



## Explorer98 - Overview

### **Explorer98 v.1.1: File Manager for Windows95...**

Une version française existe aussi. Le nom du programme d'installation est EXP98FR.EXE.  
(Le code d'accès est le même pour la version Française et Américaine).



Explorer98 is a free trial program (or Shareware).

You are invited to try it and introduce it to your friends and acquaintances.

However, if you do use it, you must register as a user. You will then receive a registration number which will enable you to disable the "Trial Version" window.

#### [About Explorer98](#)

Explorer98 combines the qualities of Norton Commander and Microsoft Winfile (under Windows 3.xx).

**Two window display, Toolbar, Drive bar, Folder Comparison, Folder Printing, Viewer bmp, gif, pcx, ico, jpg, png, tif, wmf, doc, wri, txt, with html as an option),...  
Original view, text, hexa, etc...**

ALL THE FUNCTIONS of Microsoft Explorer are maintained (Speed, Context-sensitive menus, Drag and Drop etc).

Zip compression/decompression development is underway and will be freely available to registered users.

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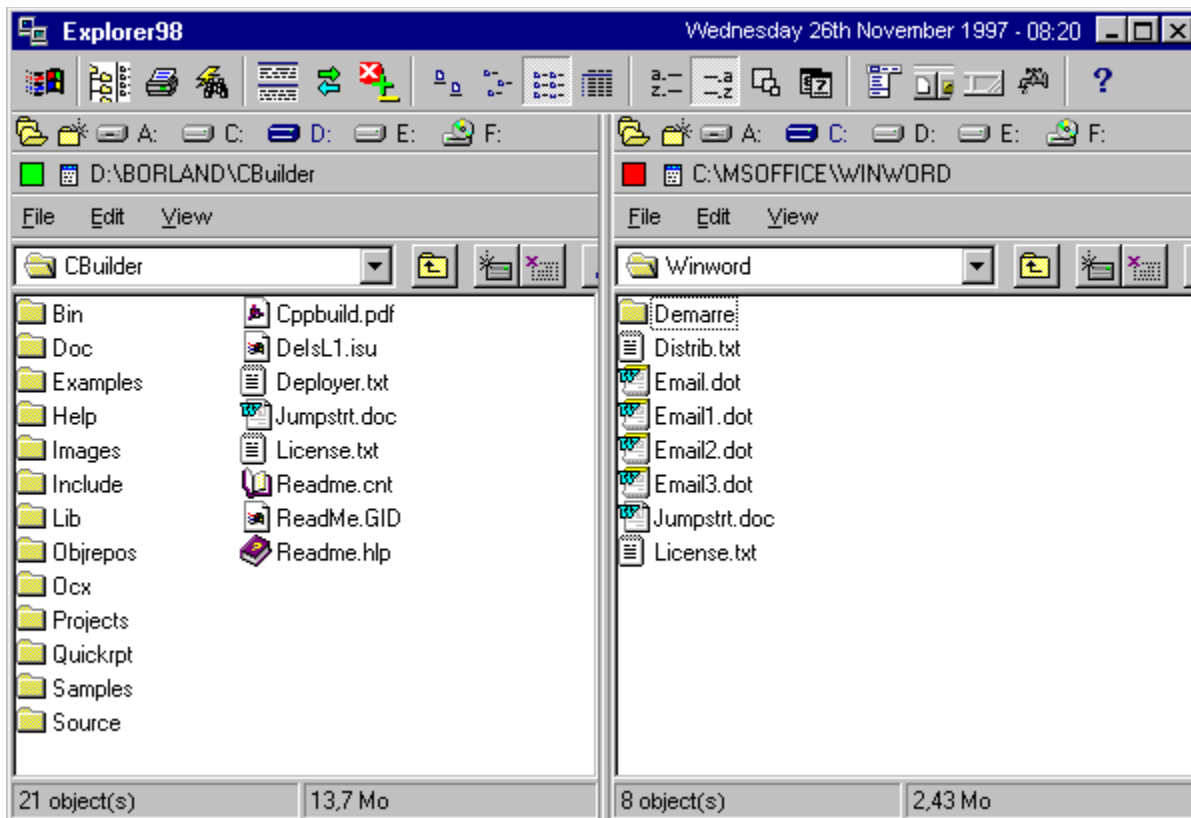
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# Main Characteristics

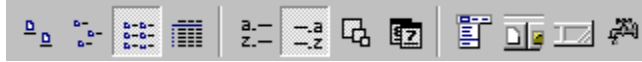


[Tree Structure + drives list available...](#)



[Double windows + drives list available...](#)

Vertical or Horizontal split screen display



- Display, Rearrange, Menus, Status bar, simultaneously refreshing of both displayed windows



[Print Folders...](#)



[View files in original format, text or hexadecimal...](#)

Image files BMP, PCX, GIF, ICO, JPG, PNG, TIF, WMF  
----- TXT, DOC, WRI...

