UserID

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COLLABORATORS

	TITLE : UserID		
ACTION	*NAME*	*DATE*	*SIGNATURE*
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          *            UserID Version 2.01              *
          *                                             *
          *       Written By, Jason Gouger[M3012]       *
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          +-----------------------------------------------+
          | THIS DOOR IS SHAREWARE, see
            ShareWare
             notice |
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= Note: I have  had ONE registration of this door since the 2.00 =
=       release. If I do NOT  receive  more registrations in the =
=       near future I will be forced to cripple the door, or add =
=       some ANNOYING 'feature'.                                 =
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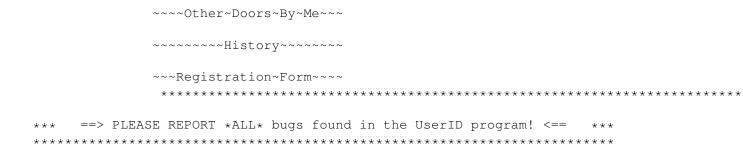
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 ***   ==> PLEASE REPORT *ALL* bugs found in the UserID program! <==   ***
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1.2 Disclaimer

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1.3 Introduction

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 Introduction:
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     UserID keeps track of the past number of callers that YOU define. Also the
output is 100% configurable. There are many text sequences (~u_) which display
a callers actions while on-line. They include messages posted, download, and
upload information. Every field can be configured to a specific length and can

be left or right justified. UserID will create an environmental variable
called User_X (X being the line number) which will hold the on-line user's
name. This environmental variable can be used for shell games and other
applications where the username is not readily available, see the included
examples. The environmental variable is also used by the TimeOn door. The
TimeOn door displays the total on-line time.

1.4 UserID's Many Features

 Features
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     - 100% configurable text files.
     - definable field lengths with justification.
     - 20 text sequences including user actions, like uploads, downloads,
       messages posted, and many more.
     - configurable number of past users.
     - efficient operation making the door transparent to the user.
     - creates environmental variable with the user's name which can be
       used for shell games.
     - TimeOn door to display a user's total connect time.

1.5 Installation

                 Installation:
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 Files included in the archive:

 1) UserID/UserID   =====> UserID Last Caller (Door File)
 2) UserID/TimeOn   =====> Calculates on-line time (Door File)
 3) UserID/UserID.DAT   =====> Datafile used by UserID.
 4) UserID/Text/UserID.txt   =====> Sample Config File for text output
 5) UserID/Text/UserID.gr1   =====> Sample Config File for graphics output.
 6) UserID/UserID.guide   =====> UserID Documentation.

Place the above files in a Directory Called UserID in the Doors Path configured
in MEBBSNet.

****Note: UserID uses the Doors Path as DEFINED IN MEBBSNet, you MUST have this
configured correctly. This documentation will assume that you have it
configured for 'DOORS:'. If you have it configured otherwise just remember
'DOORS:' refers to the path defined IN MEBBSNet.

More information:

                 Configuring~UserID~~~~~~~~

                 Text~File~Configuration~~~

1.6   Configuring UserID

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                    Configuring MQwkID:
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The configuration of MQwkID is accomplished through the command line. To change
the configuration specify the 'CONFIG' option with the following parameters:

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 SYSOP (Flag - Optional)
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If this flag is present, the sysop's logon's will be displayed in the list.

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 HANDLES (Flag - Optional)
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If this flag is present, Handles will be used instead of the real names in the
output display.

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 ENTRIES (Required)
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This option IS REQUIRED and it defines the number of entries the list should
contain.


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 Examples
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A.DOORS:UserID/> UserID CONFIG ENTRIES 10

   If this was entered at the command line, 10 entries would be saved, using
real names, and the sysop's name would be excluded from the list.

B.DOORS:UserID/> UserID CONFIG HANDLES ENTRIES 5

   If this was entered at the command line, 5 entries would be saved, using
handles, and the sysop's name would be excluded from the list.

C.DOORS:UserID/> UserID CONFIG HANDLES SYSOP ENTRIES 15

   If this was entered at the command line 15 entries would be saved, using
handles, and the sysop's name would be INCLUDED with the list.

