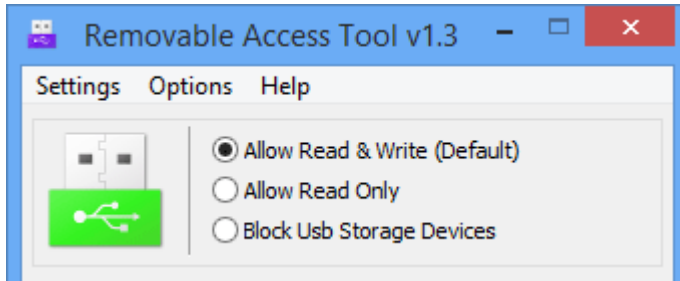


Ratool v1.3 (Removable Access tool)

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Removable Access Tool (a.k.a. Ratool) is a simple to use portable freeware application which aids in the control of external storage devices such as USB flash drives, CD/DVD drives, as well as floppy, tape and WPD devices. Ratool can disable USB storage access or enable write protection on all USB flash drives, thus preventing data from being modified or deleted, protecting your confidential data from being copied by others.

There are many such tools available online, but they are often easily circumvented. For example, if you use one of these USB disablers to disable a flash drive, someone could simply use another tool and enable it again. This means these tools are not actually protecting your USB ports, which is why we created Ratool. By using Ratool, you won't have to worry about this, as other tools cannot easily break Ratool's protection.

Ratool v1.3 What is new: (21.05.2015)

1. **[Fixed]** – After blocking all usb storage devices, clicking “non used usb device”, would reset all restrictions – Lock settings should be chosen (critical)
2. **[Fixed]** – inaccessibility of Usbstor service causes an ownership problem (rare)
3. **[Fixed]** – Some minor BUGS
4. **[Added]** – “Prevent Installation of USB Devices” feature added. This feature allows you to block all USB Devices except yours (i.e. a white list)



