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Chapter 1

AmigaPatchListAminet

1.1 Amiga Software Patch List Aminet release 2.9 (16.11.97)

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IMPORTANT: If you are concerned about the legality of this document, read about copyright issues and the Aminet situation .

This not the full version of the Amiga Patch List. The full version is currently NOT available from Aminet sites, due to a (in my opinion) bizarre censorship policy. This is a cut-down Aminet version. See below for where to obtain the full version. Patches for the following games have been removed in this Aminet version: \cdot Civilization \cdot Formula One Grand Prix \cdot Railroad Tycoon

This document is a list of various patches for commercial Amiga software, to remove manual- and disk-based copy-protection. Of course, you should only alter a backup copy, and the altered copy is subject to the same distribution restrictions as the original program. Please don't use information in this file to distribute unauthorised copies of the games mentioned here. This document is for use by those who wish to back up their original software, or remove protection from the same (which can be very annoying - for example the protection in Frontier).

This document is freely distributable. Paul David Doherty has made a "front end" web page for the Amiga Patch List at the following URL: http://www2.rz.hu-berlin.de/angl/people/pdd/amipatch.html You can also download the latest version of the Patch List from my web space at: http://www.netcomuk.co.uk/~markk/index.html

To apply these patches, I recommend that you use the 'Hex' file editor by Nicola Salmoria (available on Fish disk #517 and on Aminet). In each case the first byte of a file is at offset 0, and all figures apart from file lengths are in hexadecimal. If you're low on memory, you may have to use a sector-based file editor like NewZAP instead. To make a backup copy of games which have on-disk protection, use a copier which will not stop at an error, like SuperDuper. Remember, you should ALWAYS write protect your original disks. NEVER modify them.

I use the 'CRC' program to calculate file checksums, before and after patching. Run CRC on your initial and final executables to verify their correctness. The CRC program is included in this distribution, and is also distributed with Zoom 5.4 by Olaf Barthel; see this for more information on CRC.

If you have problems with any patches given here, please let me know. If you've developed patches for any programs not included, please send them to me, preferably in a similar format to the ones below. Remember to give the version number if you know it. Future growth of this list depends on you! I don't own every original game in the world...

This document uses some Amigaguide V40 features. If you have an earlier version, some things may not appear correctly.

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The 113 programs covered in this release are:

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1.2 About Infocom Patches

Infocom story files contain a checksum used when you type '\$verify' to check the correctness of the story file. Any changes to the story file, like removal of copy-protection, will necessitate a change to the checksum in order for '\$verify' to continue to work correctly.

When you save a game in progress, the first part of the story file is included in the save file; this includes the story file checksum. So if you load a saved game, saved when playing from an original story file, when playing with a patched story file, there may be a problem with the '\$verify' command due to the differing checksums. The interpreter may report a bad story file when in fact the story file is intact. Not every interpreter does this; Infocom's own does, but ZIP 2.0 does not.

These patches were made possible by Mark Howell's TxD Infocom data file disassembler, Paul David Doherty's DebugTool 1.11, and Graham Nelson's Z-Code specification document. If you're interested in Infocom and interactive fiction in general, you should check out the FTP site ftp.gmd.de, in the directory /if-archive.

1.3 About LockPick

LockPick 2.0 is a parameter-based disk copier which contains a very large number of parameters (504!). Some of the patches in this list came from LockPick. LockPick also allows backup of some disks which use a non-DOS format, something which isn't possible for a simple patch. You can download LockPick from the author's home page at the following URL: http://www.cse.psu.edu/~by

1.4 Where to find the tools mentioned here

Program Aminet path Aminet CD DiskX disk/misc/DiskX.lha Set 1 D FreeCopy 1.9 disk/bakup/freecopy19.lha Set 1 D Hex disk/moni/HexED.lha Set 2 c Imploder 4.0 util/pack/imploder_4_0.lzh Set 1 A Mon 1.65 dev/moni/mon165.lha Set 1 A SuperDuper disk/misc/SD3V13.lha Set 2 c TrackDOS disk/misc/TrackDOS.lha Set 1 D xfd 1.15 util/pack/xfd115.lha Set 4 a Zoom 5.4 util/arc/Zoom_5_4.lha Set 1 a

More recent versions of some of these programs may be on Aminet FTP sites, or later Aminet CDs.

1.5 Copyright Issues

This section contains important information. Please read it carefully.

Publication of the information contained in this document does not in itself infringe any copyrights. The simple fact is that THE AMIGA PATCH LIST IS PERFECTLY LEGAL. So any decision not to publish, for example on Aminet FTP sites, amounts to censorship.

For detailed information on the legal situation in the United States (relevant since the main Aminet site is in the USA), see http://web.idirect.com/~neverloc/legalcpy.html This page is maintained by a Canadian company called Copyware Inc., which sells programs to enable backups to be made of commercial copy-protected PC software.

To quote Paul David Doherty: \cdot patches that only work if you own an original game are not in the same league as installers that only work with pirated games; \cdot crackers aren't interested in patches for original software because they prefer to crack those games themselves; \cdot pirates aren't interested in patches for original commercial software because they don't have original protected software in the first place; \cdot the only beneficiary of such patches is the rightful owner of commercial software who wants to protect the valuable original disks from damage or wants to make the games HD installable.

I will add another couple of points: • In the case of games which have manual-based copy-protection, a patch to allow use without referring to the manual can greatly enhance game-play. Some games repeatedly ask for a word from the manual to be entered during the game. This is extremely annoying, and if you play the game a lot, causes the manual to become "dog-eared" quickly. If you regularly play many such games, you have to have many game manuals lying around, cluttering up your room, and making it more likely that some will get lost or damaged. • If the owner of an original copy of a game with manual protection is intent on piracy, the existence of otherwise of a patch in this list will not stop them -- they will just photocopy the relevant section in the manual.

In any case, there are already programs on Aminet which install (copy-protected) games to hard disk -- see the many hard disk installers in game/patch. These remove the copy-protection anyway. So there is no justification for the Aminet administrators refusing to accept this file.

The current situation is that the full version of the Amiga Patch List is not being accepted by the Aminet administrators. I received the following email from Urban Mueller on 9-Oct-97:

------ message begins ------ Return-Path: mueller@indiac.relog.ch Received: from indiac.relog.ch (indiac.relog.ch [194.191.121.20]) by excalibur.netcom.net.uk (8.8.5 (SB)/8.8.5) with ESMTP id CAA27528 for <markk@netcomuk.co.uk>; Thu, 9 Oct 1997 02:45:20 +0100 (BST) Received: (from mueller@localhost) by indiac.relog.ch (8.8.5/8.8.5) id DAA21605; Thu, 9 Oct 1997 03:42:33 +0200 (MDT) From: Urban D Mueller <mueller@relog.ch>Message-Id: <199710090142.DAA21605@indiac.relog.ch> Subject: Re: AmigaPatchList To: peter@dalling.u-net.com (Peter Dalling) Date: Thu, 9 Oct 1997 03:42:32 +0200 (MDT) Cc: umueller@wuarchive.wustl.edu, markk@netcomuk.co.uk, mscheler@aminet.org In-Reply-To: <E0x6CGn-0007fg-00@wrath> from "Peter Dalling" at Sep 3, 97 11:01:15 am X-Mailer: ELM [version 2.4 PL24 ME8] Content-Type: text

>> Hi Urban, >> First off let me say thank you for what you are doing with Aminet, it is > the most valuable resource available to any Amiga user. >> My reason for writing is my concern regarding AmigaPatchList, it's latest > vesion (2.6) contains details on how to patch games which are still > available, or have now be re-issued in the UK. >> The following Microprose games have been re-released by Guildhall Leisure. >> Civilization > Formula One Grand Prix > Gunship > Railroad Tycoon > Silent Service >> Given the precarious nature of the Amiga scene at the moment, I think we > should be supporting the software houses by /buying/ these games, not > giving people the tools to make pirate copies. >> I believe you have previously refused to allow AmigaPatchList onto the > Aminet, I think you should review your decision and ban it again.

Sorry about the long delay. Altho I think the file is legal as it is, I've decided to remove it until these are patches are gone. However that wasn't an easy decision, I tend to allow as much as possible.

-Urban

----- message ends ------

What this means is that perfectly legal files can be removed from Aminet simply because someone disapproves for whatever reason of the archive contents. I don't believe this is an acceptable situation. If you agree, I suggest that you voice your concerns to the Aminet administrators, Urban Müller (unueller@wuarchive.wustl.edu) and Mattias Scheler (mscheler@aminet.org). Aminet should accept ALL legal Amiga-related files.

Contrary to what Peter Dalling says in the above quoted message, Guildhall Leisure have not re-released either Gunship or Silent Service. They have re-released Gunship 2000 and Silent Service II.

Sadly, considering the current state of the Amiga commercial software market, the (very weak) arguments against a list like this are in practice not relevant anyway. Almost all of the programs covered are available new any more, so revenue loss is not an issue. The points given above detail why the Patch List is unlikely to contribute to software piracy. What is an issue however, is the fact that in almost every case it is impossible to replace your original disks if something nasty happens to them. As an example of this, my original Times of Lore disk is faulty, and cannot be replaced. Games are usually de-listed a short while after release, and the software company may cease trading.

1.6 Version History

Version History

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1.0 Initial release (not widely distributed).
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1.1 Various minor changes, and the following new patches:
   AMFV release 79
   Frontier 'Version to Gametek (Release 4) 1.05'
   Sorcerer releases 13, 18
   Stationfall release 107
   Thunderboy
1.2 More minor changes, and the following new patches:
   Breach 1.02e
   Kult
   Mindfighter
   Ogre 1.06
   The Settlers
 Corrected version of Frontier to 1.05 in patch list.
 Added information to (hopefully) allow any version of Frontier to be
 patched.
1.3 More minor changes, and the following new patches:
   Budokan
   Emerald Mine (three versions)
   Epic 3.17
   Extensor
   Gods 1.00
   MovieSetter 1.0P
   Starglider
 Bug fix! Added another word to alter for 'The Settlers' patch. The
 old patch in v1.2 of this list was incomplete, and meant that the
 machine would crash after a while.
1.4 More minor changes, and the following new patches:
   Champions of Krynn 1.0
   Demon's Tomb - The Awakening 1.00
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DragonStrike 1.0 ESWAT Gridrunner 28/2/90 Line of Fire Storm Across Europe 1.0 Sword of Aragon 1.0 1.5 The following new patch added: Colorado 1.6 Yet more minor changes, and the following new patches added: Back to the Future II Theme Park Mystery 1.7 The following new patches added: CJ in the USA Dizzy Collection 1.8 Converted list to AmigaGuide format. Reformatted text to 77 columns. Added note to sysops/moderators. More minor changes. Changed my addresses. Removed Rob Northen flame. Changed AMFV and Sorcerer patches. The idea is to preserve gameplay as much as possible - now the game always asks for the same number or sequence of buttons; you are able to enter an incorrect number or sequence as in the original versions. Added note for Infocom patches. Changed name to Amiga Patch List; there aren't only games any more. The following new patches added: Barbarian - The Ultimate Warrior UK PAL Version 24/03/88 Beast Busters Brian the Lion AGA A1200 Computer Combat version Bureaucracy release 116 Castles CJ's Elephant Antics Dennis AGA Gunship 832.03 Oscar AGA Pro Tennis Tour II Scroller 2 1.01 Seymour Goes to Hollywood Silent Service 825.03 SimEarth Spellbreaker release 87 Super Seymour Saves the Planet Wizball Wonder Dog Zool 2 AGA A1200 Computer Combat version 1.81 Very minor changes (not released, as far as I can remember). The following new patch added: Pinball Fantasies AGA 1.9 More changes. Information on how to bypass protection in Chess Player 2150 added

(there's a 'backdoor'), and the following new patch added: Super Tetris 2.0 Added 'Where to find tools' section. The following new patches added: E-motion Astra Pack version Kelly X PowerMonger 2.1 A couple of minor changes. Added button for Pinball Fantasies AGA in list of patches. Put the correct disk name in the patch for this game. The following new patches added: Beneath a Steel Sky Dune II Eye of the Beholder Eye of the Beholder 2 Jumping Jackson Megatraveller 1 Pinball Fantasies AGA (slightly different version) Railroad Tycoon 855.02 Many thanks to Tue Brisson for all the new patches in this version and the bug report! 2.2 Updated information on the XFD package. Vastly simplified the Zool 2 AGA patch - XFD now supports the cruncher used. As a side effect, the CRC values have changed. The following new patch added: Sorcerer release 6 2.3 The following new patches added (all except North & South integrated from LockPick or FreeCopy): Battletech - The Crescent Hawk's Inception 2.3 Cybercon III Déjà Vu - A Nightmare Comes True Déjà Vu II - Lost in Las Vegas Evil Garden Midwinter II - Flames of Freedom North & South Passing Shot Raider Shufflepuck Cafe 1.0 The Hound of Shadow The Jetsons 1.0 The New Zealand Story The Secret of Monkey Island Bug fix! The Railroad Tycoon patch didn't work. It didn't disable the two train limit if you picked the wrong train. Oops... (reported by Shafiq Rahaman - thanks!) Added SuperDuper and Imploder 4.0 to the 'Where to find...' section. Added information about the URL for the Amiga Patch List. Added 'Copyright Issues' section. Used some Amigaguide V40 features. Provided Workbench icons for the .guide and .readme files. Some more small changes.

