

D:\A_VIRUS\ARC>MEMCHECK /FJERN Checking for virus \ D:\A VIRUS\ARC>

3) Running MEMCHECK.EXE after removal of the friendly A_Virus, GO_EN1.EXE

D:\A_VIRUS\ARC>MEMCHECK

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Checks amount of available memory.

Available memory: 582 KBytes

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4) Infecting (SMIT) MEMCHECK.EXE, forgetting extension

D:\A_VIRUS\ARC>go_en1 memchck2 /SMIT <-- ERROR: extension EXE is missing Checking for virus / GO_EN1 (A_Virus Anti Virus Software Tester). Created for EDLAB AntiVirus Division for test purpose. Copyright (C) 1993 Karlius, Dan and Guns.

Usage:

GO_EN1 exe_file /SMIT

P.S.: When exe_file is infected with A_Virus the following parameters can be used:

exe_file /FJERN	to remove A_Virus.
exe_file /GRAFIK	to show a graphic A_Virus.
exe_file /INFO	to show this information.

D:\A_VIRUS\ARC>

Well, that was not possible. Extension EXE was missing.

GO_EN1 presented the USAGE message. This is done when /SMIT fails and at other error occasions.

MEMCHECK.EXE was supplied in its NON protected version, MEMCHECK.EXE and its protected version MEMCHK2.EXE.

MEMCHK2.EXE is protected with EMBEDDED EDLAB-Vaccine. EDLAB-Vaccine protects against Patch Professors and Virus attack.

Testing MEMCHK2.EXE:

1) Infecting (SMIT) MEMCHECK.EXE D:\A_VIRUS\ARC>go_en1 memchk2.exe /SMIT Checking for virus / D:\A_VIRUS\ARC> Well, that worked well for the friendly coupler virus GO_EN1. MEMCHK2.EXE was successfully infected.

Now let us see what happens, when we RUN MEMCHK2.EXE after infection:



To remove A_Virus type: MEMCHECK /FJERN at the DOS prompt.

First the viral code was run. Nobody can avoid that, but then:

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A detached virus called this program.	
Using a backup might solve the problem.	

EDLAB_Vaccine successfully identified the A_Virus AND stopped the program. Do NOT run a virus infected program (In this case it is OK, as GO_EN1 is a friendly A_Virus).

Only a virus free backup can restore an attacked program.

As the virus is the friendly A_Virus, GO_EN1, nothing sinister happened.

 $^{\star}\colon$ I think this little test give you some impression of the danger the PC Virus is.

EDLAB_Vaccine protects against more than just viruses. Patching is not possible, when EDLAB-Vaccine is embedded.

Note: MEMCHECK.EXE is NOT protected.

Make a copy of MEMCHK2.EXO to MEMCHK2.EXE and patch a text in the program.

(NO, you cannot easily patch the code, if you want the program to be functional).

This is what happens if you patch an EDLAB-Protected program. Incidentally, ALL EDLAB programs are protected, also our shareware programs. We want you to have healthy programs.



EDLAB-Vaccine deletes the patched program and writes the report

MEMCHK2.EDL (*.EDL):

EDLAB-Protect (c) Report: Virus or Patch

Defect file: D:\A_VIRUS\ARC\MEMCHK2.EXE

This file was changed due to virus or unauthorised patch. The BACKUP or ORIGINAL file must be restored.

File was deleted for security reasons.

EDLAB-Vaccine is available for shareware.

Run the BAT file: READ_ME, for further information.

Do yourself a favour, by reading the total text. Should you be in a hurry to obtain EDLAB shareware programs AND EDLAB Professional programs, then go to the last 2 pages of the READ_ME file.