Mister Blue

Animated Cursor Set Version 1.0 Installation Instructions

Congratulations! You've just downloaded the neatest little set of animated cursors around. Just follow the installation procedures, and you'll be on your way to testing out Mister Blue.

(Reminder: If you don't have Windows® 95 or Windows NTTM, then you can't use Mister Blue. Sorry!)

The downloaded self-extracting file, "Mister10.exe" contains the following files:

Setup8.wri: This text file containing the installation procedures for the Mister Blue Animated Cursor Set

Demo8.zip: A compressed file containing the 3 demonstration cursors

Order.wri: An Order Form for purchasing the full set of the Mister Blue Animated Cursor Set

Catalog.wri A catalog file listing the cursor sets available from K 'n S Associates. Along with the cursor set names, the file includes catalog numbers, unit prices, and color pictures to represent the cursors.

Full8.zip: A compressed file containing the full set of 15 Mister Blue cursors (requires a password to decompress)

The following is a list of the demo files contained in the "Demo8.zip" file and the Windows[®] 95 and Windows NTTM cursor/pointer types for which they would best be used (these are only suggestions):

Cursor/Pointer Types For:

<u>File Name</u>	Windows [®] 95	Windows NT TM
Mister Blue Normal Select.ani	Normal Select	Arrow
Mister Blue Text Select.ani	Text Select	I-Beam
Mister Blue Diagonal Resize 1.ani	Diagonal Resize 1	Size NW-SE

To purchase a <u>full</u> version of the Mister Blue Animated Cursor Set, or any of the cursor sets, print out the order form located in the file "Order.wri" and mail it along with your check or money order today. You will then be emailed a password for each set you order that will enable you to unzip (decompress) the file containing the full set of cursors (Full8.zip). Or, if you prefer, you may order an uncompressed version of the cursor sets which you will receive via U.S. Mail on a floppy disk (U.S. orders only).

The following is a list of the <u>full</u> version files contained in the "Full8.zip" file and the Windows® 95 and Windows NTTM cursor/pointer types for which they would best be used (these are only suggestions):

Cursor/Pointer Types For:

File Name	Windows® 95	Windows NT TM
Mister Blue Normal Select.ani	Normal Select	Arrow
Mister Blue Busy.ani	Busy	Wait
Mister Blue Waiting.ani	Busy	Wait
Mister Blue Working In Background.ani	Working In Background	Application
Starting		
Mister Blue Unavailable.ani	Unavailable	No
Mister Blue Precision Select.ani	Precision Select	Cross Hairs
Mister Blue Text Select.ani	Text Select	I-Beam
Mister Blue Vertical Resize.ani	Vertical Resize	Size N-S
Mister Blue Horizontal Resize.ani	Horizontal Resize	Size W-E
Mister Blue Diagonal Resize 1.ani	Diagonal Resize 1	Size NW-SE
Mister Blue Diagonal Resize 2.ani	Diagonal Resize 2	Size NE-SW
Mister Blue Help Select.ani	Help Select	Help
Mister Blue Move.ani	Move	Size All
Mister Blue Handwriting.ani	Handwriting	N/A
Mister Blue Alternate Select.ani	Alternate Select	N/A

<u>Note:</u> The file "Mister Blue Waiting.ani" is an extra cursor in the Mister Blue Animated Cursor Set and may be used as an alternative for the Busy (Wait) and Working In Background (Application Starting) cursor/pointer types.

Hope you enjoy Mister Blue!

<u>Note:</u> The "Demo8.zip" and "Full8.zip" files require WinZip® 6.1 to decompress. If you do not already have WinZip® 6.1, you can download an evaluation version from the WinZip® Internet site at http://www.winzip.com. Instructions for Extracting Files from a zip archive can be found in the **Brief Tutorial** under the WinZip® **Help** pull-down menu.

Windows® 95 Installation Procedure

- 1) If you have not yet ordered the full set of Mister Blue cursors and received a password, do step 1a to decompress the demo files. Otherwise, do step 1b to decompress the full set.
 - a) Open the file "Demo8.zip" using WinZip® and extract all three of the demo files into any folder (the Windows Cursors folder would probably be best). Go to step 2).
 - b) Open the file "Full8.zip" using WinZip®. Click on the WinZip® **Options** pull-down menu and click on **Password**. Enter the password you received via email, then click **OK**. Extract all fifteen of the full version files into any folder (the Windows Cursors folder would probably be best). Go to step 2).
- 2) Open the Control Panel by either:
 - a) Click on Start, select Settings, click on Control Panel, or
 - b) Double click on **My Computer**, then double click on **Control Panel**
- 3) Double click on Mouse
- 4) Select the **Pointers** tab
- 5) For each of the cursor/pointer types listed above for Windows® 95 (three for the demo or fifteen for the full set):
 - a) Select the pointer type (e.g., Normal Select)
 - b) Click the **Browse** button
 - c) Change to the directory (folder) in which you extracted the Mister Blue cursor files in step 1).
 - d) Find and select the Mister Blue file that corresponds to the pointer type selected in 5a.
 - e) Click **Open**
- 6) To save this pointer scheme:
 - a) Click the Save As button
 - b) Type in a name for your scheme in the **Save Scheme** dialog box (e.g., Animated Mister Blue)
 - c) Click **OK**
- 7) Click **OK** to close the **Mouse Properties** window and begin enjoying Mister Blue!

Windows NTTM Installation Procedure

1) If you have not yet ordered the full set of Mister Blue cursors and received a password, do step 1a to decompress the demo files.

Otherwise, do step 1b to decompress the full set.

- a) Open the file "Demo8.zip" using WinZip® and extract all three of the demo files into any folder (the Windows Cursors folder would probably be best). Go to step 2).
- b) Open the file "Full8.zip" using WinZip®. Click on the WinZip® **Options** pull-down menu and click on **Password**. Enter the password you received via email, then click **OK**. Extract all fifteen of the full version files into any folder (the Windows Cursors folder would probably be best). Go to step 2).
- 2) Double click the Main group, double click Control Panel
- 3) Double click on Cursors
- 4) For each of the cursor types listed above for Windows NTTM (three for the demo or thirteen for the full set):
 - a) Select the cursor type (e.g., **Arrow**)
 - b) Click the Browse button
 - c) Change to the directory (folder) in which you extracted the Mister Blue cursor files in step 1).
 - d) Find and select the Mister Blue file that corresponds to the cursor type selected in 4a.
 - e) Click OK
- 5) To save this cursor scheme:
 - a) Click the **Save Scheme** button
 - b) Type in a name for your scheme in the **Save Scheme** dialog box (e.g., Animated Mister Blue)
 - c) Click OK
- 6) Click **OK** to close the **Cursors** window and begin enjoying Mister Blue!

If you should have any problems setting up your Mister Blue animated cursors, just drop me a line at slmartin@traveller.com, and maybe I can help you get up and rolling. Also, if you have any suggestions of other cursors you might like to see, just let me know.

Our Web Sites' URLs

Check out the Benny Blue Web World to see Benny Blue and all of his pals. It can be found at:

http://www.hsv.tis.net/~slmartin/BennyBlue/

Additional animated cursors can be found at CursorLand: http://www.hsv.tis.net/~slmartin/CursorLand/

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