

How to create a Password Protected Memory Stick

Plug in the memory stick to your computer and open it

Create New Folder

Rename the folder

Move files to be protected into that folder

Go to Cmd prompt

Type in name of drive (ex. g)

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C:\Users\V1RU5>g:
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G:\>attrib "folder name" +s +h <enter>
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G:\>
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Open Notepad and enter or copy and paste the following info:

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@echo off
set pass= "yourpassword"
echo Enter Password
set /p ui=
if %ui%==%pass% (goto OPEN)
echo Wrong Password
pause
exit
:OPEN
start explorer.exe "yourfoldername"
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Where it says "set pass= "yourpassword"" change the "yourpassword" to a password you will remember.

Where it says "start explorer.exe "yourfoldername"" change the "yourfoldername" to the name of the folder you are protecting. (note: in both cases remove the quotation marks when you enter the password and folder name.

In the notepad click on "file" then "Save As"

Enter a temporary "filename".bat Make sure you are saving it to the memory stick/disk (ex. Removable Disk (G:)) Make sure you change the file type to .bat which means a "batch" file. Click "Save"

This creates a file in windows explorer that when clicked on, opens a cmd prompt that says "Enter Password" If you enter the correct password it will then pop open the "named" file with protected documents.

To prevent someone from clicking "Edit" and seeing your password we need to download a Bat to Exe Converter. This can be found at: http://download.cnet.com/Bat-To-Exe-Converter-Portable/3000-2069_4-10555897.html

When it is downloaded drag the file to the protected drive then open it.

Under "Batch file:" choose the file.bat to be converted (this would be "named" file).

Under "Save as:" name it the same name (just remember that the file type will be .exe)

Click on "Compile" and then "Exit"

On the G; drive there should now be an executable file that is the same name. change the name to the final

Don't forget to delete the previous file and the Bat to Exe Converter.

Another Method for creating Password Protect USB Drives and Flashdrives.

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