

# **PRODUCT GUIDE**



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# 1. Introduction to Kernel for Paradox

Welcome to the user manual for Kernel for Paradox, the most effective and convenient paradox database recovery software available that recovers data from corrupted .DB paradox database files. This user manual comprises step by step guidelines on using Kernel for Paradox.

# **1.1 Using this Manual**

This user manual is intended to guide users on using Kernel for Paradox. We suggest that first time users should read this user manual completely and carefully before proceeding to use the software. However, if you are an experienced user, you can use the table of contents to find out information pertaining to the tasks that you need to perform by using Kernel for Paradox.

You can use the table of contents to navigate through different sections of this user manual. The table of contents lists all the sections that are contained in this user manual in chronological order. The user manual comprises the following sections:

- Introduction
- Getting Started
- Software Interface
- Repairing Paradox .DB Files
- Full Version
- Support
- Troubleshooting
- Legal Notices

Certain abbreviations have been used throughout this manual. For clear understanding of the contents of this user manual, please go through the list of abbreviations, mentioned below, before reading the manual.

#### **1.1.1 List of Abbreviations**

DB: Database

MS: Microsoft

RAM: Random Access Memory

MB: Mega-Byte

GB: Giga-Byte



# **1.2 About Kernel for Paradox**

Kernel for Paradox is database repair software for Paradox database files (.DB). This software repairs corrupt Paradox database files, damaged due to:

- Deleted or damaged primary keys or foreign keys
- Corrupt or deleted indexes
- Lost or deleted predefined defaults, default values
- Deleted or damaged tables or table data
- Locked .db database file preventing access
- Corrupt or damaged multi-volume database files
- Damaged or corrupt unique key, indexes

Kernel for Paradox uses quick algorithm for searching and repairing those corrupted database files.

### **1.3 Salient Features**

Salient features of Kernel for Paradox include:

- Efficient and embedded with repair algorithms to repair corrupt Paradox databases (.db)
- Recovers tables and .db paradox table data
- User friendly interface, no technical skills required
- Free demo to experience the features and working of the tool before purchasing it

## 1.4 Who Should Use this Software?

The capability of Kernel for Paradox to repair large sized paradox database (.DB) files makes it appropriate for use by people, who are striving to deal with corruption in database files. This corruption could have been caused due to unexpected system shutdown, software crash, deleted or damaged primary keys or foreign keys, damaged or corrupt unique key indexes, virus attacks etc



# 2. Getting Started

Now that you have understood the features and potential of Kernel for Paradox, you are ready to get hands on experience of the software. To start repairing .DB files, you will first need to download and install this software.

It is strongly recommended that before installing Kernel for Paradox, you should go through the installation pre-requisites for the software to ensure that your computer is appropriately configured to run the software.

### 2.1 Installation Pre-requisites

The various pre-requisites for installing and running Kernel for Paradox can be broadly classified into two major categories – Hardware requirements and Software requirements.

#### 2.1.1 Hardware Requirements:

The hardware requirements for installing the software are as follows:

- Pentium Class Processor
- Minimum 64MB RAM (128 MB recommended)
- 10MB for Software installation
- Disk Space Enough space to store the repaired files

X You should have at-least 10 MB of free disk space if you want to repair and save a 10 MB .DB file.

#### 2.1.2 Software Requirements:

The software requirements for installing the software can further be grouped into two categories – Operating system requirements and Paradox version requirements. The requirements are as follows:

#### 2.1.2.1 Operating System Requirements

Supported Operating Systems:

- Windows Vista
- Windows XP
- Windows 2003
- Windows 2000
- Windows Me



- Windows 98
- 2.1.2.2 Paradox Version Requirements

Supported Paradox versions:

• 3.0, 3.5, 4.0, 4.5, 5, 6, 7, 9 and 10 Paradox databases.

# 2.2 Downloading Kernel for Paradox for the First Time

After checking your computer with the prescribed system requirements for Kernel for Paradox, you can download and install the software on your computer. You can buy the full version of the software from any one of our authorized resellers – Element5, Asknet and 2CO.

If you want to try using Kernel for Paradox before buying it, you can download the evaluation version from the following link:

http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Download-Paradox-Database-Repair-Software.php

# > You can repair paradox database files saved on your system by using the evaluation version of Kernel for Paradox; however, the repaired file will not be saved until you purchase full version of the software.

