

## UNPROTECT ANY EXCEL WORKBOOK ( In 3 Steps)

**Step 1:** Open the Excel File, Press Alt+F11 to Open MS Visual Basic.

**Step 2:** Press F7, and Paste The Following Code

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Public Sub AllInternalPasswords()  
    'Breaks worksheet and workbook structure passwords.  
    'Bob McCormick probably originator of base code algorithm  
    'Modified for coverage of workbook structure / windows  
    'passwords and for multiple passwords  
    'Reverts passwords NOT "the" passwords  
    Const DBLSPACE As String = vbNextLine & vbNextLine  
    Dim Mess As String, Header As String  
    Dim Authors As String, Version As String  
    Dim ReplBack As String, AllClear As String  
    Dim PWord1 As String  
    Dim SbTag As Boolean, WinTag As Boolean  
    Dim w1 As Worksheet, w2 As Worksheet  
    Dim i As Integer, j As Integer, k As Integer, l As Integer  
    Dim m As Integer, n As Integer, 11 As Integer, 12 As Integer  
    Dim 13 As Integer, 14 As Integer, 15 As Integer, 16 As Integer  
    Application.ScreenUpdating = True  
    Header = "Unprotecting"  
    Version = "Click OK"  
    With ActiveWorkbook  
        WinTag = .ProtectStructure Or .ProtectWindows  
        End With  
        SbTag = False  
        For Each w1 In Worksheets  
            SbTag = SbTag Or w1.ProtectContents  
            Next w1  
            If Not SbTag And Not WinTag Then  
                Mess = "This Workbook is Password Free"  
                MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
                Exit Sub  
            End If  
            MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
            If Not WinTag Then  
                Mess = "This Will Take 2 Minutes" & DBLSPACE & _  
                "Proceeding to unprotect sheets." & DBLSPACE & _  
                "Please Wait..." & DBLSPACE & Authors & Version  
                MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
            Else  
                On Error Resume Next  
                Do 'dummy do loop  
                    For i = 65 To 66: For j = 65 To 66: For k = 65 To 66  
                        For l = 65 To 66: For m = 65 To 66: For 11 = 65 To 66  
                            For 12 = 65 To 66: For 13 = 65 To 66: For 14 = 65 To 66  
                                For 15 = 65 To 66: For 16 = 65 To 66: For n = 32 To 105  
                                    With ActiveWorkbook  
                                        Unprotect Chr(i) & Chr(j) & Chr(k) & _  
                                        Chr(l) & Chr(m) & Chr(11) & Chr(12) & _  
                                        Chr(13) & Chr(14) & Chr(15) & Chr(16) & Chr(n)  
                                        If .ProtectStructure = False And _  
                                        .ProtectWindows = False Then  
                                            PWord1 = Chr(i) & Chr(j) & Chr(k) & Chr(l) & _  
                                            Chr(m) & Chr(11) & Chr(12) & Chr(13) & _  
                                            Chr(14) & Chr(15) & Chr(16) & Chr(n)  
                                            Mess = "You had a Worksheet Structure or " & _  
                                            "Windows Password was." & DBLSPACE & _  
                                            "The password found was:" & DBLSPACE & _  
                                            PWord1 & DBLSPACE & "Note it down for " & _  
                                            "potential future use in other " & _  
                                            "workbooks by same person who set this" & _  
                                            "password." & DBLSPACE & _  
                                            "Not to check and clear other passwords," & _  
                                            Authors & Version  
                                            MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
                                            Exit Do 'bypass all for...nexts  
                                            End If  
                                            Next  
                                            Next: Next: Next: Next: Next: Next  
                                            Next: Next: Next: Next: Next: Next  
                                            Loop Until True  
                                            On Error GoTo 0  
                                            End If  
                                            If WinTag And Not SbTag Then  
                                                Mess = "Only structure / windows protected with " & _  
                                                "the password that was just found." & _  
                                                AllClear & Authors & Version & ReplBack  
                                                MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
                                                Exit Sub  
                                            End If  
                                            On Error Resume Next  
                                            For Each w1 In Worksheets  
                                                'Attempt clearance with PWord1  
                                                w1.Unprotect PWord1  
                                                Next w1  
                                                On Error GoTo 0  
                                                SbTag = False  
                                                For Each w1 In Worksheets  
                                                    'Checks for all clear SbTag triggered to 1 if not.  
                                                    SbTag = SbTag Or w1.ProtectContents  
                                                    Next w1  
                                                    If Not SbTag Then  
                                                        Mess = AllClear & Authors & Version & ReplBack  
                                                        MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
                                                        Exit Sub  
                                                    End If  
                                                    For Each w1 In Worksheets  
                                                        With w1  
                                                            If .ProtectContents Then  
                                                                On Error Resume Next  
                                                                Do 'dummy do loop  
                                                                    For i = 65 To 66: For j = 65 To 66: For k = 65 To 66  
                                                                        For l = 65 To 66: For m = 65 To 66: For 11 = 65 To 66  
                                                                            For 12 = 65 To 66: For 13 = 65 To 66: For 14 = 65 To 66  
                                                                                For 15 = 65 To 66: For 16 = 65 To 66: For n = 32 To 105  
                                                                                    Unprotect Chr(i) & Chr(j) & Chr(k) & _  
                                                                                    Chr(l) & Chr(m) & Chr(11) & Chr(12) & Chr(13) & _  
                                                                                    Chr(14) & Chr(15) & Chr(16) & Chr(n)  
                                                                                    If Not .ProtectContents Then  
                                                                                        PWord1 = Chr(i) & Chr(j) & Chr(k) & Chr(l) & _  
                                                                                        Chr(m) & Chr(11) & Chr(12) & Chr(13) & _  
                                                                                        Chr(14) & Chr(15) & Chr(16) & Chr(n)  
                                                                                        MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
                                                                                        'leverage finding Pword by trying on other sheets  
                                                                                        For Each w2 In Worksheets  
                                                                                            w2.Unprotect PWord1  
                                                                                            Next w2  
                                                                                            Exit Do 'bypass all for...nexts  
                                                                                            End If  
                                                                                            Next: Next: Next: Next: Next: Next  
                                                                                            Next: Next: Next: Next: Next: Next  
                                                                                            Loop Until True  
                                                                                            On Error GoTo 0  
                                                                                            End If  
                                                                                            End With  
                                                                                            Next w1  
                                                                                            Mess = AllClear & Authors & Version & ReplBack  
                                                                                            MsgBox Mess, vbInformation, Header  
                                                                                            End Sub
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**Step 3:** Press F5, Click "Ok" 3 Times, Wait for 2 Minutes and Your Excel Sheet is Password Free.