Rhea

Laptop 2016 on Windows 10 Pro.

Structure

- C: System Drive (SSD partition 1)
- D: Data Drive (SSD partition 2)
- H: Home Drive (USB)
 - PortableApps (all portable apps binaries go here)
 - PortableCustom (all programs which are portable but do not have a PortableApps binary go here)
 - PortableSettings (custom settings to modify PortableApps)

Setup

- 1. Basic setup see Windows 10 Setup.
- Click Control Panel -> Language to install US English if not installed yet, Swiss (German), and Thai keyboard. Uninstall all other languages and keyboards. Make US English default.
- 3. Click **Control Panel -> Region > Additional settings** to match your preference.
- 4. Run (Win-R) **shell:sendto** and add notepad.exe (from C:\Windows) and wordpad.exe (from C:\Program Files\Windows NT\Accessories) to the *Send to* shell command.
- 5. Disable scheduled Defragmentation, **Run** (Windows-R) *dfrgui* to run the **Disk Defragmenter**.
- 6. Disable scheduled Backups in **Control Panel > Backup and Restore**.
- Make a basic system backup with a Acronis TrueImage Win PE USB drive created on another machine.
- 8. Run netplwiz to change auto-login.
- 9. Modify registry to use AutoFS from server, see instructions for AutoFS Windows 7 clients

Installation Permanent

- 1. Copy all data from drive D: to new drive D:
- 2. Install VeraCrypt (x64).
 - Create shortcuts to volumes to mount following the Command Line Usage.
- 3. Install Firefox with the following add-ons
 - uBlock Origin
 - \circ DownThemAll
 - Firebug
 - NoScript
 - Speed Dial [FVD]
 - UAControl (modify user agent per site, follow Webcam access through modified user agent or referer)
 - $\,\circ\,$ Whois Lookup & Hosting & DNS & Site Flags Firefox
- 4. Install Sophos Home Antivirus
- 5. Install the **ownCloud** desktop client from the web interface of the ownCloud server, then

- reestablish all sync folders
- 6. Install Snagit 12
- 7. Install the current Java JDK (x64)
- 8. Install the Logitech Harmony Software
- 9. Install printer drivers and software suites.
 - Flims: Brother DCP-9020CDW LAN
 - Hua Hin: Brother DCP-1510
 - Seoul Home: HP8660
- 1. Install Line

For apps not installed, refer to Cronos

Installation Portable

- 1. Install Firefox as PortableApp with the following add-ons
 - Adblock Plus
 - DownThemAll
 - Firebug
 - NoScript
 - Speed Dial [FVD]
 - UAControl (modify user agent per site, follow Webcam access through modified user agent or referer)
 - $\circ\,$ Whois Lookup & Hosting & DNS & Site Flags Firefox
- 2. Install Thunderbird Mail Client as PortableApp
- 3. Install Google Chrome as PortableApp
- 4. Install the Chrome Secure Shell extension. For Chrome PortableApp it does not show up in the list of installed extensions, you need to start it manually. To do so, add a link to Chrome with the following URL to open: chrome-

extension://pnhechapfaindjhompbnflcldabbghjo/html/nassh.html. The icon is at

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Applications_crx_pnhechapfaindjhompbnflcldabbghjo\Secure Shell.ico. You must then import both the server's public and private key files in any order.

- 5. Install VLC as PortableApp
- 6. Install FileZilla as PortableApp
- 7. Install XnView as PortableApp
- 8. Install Xenon File Manager as PortableApp
- 9. Click extensions and assign default program manually through Browse...
- Install XAMPP and XAMPP Launcher as PortableApp. Install to folder h:\xampp, where h: is your portable drive. If you install a shortcut on the desktop, link it to XAMPP Control Panel in PortableApps, which was created when you installed XAMPP Launcher. Make sure a current JRE is installed.
- 11. Install or Copy the Eclipse development environment, which is fully portable, to PortableCustom. Make sure you have Java properly installed, see Eclipse IDE.
- 12. Modify the XAMPP Settings, copy the *MySQL DBs* for the sites you want to develop, and register the MySQL users. Do not assign a root password.
- 13. Install OpenOffice as PortableApp
- 14. Install RealVNC Viewer as portable. To do so, run the installer, then copy *vncviewer.exe* to PortableCustom folder, then uninstall RealVNC
- 15. Make a shortcut to H:\Batch\icons.bat

- 16. Download DesktopOK and copy it to a folder within PortableCustom. Start the program and save the current icon positions and quit, then move to newly created ini file from %APPDATA%\DesktopOK to the folder with the exe file. Copy to C:\PortableCustom as the settings are specific to the machine.
- 17. To make Portable Apps the default program to be used by Windows 7, Open *Control Panel -> Default Programs -> Associate a file type or protocol with a program*, then select a file extension and browse to the Portable Apps executable.
- 18. Create a VeraCrypt drive on a 64GB USB3 device. Create a shortcut like:

"C:\Program Files\VeraCrypt\VeraCrypt.exe" /l <drive> /m rm /hash <hash> /c /a /q /v <volume name>

Todo: Media Monkey (install portable), RSSOwl

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