

Full Volume Studios proudly presents...

The **Way Cool AVI Screen Saver Engine** Version 1.7
and the... **Help meeee!!!!!!!!!! I am way confused file!**

To learn how to use Help, press F1
You may click on all underlined or dotted underlined words.
This program will run on Windows95 and WindowsNT

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What all these things do (main window)

You may click on all underlined or dotted underlined words.

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Video playback speed

This slider controls how fast the video plays back.

Sound volume

This slider controls how sensitive your ears are.

Note...You must stare directly at the computer monitor, or the program may not be able to adjust your ears accurately.

Sound off

If this check box is chosen the video sound will be censored.

Stretch full screen

Clicking upon this button, will stretch the video to play full screen.

Screen color

Clicking upon this button will bring up a dialog box very similar to other windows color dialog boxes, allowing you to change the background color of the screen saver.

Choose a file

Clicking upon this button will bring up a dialog box very similar to other windows file dialog boxes, allowing you to change the default video file for the screen saver.

?

Clicking upon this button will bring up the **Help meeee!!!!!!! I am way confused file**

About FVS

*Clicking upon this button will tell you a little something about **Full Volume Studios**.*

Note...Clicking on this button is highly recommended!

Cancel

*Clicking upon this button causes **reality** to implode upon itself.
Note...Use it sparingly*

Be free

Clicking upon this button exits the program or closes a dialog box.

*Note...It replaces a boring OK button in all of **FVS** programs.*

Important files and directories

*In the Windows system directory setup creates the file **FVS.SCR**, and **WCAVI.HLP**. If you delete or move any of these file your **Way Cool Screen Saver Engine** simply will not run or it may not run correctly. They are considered default files and should not be molested or otherwise tampered with in any way!*

See [How to distribute or create your own Way Cool Screen Savers](#)

Known problems, limitations and general info

1. If you forget your password you will have to go into the Windows registry and change the settings "[HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\VB and VBA Program Settings\Full Volume Studios\Way Cool AVI Screen Saver Engine 1.7]" to:

Password = 0

1 ½. Do not use a non standard Video codec to compress your AVI file!!! The engine can play any AVI file as long as the required codec is installed, but if you use a really odd one, you will have to distribute that codec with your screen saver!!!

How to create or distribute your own Way Cool Screen Savers

To play your own AVI videos...

In the screen saver's settings window, click on the "Choose a file" button and choose an AVI anywhere on your computer. The screen saver will play this AVI as your screen saver

Or...

Place an AVI file called FVS.AVI in the windows system directory. The screen saver will automatically play it if its there.

If you want to distribute your own screen savers...

1. Just distribute this file package with all of its files, plus your AVI renamed to FVS.AVI. You must compress FVS.AVI with Microsoft's compress util. We included it (compress.exe) with this program and placed it in your windows system directory, this file will compress the file and add the underscore character to the last letter in the file name...

Note... simply double click on the file compress.exe, it will prompt you for the filename and location...

1 ½. You'll then have to edit the setup.1st file with notepad and **un-remout** the line which will install the file "**FVS.AVI**" (the line is indicated in the file).

2. Contact us if you need help or have questions!!!

If you want to move this engine onto floppies...

Copy these files from the original zip archive to disk 1

***COMDLG32.OC_
CTL3D32.DL_
MFC40.DL1
MSVCRT20.DL_
MSVCRT40.DL_
OLEPRO32.DL_
SETUP.EXE
SETUP.LST
SETUP132.EX_
ST4UNST.EX_
STKIT432.DL_
VB40032.DL_
VEN2232.OL_***

Copy these files from the original zip archive to disk 2

***FVS.SC_
MFC40.DL2
VIDEO32.OC_***

WCAVI.HL_
WCAVI.CN_
COMPRESS.EX_
MSGHOO32.OC_
FVSAVI.AV_ optional

Then run setup off **disk 1** and windows will automagicy prompt you for **disk 2**

If you need to use a third disk to distribute your screen saver, contact us for instructions on how to do so.

If you have **ANY** questions regarding how to create or distribute your own screen savers **PLEASE** contact us, we will do all we can to answer your questions and help with any problems you may be having! If you or someone your trying to build a screen saver for is having difficulty running this version of the Way Cool Screen Saver Engine, we will be most happy to provide you free technical support. **DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT US!!**

Consider this program a copyrighted gift on loan indefinitely,
by and from **Full Volume Studios!**

You are not required to pay us even a penny to use or distribute this program, enjoy it freely!

You may not modify any file or files except by adding an AVI file to the setup with the original files. To do so is illegal and morally wrong. If we find out that you have, and then distributed your abomination of what was once a fine screen saver engine we will not support you or your screen savers and do all we can to cause you distress!

Please do not upload this program anywhere unless you upload the original ZIP file or self extracting EXE file.

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The Way Cool Screen Saver Engine

Howdy,

My name is Don.

This screen saver engine was developed because we needed our own AVI SS engine, to create custom screen savers with. Just as with the flic version of the engine, instead of being selfish and keeping it to ourselves, we decided to release it to our fellow animators for free!! We sincerely hope you enjoy it!

We hope that if you enjoy this program you will let us know, and if you ever need a custom version, other types of multimedia programming, art or noise, you will contact us!

You could also consider this program, free for something coolware. If you really dig it, send us something cool!

Be free

Don

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3D Animation

Custom Multimedia Programming

Original Art and Noise

(Music produced by - Silhouette Multimedia)

(<http://www.silhouettemm.com>)

*(Noise performed by - the "**Meat Cleaver Ballet**"!!!)*

(<http://www.fullvolume.com> - noise section)

Contact us about any of your creative needs!!

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Our WWW pages are located at - <http://www.fullvolume.com>

Or phone us, the number is - **1-810-449-1363**

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Thanks for your interest. Enjoy!!!

