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Chapter 1

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1.1 AmiBench Desktop Directory Documentation

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1.2 Introduction

Introduction to the ADD Program

The ADD (AmiBench Desktop Directory) is a simple but effective way to read the AmiBench classified adverts on your own Amiga.

The program also sports a dealer directory, listing well over 300 Amiga dealers from around the world.

As long as you have an Internet connection, you can update the data files as often as you see fit (every day, for example).

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1.3 Hardware requirements

Hardware and Software Requirements

ADD requires:

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- * Kickstart 3.0 (V39)
- * Workbench 3.x or better
- * Motorola MC68030 processor or better
- * CD-ROM drive
- * MUI 3.8

Optional:

- * Extra RAM
- * Internet connection
- * Printer

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1.4 Compatibility

Compatibility

The ADD has been tested with the following Amigas:

A3000, 040/40, 34MB RAM, Cybervision 64 graphics card, CyberStorm Mk2, HyperCom ethernet.

A1200, basic

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1.5 Installation

Installing ADD

To install ADD, you simply have to use the supplied Installer script. The software will then be installed automatically, as per your requirements.

NOTE: It is worth making sure you have the latest version of the following third party software installed, prior to installation:

- * BetterBalance.mcc, NList.mcc, MListview.mcc, NFloattest.mcc, Toolbar.mcc (check MUI:Libs)
- * openurl.library version 3 or better.

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Using ADD

Once you have installed ADD, all you need to do is click on the ADD icon in your installation directory.

The main window is split into 5 sections:

- * General
- * For Sale

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- * Wanted
- * Dealers
- * Settings

General

The General area contains a small logo and the Update Data files button, which cause ADD to connect to the AmiBench website, to get new adverts.

For Sale

The For Sale section has 3 sub-windows. The first lists the countries and how many entries, the second shows the status (whether the advert has been read) and an e-mail address. There is also an option bar to select how old the adverts you want to view should be. The third section is the actual advert.

Wanted

This is identical to the For Sale section in view.

Dealers

The Dealer section also has three sections.

The first is country, and how many entries. The second is how many dealers listed for each country. The third is the actual data, e.g. name, address and e-mail.

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Settings -> Internet Options

Send E-mails:

- * Direct to YAM interfaces with YAM direct to send e-mails
- * Via OpenURL 3 uses the options you have set in OpenURL's mailto: config.

YAM Command: Use this string gadget to say where your YAM executable is, usually YAM:YAM.

Download Window:

- * Closes when finished The download window will close when downloading has completed, always.
- * Closes only when no errors occur The download window will close automatically if the download had no errors.
- * Remain open after download You must close the window.

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