

README.TXT

This is a collection of small image file viewers for Windows. They will allow you to have a look at Macpaint, BMP, GIF, PCX, TGA, WordPerfect WPG, TIFF, WPG and Windows ICO files.

More to the point, however, these programs are presented in source code form in the book:

Windows Bitmapped Graphics, by Steve Rimmer
published by TAB Windcrest (TAB book 4265, ISBN 0-8306-4206-4)

If you buy the book, you'll be able to create your own image file viewers and writers in whatever form you like. It includes the C language source code for these viewers, and for applications to illustrate printing and dithering bitmapped graphics as well. It's a single source for anyone who wants to work with bitmapped graphics under Windows.

And it comes with lizards...

To install these viewers in you system, put the files from this archive on a floppy disk, put the floppy disk in a floppy disk drive of your system... a good place to begin... and run SETUP.EXE using the Run command of the Program Manager file menu.

Do not attempt to install these applications from the same drive as the source files are on.

Finally, some advertising...

If you want a really powerful image manipulation and viewing package for Windows, we urge you to have a look at Graphic Workshop for Windows. It's available on CompuServe as GWSWIN.ZIP in library four of GO PICS. Alternately, feel free to call our bulletin board at (416) 729-4609.

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