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Thread: [Auto-URL Shortener \[V2\] - Fixed](#)

•Evolved• - July 8, 2013, 8:04 pm

Version 2 has been released! -- Fixed 404 Errors + Added 403 Compatibility!

Added: Blacklisting, Adf.ly, CoinURL, Settings Page, Version Check

Make profit just by passively using this software!

Ever had the issue of needing to shorten URLs, but hate having to go through the terrible process that just takes way to much time and effort? I'm releasing a program that I just finished, idea received from this thread: <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=3607145>.

You just run the program and it goes to your system tray. It will automatically sense if you have copied a URL to your clipboard, and if so, it will shorten the URL and overwrite the clipboard, and it will let you know when it does so through a nice little balloon notification.

To exit the program, just right click the tray icon and choose exit, that's it!

Screenshots: <https://imgur.com/eMrBwZt,XFrOHGV,QhG5px0,IRQoJLb>

Download: <http://goo.gl/2KQbWp>

VirusTotal Scan: <http://goo.gl/0mluwb>

And yes, those links were shortened in less than 1 second while using my program :D

Credits to Aeonhack for the NS theme that I used for the main form of this program!

Anon?M ID - July 8, 2013, 8:42 pm

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Jackson_VHD - July 9, 2013, 2:57 am

(Jul 8, 2013 09:35 PM)Xanii Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It's a threading issue. I won't go into it.
You mean you don't know how...

Threading is easy and its VERY simple to add text to another control in a thread from another thread...

Just use
Code Invoke(New MethodInvocation(Sub() Label1.Text = "Sometext"))Could not be simpler...No issue their...

Jackson_VHD - July 9, 2013, 5:05 am

(Jul 9, 2013 03:43 AM)Xanii Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's not quite the issue, but nice try. How about you try to sound less arrogant, because contrary to your apparent belief, you don't know everything you think you do.
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SIM-62706 - July 9, 2013, 10:28 am

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SIM-1166170 - July 9, 2013, 11:27 am

Nice I like it! Xanii pushing out some more great work! woot!

?XilluX - July 9, 2013, 11:30 am

Very nice release mate and if you would like to see my Code on shorting with goo.gl, look at this:
<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=3469606>

Ace™ - July 9, 2013, 11:39 am

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·Evolved· - July 9, 2013, 12:37 pm

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Well then I apologize, I read it in that type of tone. The issue is actually one of my personal computer, not the language itself.

And thanks for the feedback guys!

Genesis Coupe - July 9, 2013, 12:51 pm

Nice as always, Xanii. Great job, man!

SIM-62706 - July 9, 2013, 1:12 pm

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aha...sorry i dind't know that, i found the original url of google API and also i saw that another member of HF had already made a project with the original URL.

anyway thanks for sharing the project and if you want you can count on me for hosting the script if you want to delete it from your server.

HackFox - July 9, 2013, 2:31 pm

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Just as I thought your response was a bit 'extreme'. It's a free program that took 2 seconds to make, the intro is a mainly a joke, not a serious statement. I'm not selling anything ?

Added V2, a lot of new features! Make sure to check them out!

·Evolved· - July 10, 2013, 3:29 pm

Make sure you guys check out the updates in V2!

·Evolved· - July 12, 2013, 9:35 pm

700 views, 100+ downloads, and 18 replies, some of which were me. Come on people, at least say thanks if you are going to use this! The server isn't free, and time went into making this :(

·Evolved· - November 17, 2014, 11:50 pm

Figured since this was still getting a large amount of downloads that I would update the program as the API I made was no longer up. I fixed the API with new hosting and re-uploaded the file and virus total scan. Feel free to share!