

Ez-Crypto User Guide

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Welcome to Ez-Crypto

Thank you for choosing Ez-Crypto for your file encryption needs. Ez-Crypto has been designed to simplify the process of file encryption for everyone.

This guide gives you an overview of the features available in Ez-Crypto and shows you how easy it is to start protecting your computer files now.

Getting Started

Start Ez-Crypto by double clicking the Ez-Crypto Desktop Shortcut. You can alternatively start Ez-Crypto or by going to Start->Program Files->Noorcon->Ez-Crypto. You will get the following screen:

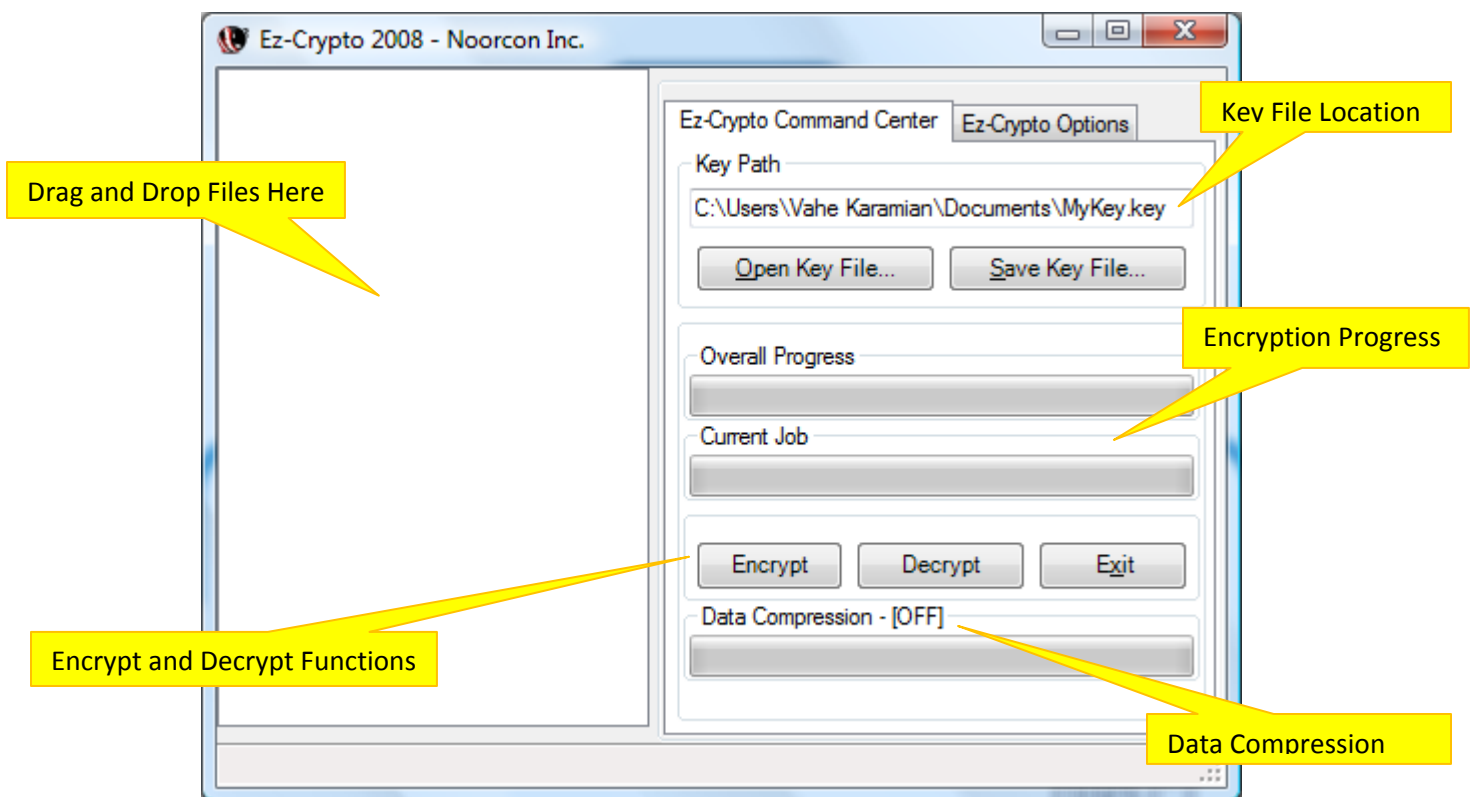


Figure 1 - Ez-Crypto Main Screen

Step 1 – Drag and Drop your file(s) or folder(s) as indicated in Figure 1.

Step 2 – Select your Key File Location¹

Step 3- Click the Encrypt button.

¹ By default Ez-Crypto places your KEY file into your Documents Folder.

Congratulations! You have just completed your first encryption!

Data Compression

Ez-Crypto allows you to compress (Zip) your data (computer files) prior to encryption. This function is useful when you want to encrypt folders and you don't want to have a different encrypted file for each of your original files. Ez-Crypto combines all of the selected files into a single file before encryption. This allows you to encrypt for example 20 files into one single file!

