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# Icon VuMaster PRO 2.50 for Windows 3.0 or 3.1 #  
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# Shareware Version 2.50 #  
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# ANOTHER QUALITY PROGRAM FROM SHORTDOG INC. #  
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Thank you for your interest in Icon VuMaster PRO for Windows

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New In 2.50:

I have added the ability to clone the viewing form so you can view more than one directory at a time. I have also enlarged the icon viewing window yet again so you can now view 100 icons at a time from a list of up to 1100 icons. I have added more commands to the menu bar. I have tried to make the code work better to ensure that it is as error free as possible, which is hard considering I don't have any more systems with which to test.

NOTE TO USERS OF DISPLAYS USING LARGE FONTS:

This program was designed in 640X480 resolution using small fonts which is the default for Windows. Those who use higher resolutions with big fonts will see a larger icon viewing form than those with small fonts, the program still will work fine but the icons will not fill up the entire viewing area.

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REQUIREMENTS:

- (1). Windows 3.0 or 3.1 in Standard or 386 Enhanced Mode
(2). Mouse
(3). VBRUN200.DLL located somewhere in your path (FOUND ON MOST BBS')

INTRODUCTION:

Icon VuMaster started out as a simple utility that would allow you to view your icon files quickly and very simply, then Windows 3.1 came along with a

built in feature to browse your icons when setting a program up in Program Manager. Well, that meant that my program was pretty much useless to users of Windows 3.10, so I have made a few changes that are quite handy at times. There are quite a few icon viewers out there now, but this program is very simple and easy to use plus it allows you to view up to 100 icons on the same screen and scroll through up to 1100 icons. You you can rename and delete icons if you wish. You now can clone the viewing window and view two different directories at the same time.

VIEWING ICONS:

To view your icons, just simply use the DRIVE and DIRECTORY lists to get to the drive and directory that your icons are located and they will appear in the boxes located on the left side of the form. If you have more than 100 icons in the selected directory then you will be able to use the scroll-bar located to the left of the icons to scroll up and down through the pages of icons in that directory. One limitation is that this program will only let you view up to 1100 icons in one directory, if you have more than 1100 in one directory then the icons that are past 1100 will not be shown.

If you would like to find out the name of one of the icons displayed then you just click on the picture of the icon and its filename will be displayed in the text box that is located in the lower right side of the form.

Bad icons are shown in the list with a black icon with a white X through it and the word BAD in 2 places, trying to edit a bad icon will only clear the icon editing page.

If you are viewing icons on a removable drive then you can now update the icon list by clicking the menu command Refresh List.

DELETING ICONS:

If, while viewing icons, you see an icon that you would like to be deleted from the disk then you can double-click or click with the right mouse button on the icon you wish to be deleted or renamed. You can also select the menu item Icon Management, but no icon is selected by this method and you must scroll through the list to find the one you wish to delete.

Once you do this a small form will appear with the filenames of the icons in the current directory. If you double-clicked on an icon or clicked with the right mouse-button on an icon then you will see the filename and the selected icon when this dialog box appears. You can now scroll through the list and delete the icons you need to by clicking on the filename and then clicking the delete command button and the icon viewed in the picture box.

If you would like to rename one of the icons in the list then you can do so from this dialog. To change the name you must select the file you want to rename in the filelist and then type in the new filename, ex. ICONVU.ICO, in the text box that is located at the bottom of the dialog and then you can click the button that is labeled Rename To: and the file will be renamed and the icon list will be updated to reflect the changes made once you exit this Icon Management dialog box.

MENU COMMANDS:

There is a menu command with the caption 'ABOUT' that will give you some info on the program. There is also the menu command called 'EXIT' that will let you exit the program. There is 'Icon Management' that will allow you to rename and delete icons.

CLONING THE VIEWER:

You can use the menu labeled Multiple to make a duplicate copy of the icon viewer using the New Instance command under that menu. Once you do this, you will be able to use the new form just as if it was another program. You will notice the menu command Delete Instance is enabled in the new form, this is so you can delete this form if you no longer need it, you can also delete the form by closing it with the control box located in the upper left part of the application.

CLOSING:

If you have any suggestions on how to improve this program then please send them to me at the address listed below or call me at the number listed and I will answer them as soon as possible. Those who call the EXEC-PC BBS can leave me a message and I will be able to get back usually in one day.

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