

Welcome to Cool Desk !

Cool Desk is a virtual desktop manager. Ever wish to have several screens on your computer? Cool Desk creates up to 9 virtual desktops and allows you to have different windows in each of them. The desktop manager window has a skinnable interface and allows you to switch from one desktop to another with a single mouse click. You can easily minimize, maximize, close, move from one desktop to another and even drop windows to the system tray area (near the clock) using the dockable "Windows manager". Customizable hotkeys help you conveniently manipulate your virtual desktops. Drag you favorite applications and shortcuts over a specific virtual desktop icon to open it there. Each virtual desktop can also have its own wallpaper. Cool Desk supports multilingual interfaces.

Features includes:

- Creates up to nine virtual desktops
- Vertical or horizontal toolbar position
- Neat "skinable" user interface
- Full "hotkeys" customization
- Drag windows between desktops
- Transparent background for windows desktop icons
- Different icons for each virtual desktop
- Different wallpapers for each desktop

Cool Desk designed for modern and upcoming versions of Microsoft Windows.

This program is neither freeware nor public domain. Use after the 30 day trial period requires registration. The registration fee is only \$ 24.95. See [how to order](#) for details on registration and support.

Use the following steps to install Cool Desk

- If you've downloaded the self - extracting installation package named **cd99set.exe** just execute it and follow the setup instructions.

If you've downloaded the compressed archive file named like "**cdesk.zip**" unpack it to the temporary folder and execute the **setup.exe** file.

After the succesful installation run the program from new "**Cool Desk**" program group.

How to uninstall:

- Choose Settings ->[Control Panel](#) from the Start menu
- Open "Add/Remove" applet
- Select Cool Desk item and click "Add/Remove" button.

- Switch to virtual desktop which needs to be configured
- Specify the the scren resolution using Control Panel\Display applet.

- Switch to virtual desktop which needs to be configured
- Specify the wallpaper using Control Panel\Display applet.

Note: Please ensure what "Enable different wallpapers" option is checked in the Settings dialog.

Use left mouse button to drag desktop manager's window.

If you would like to drag window outside the desktop area you can use right mouse button instead.

Select **"Show windows manager"** or/and **"Show desktops manager"** menu items from tray popup menu to show/hide both windows.

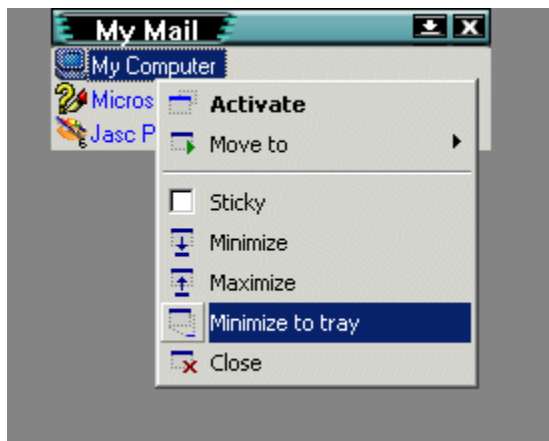
Tip: Double click Cool Desk's system tray icon to show/hide manager's windows.

You can download additional skins from our online web skins gallery which is located at:

<http://www.shelltoys.com/cdesk/skins.shtml>

Download skin archive, unzip it to Cool Desk\Skins folder. Select it from the **Settings\Skins** dialog tab.

Select the window which needs to be minimized from the Windows Manager.



Click right mouse button and select "**Minimize to tray**" menu item.

You can easily switch between virtual desktops using the "hotkeys". They provides the easy way to switch directly to each desktop or to previous/next virtual desktop. Do the following steps for customization:

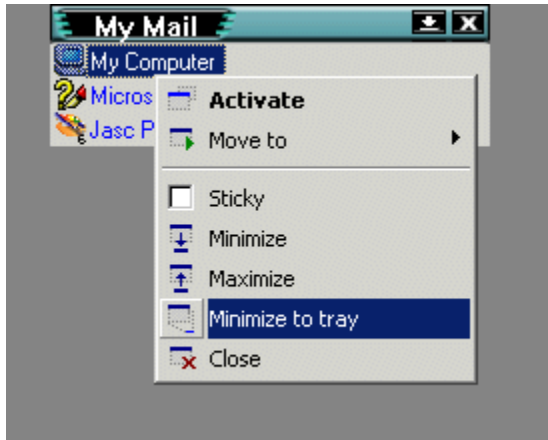
- Select "Settings" item from the tray popup menu (Double clicking tray icon does the same) This opens the settings dialog.
- Click the "Hotkeys" tab.



- Ensure that the "Enable hotkeys" option is checked.
- Assign the hotkeys for switching directly to each virtual desktop.
- Assign the hotkeys for switching between "next/previous" virtual desktop.

You can easily move opened windows between different desktops using the "windows manager" popup window.

- Select the "Show manager" item from the tray popup menu. (Double click on the active desktop icon does the same) This will open the "windows manager" window.



- Now drag any window and drop it on the any virtual desktop icon. The window will move to the desktop what you've specified.
- You can hide the "window manager" window. Select the "Hide manager" from tray menu and the window will disappear.

Open **Settings\Hotkeys** dialog tab.

Type a desired name for the specific desktop using edit boxes (there "**Desktop 1, Desktop 2 ...** " entered).

Click OK button.

We always value your input. Please send us your suggestions and feedbacks.
You can reach us at following:

- **E-Mail:**

Technical support: cdesk@shelltoys.com

Sales department: sales@shelltoys.com

- **Internet**

Main website: <http://www.shelltoys.com>

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Skins gallery <http://www.shelltoys.com/skins.shtml>

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PO Box 1816
Issaquah, WA 98027
United States of America

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Places the Cool Desk 99 window above all opened windows

Check this option is you want to run Cool Desk 99 automatically whenever the Windows starts.

Shows "Minimize all windows" item in the popup menu that appears with right mouse button click on virtual any desktop icon

Places the Cool Desk 99 window in the horizontal or vertical position

Check this option if you want to have own wallpaper for each virtual desktop.

This feature makes the background of windows desktop icons labels transparent. So you'll never see that annoying boxes again.

Select the language you want use for Cool Desk 99 interface.

Specify the folder where skins files could be located

Opens up the "Browse" dialog for skins folder selection.

Select the desired skin from this drop down combo box.

Download skins from our web "Skins gallery"

Check this option if you want to activate hotkeys

These hotkeys are intended for direct switching to virtual desktops

These hotkeys are intended for switching between "next/previous" desktops

