

# System 7 Companion Pack! 2.0

The **System 7 Companion Pack! 2.0** contains six great utilities for System 7.

1. **QuickFinder** - Mini-Finder and application launcher that lets you rename, copy, move, and get information about files. You can launch applications by simply double-clicking on a scrolling application list.
2. **FKEY Master** - Innovative program that lets you manage your FKEYs. You'll be able to easily install and remove FKEY's in your System file.
3. **SuperFind** - A universal find and replace command for your Finder. You specify search criteria (name, type, and/or creator) and SuperFind will change all such files to the type, creator, and/or name that you request.
4. **Alias ---> Apple Menu** - Simply drag and drop a file on top of the Alias ---> Apple Menu icon and an alias to the file will be put into the Apple Menu Items folder. From now on, you'll be able to access that file from the Apple Menu!
5. **MultiAlias** - Simply drag and drop one or more files on top of the MultiAlias icon. MultiAlias will then make aliases with the names and locations you provide.
6. **SuperAlias** - Drag and drop one or more application files on top of the SuperAlias file. SuperAlias will then create a "SuperAlias" file. SuperAlias files contain more than one application. When opened from the Finder, SuperAlias files can launch several applications. Regular aliases point to only one file. SuperAliases can point to an unlimited amount of applications!

Plus, when you register, you'll receive **14 Megabytes** of fully-featured demos of commercial software!

## Restrictions:

QuickFinder only allows you to launch the first six applications in your launch list. FKEY Master allows you to customize FKEY ID slots 0 through 7. SuperFind only allows you to search for types that start with a letter less than "m."

Once you register, you'll be able to use slots 8 and 9 in FKEY Master and to launch an unlimited amount of applications in QuickFinder! You'll also be able to search for any type you like!

## Registration Information

First of all, I'd like to thank you for trying out the System 7 Companion Pack! I hope you like it! If you use the System 7 Companion Pack!, you are legally and morally bound to send in the registration fee. (See the below list for even better reasons to register!)

The System 7 Companion Pack! includes six great utilities.

QuickFinder, FKEY Master, and SuperFind are \$15 each.

The alias utilities cost \$5 each. Registered users also receive Biorhythms!—which sells individually for \$10!

The total package, including the Neat Stuff! Disk, costs \$75. But if you register the entire package, you only pay \$25! (And that doesn't even include the new bonus 14 megabyte demo library!)

So why are we offering you all this for only \$25? Six great System 7 Companion Pack! utilities, the Neat Stuff! Disk, and 14 megs of commercial demos? For entirely selfish reasons! We fully expect that once you become a customer of ours, that you'll become a customer for life! You'll then purchase other Insanely Great Software products, such as our very popular System 7 Pack!

When I receive your registration for the System 7 Companion Pack!, I'll send you a password (along with the Neat Stuff! Disk and your 14 Meg Demo Library!) to remove the restrictions in FKEY Master and QuickFinder. You'll then be able to use slots 8 and 9 in FKEY Master and to launch an unlimited amount of applications in QuickFinder. With SuperFind, you'll also be able to search for any type you like!

I've written a lot of shareware products because my users have sent in their fees. As long as users pay their fees, shareware authors will continue to provide quality shareware. Please do your part by supporting shareware.

### **Why You Should Register the System 7 Companion Pack! — The short version**

(Longer version available via an extremely expensive 1-900 number.)

1. It's the right thing to do. Your payment will help support shareware and assure continued updates and new products. Besides, it will even improve your self-esteem! (Disclaimer: Initial testing has found that registered System 7 Companion Pack! users have higher self-esteem than unregistered users. However, individual results may vary.)

2. You'll get the latest version of the System 7 Companion Pack! The version that you're currently using may be old. Wouldn't you like to be using the latest and greatest?

3. You'll get the password to get rid of all restrictions in the System 7 Companion Pack! Plus it will remove the annoying dialog box that shows itself each time you run one of the enclosed programs!

**4. FREE 14 Megabyte Disk Set of Full-Featured Demos of Commercial Software! How's that for an incentive! That's 5 High Density Diskettes compressed to give you 14 Megabytes of some of the best commercial software programs out there! From now on, you'll be able to try out products for yourself, without a pushy salesman over your shoulder. As a shareware author, I know that there's nothing like trying before you buy.**

(And don't worry if your Mac can't read 1.4 meg disks, we can send you 800k disks instead for only an additional \$10 to cover the extra costs for copying and shipping and handling).

