

iBeeZz 1.5 - User's guide

Thank you for downloading iBeeZz. I hope you will be satisfied.

1. Overview:

iBeeZz offers full management of your Mac activity with complete Mac OS X integration. Thanks to iBeeZz, you can choose when your Mac will:

- go to sleep,
- wake up,
- shut down,
- startup,
- and restart.

You may also choose, for example, to log out just before sleep or to play music on wake up.

iBeeZz 1.5 permits you to program as many events as you want. All these events will be executed regardless of the state of your Mac.

2. Installation:

iBeeZz requires Mac OS X 10.2 or later. In order to install iBeeZz, follow these steps:

- mount iBeeZz's disk image
- double-click on iBeeZz package
- enter your admin password
- follow the installer's instructions

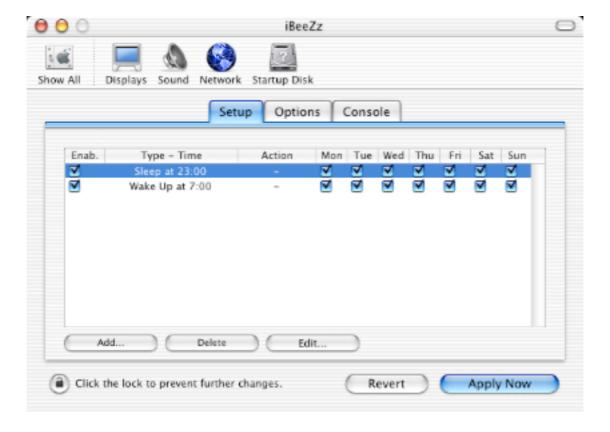


Note that you must restart your computer to get iBeeZz fully operational.

3. Usage:

3.1. Getting started:

Open System Preferences, then click "iBeeZz" icon. As directed in the iBeeZz window, click the lock to make changes and then enter your administrator login/pass. You will obtain this window:



3.2. The "Setup" tab:

The setup tab is selected by default when opening iBeeZz.

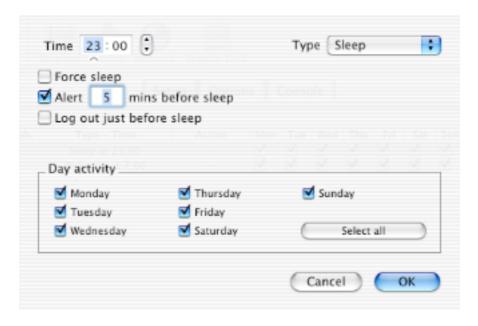
Here you can add as many events as you want, delete or edit them, or simply edit them to:

- enable/disable each event as a function of days of the week,
- enable/disable each event.

3.2.1. Events:

Each event represents a task to be executed by your Mac.

In order to edit an event, click on the corresponding event and then click on "Edit..." button. You should obtain a window like this one:



In this window, you may determine the time, type and day activity of the event to be executed.

Thus, first modify the time. For that, simply click on hour or minutes, then click the up/down arrow to change the corresponding value. The time will be displayed as set in your system preferences (12 or 24 hour format).

Thereafter, select the event day activity.

Then select the event type to execute among the possible choices: sleep, wake up, shutdown, startup and restart. According to your choice, various options are displayed.

3.2.2. Sleep:

By selecting this type of event, your Mac activity will be suspended on the desired hour. You also have the possibility of:

- forcing sleep if an applications forbids it,
- logging out if a user is logged in,
- and displaying an alert telling the currently logged in user that the computer is scheduled for automatic sleep:



Note that if no user is logged in, your computer will go to sleep.

3.2.2. Wake up:

By selecting this sort of event, your Mac will automatically wake up on desired time. When waking up, if a user is logged in, your Mac can open a document, launch an application or execute a compiled AppleScript in order to, for example, play music.

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For thaht, you only have to click on the checkbox and browse a document, an application or a document. iBeeZz will automatically open, launch or execute it.

iBeeZz is shipped with sample scripts that you can use and edit as you want. They are located in the "Scripts" folder into the disk image. This folder contains a documentation of each script it contains. Just copy them to your hard disk in order to use them.

3.2.3. Shutdown:

This kind of event will automatically power your Mac off. If an application prohibits it, you can force shutdown.