Options : Zoom, Copy, Print, Save.



[Switch position of window displays \(left/right, up/down\)](#)



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[20 last paths used for the current window.](#)



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- Save configuration (size, location, files, etc.)
- Dynamic saving of the file changes which enables you to go to the previous or next files



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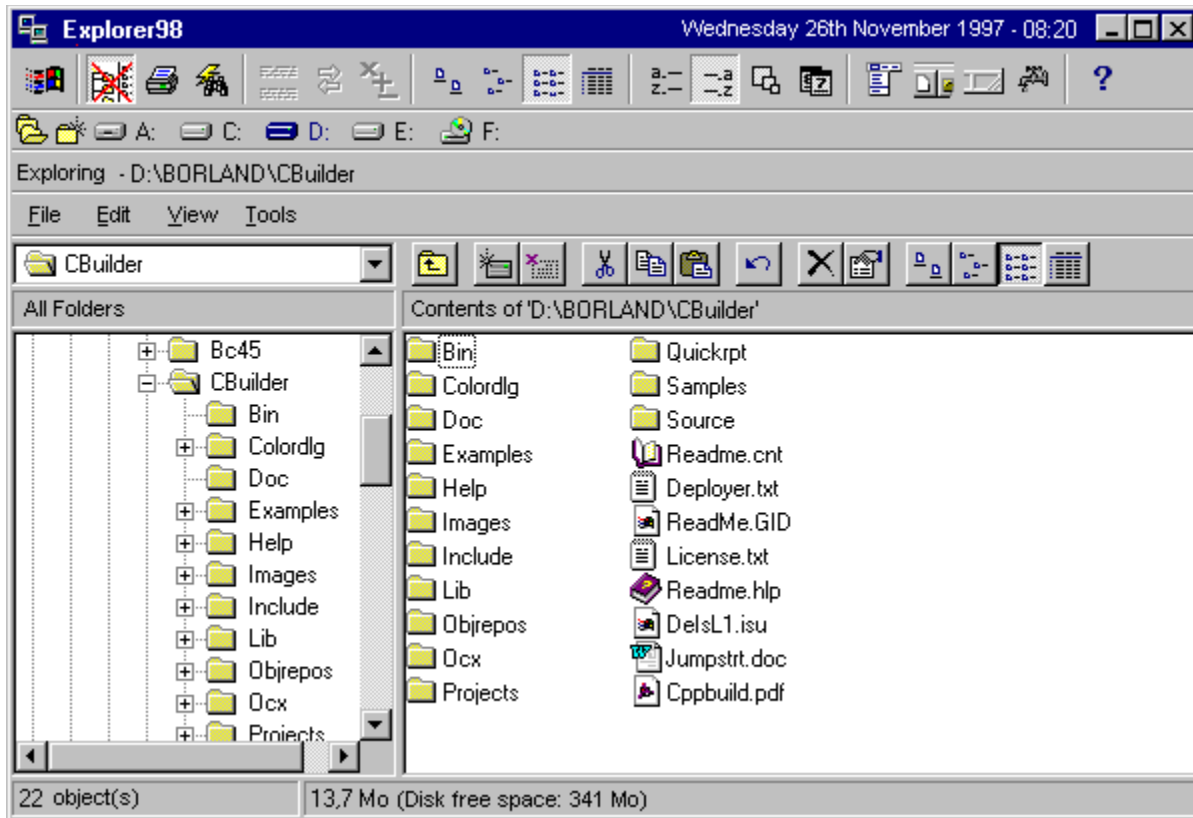
[Main menu...](#)



