

******* LOCKSET 3.0 readme.wri *******

Utility information file

*** READ ABOUT THE NEW FEATURES**

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Lockset version 3.0 for Windows

Requires:

- ** Microsoft Windows
- ** Operating shell MUST BE Windows Program Manager (ProgMan)
- ** VBRUN300.DLL runtime library available from Microsoft and all popular Bulletin Board Services.

The Lockset Icon may be added to any Group by selecting the Group and choosing New on the Program Manger File menu. Select the Program Item option, and then choose OK. Active the Command Line box and choose Browse. Locate the LOCKSET.EXE file choose it and OK and Ok again to create Icon.

Product description:

Lockset allows you to set restrictions on certain user actions.

After making initial restriction settings it is not necessary to set them again unless a change in the restrictions is desired.

Lockset 3.0

Special New Features:

NEW STARTUP GROUP OPTION

Lockset 3.0 may now be added to your Startup Group.

To use the Startup Group Option you must add a 'space' and an 'S' to the Command-line of the Lockset Icon that you COPY to your Startup Group.

Procedure:

1. Place a COPY of the Lockset icon in your Startup Group.
(To copy the icon: hold-down the Ctrl-key while you click-hold+drag the copy-icon to your StartUp Group)
2. Hold-down the ALT-key while you double-click the copy Lockset icon.
(Properties window will appear.)
3. Add a space and an 'S' to the end of the commandline in the commandline box.

Example: C:\LOCKSET\LOCKSET.EXE S (note the (space) s at the end)

****ADDING THE S WILL CAUSE ALL THE GROUPS YOU HAVE SELECTED TO BE LOCKED WHEN WINDOWS IS STARTED. LOCKSET WILL NOT RUN BUT ALL OF YOUR LOCKSET RESTRICTIONS WILL BE ENFORCED.**

(SHAREWARE VERSION WILL DISPLAY A SHAREWARE NOTICE)

NEW PASSWORD PROTECTION

Password menu:

Now you have the option of setting a **password** to protect your desktop. The password protection may be removed by simply by OK-ing or Entering without typing in any text in the password box.

***** GROUPLock menu VERSION 2.0 and above**

This NEW feature allows you to LOCK ANY GROUP in your Program Manager. ** Groups may be LOCKED OR UNLOCKED without exiting Windows, just clicking the lock or unlock button respectively locks or unlocks the Groups you selected in the GROUPLock Group-List box.

** Lockset keeps a record of the selected Groups, therefore it is only necessary to select the Groups you want to lock once. The Groups remain selected until you either change or clear and may be locked or unlocked whenever you wish without re-entering the selections.

** PS: Remember when locking Groups, **DO NOT lock the Group Lockset is in**. Before adding **Password protection** I recommend putting Lockset in it's own Group which may be hidden and accessed anytime using the Window menu (on the Program Manager menu bar). You can access hidden Groups with the Window menu even if it's hidden behind an unmovable LOCKED GROUP. Enjoy This Utility!

THE LOCK BUTTON:

Pressing the Lock button activates the restrictions but they are not enforced until the next time Windows is restarted. After Pressing the Lock button you will have the option of immediately restarting Windows or choosing an OK button to exit, knowing your restrictions will be enforced next time Windows is started.

THE UNLOCK BUTTON:

Pressing the Unlock button deactivates the restrictions but they are not lifted until the next time Windows is restarted. After Pressing the Unlock button you will have the option of immediately restarting Windows or choosing an OK button to exit, knowing your restrictions will be lifted next time Windows is started.

THE SET BUTTON:

1. - Settings-

**** Editing Restrictions ****

Level 1 ** prevents creating, deleting, or renaming groups. If you choose this value the NEW, MOVE,COPY, and DELETE commands on the File menu are not available when a Group is selected.

Level 2 ** sets all the restrictions of Level 1, and prevents the user from creating or deleting icons. If you choose this value the NEW, MOVE,COPY, and DELETE commands on the File menu are not available at all.

Level 3 ** sets all the restrictions of Level 2, and prevents the user from changing command lines for the icons. If you choose this value the text in the Command Line in the properties dialog box is dimmed.

Level 4 ** sets all the restrictions of Level 3, and ALL areas of the Properties dialog box are dimmed.(They can be viewed but not accessed.)

2. -Disable boxes-

Run ** Disables Run command on the File menu.

Exit ** Disables Exit command on the File menu. Cannot Exit Windows using Exit, Control menu, or ALT+F4

SaveSettings ** Disables SaveSettings on Exit command on the Options menu. Any changes that a user makes to the arrangement of the windows and icons will NOT be saved when Windows is restarted.

3. - Remove box-

File menu ** Removes File menu from Program Manager. Programs can still be started using icons and ENTER key. Unless (Disable) Exit is selected users will still be able to exit Windows using Control menu or ALT+F4.

Lockset utilizes Microsoft's network system administration option of adding a [restrictions] section to PROGMAN.INI (page 221 Windows resource kit).

Lockset utilizes the addition of [lockset-ini] to the PROGMAN.INI to maintain the restrictions settings when they are turned off (unlocked).

Complete removal of Lockset can be accomplished by simply removing

1. LOCKSET.EXE
2. The PROGMAN.INI SECTIONS [restrictions] , [lockset-ini] , [Password]
3. VBRUN300.DLL

recommendation: keep VBRUN300.DLL for the future Visual Basic3.0 utilities you may want to evaluate.

Word from author:

I created this program for others like myself that need a convenient way to set boundaries for some that they must share their system with. I am interested in improving Lockset with options that meet the needs of you, the evaluators. I hope this current version serves you as well as it has me. Thank you very much for your support and input.

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