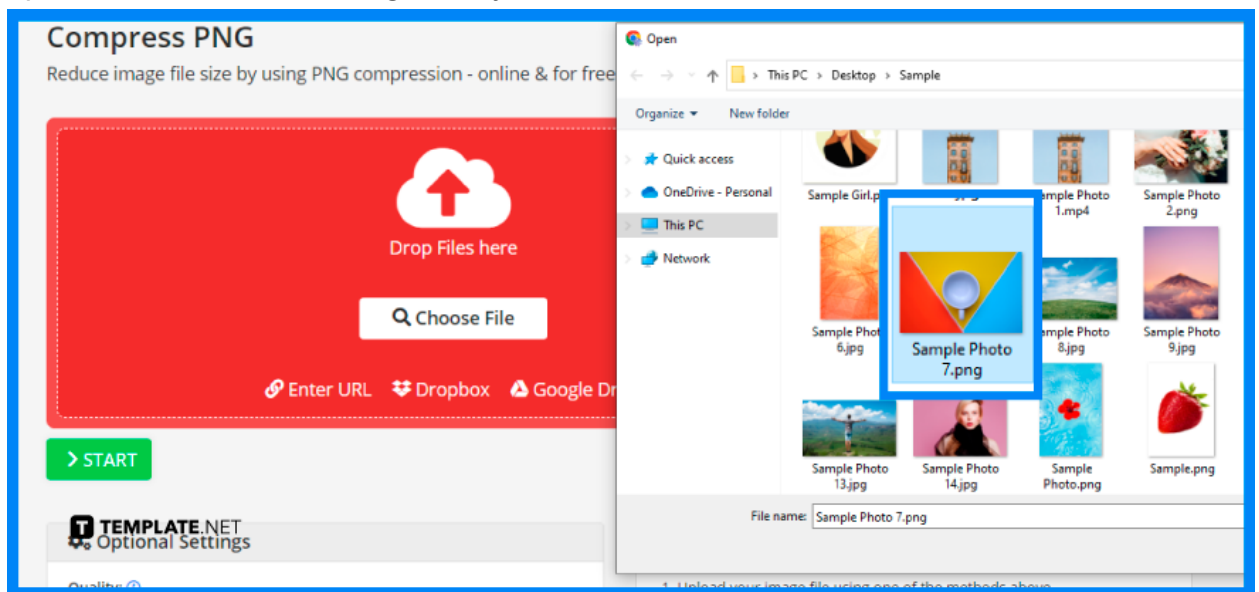
- **Step 2: Use Software or Third-Party Tools**
  You can use software like Adobe Photoshop or third-party tools easily found online, to resize the PNG image.
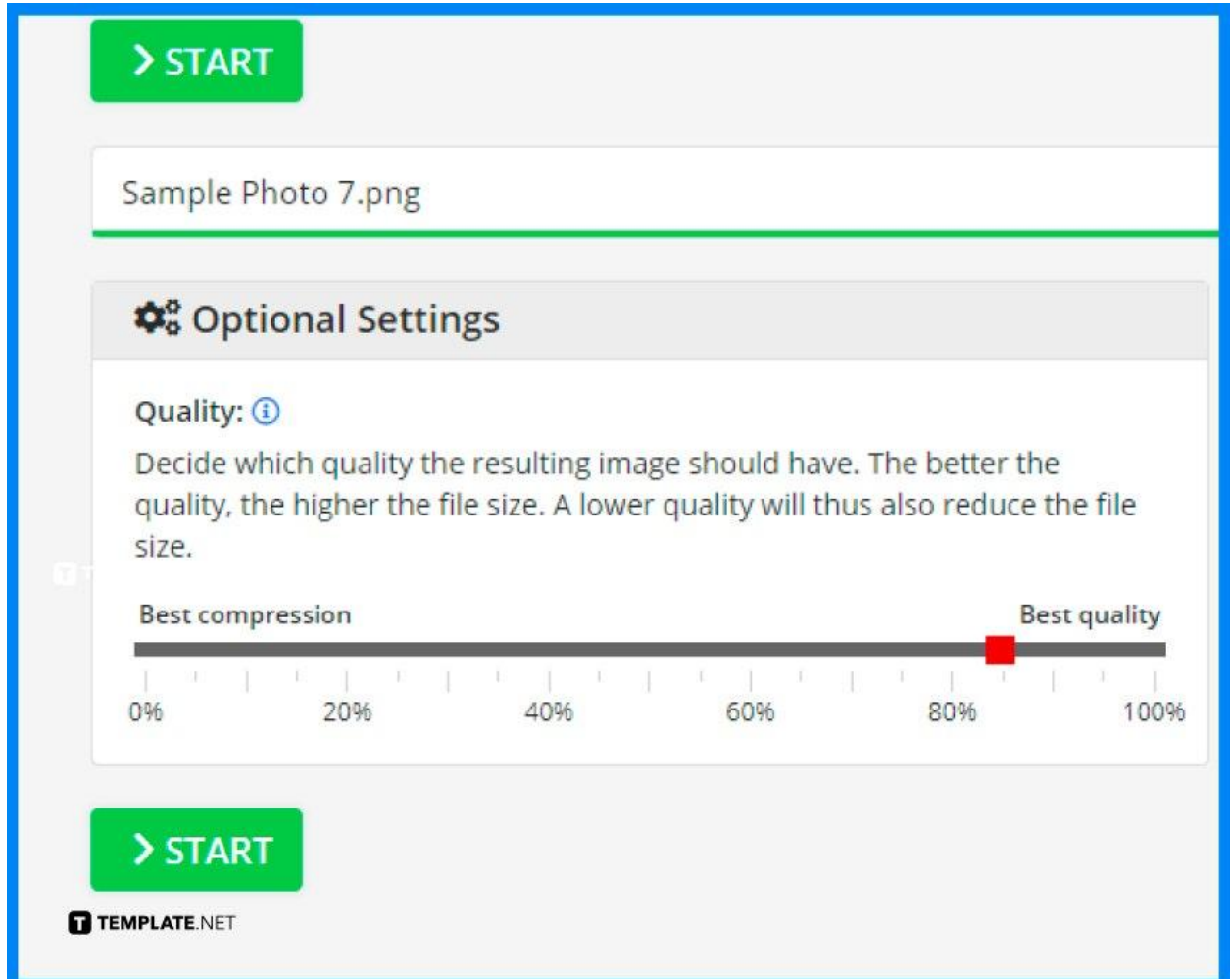