2.4 Added 'About LockPick' and 'Help Wanted!' sections. The usual minor changes. The following new patches added: Magic Boy Sorcerer release 4 Spellbreaker release 63 The Secret of Monkey Island II Wiz & Liz 2.5 Updated LockPick information with URL of the author's home page. Added CRC information to Railroad Tycoon 855.02 patch. The following new patches added: Battlehawks 1942 Battlestorm Die Siedler (German version of The Settlers), two versions Graeme Souness Vector Soccer Worms 2.6 Updated Copyright Issues section. The following new patches added (the only one developed by myself is Italy 1990): Alien Breed Tower Assault AGA HD Breathless 1.00 Civilization (four versions) Hired Guns 39.25 Italy 1990 Winners Edition (from Super Sim Pack compilation) Maniac Mansion The Secret of Monkey Island II (another version - maybe the German release?), patch supplied by Thomas Straubinger NOTE: From here on the history diverges. There are two versions, a cut-down one for Aminet distribution and a full one for distribution elsewhere. Some of the patches have been removed for the Aminet release. The entries below are for the full version. Complain to the Aminet administrators if you find this unacceptable. 2.7 Updated the Patch List to reflect the current Aminet censorship please read the Copyright Issues section! Added note about bugged Maniac Mansion patch. Changed my email address to a generic equivalent. Corrected name of Codemasters Dizzy compilation. Updated Hired Guns information. The following new patch added: Civilization 855.04 German version 2.8 The following new patches added from LockPick and Maverick: Red Lightning v1.1 Renegade Legion Interceptor Version 1.0 (13-May-91) Times of Lore 2.9 Added more information to the Copyright Issues section, including a pointer to a web page explaining the US legal situation. Reinstated the Gunship and Silent Service patches to the cut-down Aminet release - Guildhall Leisure have not re-released either of these two titles. Updated Maniac Mansion patch and added more information about the Kixx XL re-release of this game.

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The following new patches added:
Battle Chess
Breathless versions 1.10, 1.11, 1.11 (68060)
Civilization 855.01 German version
Dogfight 1.01
Sim Earth hires version 1.0 (8.7.92)
```

1.7 To Do

Changes to be made in a later version

Add more Emerald Mine versions; the Emerald Mines CD also contains original game files, it seems.

Add patches for: Great Courts II (= Pro Tennis Tour II) The A600 version of Formula 1 Grand Prix

Integrate more patches from FreeCopy, LockPick and Maverick.

Use more

Amigaguide V40 features.

1.8 About The Author

I hope you find these patches useful. A large proportion were developed by myself, and can not be found in any parameter disk copiers.

If you want to contribute a patch of your own, or have any comments or suggestions, send me email or alternatively a disk along with sufficient return postage. Ideally, put some interesting software on the disk.

Do not send large files by email without asking me first.

Regards, -- Mark Knibbs mark_k@iname.com

For the forseeable future, mail sent to the following address will reach me quickly: 25 Rutts Lane West Lavington DEVIZES Wiltshire SN10 4LN United Kingdom

1.9 Help Wanted!

Is there a program that can decrypt Rob Northen copy-protection code? I haven't needed to use such a program for deprotecting any of the games which use this protection, but it would be interesting to see what his code actually does.

I would also like to know the distribution status of the parameter disk copier Maverick. Is this still available? Who are the developers?

My original Times of Lore disk has an error. Please contact me if you can help.

1.10 A Mind Forever Voyaging (Infocom)

```
"A Mind Forever Voyaging" (Infocom)
Release 77 / Serial number 850814
 File to alter: "story.data" (see comments below)
                            ("
                                            ")
 File length: 262018
                                    "
   Offset
             Change From Change To
                 03 ;New game checksum
   $00001D
             31
   $033461
            10
                   01
   $033469
            20
                   01
 Original CRC Checksum = $A26FEE15
 Original WRAP Checksum = $213D1F80
 Final CRC Checksum = $CD6EFB58
 Final WRAP Checksum = $21991F80
Release 79 / Serial number 851122
 File to alter: "story.data" (see comments below)
                           ("
                                            ")
 File length: 262036
                                    "
            Change From Change To
   Offset
                   32
   $00001D 60
                       ;New game checksum
   $033471
            10
                   01
   $033479
            20
                   01
 Original CRC Checksum = $C942537B
 Original WRAP Checksum = $2F4E8ECA
 Final CRC Checksum = $9C7232AD
 Final WRAP Checksum = $2FAA8ECA
Comments: This removes the 'Class One Security Mode Access Decoder'
   protection. You will always be asked to enter the security
   code corresponding to WHITE 89, which is of course 12.
   These patches are for PC data files. The data files for Amiga
   versions may be padded to a multiple of 512 bytes. In this
   case the CRC checksums given above will be wrong. As far as I
   know, releases 77 and 79 were the only versions of AMFV
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released.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.11 Alien Breed Tower Assault AGA HD (Team 17)

```
"Alien Breed Tower Assault AGA HD" (Team 17)
File to alter: "AB"
File length: 279220
```

```
Offset Change From Change To

$00048A6 6614 4E71

$00048F0 67 60

Original CRC Checksum = $49010EEC

Original WRAP Checksum = $CE04DB59

Final CRC Checksum = $0D9B3AA2

Final WRAP Checksum = $D504F2FC

Comments: The game will no longer ask for disk 1.

Originator: Probably Fairlight, patch sent to me by Tue Brisson
```

1.12 Art of Chess (SPA)

```
"Art of Chess" (SPA)
File to alter: "c/cur" on disk "CHESS"
File length: 136736
Offset Change From Change To
   $0094F0  48E7 7FFE 7000 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = $B7E9B3D8
Original WRAP Checksum = $7ED611B0
Final CRC Checksum = $F448F879
Final WRAP Checksum = $57BD42B9
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
```

1.13 Back to the Future II (Images/Imageworks)

```
"Back to the Future II" (Images/Imageworks)
You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the
EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.
Locate block 1310 (track 59, sector 1, head 1).
Search for the hex string 487A 000A (at offset $164).
Replace this with 6000 08DA.
Locate block 1315 (track 59, sector 6, head 1).
Search for the hex string 6600 F6FA (at offset $4C).
Replace this with 4E71 4E71.
```

If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.

Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection. Due to a certain lameness on the part of the person who put the disk together, the game does not work on anything other than a 68000. [The header for a normal load file is executed, not skipped over.] To fix this, use your disk editor to change the 2 bytes at block 100 (track 4, sector 1, head 1), offset 0 (starting with \$000003F3) to hex 601E. The game will work on a plain A1200 by doing this, but you may need to use Kickstart 1.2 or 1.3 and turn the cache off.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.14 Balance of Power 1990 (Mindscape)

```
"Balance of Power 1990" (Mindscape)
File to alter: "bop" on disk "BOP"
File length: 269252
Offset Change From Change To
$040B8C 66D8 4E71
$040BE4 6600 FF7A 4E71 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = $C54051B2
Original WRAP Checksum = $6711DA19
Final CRC Checksum = $8CF43C50
Final WRAP Checksum = $97088B22
Comments: You no longer need to enter a word from the manual.
Originator: FreeCopy 1.8 parameter
```

1.15 Barbarian - The Ultimate Warrior (Palace) UK PAL Version 24/03/88

"Barbarian - The Ultimate Warrior" (Palace) UK PAL Version 24/03/88 There are two files to alter. First, use a text editor to add a semicolon before the s of 'startit' in the s/startup-sequence file on the Barbarian disk. File to alter: "main" on disk "copy of Barbarian 1" File length: 35104 Offset Change From Change To \$00003A 4E40 4E71 2C78 0004 Original CRC Checksum = \$D1ED5ED3 Original WRAP Checksum = \$FB595158

```
Final CRC Checksum = $DCD9F8F0
Final WRAP Checksum = $49C67321
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
```

There are at least two versions of Barbarian. This patch is for the version given away several years ago with new Amigas as part of the 'Tenstar pack'. My original full-price release disk is a different version; all code is encrypted. If you have another version, try searching for 4E40 4E71, and replacing this with 2C78 0004.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.16 Battle Chess (Interplay)

```
"Battle Chess" (Interplay)
  File to alter: "BattleChess" on disk "BattleChess"
  File length: 83904
    Offset
              Change From Change To
              6606
    $006962
                      6016
    $00699B
              FΕ
                    02
  Original CRC Checksum = $27844F22
  Original WRAP Checksum = $F394D2BF
  Final CRC Checksum = $710AC88D
  Final WRAP Checksum = $F394D9AB
Comments: This removes the copy protection, so you can enter any value.
```

Originator: LockPick parameter, sent by Russell Hodges

1.17 Battle Command (Realtime Games/Ocean) Release Version V1.1 28/11/1990

"Battle Command" (Realtime Games/Ocean) Release Version V1.1 28/11/1990 You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0. Locate block 165 (track 7, sector 0, head 1). Search for the hex string 487A 000A 23DF 0000 0010. Replace this with 203C AB7D 25B5 6000 08D4. If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.
Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

To check the version number of your game, press Ctrl-V during

play. If it says 'PRelease \ldots ', then something has gone wrong.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.18 Battlehawks 1942 (Lucasfilm Games)

```
"Battlehawks 1942" (Lucasfilm Games)
File to alter: "BH" on disk "BHawk1"
File length: 167936
Offset Change From Change To
$0025CA 6604 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = $D0BB928B
Original WRAP Checksum = $7A880704
Final CRC Checksum = $7A881E97
Comments: Enter any password at the recognition test.
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter
```

1.19 Battlestorm (Titus)

```
"Battlestorm" (Titus)
File to alter: "BAT" on disk "BAT"
File length: 47308
Offset Change From Change To
$009886 4E55 0000 48E7 21FC 2506 0808
$00988C FFFE 33FC 0200 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = $4692CEA9
Original WRAP Checksum = $23C62120
Final CRC Checksum = $889A221E
Final WRAP Checksum = $FCBE73DF
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter
```

1.20 Battletech - The Crescent Hawk's Inception (Westwood Associates/Infocom)

"Battletech - The Crescent Hawk's Inception" (Westwood Associates/Infocom) 2.3
File to alter: "Battletech/battletech" on disk "Battletech Version 2.3"
File length: 204784
Offset Change From Change To
\$00D5F1 01 00
Original CRC Checksum = \$D4EC331D
Original WRAP Checksum = \$009662F8
Final CRC Checksum = \$009662F8
Final CRC Checksum = \$009762F8
Comments: You can choose anything when asked to identify a Mech part.
Altering this file causes the \$verify command on the disk to
report that the file is bad. This is nothing to worry about.

Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

1.21 Beast Busters (Images Design/Activision)

```
"Beast Busters" (Images Design/Activision)
  File to alter: "bbusters" on disk " " [Disk 1]
  File length: 101036
             Change From Change To
    Offset
             487A 000A 23DF 203C 96C1 AAFE
    $00004A
    $000050
             00
                   60
    $000052
             0010
                     091C
  Original CRC Checksum = $52FAF321
  Original WRAP Checksum = $98771586
  Final CRC Checksum = $5CAF0DD7
  Final WRAP Checksum = $A1BFAD98
Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.
```

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.22 Beneath a Steel Sky (Revolution/Virgin) Version 10\3\1994

```
"Beneath a Steel Sky" (Revolution/Virgin) Version 10\3\1994
File to alter: "SteelSky" on disk "disk_15" (Boot Disk)
File length: 187528
Offset Change From Change To
$0035F2 FF FE
```

\$005992 51 50 \$009ADA 321A B2 34C0 B0 Original CRC Checksum = \$3C4B6D2F Original WRAP Checksum = \$A0A30275 Final CRC Checksum = \$36E7DE32 Final WRAP Checksum = \$A2A301CF Comments: This patch allows you to enter any code at Security Services. Originator: Delirium

1.23 Birds of Prey (Argonaut/Electronic Arts)

"Birds of Prey" (Argonaut/Electronic Arts) Open a CLI/Shell window, and type the following: Assign TEMP: <Some directory with at least 720K free> CD "Birds of Prey:" GSG D bop_c TEMP:bop Then make the following changes to the file TEMP:bop. Change From Change To Offset \$09D47F 03 00 FFFF \$09D4BA 0000 0000 \$09D564 FFFF Original CRC Checksum for decompressed bop file = \$C649F94F Original WRAP Checksum for decompressed bop file = \$50F86BAD Final CRC Checksum for decompressed bop file = \$DD690012 Final WRAP Checksum for decompressed bop file = \$50F86BB0 Next, type the following in a CLI/Shell window: CD "Birds of Prey:" GSG C TEMP:bop bop_c Comments: Enter 19050 at the prompt. Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.24 Breach (Omnitrend/Artronic) 1.06

```
"Breach" (Omnitrend/Artronic) 1.06
File to alter: "Breach" on disk "Breach"
File length: 101448
```

```
Offset Change From Change To

$00F7BC 4E55 FF02 50C0 4E75

Original CRC Checksum = $08B5CC7F

Original WRAP Checksum = $2EC164D2

Final CRC Checksum = $B4A3BCDF

Final WRAP Checksum = $2C57155F

Comments: You no longer need to enter a key from the keys card.

Originator: Mark Knibbs
```

