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Description

PstPassword is a small utility that recover lost password of Outlook .PST (Personal Folders) file.

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Filename	Encryption	Version	CRC Value	Password 1	Password 2	Password 3	Full
Copy of 1.pst	Best	14	0x2dfd2d88	bt7FL4	Pvjs27	VNrljI	F:\D
Copy (2) of 1.pst	Best	14	0x8b1b92b8	SU48Y6	Q85Gl7	WMfeYA	F:\D
2.pst	Best	14	0xa1a5248e	gr5q9	0EeBW3	LVA5c4	F:\D
③ 3.pst	Best	14	0x586a0425	2222	YUTqJB	hkMkvE	F:\D
0000.pst	None	14	0xa52a526a	EfsT04	TWYw76	yk1Qr9	F:\D
abcd.pst	Best	23	0xccc6120d	abcd	sph9t0	mRSGU1	F:\D
Copy of abcd.pst	Best	23	0xccc6120d	abcd	sph9t0	mRSGU1	F:\D
Outlook.pst	Compressible	23	0×00000000				F:\D
6.pst	Compressible	14	0xcfba9599	6	yZUzCC	YUfCxF	F:\D
Inir1.pst	Compressible	14	0xd0286bd1	nir1	lsCm61	SBEG68	F:\D
1.pst	Best	14	0xd7e37b41	4YCyv	bi5gh4	1f3tA5	F:\D
1234.pst	Compressible	14	0xbaa73fbf	1234	yZdHpA	hkNkwC	F:\D
🔍 5.ost	Compressible	14	0×00000000				F:\D

System Requirements

This utility can recover the PST passwords of Outlook 97, Outlook 2000, Outlook XP, and Outlook 2003. You don't have to install MS-Outlook in order to use this utility. You only need the original PST file that you locked with a password.

Password Encryption in PST File

The password encryption in the PST file is very weak, and for each password-protected PST file, there are many passwords that can open it. PstPassword provides 3 different passwords for each password-protected PST file. It's possible that one of them will be the original password that you typed, and it's also possible that none of these passwords will be identical to the original one. However, all 3 passwords provided by PstPassword will open the PST file without problems.

For more interesting facts about the PST password encryption, click here.

Using PstPassword

PstPassword doesn't require any installation process or additional dll files. In order to start using it, just run the executable file, PstPassword.exe After you run PstPassword, the main window displays the list of all PST files of the current logged on user (Under Documents and Settings\User Name\Local Settings\Application Data\Microsoft\Outlook). For each password-protected PST file, PstPassword provide 3 alternative passwords that will open the PST file. If the PST is not protected by a password, the 3 password columns remain empty, and the CRC value column is 0x00000000. If you want to recover a password of PST file that doesn't appear in the default list, you can press F7 and select the desired PST file, or simply drag the PST file from Explorer window into the main window of PstPassword.

If from some reason PstPassword fails to read a PST file, an error message is displayed under the error column, and the item is painted with pink color.

Translating PstPassword To Another Language

PstPassword allows you to easily translate all menus, dialog-boxes, and other strings to other languages. In order to do that, follow the instructions below:

- Run PstPassword with /savelangfile parameter: PstPassword.exe /savelangfile A file named PstPassword_lng.ini will be created in the folder of PstPassword utility.
- 2. Open the created language file in Notepad or in any other text editor.
- 3. Translate all menus, dialog-boxes, and string entries to the desired language.
- 4. After you finish the translation, Run PstPassword, and all translated strings will be loaded from the language file. If you want to run PstPassword without the translation, simply rename the language file, or move it to another folder.

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Feedback

If you have any problem, suggestion, comment, or you found a bug in my utility, you can send a message to <u>nirsofer@yahoo.com</u>

Download PstPassword in zip file (pstpassword.zip)

Download PstPassword With Install/Uninstall Support (pstpassword_setup.exe)

PstPassword is also available in other languages. In order to change the language of PstPassword, download the appropriate language zip file, extract the 'PstPassword_lng.ini', and put it in the same folder that you Installed PstPassword utility.

Language	Translated By
Polish	wins
German	Latino
Taiwanese	Eros
Italian	Giacomo Margarito
Simplified Chinese	Minfy Wang
Japanese	Nardog

French	PCcliniqueNet
Traditional Chinese	wilson ko
Portuguese-BR	Mark Nascimento