

PROZip (R) version 1.2 (extract-only)
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README.WRI FILE
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This file contains installation and other important information about PROZip - extract-only version. Installation, distribution and use of PROZip software is governed by the PROZip License Agreement.

About The PROZip Extract-Only Version

THE EXTRACT-ONLY VERSION IS FREE FOR YOU TO USE FOR AS LONG AS YOU LIKE!

You may freely download the PROZip Extract-Only version at any time from our Web Site (www.prozip.com). It will allow you to examine and use the intuitive PROZip interface prior to purchasing the full product. The extract-only version has no programmed time limitations.

This version is a functional unzip program with the capability to open multiple archives simultaneously and extract files using the PROZip drag & drop interface. It will allow launching of files directly from zip archives. PROZip's internal ability to associate files is also available.

The PROZip extract-only version can be converted into the full PROZip program at any time and without additional downloads by purchasing a set of personal activation codes from RT Computer. The ORDER.WRI file contains all the information you will need to make your purchase. There are several methods you can use to purchase and quickly receive your personal activation codes, including email (secure or standard transaction), phone, fax and mail.

Once you have purchased the unique activation codes required to convert to the Full Version, the following additional and desirable features will be available:

- > **Create New Zip Archives**
- > **Copy/Move Files Between Archives**
- > **Create Self Extracting Archives**
- > **Create Multiple Volume Archives**
- > **Encrypt/Decrypt (Password Protect) Archives**
- > **Add Comments to Archives**

NOTE: You can also order the full version of PROZip directly from RT Computer, whether or not you have downloaded the extract-only version. See the ORDER.WRI file for more information.

Downloading and Installing the PROZip Extract-Only Version

All files for the PROZip extract-only version are contained in a PROZip Self- Extracting Archive (PZEO12.EXE). The file is approximately a 1.3Mb download.

How To Install the PROZip Extract-Only Version

1. Download the PZEO12.EXE self-extracting archive. It will be saved on your hard disk in whatever location you have specified (usually C:\TEMP).
2. Go to the File menu in the Program or File Manager (Win 3.x), or to the Start Menu (Win 95) and select RUN.
3. Type C:\PZEO12.EXE. Press <ENTER>. The PROZip Self Extractor will run.

4. In the PROZip Self-Extractor EXTRACT-TO-PATH BOX, type the name of the directory where the extracted files will be saved. We recommend C:\PROZip. Press <ENTER>.

Once the files are extracted, RUN the PROZip Install program:

5. Go to the File menu in the Program or File Manager (Win3.x), or in the Start Menu (Win 95) and select RUN. Run the PROZIP SETUP.EXE program. (If you extracted the files to C:\PROZip, the command will be C:\PROZIP\SETUP).
6. At the PROZip Setup dialog click Continue.
7. At the Destination Directory dialog, click continue.
8. Once the PROZip Installer is finished, a new PROZip Program Group will appear in the Program Manager (Win 3.x) or in your Start/Programs (Win 95) items. There will be 5 file icons installed in the new PROZip group. They are:

PROZIP 1.2	the PROZip Extract-Only program (executable)
PROZIP.HLP	the PROZip Illustrated Online Manual and Help File
LICENSE.WRI	the PROZip license agreement
ORDER.WRI	a text file containing ordering information an order form
README.WRI	this file

8. Double click the PROZip 1.2 icon to run PROZip. Double click any of the write files (.WRI) to see their contents.

How To Install Activation Codes into the Extract-Only Version

Once you purchase and have received your personal Activation Code, install it via the PROZip startup dialog:

1. Run PROZip.
2. At the PROZip startup dialog, choose the Enter Activation Codes button.
3. Enter your name and the Code EXACTLY as they were provided by RT Computer.
4. That's it! You now have the full program. There is no need to restart.

KNOWN PROBLEMS, BUGS, INCOMPATIBILITIES, ETC.

1. **Upon running the PROZip SETUP.EXE installer program, you get an error message: "Error initializing PROZip Setup. Please exit and restart windows."**

This difficulty is caused by a video driver that is incompatible with the PROZip Setup program. The solution is to restart Windows, switch to the Standard Windows VGA video driver, run the PROZip setup program, then reset your video driver.

Switching Video Drivers in Windows 3.x

1. In the Main Program Group, double click Win Setup.
2. In the Windows Setup box select the Options menu and choose Change Systems Settings. (Note your current display settings in the Display drop down box.)
3. Select VGA from the Display drop down box. Click OK.
4. You will be prompted with the message, "A driver for this display is already on the system...Use currently installed driver?" Choose Current.
5. Restart Windows.
6. Run the PROZip SETUP.EXE program.

7. Repeat steps #1-5 to reinstall your original video driver. Contact your video board manufacturer and obtain updated video drivers.

Switching Video Drivers in Windows 95

Windows 95 has an optional "Safe mode" which will temporarily reset your display to the Windows standard VGA mode.

1. Restart your machine while holding down the <F8> key. The Microsoft Windows 95 Startup Menu will appear. Choose "Safe mode."
2. Run the PROZip SETUP.EXE program.
3. Restart your machine. Do not hold down any keys. Your original video driver will be used. Contact your video board manufacturer and obtain updated video drivers.

Switching Video Drivers in Windows NT (3.5x and 4)

Windows NT has an Operating System bootup menu which will allow you to temporarily reset your video driver to the Windows Standard VGA driver.

1. Restart your machine. The Operating System bootup menu will appear.
2. Choose Windows NT version X VGA.
3. Run the PROZip SETUP.EXE program.
4. Restart your machine. Your default operating system and video drivers will be used. Contact your video board manufacturer and obtain updated video drivers.

2. **PROZip windows sometimes do not refresh properly (directory windows show no entries) after using ALT-TAB between programs.**

This is a known bug. The solution is to either retile (using the horizontal or vertical tile buttons), switch between 2 disks, or minimize, then maximize the program.

3. **PROZip will not run as a minimized start up program.**

The current solution is to manually minimize the program after startup. We are working to correct this deficiency.

4. **If the PROFile Manager Window is maximized without any archives open, the next opened archive has no restore button. Also, the toolbar tile buttons do not do anything.**

The solution for this is to use the File/Close menu command to close the archive. Once closed, the PROFile Manager Window will revert to its last non-maximized position. Reopen the archive and the windows will work properly. We are working on a fix for this bug.

5. **Sometimes when using Norton Desktop for Windows, PROZip immediately quits upon startup the first time it is run.**

The solution is to restart PROZip.

We appreciate your help in making PROZip the best program possible. Please let us know about any problems, bugs, or incompatibilities you find. We invite you to provide input about future enhancements you would like to see. Please send to:

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