# ExtractMenu 1.1

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## **Brief description**

ExtractMenu is a tool for New Menus for Windows 1.3 or higher. It can extract all menus of a running program, and write the menu information in a MNU-File which is readable by New Menus for Windows. This MNU-files can be used to assemble context sensitive menus.

## Installation

Copy the file EXTRMNU.EXE into your directory, where your RRKMENU.INI resists.

# How to use it?

### Extracting menus from Windows applications

First you have to start the program, from which you want to extract the menus. Place both windows - the application and ExtractMenu - on the desktop, that they are visible.

Push the button "Capture".

Now you see, that the cursor is a cross, and if you move the cursor, you see, that parts of a window is boxed by lines. This is the window, which you may use as context window. In the field "WindowClass" you can see the internal name of this window. In the field ProgramTitel, the title of main window (without the document) appears.

If you now click with right mouse button, you can cancel the action.

If you click with left mouse button on a window, a MNU-file will be created with all menu entries of the main window. If you want use these menus, you have to assign these menus with a WindowClass. This could automatically be done by ExtrMNU, or you can manually register the WindowClass in your RRKMENU.INI. Look at the MNU-file in the section "[MenuProgramInfo]" for more information.

By default all menu items are converted in the MNU file, but you can also rearrangement the menus and submenu.

To do this, you can use the dialog Configuration of New Menus for Windows. Select in the field **MNU-File** the new created MNU-file. Then you can pick in the combobox **Submenu** the title of the program. With the edit commands, copy, insert and add you can assemble your own context sensitive menu.

Be carefully with general Windows Classes i.g. "MDIClient". Normally it doesn't make a sense to declare a context sensitive Menu for this Windows Classes.

#### Exclude Programs from context sensitive menus

You may have problems using the context sensitive menus with particular applications - because they provide themselves context sensitive menus, or use the right mousebutton in an other way.

Push the **Exclude** button and click than with the left mousebutton onto the main window of the program, which one you want to exclude from any context sensitive menus. EXTRMNU will write a notice in your RRKMENU.INI:

[WinClasses]

ClassName=Excluded.