## IT Essentials 5.0

# 5.5.1.3 Lab - Managing the Startup Folder in Windows Vista

### Introduction

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In this lab, you will customize the Startup Folder and the RunOnce Key in the Registry.

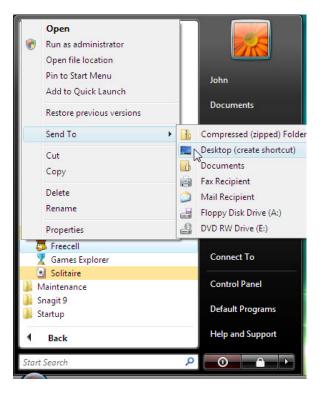
## **Recommended Equipment**

The following equipment is required for this exercise:

• A computer running Windows Vista

### Step 1

Click Start > All Programs > Games > right-click FreeCell > Send To > Desktop (create shortcut).



#### Step 2

Click and drag the shortcut FreeCell icon to the Start button.



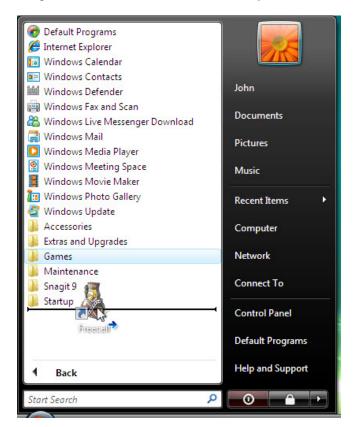
The "Start" menu appears.

Do not release the shortcut icon.

Drag the icon to All Programs.

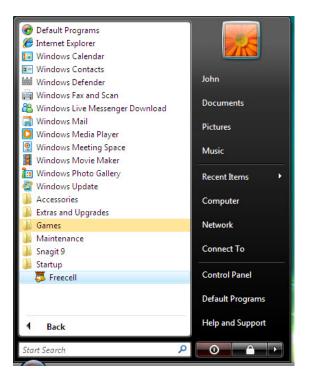
The "All Programs" menu appears.

Drag the icon to the bottom of the **Startup** folder.



When a blue arrow appears next to the FreeCell shortcut icon, release the icon.

Click Startup.



You should see the FreeCell icon listed below Startup.

### Step 3

Log off Windows.

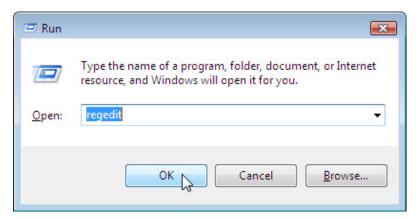
Log on to Windows as an Administrator.

What happens when you log in?

Close the FreeCell application.

#### Step 4

Click Start > Start Search > type run.



Type **regedit** in the "Open:" field **> OK > Continue**.

CAUTION: Incorrect changes to the registry can cause system errors and/or system instability.

The "Registry Editor" window opens.

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Expand the **HKEY\_CURRENT\_USER** Key.

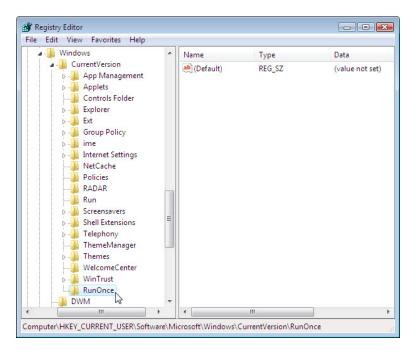
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Expand the **Software** Key.

Expand the Microsoft Key.

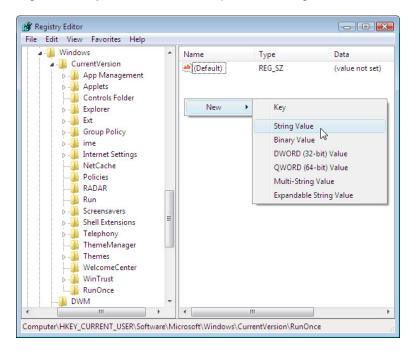
Expand the Windows Key.

Expand the **CurrentVersion** Key.



#### Select the RunOnce Key.

Right-click anywhere in the white space on the right side of the window.



Hover over New and select String Value.

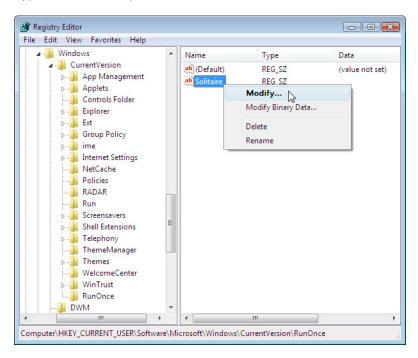
Click anywhere in the white space of the window.

A new "String Value" is created.

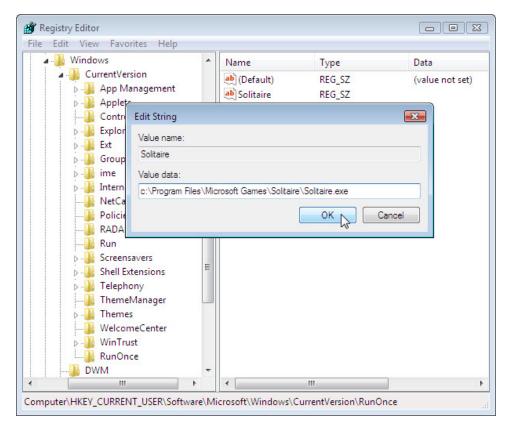
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Right-click **New Value #1 > Rename**.

Type Solitaire and press Enter.



Right-click **Solitaire > Modify**.



Type C:\Program Files\Microsoft Games\Solitaire\Solitaire.exe in the "Value data" field.

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Click OK.

Close the Registry Editor window.

#### Step 5

Log off Windows.

Log on to Windows as an Administrator.



What happens when you log in?

Close all open Windows.

Remove FreeCell game from Startup.

Click Start > All Programs > Startup > right-click FreeCell > Delete > Yes.