#### **2.3 Install Kernel for Paradox**

After downloading the installer file for Kernel for Paradox, you can install the software by running the file. To install Kernel for Paradox:

1. Double-click the Kernel for Paradox installer. Follow the on-screen instructions.

The Setup Installation Complete screen will be displayed.

2. Click Finish to launch the software.

### 2.4 Start Kernel for Paradox

To start Kernel for Paradox:

Click the Start → All Programs →Kernel for Paradox

Alternatively, you can launch Kernel for Paradox by double-clicking the shortcut icon available on the Desktop and Quick Launch icon.

## 2.5 Uninstall Kernel for Paradox

You may need to uninstall Kernel for Paradox. To uninstall Kernel for Paradox:

#### 1. Click the Start → All Programs →Kernel for Paradox → Uninstall Kernel for Paradox

A warning message will be displayed.



2. Click '**Yes**' to uninstall Kernel for Paradox.

Solution Before proceeding to uninstall Kernel for Paradox, you must ensure that the software is not running in the system background.

You can alternatively uninstall Kernel for Paradox from the **Control Panel** by performing the following steps:

- 1. Click the Start Menu → Control Panel and then double click the Add or Remove Programs icon.
- 2. Select Kernel for Paradox and click Remove. A warning message will be displayed.
- 3. Click 'Yes' to uninstall Kernel for Paradox.



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# 3. Software Interface

Now that Kernel for Paradox has been installed on your computer, you can start using the software after getting acquainted with the software interface.

### 3.1 Menu-bar

The menu-bar of Kernel for Paradox comprises three main menus – File, Tools, and Help.

#### 3.1.1 File Menu

The File menu comprises four menu items.

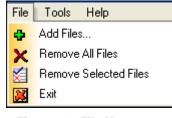


Figure 3.1: File Menu

Menu items in the File menu:

Field Name	Field Description
Add Files	Select to add corrupt DB file(s)
Remove All Files	Select to remove all file(s) from the list
Remove Selected Files	Select to remove selected file(s) from the list
Exit	Select to close the software

#### 3.1.2 Tools Menu

The **Tools** menu comprises two menu items.



Tool	s Help	
0	Setting	
G Liveupdate		

Figure 3.2: Tools Menu

#### Menu Items in the Tools menu:

Field Name	Field Description
Setting	Select to configure file name prefix
Liveupdate	Select to update current software with the latest version available

#### 3.1.3 Help Menu

The Help menu comprises three menu items.

Help	
2	Help
0	About Nucleus Kernel Paradox
	Software Home Page

Figure 3.3: Help Menu

#### Menu items in the Help menu:

Field Name	Field Description
Help	Select to view User Guide of software
About Nucleus Kernel Paradox	Select to view version-related and support information of Kernel for Paradox
Software Home Page	Select to visit the software homepage

#### **3.2 Tool-bar**

The tool-bar in Kernel for Paradox is displayed below the menu-bar. The tool-bar provides a convenient and user-friendly method to perform certain actions that can also be performed by using the menu-bar. Read the information in the table below to find out about the tool-bar buttons:



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Button	Button Name	Button Description
Add Files	Add Files	Select to add corrupt DB file(s)
Repair Files	Repair Files	Select to repair the listed file(s)
Save Files	Save Files	Select to save the repaired file(s)
Settings	Settings	Select to change the prefix of the repaired file name
Live-Update	Live-Update	Select to update current software with the latest version available
<b>Buy Online</b>	Buy Online	Select to buy the software online

## 3.3 Status Bar

Status bar is displayed at the bottom of the software window. The text 'Ready' is displayed on the status bar if Kernel for Paradox is ready to be used. Status bar also displays the text 'CAP', 'NUM', 'SCRL' which respectively correspond to the Caps Lock, Num Lock, and Scroll Lock keys on your keyboard. If any of these keys are pressed, the color of the corresponding text will turn black.

Ready

Figure 3.4: Status Bar



CAP NUM SCRL

# 3.4 Buttons Used

Apart from the standard options available in menu-bar and tool-bar, following are the main buttons displayed on the respective window(s).

