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## **Chapter 1**

## SMTPsend V1.0

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#### 1.2 Introduction to SMTPsend

Welcome to SMTPsend V1.0

What is SMTPsend?

Basically it allows you to use SMTPsend as an offline-email poster.

It examines a given directory, find all emails that have been queued to there by SMTPsend and attempts to post them, using SMTPsend. It does this the instant its run.

In a way its a replacement for SMTPd, although it doesn't wait around in memory and check the directory again later on as SMTPsend does.

Why did I write it?

When I started using SMTPsend as an external mailer, I wanted to write email off-line and post it when I went on-line. I tried using SMTPd but

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found that this waits for a while before trying to send the queued email, which I didn't want. My program sends the email instantly and then quits.

Is if free?

Yes. It is copywrite so you can't alter it in any way. It must be destributed in the archive SMTPsend.lha which must contain...

SMTPsend The executable

SMTPsend.guide What your reading now Changes.txt Whats new in this version

Warning.txt Warning to previous users of SMTPsend

#### 1.3 Installing SMTPsend

How do I install it?

Its realy easy. Simply put the program file (thats SMTPsend) anywhere you want. SMTPpost must also be in the same directory, otherwise it won't work!

Most people are already using SMTPpost so they just put SMTPsend in the same directory.

Thats all there is to it.

### 1.4 Using SMTPsend

Using SMTPsend

SMTPsend [-1] <maildir> [-m <movedir]</pre>

 ${\tt -l}$  Switches on the logging. A defualt logfile SMTPsend.log will be opened in the directory the program is run. You cannot specify the name of the logfile.

<maildir> The directory where the emails are stored.

 $-\mbox{m}$  causes emails to be moved to <movedir> instead of being deleted after being sent.

Examples

SMTPsend Work: Mailspool/

- Will send all email in Work: Mailspool and delete them when their sent.

SMTPsend -1 Work: Mailspool/

- Same as above but will write results to SMTPsend.log

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SMTPsend -l Work:Mailspool/ -m Work:Sentmail/
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- Send all emails in Work: Mailsool/ and move sent ones to Work: Sentmail/ Also write to the logfile SMTPsend.log

#### 1.5 Whats new?

This is the first release so theres nothing new yet. Any suggestions for improvements should be emailed to:

moonchild@enterprise.net

See changes.txt which comes with the archive for further details.

### 1.6 Whats comming in the next version?

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In Version 1.1
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- You will be able to specify the name of the logfile

Amy other suggestions are welcome. Just email me at:

moonchild@enterprise.net

### 1.7 Know Bugs

Appart from the bad spelling in the amigaguide there are no known bugs.

Bug reports should be email to me at:

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