1.25 Breathless (Fields of Vision/Power Computing)

```
"Breathless" (Fields of Vision/Power Computing)
Version 1.00
 File to alter: "Breathless" on disk "BREATHLESS1"
 File length: 112280
            Change From Change To
   Offset
   $0016898 6614
                    4E71
 Original CRC Checksum = $BDD45AFA
 Original WRAP Checksum = $066E0467
 Final CRC Checksum = $99E5F281
 Final WRAP Checksum = $5FF41DD0
Version 1.10 (update available on Aminet as game/patch/Breathless1_1.1ha)
 File to alter: "Breathless" on disk "BREATHLESS1"
 File length: 116336
   Offset
            Change From Change To
   $00171FA 6614
                    4E71
 Original CRC Checksum = $7DF6E50D
 Original WRAP Checksum = $F52F7179
 Final CRC Checksum = $22CD7033
 Final WRAP Checksum = $F52F891C
Version 1.11 (update available on Aminet as game/patch/Breathless1_1F.lha)
 File to alter: "Breathless" on disk "BREATHLESS1"
 File length: 116336
   Offset
            Change From Change To
   $00171FA 6614
                    4E71
```

```
Original CRC Checksum = $063B9C22
  Original WRAP Checksum = $F5DB70B9
  Final CRC Checksum = $5900091C
  Final WRAP Checksum = $F5DB885C
Version 1.11 68060 (update available on Aminet as game/patch/Breath1060.lha)
  File to alter: "Breathless" on disk "BREATHLESS1"
  File length: 121832
             Change From Change To
    Offset
    $0018772 6614
                     4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $4C7F7445
  Original WRAP Checksum = $B072A729
  Final CRC Checksum = $1344E17B
  Final WRAP Checksum = $B072BECC
Comments: Select any symbols at protection check.
Originator: 1.00 patch sent by Tue Brisson, others sent by both Tue
    Brisson and Chuck Stone, 1.11 patch also contributed by
    Peter Madden
```

1.26 Brian the Lion AGA (Reflections/Psygnosis) A1200 Computer Combat version

"Brian the Lion AGA" (Reflections/Psygnosis) A1200 Computer Combat version This patch is quite involved. Perform the following steps carefully. Stage 1 Using a utility such as TrackDOS, create disk images (901120 bytes long) of disks 2 and 3. If you've installed Brian the Lion on your hard disk, you can use the files 'DISK2.BTL' and 'DISK3.BTL' respectively. Stage 2 Load the disk 2 image file into Hex. Click in the Start gadget and enter '400'. Press Return. The start of the file should now read 'PP20'. Click in the End gadget, erase the number 'CO3FF' and enter 'DF7'. Press Return. Save the file as 'RAM:tempfile.pp' Stage 3 Using a utility such as PowerPacker, DLD, xfdDecrunch or any program which can decrunch PowerPacker data files, decrunch the file 'RAM:tempfile.pp' to 'RAM:tempfile'.

Now make the following change to the file 'RAM:tempfile'.

File length: 13040
Offset Change From Change To
\$000001 FA 75
Original CRC Checksum = \$A20F4E6E
Original WRAP Checksum = \$F0C871C6
Final CRC Checksum = \$F730D78A
Final WRAP Checksum = \$F14D71C6
Now use PowerPacker (I have version 4.0a - you may need this version too) to
crunch the 'RAM:tempfile' file with 'Best' efficiency. Save it as
'RAM:tempfile.pp'. This should be 3576 bytes long.

Stage 4 Load the disk 2 image file into Hex.

Move to offset \$400. Choose 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select 'RAM:tempfile.pp'.

Move to offset \$1BC00. Choose 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select 'RAM:tempfile.pp'.

Save the file back to disk.

Load the disk 3 image file into Hex.

Move to offset \$18C00. Choose 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select 'RAM:tempfile.pp'.

Save the file back to disk.

Stage 5

If you were altering your 'DISK2.BTL' and 'DISK3.BTL' files, you can now play your deprotected Brian the Lion from hard disk. If not, use TrackDOS to write the modified disk image files to your copies of disks 2 and 3.

Comments: This patch removes the manual protection. The protection screen will no longer appear.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.27 Budokan (Electronic Arts)

"Budokan" (Electronic Arts)

You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.

On disk 1, locate block 90 (track 4, sector 2, head 0).
Search for the hex string 6700 000E 6100 FC08
Replace this with 4E71 4E71 4E71 4E71
If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum,
DO NOT DO THIS.
Comments: Identify the crest as anything.
Originator: LockPick parameter

1.28 Bureaucracy (Infocom) Release 116 / Serial number 870602

"Bureaucracy" (Infocom) Release 116 / Serial number 870602 File to alter: "story.data" (see comments below) (" File length: 243341 ... ") Offset Change From Change To \$00001C FC65 FFBC ; New game checksum 61 06 05 00 76 B4 B4 B4 B4 B4 \$027691 \$0276BB A0 00 C7 B4 B4 B4 Original CRC Checksum = \$C78BC1AD Original WRAP Checksum = \$BEF20C24 Final CRC Checksum = \$D589CEA0 Final WRAP Checksum = \$531C5D60 Comments: Part-way into the game, you will be asked five questions in the paranoid's house. This patch enables you to give any answer to each question. This patch is for the data file supplied as part of LTOI II for the PC. The data file for the Amiga version may be padded to a multiple of 512 bytes. In this case, the CRC and WRAP

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.29 Castles (Interplay)

```
"Castles" (Interplay)

File to alter: "CASTLES" on disk "Castles"

File length: 155900

Offset Change From Change To

$0233CC 0CAC 297C

$0233D4 57 50
```

checksums given above will be wrong.

```
Original CRC Checksum = $C0239A71
Original WRAP Checksum = $241B01F7
Final CRC Checksum = $764E2E69
Final WRAP Checksum = $0E4B01F7
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.
Originator: LockPick parameter
```

1.30 Champions of Krynn (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0

```
"Champions of Krynn" (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0
File to alter: "game" on disk "Disk One"
File length: 479844
Offset Change From Change To
$0125C6 6600 FD98 4E71 4E71
$0125EC 6600 0012 4E71 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = $269CFBA1
Original WRAP Checksum = $D95F34C9
Final CRC Checksum = $33D1D755
Final WRAP Checksum = $A014FDFA
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
```

1.31 Chess Player 2150 (Oxford Softworks)

Comments: This game has a built-in way to bypass the copy-protection! Simply enter 'TOBY' or 'toby' when asked to enter a word from the manual.

Originator: The program's author, discovered by Mark Knibbs

1.32 Civilization (Sid Meier/MicroProse)

"Civilization" (Sid Meier/MicroProse)

This patch has been removed from the Aminet release. See the front page of this document for where to obtain the full version of the Amiga Patch List.

1.33 CJ in the USA (Genesis Software/Codemasters) 18.5.92

"CJ in the USA" (Genesis Software/Codemasters) 18.5.92 (date from disk name) File to alter: "VC" on disk "CJ IN THE USA (18.5.92)" File length: 8384 The alterations needed here are quite involved. I will assume that you are using the 'Hex' file editor. You will also need FImp from the Imploder 4.0 distribution. Load the VC file into Hex. Click in the Start string gadget and enter the value 1E8. The start of the file should read 'CHFI'. Change this to 'IMP!'. Click in the End string gadget and change 1ED7 to 1ED1. Save the file as 'RAM:VCmain.im' From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain should be 23500 bytes long. Load the file 'RAM:VCmain' into Hex. Make the following changes: Offset Change From Change To \$000052 6100 OBC8 4E71 4E71 \$00067E 67 60 Save the modified file back as 'RAM:VCmain'. From a CLI/Shell window e nter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain.im should be 7888 bytes long. Load the VC file from your (copy of the) CJ in the USA disk. Move to offset \$1E8. Select 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select the file 'RAM:VCmain.im'. Still at offset \$1E8, change the 'IMP!' string to 'CHFI'. Save the file as 'VC' on your CJ in the USA disk. Original CRC Checksum for VC file = \$B5EE5BC9 Original WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$E864AF82 Final CRC Checksum for VC file = \$113DF5A4 Final WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$0DF662E8 Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection. Originator: Mark Knibbs 1.34 CJ's Elephant Antics (Genesis Software/Codemasters) "CJ's Elephant Antics" (Genesis Software/Codemasters) You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.

Locate block 22 (track 1, sector 0, head 0).

Search for the hex string 6100 076A (at offset \$58). Replace this with 4E71 4E71.

Locate block 31 (track 1, sector 9, head 0). Search for the hex string 0000 0000 (at offset \$60). Replace this with 433F 3C06. If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS. Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.35 Colorado (Silmarils/Action 16)

```
"Colorado" (Silmarils/Action 16)
File to alter: "T.X" on disk "Empty"
File length: 51140
Offset Change From Change To
$000972 4EB9 6004
Original CRC Checksum = $39EF1466
Original WRAP Checksum = $917E361D
Final CRC Checksum = $DE26600B
Final WRAP Checksum = $917E24D2
```

Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.36 Cybercon III (The Assembly Line/U.S. Gold)

"Cybercon III" (The Assembly Line/U.S. Gold) You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0. Locate block 226 (track 10, sector 6, head 0). Make the following changes: Offset in block Change From Change To \$000069 FΒ FC \$000071 FΕ 02 FΒ \$000075 FC F2 \$000077 02 \$000081 FC FΒ \$000083 ЕG 02

If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum,

DO NOT DO THIS. Comments: The code to open every door is 'AAA'. Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

1.37 Defender of the Crown (Cinemaware)

```
"Defender of the Crown" (Cinemaware)
File to alter: "Defender" on disk "Defender1"
File length: 85324
Offset Change From Change To
   $00DBAA 56CB FFFC 5548 2B3C 0000 0010
   $00DBB2 5243 66EC 9043 203C 0000 03D8
Original CRC Checksum = $6AB84734
Original WRAP Checksum = $5EB85459
Final CRC Checksum = $98FEB406
Final WRAP Checksum = $1D273C0E
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: LockPick parameter
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1.38 Déjà Vu - A Nightmare Comes True (Icom Simulations/Mindscape)

"Déjà Vu - A Nightmare Comes True" (Icom Simulations/Mindscape) File to alter: "Déjà Vu" on disk "DEJAVU" File length: 63296 Offset Change From Change To \$009A56 4EAC 8012 504F 203C 0000 012D \$009B12 4EAC 8012 504F 203C 0000 012D \$009B32 4EAC 8012 504F 203C 0000 03DD \$009C16 4EAC 8012 504F 203C 0000 012D Original CRC Checksum = \$3E0CB7E6 Original WRAP Checksum = \$3D981578 Final CRC Checksum = \$6246EB0A Final WRAP Checksum = \$3DE20912 Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

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1.39 Déjà Vu II - Lost in Las Vegas (Icom Simulations/Mindscape)

"Déjà Vu II - Lost in Las Vegas" (Icom Simulations/Mindscape)
File to alter: "DejaVuII" on disk "DejaVuII"
File length: 66916
Offset Change From Change To
\$00A7C8 4EBA 600E
Original CRC Checksum = \$B5B44F92
Original WRAP Checksum = \$5947BD53
Final CRC Checksum = \$C973FA98
Final WRAP Checksum = \$47F3BD53
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

1.40 Demon's Tomb - The Awakening (Silhouette Software/Melbourne House) 1.00

"Demon's Tomb - The Awakening" (Silhouette Software/Melbourne House) 1.00
File to alter: "game" on disk "Demon's_Tomb"
File length: 80864
Offset Change From Change To
\$000DBA 4EBA F44C 4200 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = \$3C2056DB
Original WRAP Checksum = \$3A8CE456
Final CRC Checksum = \$ED2BDBE3
Final WRAP Checksum = \$E067F110
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.41 Dennis (Ocean) Amiga 1200 version, from 'Desktop Dynamite' pack

"Dennis" (Ocean) Amiga 1200 version, from 'Desktop Dynamite' pack File to alter: "dennis" on disk " " [Disk A] File length: 168596 Offset Change From Change To \$00433E 48E7 4E75 Original CRC Checksum = \$91E443DD Original WRAP Checksum = \$C408BB50

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Final CRC Checksum = $DC77D04E
Final WRAP Checksum = $C408B5C2
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Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.42 D/Generation (Mindscape) 1.04/1.05 Jun 12 1992

"D/Generation" (Mindscape) 1.04/1.05 Jun 12 1992 [Version string in dgen file says 1.04, in-game text says 1.05.] File to alter: "dgen" on disk "DGEN1" File length: 134220 Offset Change From Change To \$01C38D 00 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$5A47D248 Original WRAP Checksum = \$C4CF4A2C Final CRC Checksum = \$14851D59 Final WRAP Checksum = \$C4CE4A2C Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection. Disk 2 no longer needs to be protected.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.43 Dizzy's Excellent Adventures (Codemasters)

"Dizzy's Excellent Adventures" (Codemasters)

This is a two disk compilation of Dizzy games. Disk 1 contains Dizzy Panic and Spellbound Dizzy; disk 2 contains Bubble Dizzy, Prince of the Yolkfolk and Kwiksnax. The file 'VC' needs to be patched on both disks. The method used is similar to that for the 'CJ in the USA' patch given elsewhere.

Disk 1

File to alter: "VC" on disk "SPELLBOUND (AMIGA V1.1)" File length: 6548

The alterations needed here are quite involved. I will assume that you are using the 'Hex' file editor. You will also need FImp from the Imploder 4.0 distribution.

Load the VC file into Hex. Click in the Start string gadget and enter the value 1E8. The start of the file should read 'CHFI'. Change this to 'IMP!'.

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Click in the End string gadget and change 17AB to 17A5. Save the file as 'RAM:VCmain.im' From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain should be 20308 bytes long. Load the file 'RAM:VCmain' into Hex. Make the following changes: Offset Change From Change To \$000164 41FA 4E75 \$000A9A 67 60 Save the modified file back as 'RAM:VCmain'. From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain.im should be 6054 bytes long. Load the VC file from (your copy of) disk 1. Move to offset \$1E8. Select 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select the file 'RAM:VCmain.im'. Still at offset \$1E8, change the 'IMP!' string to 'CHFI'. Save the file as 'VC' on disk 1. Original CRC Checksum for VC file = \$7F863387 Original WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$9C6D93DE Final CRC Checksum for VC file = \$02E4882E Final WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$AE5B7B68 Disk 2 File to alter: "VC" on disk "YOLKFOLK (AMIGA V1.1)" File length: 38208 The alterations needed here are quite involved. I will assume that you are using the 'Hex' file editor. You will also need FImp from the Imploder 4.0 distribution. Load the VC file into Hex. Click in the Start string gadget and enter the value 1E8. The start of the file should read 'CHFI'. Change this to 'IMP!'. Click in the End string gadget and change 9357 to 9351. Save the file as 'RAM:VCmain.im' From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain should be 52448 bytes long. Load the file 'RAM:VCmain' into Hex. Make the following changes: Offset Change From Change To \$000178 41FA 4E75 \$000AA6 67 60 Save the modified file back as 'RAM:VCmain'. From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain.im should be 37712 bytes long. Load the VC file from (your copy of) disk 2. Move to offset \$1E8. Select 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select the file 'RAM:VCmain.im'. Still at offset \$1E8, change the 'IMP!' string to 'CHFI'. Save the file as 'VC' on disk 2. Original CRC Checksum for VC file = \$C9C7E6AD

Original WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$94F24E33 Final CRC Checksum for VC file = \$7910E490 Final WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$3D181B4A Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Thanks to Keith Krellwitz for reporting the real title of this compilation. It was erroneously called 'Dizzy Collection' in previous versions of the Patch List.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.44 Dogfight (MicroProse) 1.01

