FontMagik version 1.1

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General description and Technical Info

FontMagik is a 32 bits Font Styling appication for Windows 95TM or above. You can use it to add an artistic touch to your web page, flier, presentation, slide show, business card, newletters, letterhead, or any text document by creating flashy styled text and logos.

Various effects make you plain text come alive! Colors, styles, shadows, highlights, depth, background image, angle, alignment,... are all ajustable.

FontMagik intuitive user interface makes it easy to use for business and home user.

Have Fun with your Font! It's Magik!

Minimum Requirements:

Windows 95TM 486 processor 8 MB RAM Video card capable of rendering more than 256 colors System's video mode set to High-Color (16 bits) SVGA monitor Mouse

Recommended Requirements:

Windows 95TM
Pentium processor
16-32 MB RAM
Video card capable of rendering more than 256 colors
System's video mode set to High-Color (16 bits) or True-color (24 bits)
SVGA monitor
Mouse

Screen elements

The *FontMagik* interface consists of the following elements:

Menu Bar see Menu Bar section.

Top ToolBar see <u>Top Tool Bar</u> section.

Left ToolBar see <u>Left Tool Bar</u> section.

Text-entry Field and combo box buttons

This is where you type your text. The text-entry field is a combo box where you can store your text.

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Add text to combo box.

Clear an item in combo box

Clear all items in combo box

Preview Screen

(Magical Font Windows & Capture window)

The preview area contains the *Magical Font Windows* where you see your font styling results. Slide button on right and bottom of the Font Windows may be used to move your text within the screen. The text and image could be scrolled individually (see: MoreOptions menu). Several Font windows may be open at the same time. The preview screen also contains the *Capture Window*. Your text-image is copied to the capture window when you click the [*Capture&Copy*] button, but only if the capture window is open (see the <u>Left Tool Bar</u> section for more info on the Capture Window Options).

Shadow & Highlight depth Selection bar

A button bar or track bar to select the depth of your shadow or highlight. Scale from 0 to 10.

Font Size Box

Click the up and down to quickly change font size.

Angle-Selection Box

Click the up and down arrows to change the angle of your text. "0" is horizontal.

Direction Shadow

Selection box

To choose between 8 different directions for the text shadow, center position is: no shadow.

Direction Highlight

To choose between 8 different directions for the text highlight, center position is: no highlight.

Alignment Selection box

Selection box

To move your text within the Font window. Use the arrows to align your text: Right, Left or Center inside the Magical Font window.

Status Bar

When your mouse pointer is over a Magical Font Window, the status bar displays the options selected for the shadow& highlight styles, and the style & graduate face chosen. When your mouse pointer is somewhere else, the status bar displays a description of each element on the program interface.

Top menus

File menu

Options Save Options

Select this option to always save your last font styling setup. The direction and depth of highlight & shadow and the styles will be saved. When you open a new Magical Font Window or if you exit and reopen *FontMagik* your last set up will be pre-selected on the *FontMagik* interface.

Minimize to system tray

Select this option if you want to have the FontMagik icon in your system tray when you minimize the program.

Depth Highlight Option

You can choose between a track bar or buttons for the Highlight depth selection screen element.

Depth Shadow Option

You can choose between a track bar or buttons for the Shadow depth selection screen element.

New Open a new Magical Font Window

Copy Copy the content of a MagicalFont Window into MS Clipboard

and into the Capture window if it's open. Copying to Capture window lets you crop or resize your label, if you wish to do so

before copying it again to MS Clipboard.

Save Save the content of a Magical Font window in bitmap format

(.bmp).

Close Close the active Magical Font window.

Close all Magical Font Windows, including the capture window.

Minimize Click to minimize FontMagik.

Exit Click to quit FontMagik.

More Options menu

Restore Select to restore the default font styling options

Default (the ones selected the first time you opened FontMagik)

Options

Style You can choose from 4 different types of highlights

Highlight Normal, Graduated, Extrude, Real.

Style You can choose from 4 different types of shadows:

shadow Normal, Graduated, Extrude, Real.

