

# DELETE ddl/database/:db/table/:table

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## 1 Description

Delete (drop) an HCatalog table.

## 2 URL

`http://www.myserver.com/templeton/v1/ddl/database/:db/table/:table`

## 3 Parameters

Name	Description	Required?	Default
<b>:db</b>	The database name	Required	None
<b>:table</b>	The table name	Required	None
<b>ifExists</b>	Hive 0.70 and later returns an error if the table specified does not exist, unless ifExists is set to true.	Optional	false
<b>group</b>	The user group to use	Optional	None
<b>permissions</b>	The permissions string to use. The format is "rwxrwx-r-x".	Optional	None

## 4 Results

Name	Description
<b>table</b>	The table name
<b>database</b>	The database name

## 5 Example

### Curl Command

```
% curl -s -X DELETE 'http://localhost:50111/templeton/v1/ddl/database/default/table/test_table?user.name=ctdean'
```

### JSON Output

```
{
  "table": "test_table",
  "database": "default"
}
```

*DELETE ddl/database/db/table/table*

```
}
```