ALLINI Version 2.02

OVERVIEW:

Did you ever load a program that you later took off your system? Odds are that it left something in your WIN.INI file. Although most programs have a fancy install program, most don't have an uninstall program. This can leave unwanted commands in your WIN.INI file. ALLINI can help you get rid of the extra sections that are lying there doing nothing.

PURPOSE:

ALLINI is a program to point and click your way to a cleaner WIN.INI file. Although you can modify the WIN.INI in Notepad, it is clumsy at best. ALLINI shows all the Sections (Main Topics) of any INI file (it defaults to showing the WIN.INI file) and allows you to either View them or Delete the Section out of the file. You can also edit the Section to change any Item that needs updating.

REQUIREMENTS:

All that is required to run ALLINI is that you must be running Microsoft Windows 3.x (or higher).

INSTALLATION:

ALLINI is very easy to install. The executable program ALLINI.EXE must be somewhere in DOS path or in the current directory. To run the program, go to the 'File Run' option in the Program Manager menu and type ALLINI.EXE in the dialog box. An easier way would be to load ALLINI automatically when you load Windows. To do this, edit your WIN.INI file with any text editor. Look for the line LOAD= (about your second line down), at the end of the line add ALLINI.EXE. This will load ALLINI and have it available when ever you need it.

OPERATION:

Caution! When you DELETE something it is gone. Please use the delete feature with care. If you have any worries please backup your WIN.INI file.

Delete Section:

To Delete a particular Section, Highlight the selection in the main Listbox, and click on the Delete Section button. A Delete Confirmation box will appear Click on Yes if you still want to Delete the Selection, then ALLINI will redisplay the new WIN.INI.

ALLINI will **NOT** let the following sections be deleted:

WIN.INI

[windows]

[Desktop]

[Extensions]

[intl]

[Compatibility]

[colors]

[PrinterPorts]

[devices]

SYSTEM.INI

[boot]

View Section:

To View or Edit the contents of a particular Section Highlight the selection in the main Listbox, and click on the View Section Button. A screen will appear showing the contents of the Section you just highlighted. at this point you have a few options. You can go back to the main Menu without doing anything by clicking on Main Menu, you can edit and Entry by clicking on the Edit Entry button here you can edit the current Entry or Cancel and return to the previous menu, or you can delete one Entry or many without erasing the entire Section by highlighting the line to delete and click on Delete Item.

Select INI Files:

ALLINI defaults to displaying the WIN.INI file on startup. You can display and edit any .INI file by clicking on the button. All the INI files in the Windows main directory will be listed. Here you can delete the entire INI file or choose one to be edited. Please note that ALLINI will **NOT** let the SYSTEM.INI or WIN.INI be deleted for safety reasons.

Options:

Has the selection to either Alphabetize or Not Alphabetize the selections in the Listboxes. If the Alphabetize option is checked then all the selections in the listboxes will be in Alphabetical order. If the option is unchecked then they will listed in the order read from the INI file,

RELEASE HISTORY

Version 1.0

Initial release

Version 2.01

Added the ability to edit the Entries.

Minor text changes.

Version 2.02

Added Alphabetize option

REGISTRATION:

ALLINI Version 2.01 is being distributed FREE on one premise that you contact me somehow telling me your likes, dislikes or new features so that these features can be added in future version and platforms (Look for Windows NT and OS/2 versions out soon) Thank you for your support.

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