5. Comprehensive, unlimited free support from the author by mail, email, and phone. And I mean comprehensive.

6. A disk filled with lots of other useful programs from Insanely Great Software including the latest edition of the MacSharewareCatalog!

7. A chance to help change the product with your suggestions and comments.

8. No need to fill out an order form and write a check. You can use your credit card through our new 800 number.

### **Ordering Info**

The System 7 Companion Pack! is now as easy to register as it is to use.

Register by check, money order, or credit card—it's all up to you.

All orders shipped within 24 hours.

Payment by check or money order:

Please send the order form and a check or money order made payable to

**Insanely Great Software** in the amount of **\$25 + \$4 s/h** to:

Adam Stein

Insanely Great Software

126 Calvert Ave. E.

Edison, NJ 08820

Payment by credit card (MC, Visa, or Amex): (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)

**800-368-5195** (Orders Only)

**303-872-8651** (Orders Only)

**Make sure you ask for version 2.0 of the System 7 Companion Pack! to get your 14 Meg Demo Library!**

**Where can I find the order form?**

The order form can be printed out directly from QuickFinder!, or you can open the System 7 Pack! Order Form file with TeachText. It's only necessary to use the order form if you're ordering by mail.

## **System 7 Pack Companion! Pascal Source Code is Available!**

The complete Pascal source code to the System 7 Companion Pack! (all six programs) is now available. The System 7 Companion Pack! Source Code, along with registration, is now only \$64.95! I'm sure that all programmers will be interested in learning how the System 7 Companion Pack! **really** works. Source code is for personal use only.

## **Instructions on using the System 7 Pack Companion**

### **QuickFinder**

The QuickFinder window is divided into two sections: Finder Commands & Launch Commands.

The Finder Commands section contains five commands.

**Move** - To move a file, click on the Move button. The standard open file dialog will come up. Select the file you want to move. The standard save dialog will now come up. You can type a new name if you'd like to rename the file while moving it. Click the "Save" button when you've specified the correct folder to move the file to.

**Copy** - Follow the move instructions. Instead of moving the file, QuickFinder will copy the file.

**Delete** - Click on the Delete button. The standard open file dialog will come up. Select the file you

want to delete. QuickFinder will then delete the file.

**Rename** - Click on the Rename button. A Rename Dialog box will come up. Type a new name into the rename text box. Then press OK.

**File Information** - To change the creator, type, or Finder flags of a file, click on the File Information button. The standard open file dialog will come up. Select the file you'd like to get information on. A dialog box will come up with the name, creator, type, and Finder flags of the file. You can now make the changes you'd like to make to the file. Press OK to save your changes.

The Launch Commands section contains four commands.

**Launch** - The Launch button launches the selected application in the Launch List.

**Add Apps** - Searches your disk for applications and adds them all to your Launch List. This exclusive feature is the easiest way to add applications to your launch list!

**Add File...** - Click on this button to add a new application (or the Finder) to your Launch List.

**Remove...** - Click on this button to remove the selected application from the Launch List.

The last section contains three more buttons.

**Terminate Finder** - Press this button to send the “quit” AppleEvent to the Finder. If you're low on memory, you might want to terminate the Finder to save some memory.

**Quit** - Quits QuickFinder. (Say this line 10 times fast!)

**About...** - Yields an about box. You can print out the System 7 Companion Pack! Order Form from this about box.

Just about all the buttons have command key equivalents. Just type the Command Key and the letter or number next to the slash in the buttons.

You can also launch an application by double-clicking on an application in the substitution list. And you can add the Finder to your list of applications if you'd like.

## **FKEY Master**

FKEYs are small programs which can be launched by pressing command-shift and a number from 0 through 9. FKEYs have been written to do millions of things from changing the monitor depth to changing the volume.

FKEYs 1 and 2 are reserved by Apple. Command-shift-1 ejects the internal drive. Command-shift-2 ejects the external drive.

FKEY 3 is Apple's screen snapshot utility. You can replace this FKEY if you like.

FKEY 0 and FKEYs 3-9 are available for your own FKEYs. Those are the FKEYs "slots" that you'll be able to customize with FKEY Master.

FKEY Master is based on these slots. The best way to learn the interface is to follow along with your Mac as you read this document.

