

SweepSys

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Chapter 1

SweepSys

1.1 main

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      Welcome to S w e e p S y s  V 1.0+  
* Warning ! BETA version * usage at your own risk *
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      Introduction  
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      Usage - Start  
      Usage - Results  
      Remove unused files  
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1.2 Introduction

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Are your system directories (f.e. LIBS:, DEVS: etc) full like an Windows 95/98 system? Do you sometimes wonder wich program is using a specific library?

Then it's time for SweepSys! SweepSys scans your whole system for used or unused libraries, devices, and fonts. If you like SweepSys can save or remove all unused files.

Requirements:

Computer : Any Amiga
Kickstart & WB : 3.0 +

1.3 Installation

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The installation is very simple. Thank Commodore for the Installer. Just follow the steps in the Intallation.

The program opens a window with all necessary options and gadgets to clean up your system.

1.4 Usage - Prepare the scan process

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Scanpath -----

Select a single devicename or directory (for example DH0:) to scan. Additional you can enter more devicenames or directories separated by comma.

example: DH0:,DH1:,DH2:

Backup -----

Select or enter the full name of a directory where all unused files can be moved in. The default path is SYS:Storage. This directory will be created if not present. Unused files will be moved to subdirectories named 'devs', 'fonts', and 'libs'.

Logfile -----
Select or enter the full logfile name here.

List ROM ~ -----
If this gadget is checked, SweepSys counts also references to ROM resident libraries etc.

1.5 Usage - Prepare the scan process

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Scan System -----
Activates the automatic scanning of LIBS:, DEVS:, and FONTS:. You can also add this logical names to the scan path selection by hand.

Scan Arexx -----
Enables the scanning of Arexx-scripts for references.

Scan Startup -----
Enables the scanning of 'startup-sequence' and 'user-startup'.

Start -----
Start the scan process. SweepSys scans all selected paths and extract usage information about libraries, devices, and fonts. This process can take a while depending on your hard disk speed and size (btw SFS provides a very fast dir scan).

The currently scanned directory and the reference counter are shown in the right part of the window.

1.6 Usage - Examine the results

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View -----

View shows a window with 3 listview gadgets.

1 - Type of Reference

Here you can select what reference you want to see.

2 - Reference

Here are all found references listed by name. The number before the name shows the usage count of the file. Sometimes it can happen, that the name is not correct. for example 0dos.library instead of dos.library. Whoever has any ideas how to parse the names correctly should write me an email.

3 - Executable

This list shows the executable file that uses the reference

Menu Move and Delete -----

1.7 Usage - Move or delete unused files

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Menu Move and Delete -----

Please be very careful using this menu action. Your system could be damaged after that. This is only for expert users. If you havn't scanned all available disks with option "Scan System" on SweepSys is not able to find all unused files.

For example: if you scan DH0: with "Scan System" SweepSys gets all used and unused references for all programs on DH0:.

When you use the delete or move option now a library etc. can be deleted or moved but maybe it's used by an program on DH1: which you havn't scanned.

1.8 History and Future of SweepSys

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(A)dded (R)emoved (F)ixed (I)nfo

V 0.9a..... 21-Dec-1998 (A) First β -release
V 0.9b..... 23-Dec-1998 (A) Locale support
V 0.9c/d..... (I) Internal releases
V 0.9e..... 02-Jan-1999 (F) Double counting of references
 05-Jan-1999 (A) New result GUI

V 1.0..... 07-Jan-1999 (A) Move and Delete

Future -----

I'm waiting for your suggestions.

1.9 author

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This little program is giftware. If you like it, surprise me. I like good SF books and techno music :) People with low budget can send me a picture postcard.

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