
Subject: Re: create file that is readable only

Posted by [Kenneth P. Bowman](#) on Thu, 28 Oct 2010 21:26:59 GMT

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In article

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Truong Le <truongvle@gmail.com> wrote:

> This is how I set it

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> FILE_CHMOD, filename, U_WRITE=0, G_WRITE=0,O_WRITE=0

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> Is there anyway we can set full restriction such that NO ONE is allow

> to modify it?

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> Thanks!

The Unix shell normally prompts the user before deleting a file that has write permission turned off, but other applications do not necessarily do so.

On a Unix system, to make certain that you cannot delete a file that you own, you need to turn off write permission for the directory that contains the file in question.

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