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Lotus won their lawsuit against Paperback Software and immediately sued Borland.

They won against Paperback because VP Planner uses the same menu structure as 1–2–3. They are suing Borland because Quattro Pro's menus *have similarities* with those of 1–2–3.

According to the Wall Street Journal, Lotus "claims that Quattro Pro's use of the 'C' key to denote what type of currency to use on a spreadsheet, as well as the use of 'FR' for file retrieve, constitute infringements on Lotus's 1–2–3."

We have just marked the 100th anniversary of the first antitrust law. Don't let monopolies form through abuse of the copyright law!

## Boycott Lotus, Apple, Ashton-Tate and Xerox! Join the League for Programming Freedom!