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Thread: [How to hide folders well?](#)

ryoh - January 30, 2013, 7:54 pm

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Trying to find a really good method to hide folders...

I am pretty sure I saw this method that you bind a picture and a Win-Rar file together, and you open the file with Win-Rar to open your things? How do I do that?

Also, what are some other good methods to hide folders?

Feynman - January 30, 2013, 7:57 pm

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<http://www.instructables.com/id/How-to-Hide-Files-Inside-Pictures/> And make it so if someone goes to Users>Ryan>Desktop they can't see the folder.

Balloon - January 30, 2013, 7:59 pm

There are a lot of tutorials on Youtube for this that work easily.

[Video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9O8-tM88cvs>]

cocothecat11 - January 30, 2013, 8:00 pm

Download some random .jar.

Open the .jar in Winrar.

Delete all files in the jar, put the files you want.

No body will suspect a jar file to have stuff in it.

Affinity - January 30, 2013, 8:18 pm

Just make the file invisible.

Make a new folder.

Right click it and click "Properties"

You should see this:

Check off "Hidden"

Now, when you want to see it do the following.

Go to Control Panel> Folder Options> "View" Tab>

Have fun hiding your files!

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michael91901 - January 30, 2013, 8:26 pm

Make a bunch of folders then a text document to download with a password then that has a download of a bunch of files and u only know which one it is.

ryoh - January 30, 2013, 8:29 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 09:00 PM)cocothecat11 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Download some random .jar.

Open the .jar in Winrar.

Delete all files in the jar, put the files you want.

No body will suspect a jar file to have stuff in it. That's smart...I did the one with the WinRar. I think it'll work pretty well. It works as both a folder and a working picture.

SIM-1349466 - January 30, 2013, 8:33 pm

For starters label your porn folders something clever. Second, put the folder inside of another folder. For example- Music-Samples-Wav Files-Porn. < That's how mine is. Not kidding.

ryoh - January 30, 2013, 8:37 pm

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Racialz - January 30, 2013, 8:37 pm

I hide mine is my system32 folder. There's a fuck load of folders in there, so just make one called some bullshit name like:

SystematicControlParser then just put your porn there...

SIM-1349466 - January 30, 2013, 8:38 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 09:37 PM)Ryce Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Who said this was for porn? ?

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ryoh - January 30, 2013, 8:39 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 09:38 PM)FAP NATION Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I don't see any other reason to get very into depth of hiding folders ?

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SIM-1349466 - January 30, 2013, 8:41 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 09:39 PM)Ryce Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I have nothing on my desktop but my Recycle Bin...

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Label them appropriately and put them in any kind of folder you can :P

#Beat - January 30, 2013, 8:42 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 09:39 PM)Ryce Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I have nothing on my desktop but my Recycle Bin...

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You'd end up deleting it one day where you don't think about it, I'm talking from experience lol..

Concentrates - January 30, 2013, 8:42 pm

I don't know if you are trying to hide them, so nobody can see them. If you are just wanting people not to have access to a folder, then I have a great solution for you.

It's called "My Lockbox."

It locks your folders that you want it to lock. In order to unlock the folders, you have to type in a password code. If the folders are locked, you will not be able to view them. Once you unlock them, you can view the folders.

Let me know if this helps you!

Spoiler ([Click to View](#))

You can download it here:

<http://fspro.net/my-lockbox/>

Features and benefits

Extremely easy in use.

Hotkey to open Control Panel with a simple keystroke.

Effective password protection.

FAT, FAT32, NTFS volumes are supported.

Supports all modern Windows operating systems (XP, Vista, 7) including 64-bit editions.

Almost any folder on your computer can be password protected.

Prevents you from locking system-critical folders, e.g. C:\Windows.

Instant protection - no file scrambling or moving to another place.

Trusted processes feature lets backup, antivirus or similar software to backup or scan your protected folder.

Protects folders even in Windows safe mode.

Skinned user interface.

Freeware *

Feynman - January 30, 2013, 9:01 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 09:42 PM){ BeAT }™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You'd end up deleting it one day where you don't think about it, I'm talking from experience lol..

Then just stick the folder in System32 and name the folder "Protected" or something. Nobody would ever think to look there, and he shouldn't be deleting anything from System 32.

TheGrayAviator - January 30, 2013, 9:09 pm

Hiding the folder the way you want, it's not 100% safe, anyone who is savvy enough will be able to find it.

I'd use Truecrypt to create a hidden and encrypted volume, that way no one can get into it or look what's in it.

ryoh - January 30, 2013, 9:58 pm

The one with WinRAR in a picture doesn't really work because I can't add files into it...

I need something with easy access but still secure. System 32 takes too long to go to.

Z0Ra - January 30, 2013, 9:59 pm

Just keep your shit in the sample music folder, no one looks at that.

ryoh - January 31, 2013, 1:11 pm

(Jan 30, 2013 10:59 PM)Simz. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just keep your shit in the sample music folder, no one looks at that. True...but what if they do? Always a chance.