

Montana Solitaire for Windows

Version 1.4



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OVERVIEW

Montana Solitaire is a single-deck solitaire card game for Windows 3.1.

Montana Solitaire is as easy or as challenging as you want to make it. All 52 cards are dealt face up into 4 rows, then the aces are removed. Your mission is to arrange the cards in order by suit in the fewest number of moves and shuffles.

INSTALLATION

The only required files are **MONTANA.EXE** and **MONTANA.HLP**. They may be copied to any directory.

When you play Montana Solitaire, game scores and settings will be saved in a file called **MONTANA.INI**, in the working directory.

Montana Solitaire can optionally use the **CARDS.DLL** file from the Microsoft Entertainment Pack™ and/or Windows for Workgroups™. This file is not distributed with Montana Solitaire. If **CARDS.DLL** is not present on your system, the "Big Cards" option will not be available.

FILES SUPPLIED

Montana Solitaire for Windows is shareware. It may be freely copied and distributed providing the following five files remain included and unchanged:

MONTANA.EXE	The program
MONTANA.HLP	The help file
README.WRI	This file
REGISTER.WRI	Registration form
FILE_ID.DIZ	Short description for BBS and online services

REGISTRATION

Try Montana Solitaire for a few weeks. If you decide to keep it, please register using the supplied form, **REGISTER.WRI**. In return, you will receive a personal registration code which will provide the following benefits:

- Additional winning quotations
- A fully enabled best scores screen
- Suppression of the registration reminder screen
- Full product support
- Automatic registration of future versions
- A warm, fuzzy feeling for doing the right thing.

CompuServe members may conveniently register online. Just **GO SWREG** and specify Registration ID **4878**.

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VERSION HISTORY

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| 1.3 | Jan. 95 | First shareware release. |
| 1.3a | Feb. 95 | Corrected problem with repeating quotations.
Corrected problem with background color on small cards. |
| 1.3b | Mar. 95 | Fixed redraw problem when a window obscures large cards.
Changed menu text to conform to Windows standards.
Corrected typo on one of the quotes. |
| 1.4 | Nov. 95 | Added option for background and shading colors.
Home card shading extended to "big" cards.
Save window position and size.
Shortcut keys for shuffle, undo, new/restart/select game.
Additional quotations.
Windows help file.
Corrected GPF error after closing nag screen. |