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## **Chapter 1**

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## 1.1 Contents

Orpsw 2.4

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## 1.2 copyright

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## 1.3 requirements

Requirements: Hard disk, A1200/A4000

Tested at these systems: A1200, Kickstart 3.0, 2.5" Toshiba hard disk, 3.5" Seegate 600MB hard disk, IBM PS/VP VGA monitor, Olivetti DSM 60-400 VGA monitor.

### 1.4 features

#### Features

- No floppy drive clicks and retry count is 1.

- You can use '\*' instead of AmigaDos wildcard chars '#?'. Important: If you use '\*' alone it means the default window, so that things change a little. Because of that you are adviced to use double stars. For example use 'LIST \*\*' instead of 'LIST \*'. 'Copy console: file' command writes the informatin taken from console to the specified file. For end-of-file press ctrl+backslash in the CON: window or click the end gadget in the KON: window.
- Window activator.
- Screen blanker.
- Hard disk power on/off handler.
- BootMenu & alert screens in VGA mode.
- No screen flash at reset.
- Keyboard reset handler.
- Power-on password.
- Console handler.

CLI window consists of input/output/status areas.

Command: NewCLI KON:hpos/vpos/width/height/windowtitle FROM filename Purpose: See the Dos manual for parameters.

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Function
 Editing key
 Left/Right
                     Move the cursor around the string.
 Shift + Left/Right Move the cursor to the beginning or end of string.
                   Get the previous or next history string.
 Up/Down
 Shift + Up/Down
                     Complete the string to right of cursor.
 Del
                     Delete the character under the cursor.
 Backspace
                     Delete the character to left of cursor.
 Right_Amiga + X
                     Clear the string.
 Return/Enter
                     Submit the string.
 A1+
                     Alternate character set entering.
 Control key
                     Function
 Ctrl + A/Z
                     Move the cursor to the beginning or end of string.
 Ctrl + H
                    Delete the character to left of cursor.
 Ctrl + W/U
                    Delete the characters to left of cursor.
 Ctrl + K
                    Delete the characters to right of cursor.
 Ctrl + X
                     Clear the string.
 Ctrl + M
                     Submit the string.
 Restrictions:
 - No window options.
 - Window title length is 8 characters.
  - No snip.
 - No break types E and F.
 There are 16 input history and 8 input stack buffers.
 No partial reads, input buffer will be removed after each read.
 Input string will be displayed in the output area with calling
 program's read length if input stack is empty.
 Input stack will be cleared and not used in raw mode.
 Dos.library/WaitForChar() waits least 1/10 seconds.
 You can control the control characters in the input area,
 see the IControl document for more info.
 You can make the cursor invisible in the output area.
 To do this insert "*E[0 p" characters into your prompt.
 This is an example Shell-Startup (or KON-Startup):
 Alias CLS Echo "*E[H*E[J" noline
 Alias DIR List nodates
 Prompt "*E[0 p*E[32m%S>*E[31m*E[E"
 CLS
- Keyboard driven menu session.
 Key
                     Function
 Right Alt
                     Begin or end menu session.
 Return/Enter
                     Select item.
 Up/Down
                     Scan items.
 Left/Right
                     Scan menus or exit from sub menu.
 New menu checkmark cannot displayed correctly if menu
 background color is not 2 and menu may not be activated
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if screen is not autoscroll. If IDCMP\_MENUVERIFY was used for the window, Orpsw blocks the user input and waits the menu activation. After 7 seconds it cancels the blocking or you can re-press the menu key to exit. - Resident CLI commands:

Command: PswScr

- Purpose: Redisplays the last deadend-alert message for the VGA mode and asks password. Does nothing under Run command or non Startup-Sequence environments or if Workbench is open or if executed more than one. Returns 1 for the first password and 5 for the second password. Password screen comes once after power on reset.
- Command: Reset PSWSCR/S,CLEAR/S Purpose: Initiates the system-reset.
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Arguments: PSWSCR Password screen comes after reset, if the PswScr command exist in Startup-Sequence.

