## **GENERAL INTEREST**

Benchmark

by Randy Mcanally

Like a speedometer for your Mac, Benchmark tells you how quickly your computer is processing instructions. It's quick and easy, taking only 10 seconds, and by turning extensions off and retesting you can determine the fastest system configuration. You'll hav as much fun as we did running around figuring out who has the fastest Mac!

# Burn/Enigma Package

by Mike Watson

This is a fantastic data encryption and security package that will ensure your privacy no matter who has access to your Mac! Enigma encrypts your sensitive files so that noone else can read them without your password. It's easy to use and comes with extensive documentation. Burn destroys the contents of files when you empty your trash can, ensuring that they cannot be read by someone with an undeleting utility. Together, Burn and Enigma are ideal for the office Mac or any computer shared by multiple users.

#### DiskLocker+ v1.2

by Olivier Lebra

Lock and unlock any kind of disk with this handy utility. Other features include assigning a password to locked volumes —you can't make changes without the password. Easy to use with thorough documentation.

#### e-Catalog

by CopperHead Software

Create fantastic electronic catalogs of your products or services — complete with pictures and text. You can even create electronic résumés!

#### Flashback Demo (part 1 of 3)

by Delphine & MacPlay

As you regain consciousness, questions flood your mind. "Who am I?" "Where am I?" "What do I do now?" Your mind responds only with images of men chasing and shooting at you. You remember a fiery crash and then nothing. This is Flashback. You must now make your way to a destination unknown, with many obstacles between you and safety. Incredibly inricate graphics and the most realistic motion ever seen on a Mac are the hallmarks of this incredible offering from Delphine Software and Macplay.

KeyQuencer v1.2.1

by Alessandro Levi Montalcini

This macro engine takes the form of a small system Extension and a small Control Panel device. Install these utilities, and you can assign multiple step processes to a single keystroke. A well documented and extremely powerful program with tons of extras!

MicroRecorder Pro+ v2.2

by Afshin Latifi

Record sounds with your microphone-equipped Mac and store them in multiple formats with this versatile program. Records in mono or 8-bit stereo with many recording and editing options.

QuickLOOKups

by CopperHead Software

Quickly and easily calculate UPS shipping charges within the 48 contiguous states with QuickLOOKups! A must-have for the home office Mac!

Quiz Me! Computers

by Iverson Software Company

Test your computer knowledge with this HyperCard stack. It covers everything from CPU to RAM.

Revelation v2.1 and Benchmark

This month's we are featuring two programs that will help you get to know your computer better!

Revelation v2.1

by Jim Moore

Ever wonder how much RAM your applications are actually using? Are you tired of running out of memory while running multiple applications? Revelation is the answer! This tiny (only 33k on your hard disk) application uses only 80k of RAM, yet it keeps you abreast of the various goings on within your system. Just slip an alias of this program in your startup items folder (within the System Folder) and the next time you start up a small status bar will greet you. The bar continuously displays your system's vital statistics and an irrestible pair of cartoon eyes follow your cursor around and blink when you type. The eyes are even functional; they move slowly whenever an application "hogs" memory.

SuperClock

by Steve Christensen

Displays a fully configurable digital clock in the menu bar next to the balloon help icon. This is the Control Panel that was incorporated into version 7.5 of Apple's system

software. Choose your font, color and the type of information displayed. In addition, you can choose a sound to be played as a chime.

## TaxByte

by Jim Moore

Here's a quick and dirty way to figure out how much of your hard earned money the the kind folks at the IRS are entitled to. If you need a quick thumbnail sketch, for instance in tax planning, you'll find that TaxByte gives a pretty accurate estimate.

## TimeClock&SignOut

by Mike Nudd - CopperHead Software

A time clock and in/out board program. Another great accessory for the office Mac! NOTE: When prompted for a password enter "nw" (lowercase).

### VendorDA

by Bill Baldridge, Four Arts+

Need to contact a vendor or service provider for Macintosh products? Chances are you'll find the phone and fax numbers in this easy to use Desk Accessory. Display or print by alphabetic letter. In color and black and white.

# WrapScreen v1.4

by Eric Aubourg

Here's a simple little control panel that is surprisingly useful. Just drag this control panel into your System Folder and your cursor will magically be able to jump to the other side when you drag it off the screen. It even allows you to jump across while carrying icons!