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GPS Pathfinder Office Software: Copying Settings to Different Computers

This document describes how to copy project definition settings, batch processor settings, data transfer device settings, and import and export settings for the Trimble® GPS Pathfinder® Office software to other computers.

All the settings for the GPS Pathfinder Office software are stored in the Microsoft® Windows® Registry. To copy the software settings to a different computer implies that you will copy parts of the Windows Registry.

Procedures

Warning: Make sure that the GPS Pathfinder Office software is **not** running while you are carrying out these procedures.

Exporting a (.reg) file that contains the PFO settings from the Windows Registry

1. To start the Windows Registry, select *Start / Programs / Accessories / Command Prompt*, enter **regedit** and then press the Enter key.
2. Navigate to one of the following:
 - HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Trimble\Pathfinder\Common\Projects
 - HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Trimble\Pathfinder\Office\Batch Processor
 - HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Trimble\Remote Device Manager\GISDatalogger
 - HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Trimble\Pathfinder\Office\Import
 - HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Trimble\Pathfinder\Office\Export
3. Right-click on the subfolder and then select *Export* from the menu.

Note: You must export each setting type separately. If you want to transfer the project definitions, you also need to copy the folder in which the projects are stored to the new computer.

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4. Give the (.reg) file a name and save it in a folder.

Installing the registry setup on a different computer

Warning: *If you carry out this procedure, you will lose any other setups that have been created on this computer.*

1. Copy the file to the other computer.
2. Double-click the file to install it in the Windows Registry. You may need to reboot the computer.