



The Maverick Launch Centre

is designed to give instant access to your most commonly used files and applications. It consists of the Launch Window which may contain as many buttons as you like and file menus which can be opened from buttons that point to folders. This version is fully featured and will run for 60 days. Registration costs just £10.00 (£7.00 for schools) for which you get a pass-code to unlock the 60 day limit.

You may run the Launch Centre directly from floppy disk or CD-ROM. It will ask you whether you wish to install it. Alternatively, you may run the program *Install.exe*.

Written entirely using Borland Delphi, the Launch Centre does not require any special DLLs to be present and does not significantly modify your system in any way e.g. by adding to your System folder (or any other vital folder).

Once running, you may click any button to launch an application, open a document, view the *Control Panel* as a menu and much much more. Press the right mouse button to open a popup menu or right double-click an item to open the Universal Dialog.

The Launch Centre is highly configurable and can be customised both in behaviour and appearance. Naturally, there is extensive online help – just press F1.

Furthermore, you can :-

Create new launch buttons simply by dragging items onto the Launch Window.

Move single buttons by dragging (with the Control key pressed).

Select several buttons on which to operate e.g. to move, delete or change colour.

Create alarms that sound once or repeat from hourly to yearly. (Dates are stored using four-digit years so it should not suffer from the Millennium Bug !!)

View the contents of any folder as a menu.

And using file menus you can :-

Navigate around your entire hard disk or indeed your local network.

Move, copy or delete single or multiple files (or create shortcuts).

Show only certain file types e.g. display only *.DOC files from a launch button to folder *WorkDocs*.

However, most importantly, you should never have to trudge through endless menus from the Start button nor minimise all windows just to launch a new application from a desktop shortcut because the Launch Window has a permanently visible remnant that will activate the Launch Window simply by moving the mouse over it.

Question: Do I need the Maverick Launch Centre ?

No. You've managed without it so far and you could continue to do.

Question: Will I find the Maverick Launch Centre to be useful ?

Yes. There's always a better way to do anything. The launch Centre offers you many such ways. (If you're using a laptop computer, pay particular attention to its keyboard capabilities.)

System Requirements

Computer : 486 or 586/Pentium with 12 MB of memory, running Windows 95.

Hard Disk space : ~1.5 MB

Graphics Display : 800 by 600 at 64K colours or better recommended.