Style effect

You can choose from 5 different Style effects: None, Raised, Flying, Shadow, Sunken.

Graduate face

The color gradation of your font may be either: None, Horizontal, or Vertical. When you choose horizontal or vertical, you will have to choose a color for the text and a second color with the "graduate from color" button.

Background Color

Background may be *One color* or a gradation between two colors (*Graduated*), select which option you prefer. If you select to have a graduated color background, you must choose the top and bottom color.

Background image

This option let you choose any of your bitmap image (.bmp) as a background. Interesting if you want to create a logo or a flashy header, by adding an image or texture. You can write your text on top or beside the image you selected.

Only ".bmp" format images may be use within FontMagik, however you can always change the format of your finish label if you copy & paste it to you favorite graphics editor.

3 Different display options are available for the bitmap image: Single: Only one image will be displayed in the Font window Mosaic: image is repeted to cover all the Font window Strech: image is streched to cover all the Font window You can remove the image from your Font window by clicking Delete image.

Scroll Font or image

You can choose wich element in the font window will move when you use the Magical Font window's scroll bar. This option makes it easier to position a text over or beside the bitmap graphic you chose. If you select "font" only your text will be srolled related to a fixed image. If you select "image" only the image (single mode only) will move when you scroll the Magical Font window.

Windows menu

Cascade Select this option to have all your Font windows inside the

preview screen arrange in a cascade way.

Tile Select this option to have all your Font windows inside the

preview screen arrange in a tiled way.

Arrange Icons

Select this options to have your icons from Font windows

arrange in the bottom of the preview screen.

Minimize All Minimize all the Font windows inside the preview screen.

Top Tool Bar



New Open a new Magical Font window.



Capture&Copy
Copy the content of a Font Window into MS Clipboard
to Clipboard
and into the to Capture window if it's open. Copying to
Capture window lets you crop or resize your label, if you
wish to do so, before copying it again to MS Clipboard
or save it. You also have to copy your text to the
Capture window if you want to save it.



Save to disk Save the content of the Capture window in bitmap format (.bmp).



Restore Default Select to restore the default font styling options
Options (the ones selected the first time you opened FontMagik).



Erase content Erase the text in the active Magical Font window and **font window** text entry box.



Reset all Move back your text to original position in the Font window: corner top-left.



Open Capture Open the Capture window where you can copy the window content of a Magical Font Window.



Cascade Select this option to have all your Font windows inside the preview screen arrange in a cascade way.



Tile windows Select this option to have all your Font windows inside the preview screen arrange in a tiled way.



Arrange Icons Select this options to have your icons from Font windows arrange in the bottom of the preview screen.



Close all Close all Font Windows, including the capture window.



Help Click to get access to help menu.



About Click to open the About window. **FontMagik**



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Minimize FontMagik

Click to minimize FontMagik.



Exit FontMagik Click to quit FontMagik.

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Left Tool Bar



Choose font Choose a Font for your text.



Color Font Select a color for your text. You can make custom color with the "Define custom colors" button. If the "graduate face" option is set to horizontal or vertical you must also choose a second color with the "graduate from color" button.



Color Highlight Choose the color for the highlight.



Graduate from Click this button when you need to choose the **color** second color for a "graduate face" set to horizontal or vertical.



Color Shadow Choose the color for the shadow.



Color Choose a color for the background. For a graduate

Background 2-color background, click the *graduated* background color in the *more options menu*.



Choose image Click to choose a bitmap image to put as a background or to be put beside your text. Go to the *MoreOptions menu* if you want to stretch or tile your image.



Crop capture When this option is selected, you can crop the capture window window around you text, by resizing the capture window. Position your mouse pointer on the bottom-right corner

Position your mouse pointer on the bottom-right corner of the capture window and drag it until the window is the size you want. This will not affect the size of you text.



Resize capture when this option is selected, you can resize the capture window window and the text inside it, by resizing the capture window. Position your mouse pointer on the bottom-right corner of the capture window and drag it until the window is the size you want.



Copy modifications in capture
made to the capture window (crop, resize). Your new
window to image is automatically copy to MS Clipboard.

MS Clipboard

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