3.2.4. Startup:

iBeeZz 1.5 is now able to startup your computer when it is powered off. By selecting that kind of event, your Mac will automatically startup at specified time if it is powered off.

3.2.5. Restart:

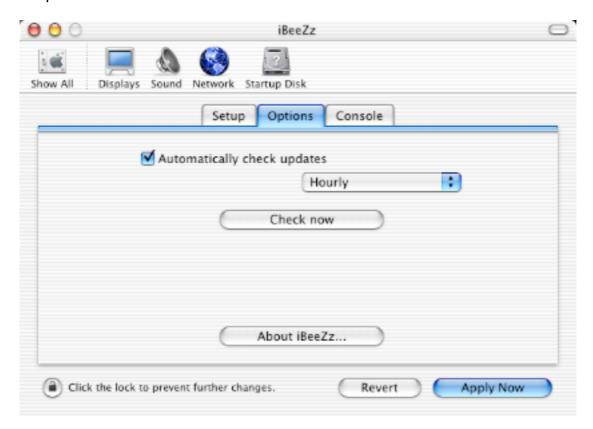
Here you can simply make your computer automatically restart at specified time.



After having selected kind of event and its parameters, just click "OK" button. The event list will automatically refresh.

3.3. The "Options" tab:

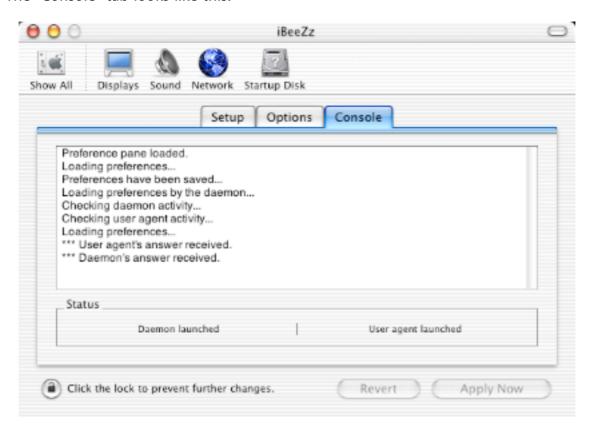
The options tab looks like this:



On this pane, you will find an interesting feature: if you are Internet ready, iBeeZz can automatically check for updates. By selecting this feature, iBeeZz will automatically check for new updates at specified frequency

3.4. The "Console" tab:

The "Console" tab looks like this:



Here you can get the processes communication's history (since last start oh the iBeeZz preferences panel), and processes status.

As you can understand, iBeeZz is composed of 3 executables:

- iBeeZz preferences panel,
- iBeeZz Daemon (automatically launched at startup as root),
- and iBeeZz User Agent (automatically launched on login).

If iBeeZz Daemon is not launched, none of the parameters will be considered. If iBeeZz User Agent is not launched, iBeeZz will not put your Mac to sleep, will not log the user out and some other options will not work. Thus, both of them must be launched for iBeeZz to function fully. If not, you should restart your computer.

Note that these processes should be launched when clicking "Apply now" but iBeeZz will not be fully operational. The best solution is to restart your computer.

4. Legal stuff:

When installing iBeeZz, you must accept the terms of the "shareware" license.

Regarding to new features of iBeeZz 1.5.0, dating from its annoucement, iBeeZz is shipped at price of US\$ 10 (approximately 10€).

Updates from prior version of iBeeZz 1.5.0 to version 1.5.0 is free for all old registered users.

5. Known issues:

You may encounter some problem if you have an Acard IDE adaptor with older driver than version 1.5.1. Indeed, your Mac doesn't go to "deep sleep": the power led doesn't pulse, your optical mouse keeps lighted and the fans keep on. In order to solve this problem, you must

update the Acard driver to 1.5.1 or later. It's available at the following address: http://www.acard.com/eng/support/mac.html

6. Bug report:

If you have any problem with iBeeZz, please send me the bug's description by e-mail (ibeezz@reboute.net).

7. Removing iBeeZz:

The installer copies the following files to your hard disk:

- /Library/StartupItems/iBeeZz
- /Library/PreferencePanes/iBeeZz.prefPane

If you want to uninstall iBeeZz, just drag these files to trash and restart your computer.

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