

# **DiamondSfx V1.1 documentation**

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## Chapter 1

# DiamondSfx V1.1 documentation

### 1.1 DiamondSfx V1.1 documentation

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Version V1.1 (08.07.1995)

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### 1.2 Introduction to V1.1

Welcome to DiamondSfx V1.1

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Using this program you are able to create your own sfx-file for Diamond Caves.

Please read

The main window  
on how to work with DiamondSfx.

This program is based on MUI, see  
About MUI

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## 1.3 Requirements

DiamondSfx V1.1 requires:

- Kick 2.0
- MUI 2.3
- a registered version of Diamond Caves V2.0
- Commodore's Installer (can be found on your Workbench-Install-Disk)

This program has beend tested with Enforcer and Mungwall.

## 1.4 Installation

DiamondSfx comes with a ready-to-run installer-script for the Commodore Installer. Just click on the icon and follow the text in the window.

Basically, the script will copy all necessary files in the Directory "DC:" according to the present version.

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program.

If you are still working with an unregistered version of Diamond Caves, read the chapter "How to register" in the Diamond Caves docfile.

## 1.10 The main window

At the top of the window there is a cycle-gadget where you can ←  
select the  
sample you want to edit. The following part is the same for every sample.

Filename contains name and path of your sample. Important: The final  
~~~~~ sfx-file only contains these filenames and not the samples  
itself!

Samplingrate is the frequency you want to play the sample with (in 10Hz).  
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Volume should be obvious: The Volume ! 0 is silence.  
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Play Sample loads the sample with the given name and plays it once  
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Save will store your settings into the file "DC:sfx/sfx.data" where they  
~~~~ will be found by the Diamond Caves Game. Remember: This file only  
contains the path and filename of every sample and not the sample itself!

Default resets every value to the default settings. If you want to us  
~~~~~ this, please make sure that the default samples (The files  
"DC:sfx/y#?") are present.

Exit will leave the program.  
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If you want to use your own samples, please read  
Using own samples

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## 1.11 Using own samples

Using own samples within Diamond Caves is not very difficult, just follow these guidelines:

- don't use "long" samples. With normal gamespeed, every sample has about 8/50 seconds (0.16 sec) to play. Only the Explosion needs about twice the time.

- check out the cycle-gadget: This is the exact order in which the samples are played, beginning with the timeout (= highest priority)

- Adjust the volume of each sample so that they all "fit together".

- make sure, the samples are always present on your harddisk because the sfx-file only contains the filename but not the sample itself.

## 1.12 History

V1.0 (04.06.1995)

- first public release

V1.1 (08.07.1995)

- added "move through empty space" sound

## 1.13 Plans for the future

Plans for the future:

No plans yet, but if you got some ideas...

## 1.14 About MUI

This application uses

MUI - MagicUserInterface

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MUI is a system to generate and maintain graphical user interfaces. With the aid of a preferences program, the user of an application has the ability to customize the outfit according to his personal taste.

MUI is distributed as shareware. To obtain a complete package containing lots of examples and more information about registration please look for a file called "muiXXusr.lha" (XX means the latest version number) on your local bulletin boards or on public domain disks.

If you want to register directly, feel free to send

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