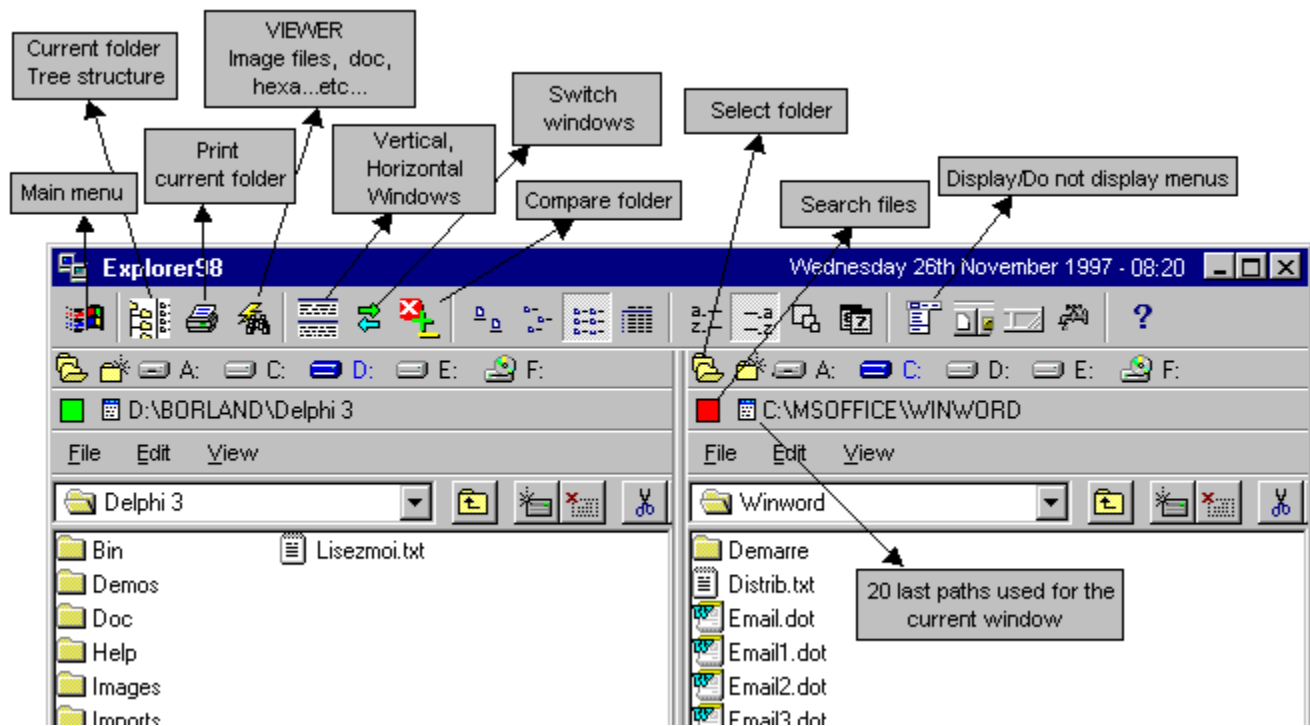
[Task bar menu...](#)

