

YUAdmin

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Chapter 1

YUAdmin

1.1 YUAdmin documentation

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1.2 Introduction

The Yam User Administration program is for heavy duty mail users. Yam 1.3, a great mailer programmed by Marcel Beck, is now capable of maintaining several configfiles and mailboxes but lacks a little in the management of all those different mailboxes. Since I own several accounts on the Internet, it was desirable to have a little program for maintaining these mailboxes. So, the idea to program the Yam User Administration (YUAdmin) was born.

YUadmin is totally programmed in E, a great language developed by

Wouter van Oortmerssen.

I hope you enjoy my little program (and first ever published!).

Regards,

Bert Vortman

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1.3 Requirements

You need:

- Reqtools.library in the Libs: directory (supplied with YUAdmin)
- YAM 1.3+ (there is no point in using YUAdmin without Yam... or is it??)
- Everything Yam uses... (AMITCP, MUI etc.)

1.4 Copyright

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1.5 Installation

INSTALLATION USING THE COMMODORE-INSTALLER

Double click on the Install icon and follow the instructions of the Installer.

MANUAL INSTALLATION

Installation couldn't be easier:

- 1) Copy the YUAdmin program to the YAM: directory.
(You must have an assignment to YAM:!)
- 2) Make a MAIL directory in YAM: This directory will contain all the mailfolders for your accounts. (although you can use an other directory if you want, see usage)
- 3) copy the reqtools.library to LIBS:
- 4) copy the newtopaz.font and directory to FONTS:

That's all.

1.6 Usage

USAGE

YUAdmin is easy to use, no difficult commands have to be learned.

When you start YUAdmin the first time by doubleclicking it's icon YUAdmin will ask you if you want to configure a user. If you want to, you will be presented with a listview and 3 buttons: 'Add user', 'Delete user' and 'Cancel'. Since you want to Add a user, (are you?) click on the appropriate button.

Two stringgadgets are presented, one for the username and the other one for the directory where your mailfolders are stored. You can use different directory's for different accounts, but you can not use the same username twice, even if you have two different directory's.

Click on Add User, you will be asked if everything is correct, if so, click on yes. Some files are written to disk and a requester will inform you if everything went ok. You will be presented with

the mainwindow of YUAdmin.

The middle section of the window is for all your users. On a 256*640 screen you can have more than 50 users (depending on the font you use). The bigger the screen, the more users you can have. (Experimenting I had more than 300 users.... ;)) The program tries to display as much users as it can.

Just click on the users name to enter YAM. YAM will use immediately the correct config file and directory's. The first time you need to configure the user's settings in the configuration menu. Save it the usual way, and everything is ready to use. If you quit YAM, the YUAdmin window is displayed again, waiting for your actions.

The 'Add & Delete' button will display the initial listview. To delete a user, click on the user's name in the listview to select and click on the appropriate button.

FONTS

YUAdmin is capable of handling different fonts. Select the appropriate menu item to select a font. However, only the users names will use the font.
