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Sound Events brings your Windows desktop to life by adding sound to system events!

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Overview

Sound Events is a utility that allows you to trigger digital audio (.WAV) files with Windows events. For example you can select a sound to play whenever you move or size a window. You can also assign sound effects to your QWERTY keyboard.

In order to hear sound you must have your sound card properly installed and configured for Windows 3.1. Refer to your sound card's documentation for further installation and setup information.

Sound Events is typically run from the Start Up group and will automatically minimize itself. To assign sounds to system events, double click on the Sound Events icon.

Assigning Sounds to Windows Events

Assigning sounds to system events is easy!

1. Select one of the Event Categories . This will display the list of events from that category.
2. In the Events: list, select the event that you want to attach a sound to.
3. In the Sounds: area, choose a drive letter and directory where your sound files (.WAV) are located.
4. Audition the sound files and choose the sound file you want to be associated with the currently selected event. Your choices are automatically saved as you make them.
5. Repeat steps 1-4 for each event.
6. When you are finished, minimize Sound Events or press the OK button.

Event Categories

For organizational purposes the Windows events are broken down into the following categories:

System

Window

Buttons

Programs

Keyboard

Auditioning a WAV File

To audition a .WAV file, select a sound file and press the Audition button. If you want to audition a number of files, press the Auto button. This will automatically play each file as you click on them.

Window Events Category

The Window events category lets you assign sounds to generic Windows events such as resize window, move window, scroll bar and more...

System Events Category

The System events category provides a way to alternate sounds to your Start Up and Shut Down Windows events.

Start Up: When the Windows environment is booted up.

Shut Down: When the Windows environment is closed.

Buttons Category

The Buttons category allows you to assign sounds to a number of common buttons found in Windows including OK, Cancel, Browse, Help and more...

Programs Category

The Programs category lets you assign a sound to the startup and close of each Windows application. To assign a sound to a program:

1. Press the Program button. This will display a files dialog box.
2. Select the program you want to assign a sound to and press the OK button.
3. Assign the sound by choosing the event and the sound.

Keyboard Category

The Keyboard events category allows you to assign a different sound to each key on your PC's keyboard.