

Open to read, restricted to change

This document is encrypted with AES-256, and it opened without asking you for anything. Both statements are true at the same time: the user password is the empty string, and a reader tries that one by itself before it puts up a dialogue (ISO 32000-2 says so in as many words, in the note to algorithm 5).

What the file asks of a reader is written into it as a set of permission bits. They are honoured by every conforming viewer, and they are not a lock: whoever can open the document has the key, and the content is decrypted either way. Say what you would like with them - do not rely on them for what must not happen.

What this file grants

granted	printing
granted	printing at full resolution
granted	extracting text and graphics
refused	changing the content
refused	annotations and form fields
refused	filling in existing form fields
refused	inserting, rotating and deleting pages

Extraction for a screen reader is granted whatever else is refused - a writer shall always allow it (ISO 32000-2, Table 22). The owner password "full" lifts every restriction above; it is printed here because an example nobody can open is an example nobody reads, and a real document does not carry it.