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Chapter 1

MyMan

1.1 ED/GED version 1.1

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1.2 ED/GED | Overview

ED/GED is my replacement for the ED/GED quickstarter for GoldED. Some of the things that bothered me was:

- It didn't put control back to the shell, even if the stick bit was not set.
- It couldn't load a new configuration file if GoldED is already started.
- It couldn't go to another screen if GoldED is already started.
- It did not support wildcards.

so I fixed the above, and that's about it. It only became 720 bytes larger, so that shouldn't be a problem :-)

One problem not yet solved is, that my version can not be made resident, but as soon as I learn how to make programs resident, I will change this.

1.3 ED/GED | Distribution

The arexx part of the code is created by Dietmar Eilert (The author of GoldED). It is taken from the original quickstarter code. I guess the program is free, and may be modified, based upon the ReadMe in EDSOURCE/ directory, which says:

This drawer contains source code of ED to give you an idea of how to address GoldED from other applications. You might easily change this code to perform other useful tasks (what about opening a GoldED AppIcon on your workbench screen ?).

All other parts of the code is Copyright © 1994 SA Development. It may be copied and distributed~so long as no commercial profit is made out of it. it may not be modified,~sold, or included in any commercial distribution without my written~permission. Public Domain vendors are not allowed to sell this program for~more than the price of a regular disk, which should be no more than the~equivalent of 5 Dollars. The author takes no responsibility for any loss~or damage resulting from the use of this program.

This program is MailWare. If you like it, you must mail the author telling~him so. Please use either email addresses, or optionally write a~postcard. See the addresses in the section About~SA~Development.

1.4 ED/GED | Requirements

This program requires OS2.04 or higher. It does ofcourse also need a copy~of GoldED to run. It is tested with GoldED 1.1, but I guess it will work~with previous versions as well.

1.5 ED/GED | Installation & SetUp

This is SO simple! Just replace your current GoldED quickstarter (called~either ED or GED). If you don't know how to do this, it's a miracle that you~know how to work GoldED :-)

1.6 ED/GED | Usage

The template is exactly the same as for the original GoldEd quickstarter~for compability (please see note). But for the clarity it will be repeated here:

F=FILES/M,C=CONFIG/K,S=SCREEN/K,HIDE/S,-STICKY/S,Y=STICKY/S,L=LINE/N

Heres a more specific explanation to the template:

F=FILES/M: Here you can specify all the files you want opened. All filenames can contain wilddcards. If a file contains a wilddcard and there's no matches for this wilddcard - no file will be opened and the GoldED screen will be brought to the front. No error will be returned. If the file does not exist and the filename does not contain any wilddcard, a new window will be opened with the specified name.

C=CONFIG/K: Here you can change the configuration at any time. Please note, that changing the configuration will take a few seconds, especially if your system is not too fast.

S=SCREEN/K: Changes the public screen where GoldED has it's windows opened. Can be changed at any time!

HIDE/S: Only works when starting GoldED the first time. Just makes sure, that GoldED is resident, but no windows is opened.

-STICKY/S: Will prevent the quick-starter from returning, until the window is closed. When opening more than one file in sticky mode, it will only create the lock on the last window opened. If the last window opened is the first one closed, the quick-starter returns control.

Y=STICKY/S: Same function as -STICKY (For compability)

L=LINE/N: Jumps to the specified line in a file. When opening more that one file, it will only jump to the line in the last file opened. (I will change this, if anyone asks me!).

I guess that's about it.

NOTE: This version of the quickstarter can not be made resident. If you have a "RESIDENT ged ADD" in your user-startup, please comment it out, until I figure out, how I make a program resident!

1.7 ED/GED | About SA Development

About SA-Productions:

We're two university students (Anders Hybertz and Søren Berg~Glasius)~who~like to program in our spare time. We create all sorts of small utilities that we need and that we think that others may need too. Some of them goes out in the public domain (as MailWare) and others we just keep to ourself. We both studdy computer~science~and~electronics at the University of Odense, Denmark.

Program status:

The program is MailWare, this means, that if you use try this program, and even if you don't like it, you must send the author an email or a postcard. Please think about the fact, that we have put some hours into this project, and have used time to distribute it onto the net. It would be very nice to

know, where it ended up! If you like the program, please let us know! If you didn't like it, or if it had some bugs, that made you throw it out, then tell us too! We can not make changes to a program, if we don't know where people want the changes! Also we can not fix the bugs (others than the ones we find our self) if you don't tell us, where they are and what they do.

Think about it - but do more than that: Send that e-mail or that postcard, it no effort at all, but it will make us happy to know, that others but our self is using our program.

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If you want to see our code, please request it on one of the above addressed.

We hope you enjoy the program..... If so, please consider sending that email (or a postcard) so we know, that you've put your eyes on it!

Søren.
