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1.2   Introduction

Introduction

JSplit is a small tool for splitting and joining files.
It has some great features like:

- Fontsensitive GUI
- It's small, fast and easy to use
- It even runs with very few memory
- Predefined splitsizes for often used disk formats
- It's possible to get the splitsize directly from a device
- Multi-volume Split and Join
- Predifined name pattern for the splitted files
- ...

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   Why I wrote JSplit
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Some months before I often had to split long files because they should
fit on normal disx (e.g. for sending them away).
So I started looking for a tools that could do this for me and that
could join the splitted files back together,too.
In the PD-Pool and in the Net I couldn't find a program that did this
in a comfortable way or they did need too much memory etc.
So i started writing this tool...

1.3 Copyright and disclaimer

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 Copyright and distribution

   JSPlit is © 1995 by J. Stötzer (Janosh / NEOPLASIA)

   This program is FREEWARE. It can be copied and used for
   free under the following conditions:

     - The whole package is copied:

       JSplitV2.0.info
       JSplitV2.0/Catalogs.info
       JSplitV2.0/Catalogs/Deutsch.info
       JSplitV2.0/Catalogs/Deutsch/JSplit.catalog
       JSplitV2.0/Catalogs/Deutsch/JSplit.catalog.info
       JSplitV2.0/JSplit
       JSplitV2.0/JSplit.doc.guide
       JSplitV2.0/JSplit.doc.guide.info
       JSplitV2.0/JSplit.dok.guide
       JSplitV2.0/JSplit.dok.guide.info
       JSplitV2.0/JSplit.info
       JSplitV2.0/Libs.info
       JSplitV2.0/Libs/reqtools.library
       JSplitV2.0/Libs/reqtools.library.info

     - No changed are made at one of the files.

     - No profit is made with it.

   Feel free to include this program in your PD-Library, but I want to
   be notified about this.

 Disclaimer

   You are using the program at your own risk. I'm not responsible
   for any damage or loss of data that could be forced by this program.
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1.4 Installation and start

Installation of JSplit

JSplit requires the Reqtools.Library. So it should be present in
your LIBS: Directory.

It support the localisation if you have OS V38+ and if a valid
JSplit.catalog is present in the drawer LOCALE:(your language).

Getting started

From CLI/Shell simply type the name of the program and from
workbench you should double-click JSplit's Icon.

1.5 System requirements

System requirements

JSplit runs on every Amiga with at least OS2.0 (V37.175) and 512 KByte
RAM.

It support the localisation if you have OS V38+ and if a valid
JSplit.catalog is present in the drawer LOCALE:(your language).

It requires the reqtools.library V38+

1.6 How to use

How to use the program

General

If you've started JSplit it opens its own window and loads
required external files.
If an error occures it is catched and a error requester pops up.
The error messages are self-explaining so here isn't written any more
about it.
Should the computer crash... Well this should not happen... In this
case please send a
          Bugreport
           to me...

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1.7 The buttons

With the 4 buttons at the bottom of the window the program is
mainly controlled.

 -Split: Split a file. A filerequester (=FR) pops up
   where you can select the file to be splitted.
   After you did this you hav to select a destination directory
   (or a destination device if you've switched on
            Multi-volume~Split
)
   Now the file is splitted into pieces with the selected
            size
                which are named like the selected
            name-pattern
             shows.

 -Join: Join some smaller file into a common one. In the first
   FR you have to select the destination path and file. In the second one
   you can select the files that shall be joined. (Press <SHIFT> for
   multi-select)
   The selected files are joined afterwards.
   If
            Multi-volume~Join
             is activated there'll
   appear FRs where you can select files to append as long as you press
   Cancel in a FR.

 -About: Shows some inforation about the Program.

 -Hilfe: The Online-help...

1.8 Altering the splitsize

 At the top left there you can alter the splitsize

 In the number gadget the actual splitsize is shown and you can enter
 a new one directly.
 With the cycle gadget below you can select one of the predefined
 splitsizes.
 With the button "Get from device" it's possible to get a splitsize
 directly from a device (in this case this should be a drive with a
 disk in it). This is pretty useful if you use a non-standart file
 system.

