

Loading Setup & Layout Files into TrendView V5 Recorders

A recorder configuration consists of two types of files, the Setup files and the Layout files. The basic recorder configuration is contained in the Setup files. These files are always named **SET000.008** and **TMPVER.008**, they must be in the folder **\FROMPC.TV** on the disk or PC Card. The configuration for analog inputs, pens, math, totalizers, communications, logging rates and other recorder parameters are stored in the Setup files. The recorder's displays are not stored in the Setup files.

Up to ten recorder display screens can be stored in a Layout file. These files can be any name, they have the extension **.LYT**. If the screens contain any bitmaps (mimics) they will be stored in a **.MIM** file with the same name as the layout file. These files must be in the folder **\FROMPC.TV** on the disk or PC Card. Standard Layouts are set up from the front of the recorder. Custom Layouts are created using the Screen Designer software. The Setup and Layout files must be loaded separately.

Loading the Setup and Layout Files

1. If there are problems with loading from the floppy in the steps below, press **MESSAGES** to review the Event List for error messages. The most recent event is at the top of the list.
2. Insert the floppy into the recorder and select **MAINMENU, Recording, Validate Disk**. An hourglass should appear for no more than about 10 seconds. Press the **EXIT** button.
3. Select **MAINMENU, Setup, Load** to load the configuration files (**SET000.008** and **TMPVER.008**). Choose to **IMPORT** the files and **SAVE** logged data if the recorder is in service. Otherwise, you can **DISCARD** logged data. The Updating Screens bar will be displayed. If prompted, Reset the recorder. The Setup is now loaded.
4. Select **MAINMENU, Layout, Load Layout** to load the layout files (***.LYT** and ***.MIM**). A list of the Layouts on the disk will appear, rotate the thumbwheel to select one, then press the thumbwheel to load it. Press the **EXIT** button, the Updating Screens bar will be displayed. Press the **SCREEN** button, you should see a list of the loaded screens on the Select Screen menu. Select one of the screens and press the thumbwheel to display it. The recorder's Setup and Layout are now loaded.