

System 7 ResEditors

Version 1.1

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This is a collection of TMPL, ICON, and RMAP resources for ResEdit™ 2.1.x. They will help to make some (but not complete) sense of the following resource types:

“General ResEditors”

aedt - Apple Events Template
dflg - ddev Flags
eppc - EPP Configuration
gmcd - “Guard Mechanism for Compression/Decompression”
mppc - MPP Configuration
mitq - Default Queue Sizes for MakeITable
pslt - Nubus Psuedo-slot mapping resource

“Balloon Help ResEditors”

hmnu - Help Balloon Resource for Menus
hdlg - Help Balloon Resource for Dialogs
hrct - Help Balloon Rectangle List
hovr - Help Balloon Override List
hldr - Help Balloon Resource for Finder Icons

“Comm Toolbox ResEditors”

flst - Font Family List
cbnd - Comm Toolbox Resource Bundle
fbnd - Comm Toolbox Resource Bundle
tbnd - Comm Toolbox Resource Bundle
caps - Connection Tool Capabilities List
faps - File Transfer Tool Capabilities List
taps - Terminal Tool Capabilities List

Installation Instructions

To install these resource templates so that ResEdit 2.1.x can use them, you should copy them into the “ResEdit Preferences” file (in your System Folder or the Preferences folder in your System Folder). [If you have previously installed the ResEditors 1.0 templates, you will need to first remove them from your copy of ResEdit.]

Important Warning

ResEdit is a powerful tool and can cause severe damage to files if used incorrectly. Always keep backup copies of the files you edit. If you want more help on ResEdit, there are several books available on the subject, including:

Zen & the Art of Resource Editing: The BMUG Guide to ResEdit [Peachpit Press]
The ResEdit Reference by Apple Computer [Addison-Wesley]

Version History

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Initial release. Included templates for flst, tbnd, fbnd, cbnd, hmnu, hdlg, hrct, hovr, and hldr.

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Added templates for caps, faps, taps, aedt, eppc, dflg, gmcd, mppc, pslt, and mitq. Split resources into three files. Fixed errors in flst template.

Credit where credit is due:

These resource editors (or more precisely, templates) are based on information contained in the following Rez interface files from Apple Computer:

Types.r (©1986-1991 Apple Computer, Inc.)
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