	Click to remove all files from the list	
	Click to remove selected files from the list	
Click to start the repairing process		
Click to go to the main window		



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# 4. Repairing Paradox .DB Files

Now that you have complete familiarity of the user interface of Kernel for Paradox, you are ready to repair .DB files. To repair .DB files:

1. Launch Kernel for Paradox.

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Eile     Tools     Help       Add Files     Repair Files     Save Files     Settings       Live-Update     Settings     Live-Update	Kernel Paradox
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Nucleus Kernel Paradox	
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Figure 4.1: Main Window

- prrupt file(s) from Add Files Add Files button or click File
- 2. Select the corrupt file(s) from Add Files Add Files button or click Files  $\rightarrow$  Add Files.



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Figure 4.2: Added DB Files

You can select multiple .DB files to repair them in one repair cycle. You can remove any file from the list by selecting the file from the list and clicking **Remove Files** button.



3. Click **Next** to start with .DB file repairing process or select **Repair Files** button.

Kernel for Paradox starts the file repairing process and shows you the details of the corrupted file(s).



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C:\Documents and Settings\servendra\Desktop\db files\Copy of vendors.db	Done						
C:\Documents and Settings\servendra\Desktop\db files\tentit.DB	Done						
C:\Documents and Settings\servendra\Desktop\db files\vendors.db	Done						
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Figure 4.3: Details of Files

4. Get preview of the repaired files by double clicking the file(s) in the list.



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110574-2222C	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
110574-2222€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
111171-897₫€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
111171-897a€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
141070-1212C	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
141269-232€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
141269-232€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
141269-232/C	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
191177-788e€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
191177-788e€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
191177-788e€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
210776-1211€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
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210776-1211€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
230173-1111€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
230173-1111€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
230173-1111€	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
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230475-23236	long integer value	date value	long integer value	
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Figure 4.4: Preview



5. Click **Save Files** to save the repaired files at the desired location.

> By default, names of the repaired .DB files will be the original file name prefixed by the text 'Rep'. However, you can change the prefix by clicking the Settings button in the toolbar.



# 5. Full Version

Although you can use Kernel for Paradox evaluation version for free and experience the working of the software, there are certain features that are not available in the evaluation version.

# **5.1 Requirement of Full Version**

By using the evaluation version of Kernel for Paradox, you can repair corrupt Paradox database files; however, you cannot save the repaired files with recovered data.

You will need to buy full version of the software to save the recovered results.

## 5.2 Purchasing Full Version

You can buy the full version of Kernel for Paradox from any one of our authorized resellers – Element5, Asknet and 2CO.

As soon the purchase transaction with our resellers gets completed, our sales team will send you an email comprising the URL to download the full version of Kernel for Paradox and activation details of the software.



# 6. Support

We have an extensive and efficient support system in place to assist our customers with all issues related to using Kernel for Paradox. The software comes with an embedded help manual that can be accessed by clicking **Help-> Help** in the menu-bar. You can also press the F1 key on the keyboard of your computer to access the embedded help of Kernel for Paradox.

You can access the online help for Kernel for Paradox at <u>http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Online-Helps.html</u>

View Animated Working demo of the software at <a href="http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Animated\_Paradox\_Database\_Recovery.html">http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Animated\_Paradox\_Database\_Recovery.html</a>

We also have live support wherein you can chat with our software experts at <a href="http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Support.html">http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Support.html</a>

To talk on phone with our software experts call:

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sales@nucleustechnologies.com for Sales

support@nucleustechnologies.com for Support

contact@nucleustechnologies.com for General Queries



# 7. Troubleshooting

This section deals with your generic and specific queries pertaining to using Kernel for Paradox.

## 7.1 Common Issues

#### Why does Kernel for Paradox have limitations in evaluation copy?

The free evaluation version of Kernel for Paradox is intended to enable you to experience the capabilities of the software. You will need to buy the software for saving the recovered data.

### 7.2 Frequently Asked Questions

#### How to Buy Kernel for Paradox?

You can buy Kernel for Paradox online at <u>http://www.nucleustechnologies.com/Buy-Paradox-Database-Repair-Software.php</u>

#### I have lost my full version for Kernel for Paradox. Can you help me?

Please email us at sales@nucleustechnologies.com. Please include your name, address, email address, and order confirmation number (if you have it). We will be happy to help you.



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