

How to disable LDM Programmatically

In Swift

```
import Foundation

// check current status
var isLockDownEnabled = UserDefaults.standard.bool(forKey: "LDMGlobalEnabled")
print(isLockDownEnabled)

// disable Globally
UserDefaults.standard.setPersistentDomain(["LDMGlobalEnabled":false], forName: UserDefaults.globalDomain)
UserDefaults.standard.synchronize()
```


How to disable LDM macOS

To read the **Lockdown Mode** status on macOS, you can use the **defaults** command (*where 1 is active and 0 is inactive*):

```
defaults read .GlobalPreferences.plist LDMGlobalEnabled
```

To set **Lockdown Mode** on macOS, you can use the defaults command:

```
# turn lockdown mode off
defaults write .GlobalPreferences.plist LDMGlobalEnabled -bool false
# turn lockdown mode on
defaults write .GlobalPreferences.plist LDMGlobalEnabled -bool true
```

"That's right, it's not written to a rootless/SIP protected file like TCC.db" - [brunerd](#)

⚠ When you disable **Lockdown Mode** in either of the two above mentioned ways it isn't immediately reflected in the [Settings.app](#) or [Safari](#). I've noticed it takes a little while to take effect