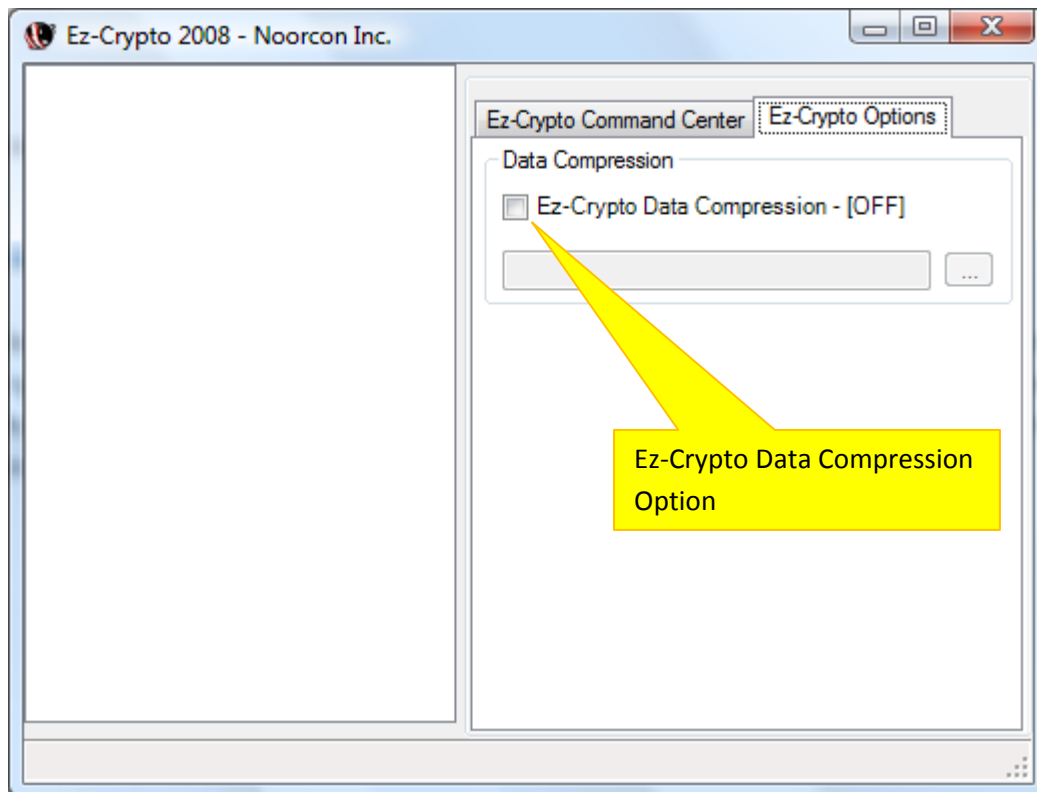


Figure 2 - Ez-Crypto Options Screen

By default, the data compression option is turned off. You can turn the data compression option on by clicking on the check-box next to Ez-Crypto Data Compression label.

Once enabled, Ez-Crypto will ask you to specify a filename for the new compressed encryption file. Once the filename is specified, click on the Ez-Crypto Command Center Tab, and you should notice that Data Compression has been turned ON.

To encrypt your files, follow Step 1 through 3.

Now that you know how to encrypt your computer files, let us take a look and see how we can decrypt the files.

Decrypting Your Files

Decrypting your files with Ez-Crypto is as simple as encrypting them. Here are the steps to help you decrypt your files:

Step 1 - Drag and drop your encrypted files as indicated in Figure 1.

Step 2 - Open the Key file used to encrypt the file(s)²

Step 3 - Click the Decrypt button.

You are now ready to start protecting your computer files.

Usage Scenarios

Scenario 1 – Individual Computer (Personal)

Ez-Crypto can be used in different scenarios. The most common scenario is for businesses or individuals who want to protect their personal computer files. You simply encrypt your computer files and secure your Key file(s)³ on a flash/thumb drive where it can be carried with you everywhere.

Scenario 2 – Shared Network Environment

In such cases it is even more so critical to protect sensitive data. Username and password are not enough to protect someone from getting to your files. You need the security of Ez-Crypto to encrypt your files. Protection with Ez-Crypto will guarantee that your files will be safe even if there is a network breach!

Scenario 3 – E-Mailing Sensitive Data

We live in a digital age, where information is exchanged through digital means. Wouldn't it be nice to have a piece of mind when you are sharing sensitive financial, medical, legal, or personal data with friends and family from the chance of a hacker getting the information? Perhaps leading to identity theft or other unforeseen situations. Ez-Crypto will enable you with a very effective protection utility where only people who have your Key can view the data you share with them. All they would need is the Ez-Crypto Reader, which is a free download from www.noorcon.com.

² You will need to use the same KEY file that was used to encrypt the file(s). Failure to do so will corrupt the file.

³ You may have multiple KEY files, however, it is very important for you to recognize which KEY files are associated with which encrypted files.