

KDT900 – Customizing the System Startup

Introduction

The KDT900 can automatically install, copy, move, or execute files and applications when the Windows CE 6.0 operating system starts.

NOTE: The entire filesystem of the KDT900 is PERSISTENT. Any changes made will persist between cold boots.

Executing Applications on Boot

To automatically launch applications on boot, create a "Startup" folder on the *Storage Card* mount (SD Card). Any applications placed inside of this folder will be automatically run on boot.

The KDT900 contains a small MS-DOS batch script interpreter and any files with the ".bat" extension will be launched and run as a script.

Furthermore, non-executable files of known types will be launched within their respective applications. For example, placing a ".doc" or ".txt" document in the Startup folder will have PocketWord start with the given file open.

Starting Applications Synchronously

To have applications start in a synchronous manner (i.e. the second application does not start until the first has exited), a MS-DOS batch script must be used. The script must be placed in the "Startup" folder of the *Storage Card* mount (SD Card). The applications must be placed on the same line and separated by ampersands (&). As an example:

pword.exe & iesample.exe

will run PocketWord. Once you close PocketWord, Internet Explorer will start.

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