

First line

Windows Registry Editor Version 5.00

Key format

```
[<Hive name>\<Key name>\<Subkey name>]
@=< Value type>: <Value data>
" Value name"=< Value type>: <Value data>
```

Value types

```
@=
" Value name"="S tring value with escape charac te
r s"
```

Deleting Keys or Values

```
[-<Hive name> \<Key name> \<Subkey name> Delete Key
>]
```

```
@- Delete
(Default)
value
```

```
" Value name"=- Delete value
```

The '-' character in the correct place for the Key or Value will delete it

Root Keys

HKEY_LOCAL_M- ACHINE	HKLM	
HKEY_CURRENT- _CONFIG	HKCC	Win 98 & NT only
HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT	HKCR	File associations & OLE Object Class IDs
HKEY_CURRENT- _USER	HKCU	Linked to the current User's key in HKU
(Default) HKEY_USERS	HKU	User profiles
HKEY_PERFORMANC- _DATA		Win NT only but invisible
HKEY_DYN_DATA		Win 98 only

Escape characters

```
\ "
Precede characters with a backslash '\'
```



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