

Installation Guide for JRE Home Inventory 3.4

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INSTALLATION:

JRE Home Inventory requires Windows 3.1 and VBRUN200.DLL. VBRUN200.DLL must be accessible via the path, normally it is found in the \WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory.

To install JRE Home Inventory, run SETUP.EXE. If you are using a windows shell program other than Program Manager, you will have to manually create groups and group items for Home Inventory. We recommend creating a group JRE. In group JRE, create two items:

1. Description = Home Inventory
Command Line = *path*\JREHOME.EXE
Working Directory = *path*
2. Description = Home Inventory Help
Command Line = *path*\JREHOME.HLP
Working Directory = *path*

WHAT's NEW:

All functions have been enabled in the shareware version.

A setup program has been created for installing JRE Home Inventory.

The INSERT key will toggle between the inserting of text and the overtyping of text when entering data.

The Page Down key can be used to scroll forwards, the Page Up key can be used to scroll backwards.

The F11 key will toggle between having text "selected" and not selected when a text field gets focus.

The F12 key will run the Window's calculator program.

The four list boxes on the Property Window now function like the search function of HELP.

The HELP menu item now follows the standard Windows HELP layout. The HELP "Search" button has also been added to the menu. Some HELP text has been clarified.

Corrected some spelling errors and other minor problems.

WHAT's NEXT:

Allow entry of non-numeric zipcodes for non-USA addresses.

Increase field length of Property Description.

Add long "memo" field for additional property description.

Provide program to prompt user to update Home Inventory at pre-determined times (quarterly, semi-annually, annually...).

Provide entry of policy number, agent name/address, and other related information.

Add "Quantity of Item" field to Property Maintenance.

REGISTRATION:

View REGISTER.WRI for current registration costs. Registration also can be done on CompuServe (GO SWREG, title "Home Inventory V3.4 by JRE", registration id 225). Stop the annoying "Unregistered Software" message by registering today!

Also available from JRE Enterprises is Win Multiple Configurations. Requires Windows 3.1 and VBRUN200.DLL. Win Multiple Configurations can be found on CompuServe (WINADV forum) and America Online (Windows software) with a keyword of JRE.

JRE Enterprises can be contacted on CompuServe via mail to ID 71162,2311 or contacted on America Online via mail to ID Leel641756.

KNOWN PROBLEMS:

An "Invalid File Format" error may occur when starting JREHOME.EXE. Certain older versions of the following files are incompatible with Visual Basic Version 2.0:

- CMDIALOG.VBX
- COMMDLG.DLL
- GRID.VBX
- MCI.VBX
- THREED.VBX

These files are supposed to reside in the windows system directory. Other products may have installed these files in the windows directory or elsewhere. Scan all directories for these two files and eliminate any occurrence of these files outside of the \WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory. Make sure the files in the \WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory are the ones shipped with Home Inventory or NEWER. Visual Basic file formats were changed between Version 1.0 and Version 2.0. This is NOT a problem with Home Inventory, but is an incompatibility between Visual Basic 1.0 and Visual Basic 2.0 VBX files.