WinRun & WRSetup

Version 1.00

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Introduction

WinRun and WRSetup allow you to specify how a program should be run under different conditions, including whether the normal ("retail") Windows is running or the debug kernel is running. In addition, you may specify how a program is to be run (maximized, minimized, normal, or not at all) during the first Windows session and subsequent Windows sessions in a day. This makes it much easier to use calendar programs, which you might want to run maximized the first time in a day, but minimized in subsequent sessions. It also is very useful when you want to run certain programs under the debugging kernel but other programs under the "retail" version of Windows.

Both WinRun and WRSetup require Windows 3.1.

Revisions in WinRun

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WinRun

WINRUN.EXE must be placed on the load= line of your win.ini file or in the Startup Group of the Program Manager, so that it will be executed each time Windows is run. WinRun executes the specified applications and then closes itself.

About

About displays information about the program.

Modify/Add

Add allows you to modify an existing application in the list or add a new application to the list of applications to run.

In the Modify/Add Program dialog box you may specify the application's command line, for example, C:\WINWORD\WINWORD.EXE, and the application's working directory, which is the directory from which the application will be started. If you leave the Working Directory blank, the program will automatically fill in the working directory from the command line you specify.

Selecting *Browse...* displays the standard file dialog box, which allows you to choose a directory and filename more easily than by typing it in.

Options

You may choose to have an application run when the Windows debugging kernel is being used, and/or when the normal ("retail") version of Windows is being used.

You may specify how the application is to be run the first time Windows is run in a day, and in subsequent sessions of Windows during the same day.

Delete

Selecting *Delete* removes the currently selected application from the list.

Save

Selecting *Save* saves your current settings and exits the program.

Drag and Drop

WRSetup supports drag and drop. Drag and drop allows you to drag an application from the Windows 3.1 File Manager and drop it on WRSetup, so that the application will automatically be added to the list.

Program Loading Order; Moving Programs In The Listbox

Programs are loaded in the order in which they appear in the listbox. WRSetup allows you to specify the order by moving the programs around in the listbox. To change the position of a program:

- Select the program you want to move so that it is highlighted.
- Move the mouse cursor to just above the position that you want the program moved to. The mouse cursor will change from an arrow shape to a special shape that will show you where the program is to appear.
- Click once to move the program to the new position.

Thanks!

Thanks to Brad Smith for his help in developing and testing this program.

ShareWare

This program is ShareWare.

You may make copies of this program and give them to others, as long as the documentation is included, both unaltered.

If you like this program, a registration fee of $US 15 would be appreciated. If you would like to receive the latest version, add $3.00 for S&H in U.S., $5.00 elsewhere.

Please include your name, address, disk size, and current version number. Comments and suggestions (with or without the registration fee) would be greatly appreciated.

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