

PDF-COPS: Acrobat PDF protector

The use of PDF-COPS allows you to protect your Acrobat created PDF files from illegal copying and pirate distribution without the need of any special browser use.

PDF-COPS is a special version of COPS-Crypto for safe distribution of encrypted PDF files without the need for modifications to the standard Acrobat Reader (the browser used to view PDF files).

After applying the protection, the encryption is totally transparent to the end-user.

The PDF encryption is accomplished using a standard software utility.

The Acrobat Reader is monitored while running and the PDF files are decrypted in memory on the fly. This advanced technique has been implemented using the advanced 32-bit operating system interface, and it works with modern 32-bit browsers running on 32-bit platforms (Win 95/98, Win 2000, NT 4.0 and WinXP).

The data files are encrypted using a powerful, proprietary algorithm and locked to the CD-ROM (or DVD-ROM) using the well-known CD-COPS (or DVD-COPS) technology.

Any reputable CD factory can produce the CD-ROMs without the use of special equipment. The finished CD-ROMs cannot be copied, and the databases themselves cannot be pirated.

It is possible to open certain groups of documents only for a specified period of time through the use of access codes. New groups can be enabled using additional codes later on.

If the author disables the "Copy/Paste" and "Save as..." operations, while creating the PDF file, the end-user won't be able to copy or save the content of a PDF file, when the PDF-COPS protected file has been decrypted in memory and has been loaded on Acrobat Reader.

About MediaWise International, Ltd.

MediaWise International is a cutting edge creative, innovative company specializing in Information & Communication Technology Systems & Services.

Our headquarters and collaborating optical disc production plants are based in Thessaloniki, Northern Hellas (Greece). Laboratories and affiliated premises are located all over the world.

As a result of our strategic collaboration with Sanyo Holding we have become a major software fulfillment center in the Mediterranean area and are able to offer a wide gamut of high quality products and services.

Our marketing policy is based on three values: "Product Reliability", "Quality of Service", and "Customer Satisfaction". This focus has allowed us not only to achieve high performance in the areas of human and material resources, but also excellent results: a complete range of high technology products and services for the European, Middle East, and Asian markets.

Our Products and Services list comprises:

- Software Copy Protection,
- Software Security,
- Digital Rights Management (DRM),
- Optical Disc Manufacturing, and
- Internet Advanced Services.

In order to serve our customers in the most cost effective and competitive way, we have established sales offices and local fulfillment centers throughout the Near and Middle East: Istanbul (Turkey), Beirut (Lebanon), Damascus (Syria), Jeddah (Saudi Arabia), and Teheran (Iran). Further expansion is underway in the Far East: Seoul (Korea), Hong Kong, Singapore and Tokyo (Japan).

The company's main business objective is to become a "One-Stop Shop" for a wide range of services related to the software industry. We also have an eye for business opportunities in the ever-evolving software industry and the explosion of demand for Internet services, through research and monitoring of the market.