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Chapter 1

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----- MaxMenu V1.5 -----A ToolManager like utility

by Mladen Milinkovic

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1.2 Legal

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me in advance to ensure you have the latest version.

1.3 Introduction

INTRODUCTION

For a long time I was using Win95 taskbar clone. The thing that bored me was a lot of clicking with mouse (click on 'start', then on 'programs' then on 'disk', then on..). The solution was ToolManager which used a lot of space on screen (for every executable one button) and when i put about 50 programs on dock i couldn't see my beautiful Workbench. Then i decided to create an utility which wont need much clicking and wont take too much space on screen, so i created MaxMenu.

-----REQUIREMENTS MaxMenu 3/6

- Amiga :)
- KS 2.x or greater (I think)
- ReqTools.library by Nico Francois (included)
- ScreenNotify.library by Stefan Becker (included)
- WBStart.library 2.2+ by Stefan Becker (included)

1.4 Installation

INSTALLATION

Installation of MaxMenu is very simple - just start the installation script that I have included in this archive. If you want to install it all by yourself then copy the contents of drawers Prefs, WbStartup and Libs to their equivalents in SYS: partition.

If you are upgrading from previous version of MaxMenu you have to start ConfigConvert program to convert your old MaxMenu configuration.

1.5 Usage

USAGE OF MAXMENU PREFS

On the main window you are presented with a:

Font - select font to be used on menus and items (really)

Wind. Pos. - determine position of MaxMenu window

Button size - H+ - height in pixels which will be added to menu

buttons

- W+ - width in pixels which will be added to menu

buttons

Add - add new menu
Edit - edit menu
Remove - remove menu
Up - moves menu up
Down - moves menu down

SAVE - save changes on disk

USE - use changes

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- forget the changes the next window is almost the same ... the edit item window: - item name Name - choose the filetype Type File - executable file Arguments - arguments to be used with file Immediately close subwindow -> if it's turned on the subwindow on MaxMenu will close immediately after executing command USAGE OF MAXMENU -----Supported keys: 'q' or 'Q' - Quits MaxMenu 'r' or 'R' - Refreshs MaxMenu window

1.6 ToDo

TO DO LIST

do you have any ideas?

1.7 History

HISTORY

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Version 1.51:

- ConfigConvert crashes when converting MaxMenu 1.3 preferences - FIXED

Version 1.5:

- window jumps to front when activated
- maximum of 50 elements in main and 50 in sub window

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Version 1.4:
   - memory is allocated only for first 10 buttons - J. Sosnoski - FIXED
   - maximum of 20 elements in main and 40 in sub window
   - detects every change to ENV:MaxMenu.prefs
 Version 1.3:
   - now you can use stack size for CLI programs
 Version 1.2:
   - after exiting program, computer soonly crashes - FIXED
   - won't start files which have space in their name/path - FIXED
 Version 1.12:
   - now can be started directly from WB
 Version 1.1:
   - gadgets don't change height as font is bigger than 6 - FIXED
   - when you change font in preferences, MaxMenu doesn't update - FIXED
   - when some button is pushed submenu opens, but is is pushed again
    submenu closes and reopens again - now just closes
   - added WBStart.library support
   - added Batch and ARexx file support
MaxMenu Prefs
 Version 1.5:
   - saves only first 15 menus and first 20 subitems
    in ENV: - N. Clover - FIXED
   - you can change width and height of buttons
 Version 1.4:
   - completely rewritten
   - now you can choose if you want to close subwindow immediatelly
     after executing command in MaxMenu
 Version 1.3:
   - now you can enter stack size for CLI programs
   - now you can drag icons into subwindow of MaxMenu prefs
 Version 1.21:
   - program crashes when adding new tool to exec list - FIXED
 Version 1.2:
   - after exiting program, computer soonly crashes - FIXED
 Version 1.12:
   - now can be started directly from WB
 Version 1.1:
   - program doesn't detect mouse doubleclick on listview - FIXED
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1.8 Author

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HOW TO CONTACT ME

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If you have any comments, bug reports or new ideas, fell free to mail them to me. If you think you can paint some nice icons for MaxMenu and Preferences editor please send them to me so I can include them in future versions of this archive.

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Before sending BUG REPORT please test MaxMenu without startup-sequence. If bug is still there send me description of it along with specification of your configuration.

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