

RecoverDelDirPrefs

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RecoverDelDirPrefs

1.1 RecoverDelDirPrefs.guide

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Preferences for RecoverDelDir

RecoverDelDirPrefs is a separate program which is supposed to reside in Sys:prefs/ ?
Please click [here](#) to run it.

You can also run RecoverDelDir.prefs using the menu in the main program 'RecoverDelDir'.

The prefsprogram will appear automatically if you have just installed or updated RecoverDelDir. Then it creates prefs-files in ENV: and ENVARC:

GUI elements:

Window height

Minimum amount of list entries to display.
This determines the height of the main window.
(min.3, max.31, default 8)

Window width

This is one of the factors affecting the windows width.

If this value is too high, the main window could perhaps not even appear.

(min.20, max.86, default 56)

DelDir name

On SFS-formatted devices

RecoverDelDir tries itself to figure out the name of the deldir.

On failure it looks for the following names for the DELDIR directory:

.DELDIR

.Recycled

.<user defined>

If you renamed the DELDIR of your partition, you will have to enter the name as "user defined", so that RecoverDelDir can find the renamed DELDIR.

Attention:

The user defined name '.DELDIR' would be rejected, because this name is already internally used.

But if your SFS-partition is casesensitive and its deldir-name is '.deldir' or 'DelDir' you can enter here the correct name.

Note:

The name of PFS(2)-partitions' deldir is always '.DELDIR' and on those '.DELDIR' is the only name, which is looked for.

SFSDelDirName and DeviceInfo

If you followed the installation guide, these programs will be copied to DOpus5:tools/RecoverDelDir/C/.

But, however, if your RecoverDelDir is not residing in DOpus5:tools/ or if you insist of moving the two programs mentioned above somewhere else, you will have to tell RecoverDelDir.prefs the new location of these programs, as RecoverDelDir depends on both on them.

Temporary dir

If you are running out of RAM every time, you can enter a different path here for storing temporary files.

You'd best choose a path on a FFS-device, but you *must not* choose a path on a partition using AFS, PFS2 or SFS.

Snapshot RDD

This permanently saves the current dimension and position of the RecoverDelDir window.

If you didn't start the prefs program from within RecoverDelDir, you'll be told to run RecoverDelDir.

ATTENTION:

If you do not do this, and if you click on 'continue', the prefs-window seems to be frozen, but its is just waiting for you to start RecoverDelDir. Simply do it ;-)

If you start the prefs program from within RecoverDelDir, please position the program's window *before* choosing this function in order to permanently snapshot it.

To unsnapshot the window, simply delete the file

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ENVARC:Triton/ RecoverDelDir.win.1
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This directory is created in ENV: as well as in ENVARC: the very first time any triton program is quit.

The particular file in question is created in ENV: when you quit RecoverDelDir for the very first time and will be copied to ENVARC: when you use the snapshot function.

You can, by the way, snapshot any application using Triton.library (including RecoverDelDir) by using the Triton prefs program.

To do this, start the application and than start Triton-Prefs, where you should mark the program to be snapshot and then take a look at the "Windows" division.

Fonts

This gadget will run the Workbench's font preferences program.

'Default Text setting ...'
determines the font used for the gadgets and the string gadgets, thus taking influence on the width of the main window

'System Text setting ...'
determines the text used for the file list.

Tritonprefs

The Triton prefs program offers some further preferences options.
I hope you have installed it in SYS:Prefs/ ... ?

Oh, before I forget:
RecoverDelDirPrefs also has to offer a menu:

Help

switches the help text on/off.

Note 1:
Choosing this menu option will save all current preferences after checking their validity, including of course the status of this menu option.

Note 2:
If this menu option is enabled, a list of the used DelDir names will be displayed when you place the mouse pointer over the "user defined DelDir name" string gadget.

Guide

displays this guide

Load previous

Loads the settings which have been set with "Use" or "Save" earlier.

Load default

Loads the default settings

Load again

Reloads the settings
In case you hit the wrong keys :-)

Save Use Cancel

Does exactly the same as the gadgets at the bottom of the prefs-window.

Please note that before

the program quits, the settings
will be validated.
Thus the delay ;-)
If an error occurs,
a requester will appear,
the window will stay open
and no settings will be saved.
The settings also won't be saved
if no settings have been changed.

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