

WatchIt v1.0 for Win32

Program Description	The WatchIt program retrieves a provided file's attributes and sends them to stdout in comma-delimited format, providing a way to easily collect data about files on a periodic basis and to analyze that growth in a spreadsheet.
Platform and Package	Win32 Console; Goldstar Utility & Management Package
Pricing	Freeware; Unlicensed
Command Line Syntax and Help Screen	<p>WatchIt v1.0 (C)2001 07/24 Goldstar Software Inc.</p> <p>Usage: WATCHIT <filename></p> <p>This program reads the file's attributes and dumps (to stdout) the following fields in a comma-delimited format: filename, size, created, updated, accessed, currenttime The output can be piped to a file for a running analysis of file growth.</p>
Examples and Sample Usage	<p>The following command will retrieve information about the size of a file:</p> <pre>WATCHIT CUSTOMER.BTR >>CUSTOMER.TXT</pre> <p>This can be easily scheduled (via any Scheduling package) to collect data once per day, per week, etc. Once the data is collected, it can be analyzed with a tool like Excel or Access to estimate file growth.</p>
Other Information	<p>WatchIt is part of the Goldstar Utility & Management Package.</p> <p>For more information on these utilities contact us at www.goldstarsoftware.com</p>
Version History	Version 1.0: First documented version
Known Problems	This version takes a filename only. Filespecs will return only the first match. Future versions may include additional functionality.