

Welcome To Terrapin FTP Browser 2

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Installing Terrapin FTP Browser 2

If you have not already done so run setup.exe on the distribution disks. The setup program will guide you through all the necessary steps to install Terrapin FTP Browser 2.

Using Example Site Maps

Setup will install a number of example maps of remote FTP sites. The examples can be browsed off-line (select Server..Open from Terrapin FTP's main menu).

When viewing the examples stick to the yellow folders unless you want to connect.

Note that the examples may have been created some time ago and the catalogues will not have been refreshed. Some files and folders may not still exist or the site may have been restructured. Refresh the folders if you want to be sure.

The default download directory of all example servers is set to C:\. If you want to retrieve files using the examples and do not want to clutter your root directory then change the default download directory using **View...Server Options** and select Connection properties.

Key Features of Terrapin FTP Browser 2

Work Off-line. Whenever you visit an FTP site, information is collected on the directory structure and files held on that computer. If you save the site map then your next visit is off-line.

Note: site maps hold information about directories and files - not the files themselves. If you retrieve a file from a site map then the transition between working off-line and on-line is seamless.

Drag and Drop Files to/from the Windows Shell. Drag and drop just as you do in Windows Explorer. Many files can be transferred in one operation. If you are working off-line then Terrapin FTP Browser will attempt to connect.

View Files As They Are Downloaded. Files can be viewed as they are downloaded. Not what you want ? Then cancel the transfer. Double click the view window to expand and save the file if you want to keep it.

Restart Failed Transfers. If a file transfer failed (and the remote computer supports restarts) then restart the transfer from the point of failure.

Archie Search. Search the Internet for a file. There are a number of alternative options available once the search has been performed e.g. Get File, drag drop results to window, save results, add new search results to old without duplication etc.

Tag Files for Download. Tag many files for download across many directories. Get them all in one on-line transaction.

Retrieve and Launch. By default double clicking a file will download it and launch its associated Windows program. Files which you have already downloaded will be launched directly from your hard disk without needing to connect.

Local File Indicators. To help navigation of your Server Site Maps, when a file is retrieved, a Local Indicator icon is displayed next to the file icon. The icons also indicate if the file on the remote computer is newer than the one held locally..

Co-operation with your Web Browser. If you drag an FTP URL to the Terrapin FTP from your Web browser, Terrapin FTP Browser will connect to that site and go straight to the relevant directory. Use Terrapin FTP Browser v2 to download files - its quicker, can be restarted, and there may be something else on that computer which interests you.

Record your actions off-line and play back. Want to get many files from many computers and refresh a few directories in one on-line transaction. Terrapin FTP Browser allows you to record most actions which can be done on-line and play back. Macros can be edited and sophisticated program control logic added. Macros are saved and be re-used again and again.

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