

Check this box to let the flies make a buzzing sound.

Click this button to use the internal trash images. These consist of just screwed up bits of paper.

Sets the number of flies that will buzz around the recycle bin.

Specify the minimum amount of data (in megabytes) that must be in the recycle bin before any visual effects start to appear.

Check this box to indicate that the recycle bin will only show special effects once it contains a specified amount of data.

Specify how frequently the fly buzzing sound effect is played.

Click this button to close this program and save the settings.

Click this button to close the program without saving settings.

Specify how many bits of trash are scattered near the recycle bin. Check "proportional" to link it with the amount of data in the recycle bin.

Check this box to make the number of bits of trash equal to the number of megabytes of data in the recycle bin.

Click this button to display the help file.

This program extends the visual feedback from the recycle bin. Instead of just having 'empty' and 'full', you can now tell when it's getting too full and smelly, too - just like a real recycling bin!

Click this button to select a new icon library to use for the trash images. See "Create your own trash" for more information.

Hints and Tips

- To make your recycle bin have flies around it all the time, but only start spilling over when it gets full, do the following steps:
 - Check "proportional"
 - Check "Only appear after the recycle bin contains..."
 - Set the number of megabytes to start overflowing at.
- Don't overdo the number of files or the amount of trash: it'll work with really high values, but really slowly, and may impede system performance.
- Create a shortcut in the start menu's "startup" folder to make the program run automatically when Windows is started.

Other Programs

The author has written other **freeware** programs, which are available from:
<http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Haven/4173/>

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Create Your Own Trash!

Just screw up loads of paper and crush lots of cans and tip them all over the floor.

Alternatively, you can create your own by using any icon library editor, such as Microangelo from Impact Software, which is available at:
<http://www.impactsoft.com/>