```
"Dogfight" (MicroProse) 1.01
File to alter: "Dogfight" on disk "Dogfight_Disk_A"
File length: 233648
Offset Change From Change To
$02440E 69 60
Original CRC Checksum = $90234E11
Original WRAP Checksum = $C6C33017
Final CRC Checksum = $89FDEB55
Final WRAP Checksum = $C6C33717
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check
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Originator: Bob Duncan / Fairlight, sent to me by Johannes Carlsson

1.45 DragonStrike (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0

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"DragonStrike" (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0
File to alter: "DStrike" on disk "DStrike"
File length: 100292
Offset Change From Change To
$00211A 6E 60
Original CRC Checksum = $67EAFEF8
Original WRAP Checksum = $309700D6
Final CRC Checksum = $5C9FBFAE
Final WRAP Checksum = $30970ED6
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
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1.46 Dune II (Westwood Associates/Virgin)

"Dune II" (Westwood Associates/Virgin) File to alter: "DuneII" on disk "DuneII_1" File length: 294584 (uncompressed) You need a cruncher or packer to carry out this patch. First uncompress "DuneII" using XfdDecrunch, Imploder, Powerpacker or similar. After alterations, use the cruncher to pack the "DuneII" file to under 200K and save it over the original version. (Original is compressed with Imploder mode 8.) Make the following change to the decompressed file: Offset Change From Change To 67 \$013368 60 Original CRC Checksum for decompressed "DuneII" file = \$6F515E1B Original WRAP Checksum for decompressed "DuneII" file = \$650C51F7 Final CRC Checksum for decompressed "DuneII" file = \$5382CBB5 Final WRAP Checksum for decompressed "DuneII" file = \$6C0C51F7 Comments: Enter anything at the manual-protection. The datestamp for this version is 24-May-93.

Originator: Paradox

1.47 Emerald Mine (Kingsoft)

"Emerald Mine" (Kingsoft)

There are at least four versions of the Emerald Mine game engine around. The earliest is 28152 bytes long and seems to be unprotected. The time and score appear in the top-left corner of the screen during play. I give patches here for the other three versions, which I have dubbed 'Release 2', 'Release 3' and 'Release 4'. Release 3 has some minor improvements and bug fixes, like being slightly more system-legal during startup, and can run on NTSC machines. Also, the data files used by release 3 are encrypted, making it harder to cheat by editing the 'nam' file. Release 4 is broadly similar.

Release 2

File to alter: "em" on disk "Emerald Mine", dated 24-Oct-86 13:24:13 File length: 30184

 Offset
 Change From Change To

 \$00070D
 BA 3B 18 71 4E 71

 \$001EDA
 67 60

Original CRC Checksum = \$A26B0895 Original WRAP Checksum = \$9DF942C0

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Final CRC Checksum = $B83C0A6B
  Final WRAP Checksum = $9E423667
Release 3
  File to alter: "em" on disk "Emerald Mine", dated 19-Sep-87 20:33:37
  File length: 30440
    Offset
             Change From Change To
            BA 51 B6 71 4E 71
    $00067B
    $0006EE
             65
                   60
             67
    $00205A
                    60
            67
                    60
    $0020CC
    $0026AF 18 D8 78 01 F2 7B 4E 71 4E 71
    $003CD2 01F4 DE78 01F2 0257 4E71 4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $382F4312
  Original WRAP Checksum = $3EC35708
  Final CRC Checksum = $56B0DB6A
  Final WRAP Checksum = $6315C98E
Release 4
  File to alter: "em" on disk "Emerald Mine", dated 24-Nov-87 12:05:15
  File length: 30628
    Offset
             Change From Change To
    $000677
             BA 52 78 71 4E 71
    $0006E6
            65
                   60
    $002118
             67
                   60
             67
                    60
    $00218A
             18 D8 78 01 F2
    $00276D
                             7B 4E 71 4E 71
    $003D90
             01F4 DE78 01F2 0257 4E71 4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $29984D26
  Original WRAP Checksum = $2CAAFDE0
  Final CRC Checksum = $089DEB4A
  Final WRAP Checksum = $9DEF2436
Comments: These patches remove the disk-based copy-protection. They do
    not attempt to make the game any more system-legal (which is
    possible; I have EM running from my hard drive under 3.1 and
    68030). How about releasing an updated, hard-disk installable
    version, Kingsoft?
    The author of The Settlers, Volker Wertich, was a co-author
    of Emerald Mine; it's nice to see that he's still writing
    really cool games...
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Originator: Mark Knibbs

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1.48 E-motion (The Assembly Line/US Gold) Astra Pack version

"E-motion" (The Assembly Line/US Gold) Astra Pack version File to alter: "mainbit" on disk "e-motion" File length: 314356 Offset Change From Change To \$0035D4 6100 0742 4E71 4E71 \$0035D8 4A80 7000 Original CRC Checksum = \$E782215D Original WRAP Checksum = \$3F560786 Final CRC Checksum = \$923F3EE1 Final WRAP Checksum = \$2C64C057 Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.49 Epic (Digital Image Design/Ocean) 3.17

"Epic" (Digital Image Design/Ocean) 3.17 File to alter: "EPIC/EPIC" on disk "EPIC1" File length: 199712 Change From Change To Offset 67 \$026750 60 \$026758 67 60 Original CRC Checksum = \$7FF27CA5 Original WRAP Checksum = \$78FE75A8 Final CRC Checksum = \$98C612DC Final WRAP Checksum = \$86FE75A8 Comments: Enter anything at the protection check. This patch is for the hard-disk installable version 3.17 of Epic, as supplied in the A600HD software bundle. To check which version you have, use a file editor to search for the string '\$Revision:'. If you have a different version, try searching for the hex string B200 67F4 6000 0008 4A11 6700,

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.50 Escape From Singe's Castle (ReadySoft)

and changing both occurrences of 67 to 60.

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"Escape From Singe's Castle" (ReadySoft)
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File to alter: "Escape" on disk "escape A" File length: 53492 Offset Change From Change To \$00569C 66 60 \$00A41A 6770 4E71 \$00BED2 6600 0252 4E71 4E71 Original CRC Checksum = \$37C6FCE9 Original WRAP Checksum = \$D3DAA690 Final CRC Checksum = \$ACA0056E Final WRAP Checksum = \$8DBBD71E Comments: The protection screen will no longer appear. The version of the game that I have refuses to work under Kickstart 2.0 or higher. If you have a patch to correct this, please let me know.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.51 ESWAT (U.S. Gold)

```
"ESWAT" (U.S. Gold)
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File to alter: "eswat" on disk "Eswat Disk #1"
File length: 97520
Offset Change From Change To
\$00B564 303C 009E 61 7200 4278 00
\$00B56A 00AA 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = \$BD2BAB4B
Original WRAP Checksum = \$8689094B
Final CRC Checksum = \$123E9C3D
Final WRAP Checksum = \$A5C479A6
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.52 Evil Garden (Demonware)

"Evil Garden" (Demonware) [PAL version]
File to alter: "c/Evil" on disk "EvilGardenPal"
File length: 57532
Offset Change From Change To
\$00104D 55 75
\$00115E 60FE 4240

```
Original CRC Checksum = $B9E540CF
Original WRAP Checksum = $7EB742ED
Final CRC Checksum = $77152A74
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Final WRAP Checksum = \$7E9761AB

Comments: You will no longer be asked for a word from the manual.

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Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter
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1.53 Extensor (Golden Games/Smash 16)

"Extensor" (Golden Games/Smash 16)

Firstly, remove the 'Stack 6000' line from the s/startup-sequence file on the Extensor disk; this command is actually part of the copy-protection.

Then alter the following file:

File to alter: "Extensor" on disk "Extensor" File length: 192

Offset Change From Change To \$000076 4B 45 56 64 6F 73

Original CRC Checksum = \$EEF588B4 Original WRAP Checksum = \$C7400A3B

Final CRC Checksum = \$9A6BFCBA
Final WRAP Checksum = \$AA3FF111

Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. The changes to the 'Extensor' file above simply replace the string 'KEV.library' with 'dos.library'. The 'Stack' program patches Exec OpenLibrary() to do this if the copy-protection check passed. However, the loader program itself is very badly coded. It uses A5 instead of A6 when calling the Exec library; hence it doesn't work under Kickstarts later than 1.3. Also, the game uses memory without allocating it first.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.54 Eye of the Beholder (Westwood Associates/Strategic Simulations, Inc.)

"Eye of the Beholder" (Westwood Associates/Strategic Simulations, Inc.)

File to alter: "eob2" on disk "EOB1" File length: 190400 Offset Change From Change To

\$019ABE 6606 4E71

\$019AC4 67 60 Original CRC Checksum = \$0E263ED4 Original WRAP Checksum = \$3F5646C7 Final CRC Checksum = \$8DB66136 Final WRAP Checksum = \$46565E5C Comments: Enter anything at the protection check. This file has a datestamp of 30-Apr-91.

Originator: Skid Row

1.55 Eye of the Beholder 2 (Westwood Associates/Strategic Simulations, Inc.)

"Eye of the Beholder 2" (Westwood/Strategic Simulations, Inc.)

According to Tue Brisson:

Depending on the version, "EOBII" may or may not be crunched. The KIXX budget version is, and as far as I know it can't easily be decrunched. If you have a crunched version, try to decrunch it and save it over the original file before doing alterations. If the game boots without crashing, it has probably decrunched correctly and you can apply the patch. (Remember that on the KIXX version you will need to delete the file XLAN and remove it from the startupsequence in order to fit the decrunched file onto the disk.) If it crashes, then it's too bad! At this point I don't know how to decrunch the KIXX version.

(I could not decrunch the KIXX version properly. I tried several different unpackers; they all gave slightly different output but all of the decrunched files crashed. The cruncher was reported as PowerPacker4.0 Overlayed, but even PowerPacker could not decrunch correctly, neither could it repack the file.)

File to alter: "EOBII" on disk "EOB II 1" File length: 299696

Offset Change From Change To \$000A64 43EDFFDE 22402248

Original CRC Checksum = \$11F4393A Original WRAP Checksum = \$502F0DCA

Final CRC Checksum = \$4BF54F1A
Final WRAP Checksum = \$71DCEB60

Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.

Originator: Skid Row

1.56 F/A-18 Interceptor (Bob Dinnerman/Electronic Arts)

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"F/A-18 Interceptor" (Bob Dinnerman/Electronic Arts)
File to alter: "F-18 Interceptor" on disk "F-18 Interceptor"
File length: 331232
Offset Change From Change To
\$01CE60 660E 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = \$FF0BB918
Original WRAP Checksum = \$3FDA62E5
Final CRC Checksum = \$2577762E5
Comments: Enter any countercode when prompted.
Originator: Nib 2.0 parameter

1.57 Formula One Grand Prix (Geoff Crammond/MicroProse) 1.02

"Formula One Grand Prix" (Geoff Crammond/MicroProse) 1.02

This patch has been removed from the Aminet release. See the front page of this document for where to obtain the full version of the Amiga Patch List.