More information:


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                Text~File~Configuration~~~
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1.7   Configuring the UserID.[txt] Files

 Configuring the UserID.[txt] file:
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UserID uses text files similar to that of MEBBSNet. This allows for 100%
customization. The default extension of '.txt' is used when a given graphics
file does not exist. Graphics files have the extension of '.gr#', where '#' is
the number of the user's graphics mode. See MEBBSNet documentation for more
details.

Any text file may contain embedded control sequences which insert certain
information. MEBBSNet text control sequences DO *NOT* work in these text
files, instead the following sequences are used.

 Text Control Sequences for UserID
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   Sequence   Output
   ~ur   [CR/LF]
   ~uv   UserID version information
   ~ua   UserID author information
   ~uy   BBS Name
   ~ulXXX   Total number of last user's, the XXX defines the field width
               and justification. See below for more information. (*)

The following sequences are only valid if the last user's are being listed.
This line *MUST* be preceded by the prefix '#USR' (Case Sensitive). This will
alert UserID that you want this line REPEATED for the last user's information.
This line can only appear ONCE in each text file.

   Sequence   Output
   ~unXXX   Last User number
   ~uuXXX   Username/Handle
   ~ucXXX   City
   ~usXXX   State
   ~ubXXX   Total number of calls
   ~utXXX   Time user called
   ~udXXX   Date user called
   ~ujXXX   Bytes Downloaded ***
   ~u7XXX   Files Downloaded ***
   ~uiXXX   Bytes Uploaded   ***
   ~u8XXX   Files Uploaded   ***
   ~ukXXX   Messages Posted ***
      ^^^
      ^^^---> * These positions specify the field width and justification.
              ALL three positions will be considered for the field width.
              Therefore any text that is not part of the field width MUST
              be outside of this range.

   ~u1XXX   Boolean Download ***
   ~u2XXX   Boolean Upload   ***
   ~u3XXX   Boolean Messages Posted ***
      ^^^
      |||---> Specifies the 'Msg Posted, Up/Download' character.
      ||----> Specifies the 'No Msg Posted, No Up/Download' character.
      |-----> Specifies the 'Not updated' character.

*** These text sequences REQUIRE that the UserID program is run with the option
'update'. The best way to accomplish this is to have the UserID program run in
your LogOff~script, as specified in MEBBSNet.

Notes:

UserID DOES *NOT* place [CR/LF]'s after the end of the line. UserID will ONLY
place a [CR/LF] where the ~ur sequence is found. This allows for maximum
configuration abilities.

You *MUST* have the author and version sequences somewhere in the text file. If
they are not present, they will be added to the end of the text file!

The fields are padded and truncated to the width specified after the text
sequence.

All numeric text sequences are RIGHT justified and all string sequences are
LEFT justified. To change the default justification, place a negative field
width after the option. For Example if a field is left justified and it has a
width of 10, it can be right justified with a width of 10 if a -10 is specified
for the field width after the option.

1.8   Adding UserID to the Logon.[txt] file(s)

                   Adding UserID to the Logon.[txt] file:
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 Place the following lines in your Logon.[txt] file(s).

 Start ----->

 ~v!DOOR/DOORS:UserID/UserID#

 ~vc

 <---- End

More information:

