Font Factory

User Manual

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Steps to install the Font Factory program icon on your hard drive

1. Start Windows and ensure that no other programs are running during the setup, including screensavers.
2. Place the *Font Factory* CD-ROM into your drive and select **File, Run** from Program Manager.
3. Type X:\INSTALL, where "X" is the drive letter of your CD-ROM and click OK.

Upon completion of the installation, a "Font Factory" program group containing "Font Factory" icon will be created. Double-click on the "Font Factory" icon to begin.

The FontMax program

FontMax is a utility that generates style variations of any TrueType typefaces, including those already installed in Windows. FontMax is provided to give you the same font generation capability that the Font Factory Font Installer provides with its font library. With FontMax you can take your existing TrueType fonts and those from other vendors and create new fonts with style variations.

Steps to Install the FontMax program on your hard drive

1. From Windows Program Manager, select **File, Run.**
2. Enter the following on the Command Line, where "X" is the drive letter of your CD-ROM drive and click OK:

   \FONTMAX\INSTALL.EXE

3. Upon completion of the installation, a "FontMax" program group containing the "FontMax" icon will be created. Double-click on the "FontMax" icon to begin and enjoy.

Quick Overview of FontMax

To generated a new font, select the Source font (change to the C:\WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory to view the fonts). Then, click on the Variations button and choose a variations. Then, click on the Convert button to create you new font. It's as simple as that.

Welcome to the Font Factory

The Font Factory program includes the Font Browser and Font Installer. The Installer can display and generate 1,000's of True Type font variations for all your desktop publishing needs! (All source fonts are in the FastFont format and must be installed using the Installer).

Font Browser

The Font Browser provides a convenient way to filer the fonts that are on the CD-ROM and to select only the classes of fonts that you want to Preview and/or Install. The Font Class selections include: Serif, Sans Serif, Script, Display, Special and International.

The Font Browser includes a unique Font Previewer that allows the selected font to be viewed on-screen. In addition, the user can select font style variations that include: Bold, Italic, Hollow, Condensed, Expanded, Thin and Wide and any combination of these.

Font Installer

After the fonts have been filtered, browsed and selected the Font Installer generates the actual True Type typeface with the font style variations that have been selected (on a font by font basis). The new typefaces are automatically installed into the appropriate Windows directory and the font control menu is updated. NOTE: depending on what applications are open at the time, you may have to exit and re-enter them for the new fonts to appear in the applications' font list.

Font Destinations: WINDOWS\SYSTEM (default)
                                         OTHER
Variations: Bold, italic, hollow, thin, wide, expanded, condensed or combinations.

Options: Full Character Set and Reduced Character Set.

Getting Additional Help

Technical support is available for those situations that cannot be resolved with the manual or Help screens. Our customer service department is open during standard West-coast business hours. Our telephone number is (714) 553-6575.

Alternatively, you may fax your questions to (714) 553-6585. Please provide your name and either a dedicated fax number (24 hours/day) or an address to send a response. In addition, please be very detailed with your questions. Responses will be sent within 5 business days or you can write us at:

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When you call, please have the following information available:

1.   The version of DOS, Windows and *Font Factory* that you are using.

2.   The type of computer you are using (CPU, RAM, Video Display, etc.)

3.   The exact nature of the problem, including the steps to repeat the problem.

Please place your call while in front of your computer so that we can walk through the solution with you.

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