HfMounterMUI_e

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1.3   Short overview

HfMounterMUI is a "virtual floppies" manager. These floppies are emulated on a hard disk by "fmsdisk.device". HFMounter gives you a comfortable GUI to install, format and remove virtual floppies in the system.

A few words...

I've got "fmsdisk.device" for some time and use it willingly. The possibility of having many speedy "floppy drives" is often very useful (espacially for DMS archive depacking).

I used HfMounter v2.2 by Dirk Hebisch. But it wasn't exactly that, what I wanted. The main disadvantage were hardcoded paths to files. But there was no other similar program and I just used this one.

I wrote a short Cli script attached to ToolManager. This script was removing mounted HFx: devices from the system. It wasn't comfortable. Then I got HFRemove by Jens Weyer. Yes, work with "fmsdisk.device" became easier. But why should I use two programs? I wanted to have one doing all the things. My friend (Hi Kilu! :) ask me one day why don't I write such a program. That's the way HFMounterMUI was born...

1.4   Detailed description of the program

After program start you can see three pages in the window:

Program

Buttons named "Hf0" to "Hf11" are placed here. If you press any of them you will be asked for desired action. You have four choices:

Mount

You can mount choosen device without loosing previous data on it.

Format

Device is mounted then formatted. You can set format parameters (filesystem, dir cache etc.) below.

Dismount

Program tries to remove the device from the system and its icon from the Workbench.

Cancel

Just no operation to do.

There are "Format" command options in the "Options" frame below.

Dismount

You can see a list of currently mounted devices here and three buttons:

Rescan

Program updates and refreshes the list of mounted HF devices.

Remove

Dismounts selected unit.

Remove All

Dismounts all mounted units.

You can doubleclick on any mounted device on the list to see information window.

Prefs

You can choose HF-Mountlist file here, also you can save the preferences on a disk (format settings are saved too).

1.5   Hard & soft requirements

- MUI 3.0 or newer.

- 'Mount' and 'Assign' commands in C:

- 'Format' command in 'Sys:System/' directory.

- HF-Mountlist file (you can have it anywhere)

- 'fmsdisk.device' of course ;-)

1.6   Any bugs?

I haven't found. Contact me if you find any.

1.7   Magic...

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

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