              Adding~UserID~to~the~LogOff~Script

              Time~Online~Door~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

1.9   Adding UserID to the LogOff Script

                   Adding UserID to the LogOff script:
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    note: The LogOff script name is defined the in EVENT_X.CFG file,
          where X is the line number.

```
 Start ----->

 DOORS:UserID/UserID update

 <---- End
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More information:

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            Time~Online~Door
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1.10 TimeOn

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 TimeOn Door:
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The TimeOn Door simply displays the total connect time derived from the current time and the file date-time stamp created by UserID.

Add the following lines to your LogOff.[txt] file

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Start ---->

~v!DOOR/DOORS:UserID/TimeOn#

<---- End
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1.11 ShareWare

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            ShareWare:
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    This door is SHAREWARE, so if you use it for more than 15 days, please register your copy. You will receive a key file which will remove the Unregistered tagline from the output. Also, you will receive a 1-Year subscription status on my BBS which will entitle you to Unlimited Downloads. Make sure you send a password if you would like an account setup.

Updates can be Freq'ed from 1:268/114.0 with the magical name 'USERID' and a password of 'UPDATE'.

More information:

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            Comments~and~Suggestions

            Show~Registration~form~~
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1.12 Comments and Suggestions

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Comments and Bug Reports:
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 Call my BBS:

   The Amiga Enterprise    717-223-8269   300-28800 Bps   24 Hours

 Or send mail to:

              JGouger%psu.edu    - Internet Address *
              gouger%cse.psu.edu - Internet Address (Talk Cmd Supported) *
              Jason Gouger       - Fidonet 1:268/114
              Jason Gouger       - MaxNet 90:7170/2
              Jason Gouger       - Proper Mebbs Echo


   * Internet addresses are the fastest method of communication

   % Note the % sign is supposed to be an 'at' sign; i.e. shift 2 (@).
     Amiga Guide Does not like them :(
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1.13 Other Doors by Jason Gouger

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Other Doors by Me:
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                        MQwkID [V1.00]
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   MQwkID is an external door for the MEBBSNet Profession BBS software that
creates standard QWKMail packets.  MQwkID has many features including
autopacket naming, multiple message area downloads, hidden mode operation, and
much more.  MQwkID also serves as a reply packet tosser directly through the
door or from the command line.


                        PathID [V1.00]
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   PathID is a small utility to ensure all of the file, message, and system
directories have been created.  If a missing directory is encountered PathID
will prompt to create the missing directory if desired. This is an excellent
utility for first time setups, and when creating new file or message areas.


                        CDRomID [V1.02]
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Allows users to search CD-Rom Index file(s) for a string, and of course it has
the ability to the allow direct downloading of files from the CD-Rom.  It also
includes the ability to make file(s) FREE for download, or have them charged
against the users account.  It now has Multiple CD-Rom support, and a temporary
download directory option has been added.
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1.14 History

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 History:
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History for versions prior to version 2.00 are available upon request.

===> 2.01 ===>

Minor update, fixed a bug with the SYSOP option. The SYSOP configuration
option should function correctly, ie disable/enable the logging of the sysop.

===> 2.00 ===>

Major upgrade, see documentation for complete installation instructions. Older
graphics files should work with this version, with minor modifications to
include the NEW field width/justification option. The configuration and data
files have changed extensively, so you should install this version from scratch
and alter the older graphics files and place them in DOORS:UserID/Text
directory. Read the complete documentation for details on customizing the
output display.

1.15   Quick Installation

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 Quick Installation:
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1. Copy the UserID Directory to the DOORS: assignment.
2. Place the following lines in your Logon.[txt] file(s).

   Start ----->

     ~v!DOOR/DOORS:UserID/UserID#

     ~vc

   <---- End

3. Add the following line to the LOGOFF script, as defined the in
   EVENT_X.CFG file, where X is the line number.

   Start ----->

     DOORS:UserID/UserID update

   <---- End

4. If you would like the user's Connect Time displayed upon logoff add the
   following line to you LogOff.[txt] file.

   Start ---->

     ~v!DOOR/DOORS:UserID/TimeOn#

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      <---- End
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  5. Read the complete documentation for information on customizing UserID.

1.16   Registration * To print registration form select Print from the Project Menu *

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                           UserID Registration
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Please provide the following information, and include a Money order or check
for $15 (US Funds ONLY) and send it to:

```
                    Jason Gouger
                    74 White Birch Lane
                    East Stroudsburg, PA 18301-8339

           For faster service send to:  (Valid until April 1995)

                     Jason Gouger
                     478 East Beaver Ave, Apt 704
                     State College, PA 16801
```

I can only accept personal checks in US dollars drawn on US banks. Money orders
are preferred and will result in faster processing.

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Name    : _____

Street : _____  Apt   : _____

City    : _____  State/Prov: _____

Country: _____  Zip/Postal: _____

Email  : _____

BBS Name: _____  BBS number: (___)___-____

Sysop Name: _____ (MUST MATCH MEBBSNet Config)

Send Keyfile: ( ) UUEncoded Internet Mail

             ( ) UUEncoded FidoNet Mail
                ( ) Deliver NetMail to node: 1:_____  (US Only)
                ( ) Hold keyfile at node:    1:268/114.0 (Outside US)
                            for node:       _____

             ( ) Pick it up on my BBS (717-223-8269)
                 BBS Account Information:  Phone number: _____
                                               Password: _____

             ( ) Postal Mail Service. (Add $3.00 for S/H and Disk)
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Comment: (Write on back of form if needed)

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Date   : _____ Signature:_____

Comment: (Write on back of form if needed)