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Subject: How to create a hidden folder?

Posted by [forlano](#) on Tue, 28 Nov 2023 17:31:26 GMT

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Hello,

is there a way to create a hidden folder? I can see only DirectoryCreate().

Thanks,

Luigi

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Subject: Re: How to create a hidden folder?

Posted by [forlano](#) on Wed, 29 Nov 2023 21:41:12 GMT

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I found this:

```
SetFileAttributes(folder_name, FILE_ATTRIBUTE_HIDDEN);
```

On Windows 10 it works. I hope it works even for linux and MacOS.

Luigi

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Subject: Re: How to create a hidden folder?

Posted by [Zbych](#) on Thu, 30 Nov 2023 20:08:02 GMT

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forlano wrote on Wed, 29 November 2023 22:41

```
SetFileAttributes(folder_name, FILE_ATTRIBUTE_HIDDEN);
```

On Windows 10 it works. I hope it works even for linux and MacOS.

This is WinAPI, it won't work in Linux.

Just add a dot at the beginning of the filename to hide it in Linux.

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