

4.3 Downloading Files and Folders

To download one file, open its three-dot action menu and select **Download**. Your browser saves the original file.

To download a folder or several selected items, select them and choose **Download**. Files prepares a ZIP archive for the group. The archive is a copy; the originals remain in the Vault.

For a large collection, use the Nextcloud desktop client instead of creating one large browser archive. Synchronization transfers files individually and can continue after a connection interruption.

Files shared with you can be downloaded only when the owner has granted download permission.

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