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Chapter 1

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1.1 Magic-Backgrounds-6

Introduction

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1.2 Introduction...

Introduction

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This package contains 11 new High-Quality Magic-Backgrounds for use with Martin Huttenloher's MagicWB. I created 53 backgrounds before - this is the sixth release.

This time I converted 6 very nice photos to a 16 color palette - the first 8 colors are MagicWB, the last 8 colors were defined by Roman Patzner (RomIcons). All pictures are  $800 \times 600$  in size - you may crop them to perfectly fit on your screen (and to save RAM).

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These big pictures are in PNG format, because they are half as big as equivalent IFF pictures (and even smaller than GIF ;-).

After all I added 5 standard eight-color textures which can be repeated without any visible borders.

#### 1.3 COPYRIGHT...

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Magic-Backgrounds-6 is MAIL-WARE, this means I request those users, who regularly use my backdrops to

send me

a postcard or e-mail!

BTW: There is NO WARRANTY of any kind and I won't feel responsible if you manage to destroy any hard- or software while using this stuff - use it at your own risk ;-)

1.4 Contents...

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Here are the 8-color patterns:

BricksGrey
Confetti
Pebble
Storm
Stucco

And now the 16-color backgrounds:

Beach
Clouds
Mountains
Terrace
Thunder
Valley
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1.5 Requirements...

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Requirements

In order to use the small 8-color-backdrops you need:

- \* An AMIGA ;-) with at least Kick 2.0+ (3.0 recommended)
- \* A properly installed MagicWB of Martin Huttenloher or under WB 2.0/2.1 NickPrefs (AmiNET util/wb/NickPrefs.lha)

To use the BIG 16-color-pictures you need

- \* A PNG-datatype, e.g. from AmiNET (util/dtype/png\_dt.lha), because the pictures are in this format
- \* A program to setup the 16 colors on WB, e.g. MagicWB-Demon or LockColors from AmiNET 'util/cdity/lockcolors1\_1a.lha'
- \* Internet access so you can send me e-mail with comments !

#### 1.6 Installation...

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Installation

First install a PNG-datatype (see requirements
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Then you have to setup the right colors - therfore you will
need a programs which locks them (see
              requirements
              ) .
Set your colors to
Color R G B
   149 149 149 --+
 1
     0 0 0
     255 255 255
 3
     59 103 162
                  +-- MagicWB colors
 4
     123 123 123
 5
     175 175 175
 6
    170 144 124
 7
     255 169 151 --+
          0 255 --+
 8
      0
 9
     40 62 91
     96 128 96
10
11
     226 209 119
                  +-- Extended Rom-Colors
12
     255 212 203
                  122 96 72
13
     210 210 210
14
15
     229 93 93 --+
For example start you MagicWB-Demon like this:
Run <>NIL: MagicWB-Demon 4,123,123,123 5,175,175 6,170,144,124 7,255,169,151 \leftrightarrow
    8,0,0,255 9,40,62,91 10,96,128,96 11,226,209,119 12,255,212,203 \longleftrightarrow
   13,122,96,72 14,210,210,210 15,229,93,93
Then drop the pictures into your 'pattern-directory' and
choose a background with the 'WBPattern' program!
Have fun!
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I hope you are fully satisfied.

Stay tuned
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