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MenuBall 2.01 documentation - July 1994

• Introduction

◇ MenuBall is an **absolutely useless** control panel that puts a **bouncing ball** in your **menu bar**. It won't slow down your Mac and it shouldn't crash (but use it at your own risk). Should the ball ever leave a mark in your menu bar, don't panic: it is harmless, just switch to another application to have the menu bar redrawn properly.

• Instructions

- ◇ **On/Off hot key** lets you choose a key combination that will turn the menu ball on and off on the fly.
- ◇ **Enable gravity acceleration** changes the way the ball bounces around.
- ◇ **Make menu ball larger** gives you a bigger ball.
- ◇ **Move menu ball faster** makes the ball speedier.
- ◇ **Show icon at startup** tells MenuBall to show its icon when the mac starts up.
- ◇ **Note:** the **ball speed** depends mostly on the application you're using. When a dialog window is open, the ball will usually run a lot faster.

• Distribution

◇ MenuBall is **free**. You may give it away to your friends, post it on BBS's or include it in any non-commercial stuff you can possibly think of, as long as the control panel and documentation is not modified in any way. If you really like MenuBall, send me a postcard. You may include suggestions or bug reports if you want to.

• Special Considerations

◇ If you can bear MenuBall for more than half an hour, you've earned it.

• Version History

- ◇ **2.01** - Recomplied with latest version of the compiler and updated documentation.
- ◇ **2.0** - Rewritten from scratch for Owen W. Linzmayer and his new book.
- ◇ **1.0** - First cut as a simple extension.