

System 7 Icons

I have re-organized the icons for easier downloading; for the beginning Icon'er, 10 files is too much to work with. There are now 3 types of files to work with:

1. Default Icons--Paste these into your Finder Prefs file with ResEdit. Make a copy of the "Finder Prefs" in the "Preferences" folder by dragging it to the desktop while holding down on the option key. Open "Default Icons" and the copy of the "Finder Prefs", and paste all the new icons in. Option-Move the original "Finder Prefs" to the trash and place the modified one in.
2. Custom Icons--The icons can be pasted onto any file, folder, or disk running under System 7. They all have color icons and small icon equivalents. This set contains all of the previous custom icons I've released.
3. More Custom Icons--These are additional color icons, designed after the first set, and in the format that you are used to. As I post more icons, they will be in this format (until I get around to re-grouping them).

Note: Some icons are very dependent on the color, and may only look good in 8-bit color (256 colors).

If you have already downloaded all of the original 10 sets that I have created, you won't need to re-download the second file. However, I have cleaned up the Default Icons, so you may want to download that file and replace your present icons. The third and additional files will be posted as I create them, and you will definitely want to get them.

Known Problems:

- *--After file sharing has been turned on, some hard disks will not accept Custom Icons. If you are having such trouble, I suggest a utility called iContraption by Brian Zuk.
- *--There is no way to install a colorized Default Icon for disks. This has to do with the way disk icons are handled. If you want cool color icons, you'll have to paste each on yourself.

If you like the icons, have ideas for new ones, or even just a question, drop me a message...

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