

Instruction

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Chapter 1

Instruction

1.1 Randomizer - main menu



Randomizer

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User's Manual

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1.2 Copyrights and distribution

This program is subordinated to Standard~Amiga~FD~Software~Copyright~Note.

This program is FreeWare, which is specifird in item ~4a~.

For more information you should read AFD-COPYRIGHT (version 1 or newer).

```
~Copyright~~~~~  
~Distribution~~~~  
~Disclaimer~~~~~  
~Return~Service~~
```

1.3 Introduction

This program is not most usable program on Amiga, but can make your life much funnier and nice :) You can make your personal Workbench with varied wbpatterns or varied boot-pictures/samples. It is very easy to use and is very elastic. You can "randomize" almost everything: pictures, samples, configurations, other files...

1.4 Instructions

Program should be executed from CLI (eg. in Startup-sequence).

Template:

```
Randomizer FILE/A,TO/A
```

```
FILE/A - configuration file
```

```
TO/A - script file that has to be made
```

How this program works? It reads the configuration file, and chooses random line from it. Then this line is saved to another file, which is a standard DOS script, that can be executed.

How to make a configuration? It's simple. In any text editor you write names of programs to run. Just like in DOS you can add some comments with ";" char. This is the example:

```
---cut here---
```

```
; Example config for Randomizer...
```

```
Copy ENVARC:arc/wbpattern1.prefs TO ENV:Sys/WBPattern.prefs
```

```
Copy ENVARC:arc/wbpattern2.prefs TO ENV:Sys/WBPattern.prefs
```

```
Copy ENVARC:arc/wbpattern3.prefs TO ENV:Sys/WBPattern.prefs
```

```
; This config is da best!
```

```
Copy ENVARC:arc/wbpattern4.prefs TO ENV:Sys/WBPattern.prefs
Copy ENVARC:arc/wbpattern5.prefs TO ENV:Sys/WBPattern.prefs
Copy ENVARC:arc/wbpattern6.prefs TO ENV:Sys/WBPattern.prefs
```

```
; The end...
```

```
---cut here---
```

As I said before, program will read the file and choose some line randomly... This is the example of use of the program in Startup-sequence:

```
C:Randomizer S:Sample.rnd RAM:t/script
Execute RAM:t/script
```

```
Simple? Simple!!!
```

1.5 System requirements

Program was written in Amiga E 3.2a. Source code is about 3kb long and binary has about 6Kb. It was tested on this machine:

Amiga 1200, KS3.0, HDD Conner 1030MB 1.30, M-Tec 030/38 turbo, 8MB Fast RAM.

1.6 Future

I made this program just for fun, to have a randomly displayed pictures and played samples in Startup-Sequence. For me, this program is one and only :) I prefer to use it with Play16 by Thomas Wenzel and SysPic by Grzegorz Calkowski (hej! Pocztówka w drodze ;). But... Future? Just bug-removing. I think there will be no new options. But if You'll help me...

1.7 History of the program

version 0.1	18.02.97	o First private version
version 1.0	22.02.97	o Totally rewritten and usable First public realise.

1.8 BlaBla? What's that?

BlaBla is a Polish biggest system programmers group. We make the system friendly programms. We guarantee that our programs will run on almost every machine (Amiga of course), including future ones. All our programs are running in multitasking, and all of them are PD, Freeware, or Shareware.

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