- CLEAR ExecBase structure and 2MB chip memory will be cleared before reset.
- Command: ProtectHD
- Purpose: Makes the hard disk read-only.
- Command: PoweroffHD
- Purpose: Ensures 4 seconds passed from last I/O. Parks the hard disk heads, turns off the hard disk power. Another way is ctrl+dead key near the return key to power off. This key does not work at password screen. I'm sorry if you have not this key..
- Command: Shutdown
- Purpose: Ensures 4 seconds passed from last I/O. Parks the hard disk heads, turns off the hard disk power, resets and locks the system. Use this command before to power off the Amiga.
- Command: DefaultMon Purpose: Changes the system's default monitor id. Use this command after monitor driver & IPrefs. Dont use 'Avoid Flicker' and 'Mode Promotion' options in IControl. Non standard modeids are not supported.

PALv40.4supportedNTSCv40.4supportedDblPALv40.4supported in AA modeDblNTSCv40.4supported in AA modeA2024v39.18supported

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Super72 v39.9 supported Multiscan v40.4 not supported Euro36 v40.4 not supported Euro72 v40.4 not supported HighGFX v40.1 not detected I'm using DblNTSC driver, 64Hz refresh rate,

656x467 HAM6 Workbench screen. This driver supports all standard modes and 1:1 aspect ratio for VGA.

## 1.5 installation

#### Installation

Execute HDToolBox. Dont forget to note the old partition info to not to have a risk of destroying data. Change all identifiers to 0x444F5308. Then pass to 'Add/Update...'. Load Orpsw as a file system. Change its DosType like above. Save the changes.

Insert the PswScr command under IPrefs in the Startup-Sequence files of all bootable partitions. See the example.

To remove Orpsw, delete the file system that you have changed its DosType like above and set the identifiers of the partitions to FastFileSystem.

If your partition doesn't startup because of a reason or seems like it isn't mounted, remove the Orpsw. Be sure that nothing happens to your Dos informations so forget the format command.

## 1.6 passwords

#### Passwords

There are two passwords. The first is AAAAAAAA and second is BBBBBBBB. You can check which password is entered from Startup-Sequence and control them.

You can change the passwords via CLI arguments. In this case Orpsw updates itself or does nothing. Passwords are 8 chars max and case-insensitive. Filesystem reinstalling is required.

Non FFS partitions not supported. But they may be mounted in the Startup-Sequence files to protect them.

Commands in the password screen:

Command: Reset

Purpose:	Resets the system.
Command: Purpose:	BootMenu Boot menu comes in VGA mode.
Command: Purpose:	BootFloppy Ensures 4 seconds passed from last I/O. Parks the hard disk heads, turns off the hard disk power, disables the hard disk interface and resets the system. Normally boot picture comes.

## 1.7 hints and tips

Hints And Tips

- Orpsw creates alert code \$80000007 for its errors. If you see this alert code at boot, remove Orpsw.
- Password/BootMenu/alert/blanker screens use default monitor id.
   Password screen is xy and alert is x centered.
- Hard disk functions work for just IDE drives and unit 0.
- I recommend dont use border blank.

## 1.8 bugs

Bugs

- Some hard disks will power on after Shutdown/BootFloppy commands.

- Console handler opens its CLI window at wrong time in some cases.

## 1.9 example startup

Example Startup-Sequence

SetPatch quiet Failat 999

MakeDir RAM:ENV RAM:T Assign ENV: RAM:ENV Assign T: RAM:T

Sys:Monitors/VGAOnly Sys:Monitors/DblNTSC Copy ENVARC: ENV: all quiet IPrefs DefaultMon DblNTSC

PswScr

If Warn
;--- if second password entered --ProtectHD
AddBuffers >nil: DH0: -90
AddBuffers >nil: DH1: -90
Assign >nil: DH0: dismount remove
Assign >nil: RAM: dismount remove
LoadWB cleanup delay
Avail >nil: flush
EndCLI
EndIf
;--- if first password entered ---.
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## 1.10 registration

Registration The price is US\$10. Send the payment and email the following lines (dont send mail). Name: Address: Email address: Amiga system (type, boards, etc.): Payment types: Postal money order International bank check (dont send personal or euro-check) The check or money order must be made payable to: Orhan Dagistanli Name: Address: Alpaslan sk 2/4 Balcova Izmir TURKIYE When i will releas a new version i will inform to you (no money for new versions).

Email: prohst03@vm.ege.edu.tr (OR)

## 1.11 history

History

V2.4:

- 'Reset' item removed from Workbench's tools menu.
- Console handler improved.