1.58 Frontier (David Braben/Gametek) [English versions]

"Frontier" (David Braben/Gametek) [English versions] Version to Gametek (Release 1) 1.00 File to alter: "Frontier" on disk "Frontier" File length: 645752 Offset Change From Change To \$084EB4 67 60 Original CRC Checksum = \$B0D17DAF Original WRAP Checksum = \$B9F8CDF2 Final CRC Checksum = \$B0A8218D Final WRAP Checksum = \$C0F8CDF2 Version to Gametek (Release 4) 1.05 File to alter: "Frontier" on disk "Frontier" File length: 646772 Change From Change To Offset 67 \$085278 60

Original CRC Checksum = \$6360BEB9 Original WRAP Checksum = \$7DF8651C

Final CRC Checksum = \$F41C4B5C
Final WRAP Checksum = \$84F8651C

Comments: Press any letter key whenever the protection screen appears. There are several versions of Frontier around. To check which version you have, search for the string 'Version'. If your version is different, try searching for the hex string 28BB B002 6704 E88B, and change the 67 in this to 60.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.59 Gods (Bitmap Brothers/Renegade) 1.00

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"Gods" (Bitmap Brothers/Renegade) 1.00
You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the
EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.
On disk 1, locate block 1086 (track 49, sector 8, head 0).
Search for the hex string 84 31C7 85F0 3121 1512 A3.
Replace this with EC EA4C F3F1 5E2C F3F2 B6.
If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum,
DO NOT DO THIS.
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Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. To check the version number of your game, use the disk editor to display the bootblock as ASCII text.

Originator: Crystal

1.60 Graeme Souness Vector Soccer (Impulze)

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"Graeme Souness Vector Soccer" (Impulze)
You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the
EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.
Locate block 166 (track 7, sector 1, head 1).
Offset in block Change From Change To
$000082 6600 00A0 4E71 4E71
Locate block 198 (track 9, sector 0, head 0).
Offset in block Change From Change To
$0001B8 487A 4E75
```

Locate block 204 (track 9, sector 6, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$0001CC 487A 000A 6000 092A Locate block 251 (track 11, sector 9, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$0001CC 6600 00B6 4E71 4E71 If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.

Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection and the manual protection. You can enter anything when asked.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.61 Gridrunner (Llamasoft) 28/2/90

```
"Gridrunner" (Llamasoft) 28/2/90
File to alter: "GRIDRUN" on disk "protec"
File length: 303748
Offset Change From Change To
$04097E $48E7 7F7E 4200 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = $D039FB81
Original WRAP Checksum = $1B466DB5
Final CRC Checksum = $4860C24C
Final WRAP Checksum = $4C4F749C
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
```

1.62 Gunship (MicroProse) 832.03

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"Gunship" (MicroProse) 832.03
There are two files to alter - "scrnmule" for the manual protection and
"titlmule" for the disk-based protection.
File to alter: "scrnmule" on disk "Gunship"
File length: 76664
Offset Change From Change To
$005AE9 0A 52
```

Original CRC Checksum = \$A3C09F61 Original WRAP Checksum = \$6C716EAF Final CRC Checksum = \$9966289E Final WRAP Checksum = \$6C296EAF File to alter: "titlmule" on disk "Gunship" File length: 42528 Change From Change To Offset \$006722 2C78 6000 04 \$006725 84 0000 \$009D7C 0140 \$009D81 00 С8 \$009D84 0000 01F4 Original CRC Checksum = \$076B4337 Original WRAP Checksum = \$3E6D1038 Final CRC Checksum = \$7BF8EF25 Final WRAP Checksum = \$39F0DCB0 Comments: These patches remove the on-disk and manual copy-protection. Select any vehicle on the identification screen. This is for the version of Gunship distributed as part of the Ubi Soft compilation 'Air/Sea Supremacy'. This version seems to have had the countersign protection already removed; you can enter any countersign when approaching a friendly base.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.63 Hired Guns (Psygnosis) Version 39.25

"Hired Guns" (Psygnosis) Version 39.25

You need to unpack the file using xfdDecrunch before applying the patch. If playing from hard disk, simply copy the altered file to your "HiredGuns" drawer, replacing the old file. Then change the UNPACK tooltype in the icon from YES to NO.

If playing from floppy disks, you can pack the file as a data file if you have the ProPack cruncher (there is unlikely to be enough free space for the unpacked file). Else you could try packing with PowerPacker/Imploder/ CrunchMania (as executable). However, this is unlikely to work.

File to alter: "Hired Guns" on disk "Hired Guns Disk 1" File length: 142248 (unpacked)

Offset Change From Change To \$00101EC B019 6602 12C0 4E71 \$00119CA 4A 42 \$00119D0 67 60

Original CRC Checksum of unpacked file = \$E2C4B20D

Original WRAP Checksum of unpacked file = \$0518762C

Final CRC Checksum of unpacked file = \$CD79C664
Final WRAP Checksum of unpacked file = \$A97195BD

Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.

Originator: The Loons, sent to me by Tue Brisson. Thanks to Daniel Platt for the tooltype information.

1.64 Italy 1990 Winners Edition (U.S. Gold)

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"Italy 1990 Winners Edition" (U.S. Gold)
File to alter: "football.prg" on disk "78 Track Master"
File length: 135616
Offset Change From Change To
$00446E 4EB9 0001 380A 7200 4E71 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = $16C50060
Original WRAP Checksum = $F6A04C28
Final CRC Checksum = $6383A47F
Final WRAP Checksum = $A830127A
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. The version
of the game that I have is part of the "Super Sim Pack"
compilation.
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Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.65 Jumping Jackson (Infogrames)

```
"Jumping Jackson" (Infogrames)
File to alter: "gloups" on disk "JJS"
File length: 78836
Offset Change From Change To
   $00AB88 6F00 0004 4E71 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = $0E39379B
Original WRAP Checksum = $7FE859F0
Final CRC Checksum = $93746CF0
Final WRAP Checksum = $A0770B83
```

Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy protection. If your original doesn't work you can make the copy work. Simply try installing the bootblock and it should boot fine (at least my version did). You will have to use OCS if you're running on an AGA machine, though. This version has a datestamp of 6-Mar-89.

Originator: Tue Brisson, inspired by M.A.D.

1.66 Kelly X (16 Blitz)

"Kelly X" (16 Blitz)
File to alter: "kelly_x" on disk "protec"
File length: 68052
Offset Change From Change To
\$00C79A 48E7 7FFE 7000 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = \$C1BF4C8F
Original WRAP Checksum = \$9F259A2A
Final CRC Checksum = \$AE2D873C
Final WRAP Checksum = \$D02E7311
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.67 Knights of the Sky (MicroProse) 3.01

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"Knights of the Sky" (MicroProse) 3.01
 File to alter: "knights" on disk "kots1"
 File length: 253248
   Offset
            Change From Change To
                   3A2D
   $03D174
            BA6D
   $03D178
            6658
                     4E71
 Original CRC Checksum = $9538E019
 Original WRAP Checksum = $A1077959
 Final CRC Checksum = $43FB5665
 Final WRAP Checksum = $392E795A
Comments: Select any squadron at the protection check.
Originator: Crystal
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1.68 Kult (Ere Informatique/Exxos)

"Kult" (Ere Informatique/Exxos)
File to alter: "KULT" on disk "BILLIARD"
File length: 131440
Offset Change From Change To
\$0000DE 3F39 6044
Original CRC Checksum = \$4BF4F050
Original WRAP Checksum = \$0C8C4402
Final CRC Checksum = \$F20E90DD
Final WRAP Checksum = \$0C8C22F7
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.69 Line of Fire (Creative Materials/U.S. Gold)

"Line of Fire" (Creative Materials/U.S. Gold)

You need Imploder 4.0 to carry out this patch. Run Imploder, and load the file "line" from the disk "LOF Data". When asked whether you want to deplode the file, click 'Yes'. Select an output file (for example "RAM:line").

Now make the following changes to the output file.

Offset Change From Change To \$0091D8 41F9 0000 7200 4E75

Original CRC Checksum for decompressed "line" file = \$ECA3E475 Original WRAP Checksum for decompressed "line" file = \$14725166

Final CRC Checksum for decompressed "line" file = \$FAB136F9
Final WRAP Checksum for decompressed "line" file = \$E46B02F0

Next use Imploder to compress the modified file with compression mode 5, and save it over the original version.

Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. The protection is not very effective anyway; I backed up my original with SuperDuper, and the copy worked fine!

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.70 M1 Tank Platoon (MicroProse) 849.01

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"M1 Tank Platoon" (MicroProse) 849.01
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File to alter: "tankst" on disk "M1 Tank Platoon"
File length: 221948
Offset Change From Change To
$011DB9 F4 F2
Original CRC Checksum = $3B2EC986
Original WRAP Checksum = $F1AE99D9
Final CRC Checksum = $P9A31B70
Final WRAP Checksum = $F1B099D9
Comments: Select any vehicle on the protection screen.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
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1.71 Magic Boy (Blue Turtle/Empire)

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"Magic Boy" (Blue Turtle/Empire)
File to alter: "magic.bin" on disk " "
File length: 211426
Offset Change From Change To
$00A43C 487A 000A 6000 08CA
Original CRC Checksum = $E0D8BFA7
Original WRAP Checksum = $985FEA07
Final CRC Checksum = $CE198CE6
Final WRAP Checksum = $80D9E147
Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.
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Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.72 Magnetic Scrolls Collection Volume 1 (Magnetic Scrolls) 1.02 (10/7/91)

"Magnetic Scrolls Collection Volume 1" (Magnetic Scrolls) 1.02 (10/7/91)

There are three files to alter, corresponding to "Corruption", "Guild of Thieves" and "Fish!". If anyone has patches to fix the crash upon exit under Workbench 3.0 (and 68030), please let me know.

"Corruption"

File to alter: "corr.2" on disk "Collection Three" File length: 772654

OffsetChange FromChange To\$007C1661001D8C4A01660A4E714E714E71\$007C1E41EC9076610E61004E714E714E71

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$007C26 1D96
                        4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $D053451F
  Original WRAP Checksum = $46042EEB
  Final CRC Checksum = $50881DBF
  Final WRAP Checksum = $814C1247
"Fish!"
  File to alter: "fish.2" on disk "Collection Four"
  File length: 593572
    Offset
             Change From
                           Change To
    $007D2C
             6100 FF6C 4A01 660A 4E71 4E71 4E71 4E71
    $007D34
             41EC 9076 610E 6100 4E71 4E71 4E71 4E71
    $007C3C
             FF76
                        4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $CDBC528A
  Original WRAP Checksum = $1BC5F253
  Final CRC Checksum = $567E3F59
  Final WRAP Checksum = $E1030F7B
"Guild of Thieves"
  File to alter: "guild.2" on disk "Collection Two"
  File length: 599059
    Offset
             Change From
                           Change To
    $008A2C
             6100 FE6C 4A01 660A 4E71 4E71 4E71 4E71
             41EC 9076 610E 6100 4E71 4E71 4E71 4E71
    $008A34
    $008A3C FE76
                        4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $E0A32646
  Original WRAP Checksum = $C543254A
  Final CRC Checksum = $AF039564
       Final WRAP Checksum = $89804173
Comments: The game will no longer ask for a word from the manual.
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Originator: Crystal

1.73 Maniac Mansion (Lucasfilm Games)

"Maniac Mansion" (Lucasfilm Games)

The original full-price release of Maniac Mansion has copy-protection, where you need to enter the correct code to open the security door. The patch in LockPick 2.0 is badly bugged! With the LockPick patch, you are unable to save games.

Maniac Mansion was later re-released on the Kixx XL budget label. It seems that someone at Kixx applied the LockPick patch, so that they wouldn't have

to supply a code wheel (or whatever) with the budget release. So you can't save games with the Kixx XL version!

Consequently, I give two patches here. The first is the bugged LockPick/Kixx XL patch. If you have the original release, I don't recommend you apply this.

The second, working, patch requires a small program to be run before you start the game. This program is badly coded. It writes a small piece of code to address \$300, and exits without flushing the cache. The altered Maniac Mansion executable calls this code. I may re-write this in future, so that a separate program is not required.

If you have the Kixx XL version and want to apply the working patch, you must first un-patch the executable, using the information for the LockPick patch below, but in reverse.

LockPick/Kixx XL patch (bugged)

File to alter: "Maniac" on disk "Maniac Disk 1" File length: 105276

OffsetChange FromChange To\$00602E3388080061002F2C\$008F5C4E5500004E5D4E75B0FC012D660C6002\$008F655500004E5D4E7575307C013C6002\$008F6D5500004E5D7533880800

Original CRC Checksum = \$E35E3416 Original WRAP Checksum = \$AD396493

Final CRC Checksum = \$B312F0E4 Final WRAP Checksum = \$9EF4AED0

Working patch

File to alter: "Maniac" on disk "Maniac Disk 1" File length: 105276

Offset Change From Change To \$00A518 1030 18 4EB8 03

Original CRC Checksum = \$E35E3416 Original WRAP Checksum = \$AD396493

Final CRC Checksum = \$57379597
Final WRAP Checksum = \$6EB17993

For the working patch, you also need to run the small program 'deprotect' before 'Maniac' is run. Copy the 'deprotect' file to "Maniac Disk 1" and edit the startup-sequence so 'deprotect' is run. If you are playing from hard disk, you could create an IconX script to run 'deprotect' before the main program. 'Deprotect' can be found in the ManiacMansion directory.

Comments: For the bugged LockPick/Kixx XL patch, enter any code to open the security door. For the working patch, you will always be asked to click 4 times on the top left symbol.

Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter. Thanks to Matthew Garrett for explaining the Kixx XL situation, and to Tue Brisson for sending the working patch information.

