

Internet Guardian 2.0

The Internet is an exciting and fast growing network of information that is available to everyone. With the advent of the World Wide Web, it is being accessed by more and more people, including children, every week. Unfortunately, there is material on the Internet that is not suitable for children. The Personal Edition of the Internet Guardian was designed to aid parents in keeping their children from coming upon unsuitable material. In addition, a Managed Group Edition is available to employers and public lab managers (such as schools, libraries, etc.) that will keep the computers from being used for accessing sexually explicit materials.

Internet Guardian works by checking each attempted access to an Internet site by comparing each access to a list of known adult areas--if a match occurs, the attempted access is blocked. These comparisons are extremely quick, and there is no decrease in performance.

Internet Guardian works with most Windows WINSOCK compliant applications over a variety of transport medium. It is very easy to install and use. To try it on your system, download one of the versions mentioned below.

Personal Edition

The Personal Edition is meant to aid parents in keeping children out of "adult" areas on the Internet. It can be installed and working on a home computer in just a few short minutes.

The **Personal Edition** version of the Internet Guardian has the following features:

Blocks access to over 400 known adult areas

Individual sites can be added to or removed from the list of blocked

sites by the user

Blocking takes place at a directory level, so an entire site

doesn't need to be lost because of one bad directory

Blocks access attempted by any WinSock compliant application, including most Windows World Wide Web browsers, FTP, TELNET, and GOPHER clients, etc.

Functions regardless of underlying transport, including SLIP, PPP, ISDN, LAN, etc.

Password protection allows enabling and disabling of access checking

Works with Windows 3.1, Windows 3.11, Windows for Work Groups, and early tests indicate compatibility with Windows 95

Automatic Internet Guardian site list updating, which can be configured to update as often as you wish

Ability to hide the Internet Guardian icon and start up screen

Managed Group Edition

Employers and school or public computer lab managers can use the Managed Group Edition to keep computer users from accidentally or intentionally accessing Internet sites with sexually explicit content.

The Managed Group Edition 30 Day Trial has the following abilities:

Blocks access to over 400 known adult areas

Individual sites can be added to or removed from the list of sites by the administrator

Blocking takes place at a directory level, so an entire site doesn't need to be lost because of one bad directory

Blocks access attempted by any WinSock compliant application, including most Windows World Wide Web browsers, FTP, TELNET, and GOPHER clients, etc.

Functions regardless of underlying transport, including SLIP, PPP, ISDN, LAN, etc.

Password protection allows enabling and disabling of access checking

on each individual machine

Works with Windows 3.1, Windows 3.11, Windows for Work Groups, and early tests indicate compatibility with Windows 95

By registering the Managed Group Edition, the following additional functionality will be enabled:

Automatic updating of the Internet Guardian site list, personal site list and security information from a central source

Ability to run any program each time Internet Guardian is loaded

help track who is using the protection

Ability to hide the Internet Guardian icon and start up screen

Your group's name will show up in place of the "30 Day Free Trial"

text

to

Customized "access blocked" message

To register the Managed Group Edition of the Internet Guardian, send e-mail for information to:

73211.77@compuserve.com

System Requirements

System Requirements for both the Personal Edition and the Managed Group Edition of Internet Guardian are the same. Most computers sold in the last few years that can access the Internet fulfill all of the requirements below:

386 or higher PC

300K free disk space

4Mb RAM

WIndows 3.1, Windows 3.11, Windows for Work Groups or Windows 95

Almost any TCP/IP stack (including a WINSOCK.DLL)

Access to the Internet using LAN, WAN, ISDN, modem (PPP, SLIP), etc.

Contact Information

You can contact us for more information about the Internet Guardian by sending e-mail to:

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