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Thread: [\[Delphi\] open programs from delphi](#)

djfshady - April 5, 2010, 7:23 pm

Here is how you open other programs from your delphi program. In the uses make sure you add ShellAPI. The following lines opens up notepad

```
Code ShellExecute(Handle, 'Open', 'notepad', nil, nil, SW_SHOW);
```

To open the browser and to go to a specific page use the following line.

```
Code ShellExecute(Handle, 'Open', 'www.site.com', nil, nil, SW_SHOW);
```

Ground Defiance - April 5, 2010, 7:25 pm

Autoit:

```
; Open Notepad
ShellExecute("Notepad.exe")

; Open a .txt file with it's default editor
ShellExecute("myfile.txt", "", @ScriptDir, "edit")
```

ananui81 - September 7, 2010, 1:11 pm

Thanks for the nice code guys .. hope i get better soon ?

Symbiotic - September 8, 2010, 3:12 pm

Dont like shellexecuting files because CMD pops up.

SIM-255772 - September 8, 2010, 5:50 pm

lol nice :) going to be using this a lot in the future im sure :D

djfshady - September 9, 2010, 8:46 am

what you planning on making hexed ;) lol

haxced - September 12, 2010, 9:08 am

from the basic surely making notepad, calculator etc.. the meaning is about simple any useful progms

Xogg - July 17, 2017, 11:54 pm

(Sep 8, 2010 03:12 PM)Symbiotic Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Dont like shellexecuting files because CMD pops up.

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Volty - July 18, 2017, 7:01 am

(Jul 17, 2017 11:54 PM)Dexuh Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yes im sure ill get yelled at for this but want to bring this to peoples attention that you can do this without the CMD box being shown, its called SW_HIDE
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Xogg - July 18, 2017, 5:44 pm

(Jul 18, 2017 07:01 AM)Volty Wrote: [CITE!](#) WOW! All the way back from 2010! :D
Delphi needs to be brought back to life. I guess this thread did too.