1.74 Mega Traveller 1 (Paragon/Empire)

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"Mega Traveller 1" (Paragon/Empire)
File to alter: "startup.exe" on disk "MT_A"
File length: 203440
Offset Change From Change To
   $02DD48 67 60
Original CRC Checksum = $AF7B97D7
Original WRAP Checksum = $CC2A6D76
Final CRC Checksum = $27DB5AE7
Final WRAP Checksum = $D32A6D76
Comments: This patch removes the manual protection. You can select
   anything when prompted.
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Originator: Tue Brisson
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1.75 Midwinter II - Flames of Freedom (Maelstrom Games/Rainbird)

"Midwinter II - Flames of Freedom" (Maelstrom Games/Rainbird)
File to alter: "mwII" on disk "program"
File length: 505488
Offset Change From Change To
\$0205A7 64 B079 60 33C0
\$0205AD 60 660E 64 4E71
\$0205B5 66 B079 62 33C0
\$0205BB 62 67 66 60
Original CRC Checksum = \$6E87DDD7
Original WRAP Checksum = \$48CD2998
Final CRC Checksum = \$05879759
Final WRAP Checksum = \$CC86BDEE
Comments: You can choose any faces at the security check.
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

1.76 Mindfighter (Abstract Concepts/Activision)

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"Mindfighter" (Abstract Concepts/Activision)
File to alter: "Begin" on disk "Mindfighter"
File length: 20284
Offset Change From Change To
$0049F0 48E7 7F7E 4200 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = $B636439A
Original WRAP Checksum = $E3BCE3F8
Final CRC Checksum = $1512AD76
Final WRAP Checksum = $EAA41501
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
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1.77 MovieSetter (Gold Disk) 1.0P

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"MovieSetter" (Gold Disk) 1.0P
There are three files to alter.
 File to alter: "MovieSetter" on disk "MovieSetter"
 File length: 235044
   Offset
             Change From Change To
                   71
   $01AA09 BA
            10B2 4A40 67 4E71 4E71 60
   $01AA10
 Original CRC Checksum = $918ADD33
 Original WRAP Checksum = $09C8E8D4
 Final CRC Checksum = $0F64E9D6
 Final WRAP Checksum = $05E0B215
 File to alter: "SceneEditor" on disk "MovieSetter"
 File length: 180880
             Change From Change To
   Offset
    $013249
            AC
                   71
   $01324A
             8344 4A40 67 4E71 4E71 60
 Original CRC Checksum = $ACD0AD06
 Original WRAP Checksum = $CDE8FC58
 Final CRC Checksum = $75E0826E
 Final WRAP Checksum = $C9F3382B
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File to alter: "SetEditor" on disk "MovieSetter"
File length: 137792

Offset Change From Change To
 \$00B8D5 AC 71
 \$00B8D6 8140 4A40 67 4E71 4E71 60

Original CRC Checksum = \$BACE8F69
Original WRAP Checksum = \$6116DDC7

Final CRC Checksum = \$E4841EAC
Final WRAP Checksum = \$5D211796
Comments: You will no longer be asked to enter a word from the manual.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.78 North & South (Infogrames/Action Sixteen)

"North & South" (Infogrames)

There are at least two versions of North & South. The one that I own is a PAL version - it contains code to check if you are running a PAL machine; if not the game will hang. However, the patch for the other version is very likely to work too.

You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.

Locate block 49 (track 2, sector 5, head 0). Make one of the following changes, depending on which version you have.

PAL version
 Offset in block Change From Change To
 \$000020 4EBA 75F0 4E71 4E71
If you want to disable the PAL check, make this change as well:
 \$00002A 66 60

Other version Offset in block Change From Change To \$00000E 4EBA 7546 4E71 4E71

If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.

Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.79 Ogre (Origin) 1.06

"Ogre" (Origin) 1.06 File to alter: "ogre.ago" on disk "XELOK-1V2-SIG1" File length: 133232 Offset Change From Change To 01 \$019737 00 Original CRC Checksum = \$9F16A91A Original WRAP Checksum = \$9832DA7B Final CRC Checksum = \$3B3091D7 Final WRAP Checksum = \$9832DA7C Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. If you have a different version of Ogre, try searching for the string "Not a valid original disk!". If the byte immediately before this is 01, change it to 00.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.80 Oscar (Flair Software) Amiga 1200 version, from 'Desktop Dynamite' pack

"Oscar" (Flair Software) Amiga 1200 version, from 'Desktop Dynamite' pack File to alter: "10" on disk "Oscarl" File length: 212828 Offset Change From Change To \$009A16 6616 4E71 Original CRC Checksum = \$495BD801 Original WRAP Checksum = \$1AF76349 Final CRC Checksum = \$1AF76349 Final CRC Checksum = \$1AF77AEE Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.81 Passing Shot (Teque Software Development/Imageworks)

"Passing Shot" (Teque Software Development/Imageworks) You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0. Locate block 22 (track 1, sector 0, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To

\$000052 6000 00BE 0000 4EF9 0000 0CE8 Locate block 25 (track 1, sector 3, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$000118 4A81 0090 12C1 2C81 0090 F4C1 0044 FFFF 0046 E244 FFFF E446 \$000126 \$00013E 11 FЗ \$00014A 18 FΑ \$000192 10 F2 \$0001D6 10 F2 Locate block 32 (track 1, sector 10, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$000180 67 60 \$0001BC 67 60 If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS. Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: LockPick 2.0

1.82 Pinball Fantasies AGA (21st Century Entertainment)

"Pinball Fantasies AGA" (21st Century Entertainment) File to alter: "pinball" on disk "PF1" File length: 6724 or 6732 (there seem to be two versions) Change From Change To Offset \$00096A 0C11 4E75 For 6724 byte file: Original CRC Checksum = \$0B03C5B5 Original WRAP Checksum = \$17BAAFD8 Final CRC Checksum = \$269425FA Final WRAP Checksum = \$17BA6D74 For 6732 byte file: Original CRC Checksum = \$F95CAD66 Original WRAP Checksum = \$E0790C0B Final CRC Checksum = \$3373167E Final WRAP Checksum = \$E078C9A7 Comments: This patch removes the manual protection. You can enter anything when prompted. Information on the 6724 bytes-long version was supplied by Tue Brisson. Originator: Mark Knibbs

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1.83 Pool (Icon Design/Mastertronic)

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"Pool" (Icon Design/Mastertronic)
  File to alter: "pool.o" on disk "POOL500"
  File length: 25460
    Offset
              Change From Change To
    $000028
             4EB9 6004
    $000032
              66
                    60
  Original CRC Checksum = $F7CE4D96
  Original WRAP Checksum = $127CD8A7
  Final CRC Checksum = $F943B252
  Final WRAP Checksum = $0131DEA7
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
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1.84 Populous II (Bullfrog Productions/Electronic Arts)

"Populous II" (Bullfrog Productions/Electronic Arts)

The Populous II executable is compressed. We need to decompress it before applying the patch; this is done using xfdDecrunch. You will need a directory with at least 300K free space; I'll call this TEMP:. From a CLI/Shell window, type:

xfdDecrunch "POPULOUS II:populous.ii" TEMP:

Now apply the patch to the TEMP:populous.ii file.

File to alter: "TEMP:populous.ii" File length: 297996

Offset Change From Change To \$003340 66 67

Original CRC Checksum = \$F61438F6 Original WRAP Checksum = \$CADE3146

Final CRC Checksum = \$5C3FF490 Final WRAP Checksum = \$C9DE3146

You can now use a compression utility like Imploder or PowerPacker to compress the patched executable, and replace the original with this, or just copy it to wherever you have installed Populous II.

Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.

Originator: LockPick 2.0. The original LockPick patch hacked the compressed executable in a rather nasty way (to avoid having to decompress, patch, then re-compress). Changed by Mark

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Knibbs as we can decompress manually and apply the patch cleanly.
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1.85 Ports of Call (Aegis) 1.0

"Ports of Call" (Aegis) 1.0
File to alter: "PortsOfCall" on disk "PoC"
File length: 178996
Offset Change From Change To
\$0038DA 67 60
Original CRC Checksum = \$DE7F080B
Original WRAP Checksum = \$853084F4
Final CRC Checksum = \$85308BF4
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.
Originator: FreeCopy 1.8 parameter

1.86 PowerMonger (Bullfrog Productions/Electronic Arts)

"PowerMonger" (Bullfrog Productions/Electronic Arts)

This patch is quite involved. We need to extract some compressed code from the disk, and from this recreate a file which xfdDecrunch can unpack. We can then patch the code, and re-crunch it. Perform the following steps carefully.

Stage 1
Using a utility such as TrackDOS, create a disk image file (901120 bytes
long) of the PowerMonger disk.

Stage 2 Load the disk image file into Hex.

Click in the Start gadget and enter '675F4'. Press Return. The first 12 bytes of the file should now read '00000000 00000000 0000FF88' in hex.

Change these 12 bytes to read '0000FF80 0001B0D4 6D93928C'.

Click in the End gadget, erase the number $^\prime\,74A0B^\prime$ and enter $^\prime\,FF8B^\prime\,.$ Press Return.

Save the file as 'RAM:tempfile.bytekillerdata'

There are two small files in the PowerMonger directory of this distribution. Enter the following CLI command (as a single line, of course): 'Join PowerMonger/Head RAM:tempfile.bytekillerdata PowerMonger/Tail AS RAM:tempfile.bytekillerexe' Stage 3 Using a utility such as xfdDecrunch, decrunch the file 'RAM:tempfile.bytekillerexe' to 'RAM:tempfile'. Now make the following changes to the file 'RAM:tempfile'. File length: 110804 Offset Change From Change To \$00AC9C 9070 303C \$00AC9E 10 00 Original CRC Checksum = \$D3FAF504 Original WRAP Checksum = \$8D4B69EF Final CRC Checksum = \$4EE6FBB7 Final WRAP Checksum = \$ED7F79EF We can now use the ByteKiller 1.3 cruncher, included in the ByteKiller directory of this distribution, to compress the patched file, ready for writing back to the PowerMonger disk. Enter the following CLI command: 'ByteKiller/ByteKiller.noforbid' [This is a patched version of ByteKiller 1.3, which doesn't disable multitasking during crunching, or flash the screen.] You should now see the following text in the CLI window: BYTEKILLER V 1.3 EXTENDED VERS. ADAPTED BY BLIZZARD / J.J. : 18.11.87 Allocate work space (KBbyte) : Enter '200' and press Return. Type 'RAM:tempfile' when the following appears: Filename to load (exit to leave, -(command) to execute CLI command.) Filename/Command : You should now see the following text: original length : \$0001b0d4 offset (max \$0800) :\$ Enter '0800' for the offset. The program will now begin crunching the data. If you have a slow Amiga, this may take some time. When done, you will see the following: packed length : \$0000ff8c create executeable file or data file ? (e/d): Enter 'd', to create a data file, and type 'RAM:tempfile.bytekillerdata' when the following text appears: save Filename (exit to leave, -(command) to execute CLI command.) Filename/Command :

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Now we have compressed the de-protected code, we need to replace the original data in the disk image file with this.

Load the disk image file into Hex.

Move to offset \$675F4. Choose 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select 'RAM:tempfile.bytekillerdata'.

The 12 bytes at the cursor should now read '0000FF80 0001B0D4 1F41F3FB' in hex. Change them to read '00000000 00000000 0000FF88'.

Move to offset \$77580. Change the 4 bytes here from '6D93928C' to '1F41F3FB'.

Save the file back to disk.

Stage 5 Use TrackDOS to write the modified image file to your copy of PowerMonger. If everything has gone to plan, you should now be able to play the deprotected game.

Comments: This patch removes the manual protection. You will no longer be asked to enter a number from the manual.

Originator: Original somewhat complex patch by Endless Piracy, modified and simplified (conceptually, at least) for this document by Mark Knibbs

1.87 Pro Tennis Tour II (Blue Byte/Ubi Soft) 2.25

"Pro Tennis Tour II" (Blue Byte/Ubi Soft) 2.25
File to alter: "CODE.TOS" on disk "PTT_II"
File length: 44084
Offset Change From Change To
\$00008C 6100 176C 4E71 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = \$88DCF48B
Original WRAP Checksum = \$482A455E
Final CRC Checksum = \$A0BA02B0
Final WRAP Checksum = \$5AB90E59
Comments: You will no longer be asked to enter a code from the table.
To find out whether you have this version, search for the
string '2.25' in the CODE.TOS file.

1.88 Raider (Celestial Software/Impressions)

"Raider" (Celestial Software/Impressions)
File to alter: "raider" on disk "Raider"
File length: 62156
Offset Change From Change To
\$0000A4 6100 6010
Original CRC Checksum = \$5B53B1AF
Original WRAP Checksum = \$3C1764AD
Final CRC Checksum = \$1223587D
Final WRAP Checksum = \$3D0764AD
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: FreeCopy 1.9

1.89 Railroad Tycoon (MicroProse)

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"Railroad Tycoon" (MicroProse)
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This patch has been removed from the Aminet release. See the front page of this document for where to obtain the full version of the Amiga Patch List.