First, double-click on the FKEY Master icon in the Finder. You should see the FKEY Master window. The numbers 0 through 9 in the window represent the 10 FKEY slots. The "clipboard" on top of the screen will show you the FKEY last copied to the clipboard.

The first step is to select an FKEY ID Slot you'd like to work with. Let's pick ID Slot 3. Most likely your Mac has Apple's screenshot FKEY in slot 3. Click anywhere in the box that surrounds that ID.

You should now see a dialog box containing 5 buttons: Copy, Paste, Remove, Install, and OK. The buttons do pretty much what you would expect them to.

"Copy" copies the selected FKEY into the clipboard (on top of the screen.)

"Paste" pastes the FKEY currently stored in the clipboard into the selected ID Slot. "Remove" removes the selected FKEY.

"Install" lets you install an FKEY from an outside file into the selected ID Slot.

Installing FKEYs from an outside file is easy. After clicking on an id slot, press on the "Install..." button. Then select the file that contains the FKEY you want to install. If the file only contains 1 FKEY, FKEY Master will install that FKEY automatically. However, if the file contains more than one FKEY, you'll have to tell FKEY Master which one you want.

If the file has more than one FKEY, a new dialog box will appear with three buttons: OK, Cancel, and Next. "OK" will install the FKEY named in the dialog. (If the name is not present, it will display its ID Number.) "Cancel" will cancel the entire installation operation. "Next" will go to the next FKEY in the file. Keep on pressing "Next" until you see the FKEY you want to install. Then Press "OK."

To save all your changes, simply select the "Quit" menu item from the File Menu. FKEY Master! will save all your changes and quit the program.

## **SuperFind**

SuperFind searches your volume based on three search criteria: name, type, and/or creator. It then changes all found files to a new name, type, and/or creator that you specify.

SuperFind is very easy to use and does not require much explanation.

First, specify your search criteria. To turn a specification on, just start typing in the type, creator, or name box. The check boxes will be automatically checked for you.

The "type" of a file contains 4 characters that tell the Finder what kind of file it is. They are case

sensitive. For example, all applications are type “APPL” Text files are type “TEXT”

The “creator” of a file contains 4 characters that tell the Finder which application made the file. For example, Microsoft Word files have the creator “MSWD” TeachText files have the creator “txtt”

The “name” can contain any part of a filename. If you search for “Write”, SuperFind will find both “WriteNow” and “MacWrite.” Now, in version 2.0 of SuperFind, it will replace only the found substring. For example, if you searched for Write to be replaced with Wrong, WriteNow would become WrongNow and MacWrite would become MacWrong. It’s an extremely powerful feature that lets you rename files on your entire hard drive with one operation!

Now, set the Change options.

To change the type of found files, check the Type box and enter a four character type.

To change the creator of found files, check the Creator box and enter a four character creator.

To rename found files, check the “Name” box and enter a new name.

Finally, click on the “Find” button. SuperFind will search your volume for all files that meet your search criteria and make the changes you requested.

Example: Changing all text files to Microsoft Word files.

If you wanted to change all text files on your disk to Microsoft Word text files, you would take the following steps:

- 1) Check the Search section’s Type checkbox. Then, type in “TEXT” into the type box.
- 2) Check the Change section’s Creator checkbox. Then, type in “MSWD” into the creator box.
- 3) Click on the Find button. SuperFind will start searching and changing all found files. Quit the SuperFind program and check the files in the Finder to see your changes!

Found files are then listed in the scrolling list box. To change one of these files, simply select it and press one of the file command buttons on the right.

## **SuperAlias**

Simply drag two or more applications onto the SuperAlias icon. SuperAlias will then allow you to choose a name for the new SuperAlias so that you can save it on your disk. From now on you can double-click on your newly created SuperAlias to open several applications!

## **MultiAlias**

Simply drag one or more files onto the MultiAlias. MultiAlias will then allow you to choose the names and locations to save the aliases to those files.

## **Alias ---> Apple Menu**

Simply drag one or more files onto the Alias ---> Apple Menu icon. Alias ---> Apple Menu will

then install an alias in the Apple menu.

## **Technical Support**

Technical support is available to all users of the System 7 Companion Pack! at no charge. You may contact our technical support staff (i.e., the author!) if you have any problems with or questions about the System 7 Companion Pack! We're also very open to suggestions for improvements to the program.

Please feel free to give us a call at (908) 548-5107. We look forward to hearing from you! (The 800 and 303 lines are for orders only.)

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