1.9   Multi-volume handling

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Multi-volume handling.
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This can be switched using the checkboxes on the top right side of
the window. If they're checked (a checkmark appears...) the program can
split/join onto/from several volumes.
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1.10   Defining the name-pattern

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                 Defining the name-pattern
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This can be done using the cycle gadget at the right side.
At the moment there are 4 pattern defined. If your file is
"test.lha" they name the splitted files like this:
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1) Name.???.J??

     test.lha.jaa
     test.lha.jab
      .
      .
      .
     test.lha.jaz
     test.lha.jba
      .
      .
      .
     test.lha.jzz

2) Name.j??

     Like 1) but file suffix is skipped.

     test.jaa .... test.jzz

3) Name_??

     test_aa
     test_ab
      .
      .
      .
     test_zz

4) Name??

     testaa
     testab
      .
      .
      .
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    testzz
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If you don't like this pattern or if you want more, just mail
a message to me.
              My~address
                can be found somewhere below.

1.11 History

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History

 V1.00        - Initial release.
 (14.12.1994)

 V1.01        - Predifined splitsize was decreased because a file of
 (15.12.1994)   720000 Bytes doesn't fit on a normal MS-DOS-DD-Disk.

 V1.02        - The prog couldn't be quitted by pressing <Q> (only by
 (19.02.1995)   pressing <q> )  ---> changed

 V1.03        - The JSplit window looked a bit strange if the screenfont
 (20.02.1995)   was higher than 8 Pix because the prog didn't pay attention
                to this. ---> changed.
              - Added sum more messages, comment etc. for status-line.

 V2.00        - Completely recoded
 (18.08.1995) - fontsensitive GUI
              - Predefined splitsizes, splitsize can be taken directly
                from a device
              - Online-Help
              - Multi-volume splitting and joining
              - predefined namepattern
              - The change from V1.00 to V1.01 was crap so it was removed.

 V2.01        - Smaller optimisation
 (25.08.1995) - Doc changed (a little bit)
              - Error in the German language catalog fixed. Thanx go
                to PackMAN 4 reporting thiz!
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1.12 Author's address

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Author's address


  If ya wanna contact me try one of these Addys:

    Snail Mail
    J. Stötzer
    An der Hasel 195
    98527 Suhl / Germany
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   E-Mail
   stoetzer@rz.tu-ilmenau.de
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Bugreports


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  Well, I don't hope so but if someone finds a bug in the program
  please tell me. Also report me your configuration, which programs
  there are running in background etc.
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To add sum words...


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  If someone
      - has ideas or suggestion how to improve this tool,
      - want to swap demos, modules, pix, etc.
      - has a good idea for a tool,
      - needs (want to have coded) a special tool
      - or, or.....
  Feel free to contact me at one of the adds above.
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And I don't want to forget...


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  ...to send greets to sum friends/contacts, like:

      - all members of NEOPLASIA
      - Insider, Animal & Buggs of DEFECT
      - Latte of TEXXID
      - Beavis & Cie of PHUTURE 303
      - Clary of NGC
      - Mephisto of SUPREME
      - TSI of ACT (??? What's up ??? Still alive ???)
      - PackMAN & Diesel
      - JCL Power
      - and all, that I've forgotten.
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More greets from NEOPLASIA fly to these groups


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      13 Day - Abyss - Act - Artwork - Bad Brothers
      Black Fishy - Bomb - Chaos Design - Decision
      Defect - Defiance - Digital Graffitti - Effect
      Energy - Eremation - Essence - Facets Pussy
      Illusion - Infect - Mirage - Motion - Mystic
      Neo - Ngc - Nuance - Paradox - Phuture 303
      Polka Brothers - Prodigy - Retire - Riot - Saints
      Sanity - Sardonyx - Saturne - Savior - Sector 7
      Supreme - Tek - Texxid - The Dark Demon
      The Magic Guild - Tomato Dreams - TRSI - Unlimited
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