Introducing Account "Lite"

What is the "Lite" version?

The *Lite* version of *Account* is a functional version of the software with numerous omissions. These omissions have been carefully considered to balance file size (of the executable) with usefulness of the software.

Differences

The notable changes are:
* You cannot set or remove passwords from accounts.
  If an account has a password, this will be requested as usual.
* You cannot set up, list, modify, or remove "scheduled transactions".
  If you have scheduled transactions, these will be actioned as normal, and then rescheduled, as normal.
* The "Quick Add" facility has been removed. This is because you can add entries with equal flexibility using the normal method, and it took quite a lot of code to implement the 'wizard'.
* Several messages and warnings are more terse than the full version of *Account.*

Doing all of this has taken the size of the executable from 28.1Kb to 16.2Kb. It may only seem like 12Kb, but that is a heck of a lot on a 256Kb organiser with 128Kb SSD…

Remember - the use of the *Lite* version of this software is completely OPTIONAL. If you have the space, install the regular version…

Caveats

Please keep in mind the following caveats:
* Due to internal changes, extension modules written for *Account* are **not** compatible with those required for *Account Lite.* More info further on in this document.
  Account Lite is supplied with two extension modules - the CSV exporter and the account grapher.
* While the two versions of *Account* can exist on SSD at the same time because of the different filenames, *you can only install one at a time* to the system screen. This is because both present themselves to the organiser as an application called "Account".
* In terms of file format, both are compatible, and compatible also with the Windows version of the software.
  At time of writing, *Account for Windows* does not support scheduled transactions. This should be added soon, to allow you to manage your account on your PC, along with the option of using a more compact version of *Account* on your organiser.

Important disclaimer

This is an early version of *Account Lite* which differs substantially from the full version (huge differences in variable/procedure names). It *should* work without unexpected errors, however I recommend that you back up your account data and try out *Account Lite* to gain confidence in the software.
If you etncounter any problems, please contact me…

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Writing extensions

As for the "*Writing extensions*" document, except:
* **Files are "***xxxx*AEXL.OPO".**
* **Internal variables are different, as follows:**

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C.UName$      is C.U$
C.IBAN$       is C.I$
C.Bank$       is C.B$
C.IniBal      is C.IB
C.CredLim     is C.CL
DatBase$      is DB$
TopLine%      is TL%
BotLine%      is BL%
CurLine%      is CL%
AppN$         is AN$
AppV$         is AV$
AppD$         is AD$
DtForm%       is DtF%
DtSep%        is DtS%
Buffer$       is B$
A.Date&       is A.D&
A.Item$       is A.I$
A.Amount      is A.A
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* **Procedures:**

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Contrast:  is not supported.
DoFudge:      is DF:
DoYMD:        is YMD:
DyToDat:      is DtD:
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