- **Step 3: Upload PNG Image**
  Next, upload the PNG image to the editing software/third-party tool. With the editing software, you can do this by clicking Insert and picking the Upload Image option. With third-party tools, you can upload them right away as they tend to have an Upload button that is seen right away.

- **Step 4: Choose New Size**
  With the tools you have chosen, you can easily pick a new size to render your PNG image. Once you have confirmed it, save the image in its new size, and upload it wherever you wish to share it!

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Sample Photo 7.png

⚙ Optional Settings

Quality: ⓘ

Decide which quality the resulting image should have. The better the quality, the higher the file size. A lower quality will thus also reduce the file size.

Best compression   Best quality

0%   20%   40%   60%   80%   100%

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You can also access older versions of Premiere Elements at the
bottom left if you are more familiar with using
the previous versions of the software.

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FAQs

What is one reason to resize a PNG image?

One reason to reduce a PNG image is to meet upload requirements for an online platform.

Can you reduce the size of a PNG image using other file formats?

Yes, you can do so by uploading it to another software and then saving it as another file format.

Does resizing a PNG file affect the image quality?

Yes, resizing the PNG image can affect the quality of the image.

What are two other methods of resizing a PNG image?

Two other methods include saving the PNG image in grayscale or compressing the PNG file.

What is two editing software that can help resize a PNG file?

Editing software like Adobe Photoshop and Adobe Illustrator can resize a PNG file.