1.90 Red Lightning (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) v1.1

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"Red Lightning" (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) v1.1
 File to alter: "RedLightning" on disk "Red Lightning"
 File length: 214184
   Offset
            Change From Change To
            67
   $0006A2
                60
   $026F5F 03
                   01
 Original CRC Checksum = $DCEF1159
 Original WRAP Checksum = $7EA79F67
 Final CRC Checksum = $2384323A
 Final WRAP Checksum = $7EA7A669
Comments: Enter anything at the documentation check
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter
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1.91 Renegade Legion Interceptor (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) Version 1.0 (13-May-91)

"Renegade Legion Interceptor" (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) Version 1.0 (13-May \leftrightarrow -91)File to alter: "Legion" on disk "Interceptor v1.0" File length: 253356 Offset Change From Change To \$00017C 302D 3B6D \$000180 B06D FFEE FFEE 6000 \$000184 6700 050A 050C 4E71 302D \$00069A 3B6D \$00069E B06D FFEE FFEE 4E71 6604 \$0006A2 4E71 Original CRC Checksum = \$01C98213 Original WRAP Checksum = \$CC364A60 Final CRC Checksum = \$0BC3FAEB Final WRAP Checksum = \$84E65DBA Comments: You no longer need to pass the fighter recognition test. Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

1.92 Scroller 2 (The Soft Alternative) 1.01

"Scroller 2" (The Soft Alternative) 1.01 File to alter: "scroller2" on disk " " File length: 4580 Offset Change From Change To \$00092C 487A 000A 203C 0273 \$000930 23DF 0000 3749 4E74 Original CRC Checksum = \$BE004ED7 Original WRAP Checksum = \$E66258BA Final CRC Checksum = \$F1D2A04D Final WRAP Checksum = \$FB3607DC Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection. This patch is for the version of Scroller 2 on the September 1994 issue of 'Amiga Computing' magazine. This program is really badly written. You don't need to kill the system like Scroller 2 does. It can't even make use of a hard disk. The same patch can be applied to the fixed version of the Scroller 2 executable on the October 1994 issue, but the CRC checksums above will be incorrect.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.93 Seymour Goes to Hollywood (Codemasters)

"Seymour Goes to Hollywood" (Codemasters) File to alter: "VC" on disk "SEYMOUR GOES TO HOLLYWOOD" File length: 15920 The alterations needed here are quite involved. I will assume that you are using the 'Hex' file editor. You will also need FImp from the Imploder 4.0 distribution. Load the VC file into Hex. Click in the Start string gadget and enter the value 1E8. Click in the End string gadget and change 3C47 to 3C41. Save the file as 'RAM:VCmain.im' From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain should be 31904 bytes long. Load the file 'RAM:VCmain' into Hex. Make the following changes: Change From Change To Offset \$000074 61 60 \$000076 0728 0630 Save the modified file back as 'RAM:VCmain'. From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain.im should be 15426 bytes long. Load the VC file from your (copy of the) Seymour Goes to Hollywood disk. Move to offset \$1E8. Select 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select the file 'RAM:VCmain.im'. Save the file as 'VC' on your Seymour Goes to Hollywood disk. Original CRC Checksum for VC file = \$BA85B475 Original WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$77E897AB Final CRC Checksum for VC file = \$5DE90254 Final WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$5C37A324 Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.94 Shufflepuck Cafe (Brøderbund/Domark)

"Shufflepuck Cafe" (Brøderbund/Domark) 1.0
You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the
EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.
Locate block 63 (track 2, sector 8, head 1).
Replace the hex string 08B9 0007 00BF D100 (at offset \$4A)
with 203C 0000 0385 4E75.

If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS. Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter

1.95 Silent Service (MicroProse) 825.03

"Silent Service" (MicroProse) 825.03
File to alter: "Silent Service" on disk "Silent Service"
File length: 103868
Offset Change From Change To
\$0128D4 4E56 FFE0 7001 4E75
\$017742 4E56 FFEA 7000 4E75
Original CRC Checksum = \$F86617C9
Original WRAP Checksum = \$0E70A74A
Final CRC Checksum = \$0E39AF12
Final WRAP Checksum = \$9E3B370B
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk and manual protection. You
will no longer be asked to identify a ship.

Originator: LockPick parameter

1.96 SimEarth (Maxis)

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"SimEarth" (Maxis)
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There are two files to alter, corresponding to the low-res and high-res versions of the game.

Low-res version [version unknown]

File to alter: "SimEarth" on disk "SimEarthLores" File length: 252804

Offset Change from Change to \$00A7AA 6706 4E71

Original CRC Checksum = \$A1C944BA Original WRAP Checksum = \$4A48168A

Final CRC Checksum = \$B975776F
Final WRAP Checksum = \$4A482F1F

High-res version

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Unknown version
  File to alter: "SimEarth" on disk "SimEarthHires"
  File length: 290676
    Offset
             Change From Change To
    $00D8CA
              6706
                     4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $05D48223
  Original WRAP Checksum = $CFBD4730
  Final CRC Checksum = $371E4F4C
  Final WRAP Checksum = $CFBD5FC5
Version 1.0 (8.7.92)
  File to alter: "SimEarth" on disk "SimEarthHires"
  File length: 288944
    Offset
             Change From Change To
              6706
    $00D882
                     4E71
  Original CRC Checksum = $13D4D8FA
  Original WRAP Checksum = $EA30A517
  Final CRC Checksum = $D99928A7
  Final WRAP Checksum = $EA30BDAC
Comments: This patch removes the password requester.
Originator: Marc Christiansen. Please let me know the version number of
    your copy of SimEarth. Hires version 1.0 (8.7.92) patch sent
    by Russell Hodges
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1.97 Sorcerer (Infocom)

"Sorcerer" (Infocom) Release 4 / Serial number 840131 File to alter: "story.data" on disk "Sorcerer Disk" File length: 109734 Offset From То 2B ;New game checksum \$00001D 36 \$00C596 0C 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$CFB4C238 Original WRAP Checksum = \$C312E1CD Final CRC Checksum = \$C7C03493 Final WRAP Checksum = \$C31DECCD

Release 6 / Serial number 840508 File to alter: "story.data" on disk "Sorcerer Disk" File length: 109482 Offset Change From Change To \$00001D AC A1 ; New game checksum \$00C514 OC 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$B3B2E21A Original WRAP Checksum = \$F786C4BA Final CRC Checksum = \$5AD8FACE Final WRAP Checksum = \$0291C4BB Release 13 / Serial number 851021 File to alter: "story.data" on disk "Sorcerer Disk" File length: 109056 Offset Change From Change To \$00001D D7 CC ;New game checksum \$00C1D6 0C 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$D886E08C Original WRAP Checksum = \$1B6E0D62 Final CRC Checksum = \$76CFBDFD Final WRAP Checksum = \$1B791862 Release 15 / Serial number 851108 File to alter: "story.data" (see comments below) File length: 108683 (" " ") Offset Change From Change To \$00001D E3 D8 ; New game checksum \$00C1D6 0C 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$BE9A90B4 Original WRAP Checksum = \$0B30A688 Final CRC Checksum = \$8AC8A725 Final WRAP Checksum = \$0B3BB188 Release 18 / Serial number 860904 File to alter: "story.data" (see comments below) File length: 111052 (" ") Change From Change To Offset \$00001D E6 DB ;New game checksum \$00CADA OC 01

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Original CRC Checksum = \$B0CE80BC Original WRAP Checksum = \$FD28208A

Final CRC Checksum = \$71F1FDDE Final WRAP Checksum = \$FD332B8A

Comments: This removes the Infotater copy-protection. The current code will always be bloodworm, and the corresponding colour sequence is of course white, gray, black, red, black. There is one small proviso here. The current code is decided very early on in the game. If you have saved a game from the original version before the trunk is opened, then even if you load this into the deprotected version, the code remains the same. This shouldn't be a major problem, as the Guild Hall section is so small. If you have Amiga LTOI I, the Sorcerer data file is in the Sorcerer directory on disk 1. Releases 6, 15 and 18 were not (as far as I know) available on the Amiga; release 15 was included in PC LTOI I, for example. To use these versions with Infocom's Amiga interpreter, you need to pad the file length to a multiple of 512 bytes.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.98 Spellbreaker (Infocom)

"Spellbreaker" (Infocom) Release 63 / Serial number 850916 File to alter: "Story.Data" on disk "Spellbreaker Disk" File length: 128480 Offset From То \$00001D 0A 05 ;New game checksum \$00551B 06 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$5C2D1E44 Original WRAP Checksum = \$AF5F41E1 Final CRC Checksum = \$E4EE9942 Final WRAP Checksum = \$AF6441E6 Release 87 / Serial number 860904 File to alter: "Story.Data" on disk "Spellbreaker Disk" File length: 129024 Offset Change From Change To \$00001D DC D7 ;New game checksum \$005536 06 01 Original CRC Checksum = \$A309647D

Original WRAP Checksum = \$D97A0903 Final CRC Checksum = \$534C558A Final WRAP Checksum = \$D97F0E03

Comments: About half way through the game, Belboz asks you to prove that you are truly yourself, by asking you one of six questions. You do not find out whether you answered correctly until later in the game. This patch makes Belboz always ask the same question: "Which mage had the motto, 'The hardest trick is making it look easy.'?". The answer is of course Barsap. If you have Amiga LTOI I, you will find the Spellbreaker data file in the Spellbreaker directory on disk 1.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.99 Starglider (Argonaut Software/Rainbird)

"Starglider" (Argonaut Software/Rainbird) File to alter: "SG" on disk "StarGlider" File length: 342296 Change From Change To Offset FF \$00A50B 00 \$00A61B FF 00 Original CRC Checksum = \$929CF11A Original WRAP Checksum = \$18DF3344 Final CRC Checksum = \$19386170 Final WRAP Checksum = \$18DF3542 Comments: You will always be asked to enter the word at page 2, paragraph 3, word 3 ('BELIEFS') in the English novella, or page 30, paragraph 7, word 1 ('KATRA') in the German novella.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.100 Stationfall (Infocom) Release 107 / Serial number 870430

"Stationfall" (Infocom) Release 107 / Serial number 870430 File to alter: "Story.Data" on disk "Stationfall Disk" File length: 129024 Offset Change From Change To 2871 2732 ;New game checksum \$00001C \$00BEE3 32 01 \$00BEE7 84 00 \$00BEE9 76 56

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$00BEEF 04
                    01
    $00BEF3
            67
                    00
 Original CRC Checksum = $C3825000
 Original WRAP Checksum = $918218F1
 Final CRC Checksum = $A6EE0A42
 Final WRAP Checksum = $92E11A10
Comments: Instead of entering the number corresponding to the current
   GST from form QX-17-T, just enter the current GST (displayed
   at the top of the interpreter window).
   If you have Amiga LTOI I, you will find the Stationfall data
   file in the Stationfall directory on disk 3.
   Interestingly, the game doesn't store all the numbers on form
   QX-17-T. It derives the course heading you should enter from
   the current GST as follows (round down to the nearest integer
   at each stage):
         Heading = ((GST\$ div$50 - 132)^2) \$ div$4 + 103
   The above patch simply changes the calculation to:
         Heading = GST.
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Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.101 Storm Across Europe (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0

"Storm Across Europe" (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0
File to alter: "Storm" on disk "Storm"
File length: 318212
Offset Change From Change To
\$0039F3 BA 0BA0 71 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = \$1CA83A90
Original WRAP Checksum = \$8BB4B883
Final CRC Checksum = \$53D7858F
Final WRAP Checksum = \$48E3B8CC
Comments: You will no longer be asked to enter a word from the manual.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.102 Super Seymour Saves the Planet (Codemasters)

"Super Seymour Saves the Planet" (Codemasters) File to alter: "VC" on disk "SEYMOUR - 23.7.92" File length: 8372 The alterations needed here are quite involved. I will assume that

you are using the 'Hex' file editor. You will also need FImp from the Imploder 4.0 distribution. Load the VC file into Hex. Click in the Start string gadget and enter the value 1E8. The start of the file should read 'CHFI'. Change this to 'IMP!'. Click in the End string gadget and change 1ECB to 1EC7. Save the file as 'RAM:VCmain.im' From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain should be 23544 bytes long. Load the file 'RAM:VCmain' into Hex. Make the following changes: Change From Change To Offset \$000056 6100 OC08 4E71 4E71 \$000682 67 60 Save the modified file back as 'RAM:VCmain'. From a CLI/Shell window enter the command 'FImp RAM:VCmain'. The file RAM:VCmain.im should be 7880 bytes long. Load the VC file from your (copy of the) Super Seymour Saves the Planet disk. Move to offset \$1E8. Select 'Insert File...' from the Project menu, and select the file 'RAM:VCmain.im'. Still at offset \$1E8, change the 'IMP!' string to 'CHFI'. Save the file as 'VC' on your Super Seymour Saves the Planet disk. Original CRC Checksum for VC file = \$CE90F0BF Original WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$C2AA3DFD Final CRC Checksum for VC file = \$C08E471E Final WRAP Checksum for VC file = \$078BF80F Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection. Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.103 Super Tetris (Spectrum Holobyte)

"Super Tetris" (Spectrum Holobyte)
File to alter: "tetris" on disk "tetris"
File length: 198868
Offset Change From Change To
\$00519E 67 60
Original CRC Checksum = \$A54FDC9D
Original WRAP Checksum = \$6844877B
Final CRC Checksum = \$04B15765
Final WRAP Checksum = \$68448E7B

Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.104 Sword of Aragon (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0

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"Sword of Aragon" (Strategic Simulations, Inc.) 1.0
File to alter: "sword" on disk "Sword of Aragon"
File length: 151252
Offset Change From Change To
$010CE0 67 60
Original CRC Checksum = $0D060DD7
Original WRAP Checksum = $6C334345
Final CRC Checksum = $73334345
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.
Originator: Mark Knibbs
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1.105 The Amazing Spiderman (Oxford Digital Enterprises/Empire)

"The Amazing Spiderman" (Oxford Digital Enterprises/Empire)
File to alter: "Spidey" on disk "Spidey"
File length: 145516
Offset Change From Change To
\$0064DE 66FA 4E71
\$0064E4 66F4 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = \$24D0FD58
Original WRAP Checksum = \$B286008F
Final CRC Checksum = \$320F1ABB
Final WRAP Checksum = \$CB091918
Comments: Enter anything or press Return when asked the questions.
Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.106 The Hound of Shadow (Eldritch Games/Electronic Arts)

"The Hound of Shadow" (Eldritch Games/Electronic Arts)

File to alter: "hound" on disk "DiskA" File length: 55868

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Offset Change From Change To

$002012 660E 4E71

Original CRC Checksum = $0D3842C8

Original WRAP Checksum = $539032CC

Final CRC Checksum = $F9D0859A

Final WRAP Checksum = $53904A69

Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.

Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter
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1.107 The Jetsons (Microlllusions)

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"The Jetsons" (MicroIllusions) 1.0 11/6/89
File to alter: "jetson.dr" on disk "Jetsons_One"
File length: 140040
Offset Change From Change To
$00687E 3FFF 015D
Original CRC Checksum = $B0E90DFB
Original WRAP Checksum = $8E4FF3CC
Final CRC Checksum = $8E4FF3CC
Final WRAP Checksum = $8E50326E
Comments: You will no longer be asked to enter a word from the comic book.
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter
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1.108 Theme Park Mystery (Joined Up Software/Imageworks)

"Theme Park Mystery" (Joined Up Software/Imageworks) You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0. Locate block 1483 (track 67, sector 9, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$0000C4 4EB9 0001 B75A 4E71 4E71 Locate block 1714 (track 77, sector 9, head 1). Offset in block Change From Change To \$0001B2 0000 0000 8B26 336F If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.

Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.109 The New Zealand Story (Choice Software/Ocean)

"The New Zealand Story" (Choice Software/Ocean) You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0. Locate block 990 (track 45, sector 0, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To 2F0E 4DFA FF86 48D6 203C F974 DB7D 21C0 \$000128 \$000130 FFFF 4DEE 0040 0024 6000 0538 Locate block 994 (track 45, sector 4, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$000188 67 60 Locate block 1038 (track 47, sector 4, head 0). Offset in block Change From Change To \$0000F4 67 60 If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.

Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. I tested it with the version of the game from Ocean's 'Addicted To Fun/ Rainbow Collection' compilation.

Originator: LockPick 2.0

1.110 The Secret of Monkey Island (Lucasfilm Games)

"The Secret of Monkey Island" (Lucasfilm Games)

File to alter: "rooms/disk01.lec" on disk "Monkey1"
File length: 411115

There are a large number of bytes to be changed, so follow this carefully. After loading the file into Hex, move to offset 063516. Change every byte between offsets 063516 and 0637ED inclusive to hex 69. This corresponds to the symbol 'i'.

Once you have got this far, it would be wise to save the current file. Now make the following changes to the file which you have just changed:

Offset \$063596 \$063617 \$063698 \$063719 \$06379A	69 96 69 00 69 23 69 FF	0 3 E	e To		
Original CRC Checksum = \$8C9767AB Original WRAP Checksum = \$AEF38A08					
Final CRC Checksum = \$2A89F323 Final WRAP Checksum = \$A2B6C41C					
Comments: The code wheel screen will no longer appear.					
Originator: LockPick 2.0 parameter					

1.111 The Secret of Monkey Island II (Lucasfilm Games)

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"The Secret of Monkey Island II" (Lucasfilm Games)
English version
  File to alter: "monkey2.001" on disk "Monkey2 Disk 1"
  File length: 387155
    Offset
            Change From Change To
    $049BCA
            E16F 6B83 714F 6911
  Original CRC Checksum = $91F24B23
  Original WRAP Checksum = $1BADC4A1
  Final CRC Checksum = $14CE5956
  Final WRAP Checksum = $1E2034C1
Monkey Island 2 V1.0 (22.10.93) German version
 File length: 393086
    Offset
            Change From Change To
    $049F1D E16F 6B83 714F 6911
  Original CRC Checksum = $5477B1F2
  Original WRAP Checksum = $52B2D56A
  Final CRC Checksum = $678EF6CA
  Final WRAP Checksum = $C522F56C
Comments: Enter anything at the protection check.
Originator: Dytec, patch for German version contibuted by Thomas
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1.112 The Settlers / Die Siedler (Blue Byte)

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"The Settlers" (Blue Byte) [English version]
 File to alter: "TheSettlers" on disk "The Settlers 3"
 File length: 192700
   Offset
             Change From Change To
              6600 FDBA 4E71 4E71
   $006A6A
   $007D00
             67
                    60
    $00BAAE
              67
                    60
    $00C3B8
             67
                    60
             67
                    60
    $00CCEA
    $017C3E
              67
                    60
   $0250BE
              66D0
                     4E71
 Original CRC Checksum = $0FC5A797
 Original WRAP Checksum = $FB3B4E6C
 Final CRC Checksum = $AA085B16
 Final WRAP Checksum = $B884935B
"Die Siedler" (Blue Byte) [German version] - first version
 File to alter: "DieSiedler" on disk "Die Siedler 3"
 File length: 192952
   Offset
             Change From Change To
    $006A7C
              6600 FDBA 4E71 4E71
    $007D12
             67
                    60
   $00BAC0
            67
                    60
   $00C3CA
                    60
            67
   $00CCFC
             67
                    60
    $017C50
              67
                    60
   $0251B4
              66D0
                      4E71
 Original CRC Checksum = $17541D5A
 Original WRAP Checksum = $B8C010AB
 Final CRC Checksum = $E998342F
 Final WRAP Checksum = $FDAECDF4
"Die Siedler" (Blue Byte) [German version] - other version
 File to alter: "DieSiedler" on disk "Die Siedler 3"
 File length: 192772
   Offset
              Change From Change To
              6600 FDBA 4E71 4E71
    $006A6E
    $007D00
              67
                   60
    $00BA7A
              67
                    60
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\$00C3AA 67 60 \$00CC94 67 60 \$017BE2 67 60 \$025124 66D0 4E71 Original CRC Checksum = \$47D371CE Original WRAP Checksum = \$DDDD7C25 Final CRC Checksum = \$E303C13F Final WRAP Checksum = \$B385A8B5 Comments: Enter any three symbols to satisfy the protection check. It is conceivable that I haven't yet found all places to patch in the executable. If you find that strange things happen, or that the machine locks up or crashes after a while, please let me know.

Originator: Mark Knibbs. The patch for the other version of "Die Siedler" was sent to me by someone calling themself "The Masterbrain". It is presumably based on my patch to the English version.

1.113 Thunderboy (Time Warp Productions)

"Thunderboy" (Time Warp Productions)
File to alter: "thunderboy" on disk "ThunderBoy"
File length: 49628
Offset Change From Change To
\$0001E0 206C 600E
\$0005F8 6108 4E71
Original CRC Checksum = \$2A222214
Original WRAP Checksum = \$BA38AD4A
Final CRC Checksum = \$D71E1527
Final WRAP Checksum = \$8D2DAD4A
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.114 Times of Lore (Origin)

"Times of Lore" (Origin) File to alter: "load" on disk "XELOK-1V2-SIG1" File length: 3088 Offset Change From Change To \$0000B2 4EB9 23C1 \$0000BA 66 70

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Original CRC Checksum = $A96C57AD
Original WRAP Checksum = $533AF995
Final CRC Checksum = $DD9B2198
Final WRAP Checksum = $533B1A8D
Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection.
Originator: Maverick 5.01 parameter
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1.115 Vaxine (The Assembly Line/US Gold)

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"Vaxine" (The Assembly Line/US Gold)
File to alter: "vaxine"
File length: 260672
Offset Change From Change To
$002C1C 67 60
Original CRC Checksum = $815122D0
Original WRAP Checksum = $DB26B6E7
Final CRC Checksum = $09FDDBCA
Final WRAP Checksum = $E226B6E7
Comments: Select any code.
Originator: LockPick parameter
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1.116 Wings (Cinemaware)

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"Wings" (Cinemaware)
File to alter: "Wings" on disk "Reel 1"
File length: 224424
Offset Change From Change To
$00FE08 2F2C D1B8 486C C172
Original CRC Checksum = $55F274F1
Original WRAP Checksum = $7C8E02FF
Final CRC Checksum = $77BDC19A
Final WRAP Checksum = $634E1345
Comments: Enter anything at the Pilot Authorisation screen.
Originator: FreeCopy 1.8 parameter
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1.117 Wiz & Liz (Lunatic Software/Psygnosis)

"Wiz & Liz" (Lunatic Software/Psygnosis)
You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the
EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.
On disk 1, locate block 787 (track 35, sector 6, head 1).
Offset in block Change From Change To
\$00018A 0C80 0000 03F3 317C 6008 0056
\$000190 6600 00CA 4E71 4E71
If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum,
DO NOT DO THIS.
Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.118 Wizball (Ocean)

"Wizball" (Ocean) File to alter: "wizload" on disk "protec" File length: 1536 Offset Change From Change To 01 \$000004 00 \$000124 6100 0168 103C 0000 Original CRC Checksum = \$A3923416 Original WRAP Checksum = \$423BB653 Final CRC Checksum = \$55F7FF1C Final WRAP Checksum = \$93FFB7BB Comments: This patch removes the on-disk copy-protection. The version of Wizball that I have was distributed as part of the old 'Tenstar pack' software bundled with Amiga 500s.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.119 Wonder Dog (Core Design)

"Wonder Dog" (Core Design)

You need to use a disk editor for this patch, such as DiskX or the EditorTool in ProjectD 2.0.

Locate block 1344 (track 61, sector 2, head 0).

Offset in block Change From Change To \$000123 79 0007 6342 4ED0 7A 001E 6000 022C Locate block 1345 (track 61, sector 3, head 0). Move to offset \$154 (this is the first of a large number of zero bytes, immediately following the hex string \$0010 4E75). Change the first 16 zero bytes to the following: 317C 6046 0052 217C 9926 BE13 122E 4ED0 If your disk editor has a facility to correct the DOS block checksum, DO NOT DO THIS.

Comments: This patch removes the Rob Northen on-disk copy-protection.

Originator: Mark Knibbs

1.120 Wonderland (Magnetic Scrolls) 1.27f (April 5 1991)

"Wonderland" (Magnetic Scrolls) 1.27f (April 5 1991)
File to alter: "all.2" on disk "Wonderland Two"
File length: 708814
Offset Change From Change To
\$008200 41EC 9076 6106 4E71 4E71 4E71

Original CRC Checksum = \$7582737E Original WRAP Checksum = \$3306F7BD

Final CRC Checksum = \$516E4530 Final WRAP Checksum = \$391739C2

Comments: The program will no longer ask for a word from the manual.

Originator: Mark Knibbs, based on a patch to 'Magnetic Scrolls Collection Volume 1' by Crystal.

1.121 Worms (Team 17)

"Worms" (Team 17)
File to alter: "WORMS" on disk "TW1"
File length: 353940 (uncompressed)
You need a cruncher or packer to carry out this patch. First
uncompress "WORMS" using XfdDecrunch. After alterations, use a
cruncher to pack the file and save it over the original version.

Offset Change From Change To \$002424 202D 81E8 706F 4E71

(Original is compressed with CrunchMania.)

Original CRC Checksum for decompressed "WORMS" file = \$55C9D19F Original WRAP Checksum for decompressed "WORMS" file = \$BFC72F0E

Final CRC Checksum for decompressed "WORMS" file = \$51B3FFCE
Final WRAP Checksum for decompressed "WORMS" file = \$243764CF

Comments: Enter 111 to satisfy the protection check.

Originator: The Masterbrain

1.122 Zool 2 AGA (Gremlin Graphics) A1200 Computer Combat version

"Zool 2 AGA" (Gremlin Graphics) A1200 Computer Combat version

The file that needs to be patched here ('z2' on disk 'z2d1') is packed with a Rob Northen cruncher. In order to be able to apply the patch, we need to unpack the file, patch this, and repack the resulting file in order to fit it back onto the disk.

NOTE: You will need a recent version of the XFD package to unpack the z2 file. Version 1.13 is definitely sufficient. From a CLI/Shell window, type:

'xfdDecrunch z2d1:z2 RAM:z2.unpacked'

(Replace RAM: with some other directory with sufficient space if necessary.) Now we have to remove the protection from the 'z2.unpacked' file.

File to alter: "RAM:z2.unpacked"
File length: 409372

Offset Change From Change To \$016C18 33FC 4E75

Original CRC Checksum = \$E167238E Original WRAP Checksum = \$9DCE8E6D

Final CRC Checksum = \$BB3A3376 Final WRAP Checksum = \$83558E6D

Now use Imploder to compress the patched z2.unpacked file. Any efficiency above 2 will do; ensure that Library mode is off. Save the compressed file to 'z2d1:z2', replacing the original z2 file.

If all went well, you should now be able to play your deprotected copy of Zool 2 AGA.

Comments: This patch removes the code-wheel protection. The protection screen will no longer appear.

Originator: Mark Knibbs