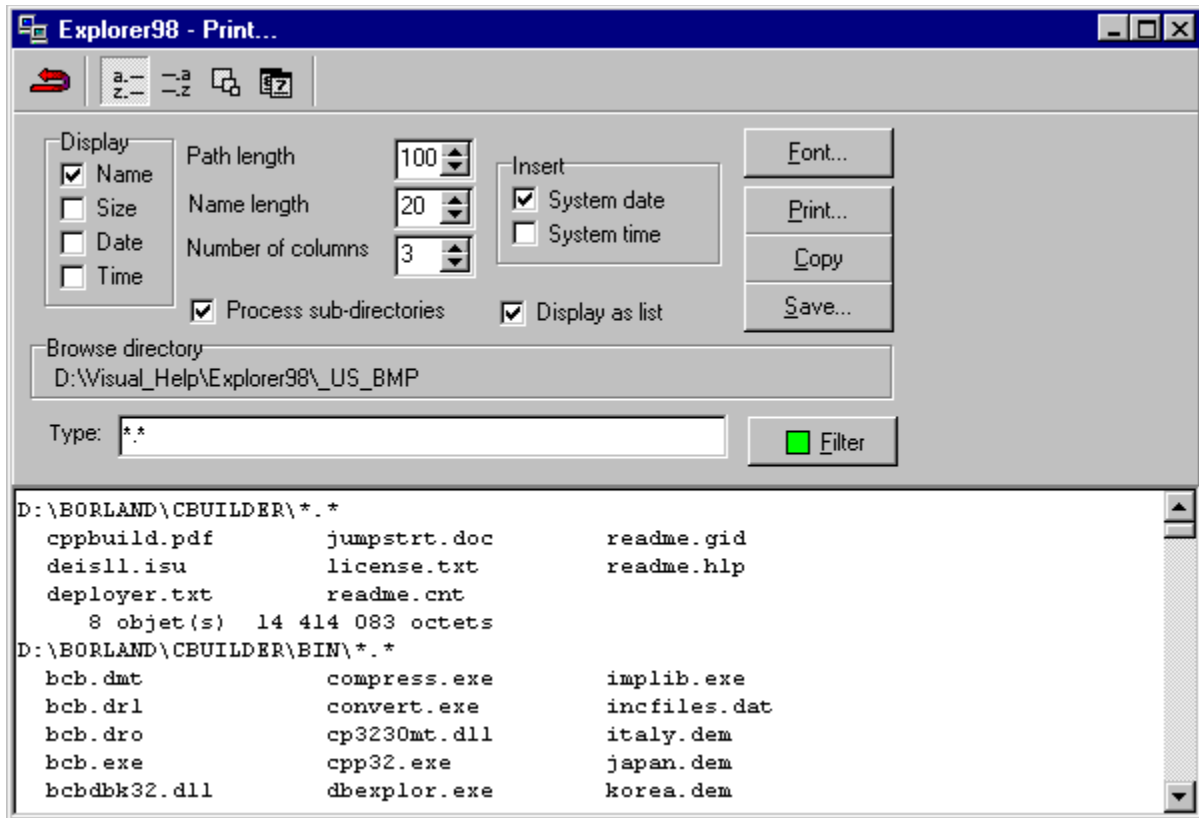


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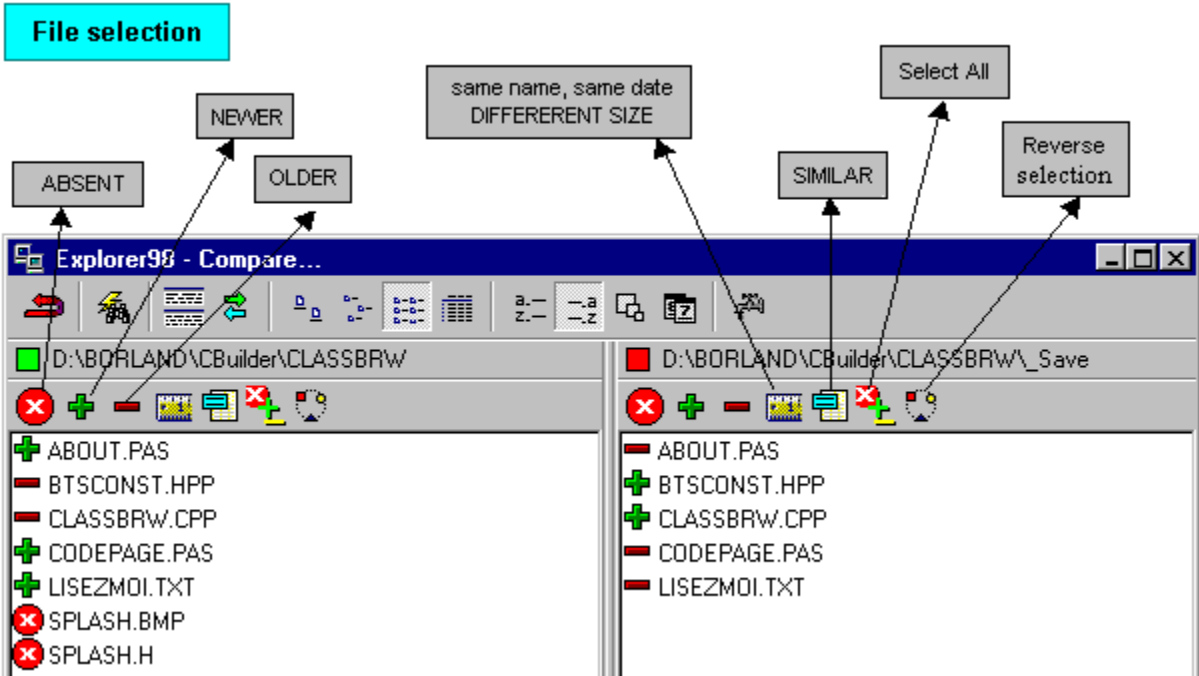




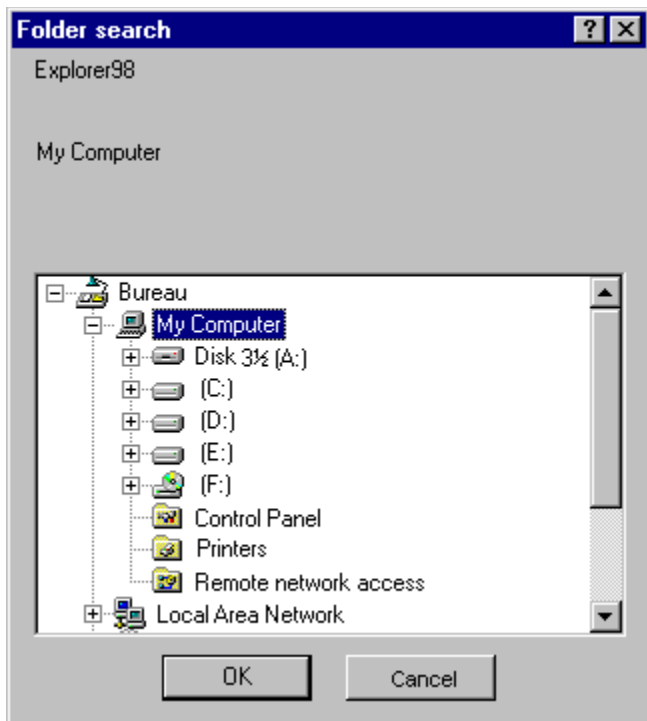
- Printing of files from a folder with sort by name, type, size, date and file filter options, etc...



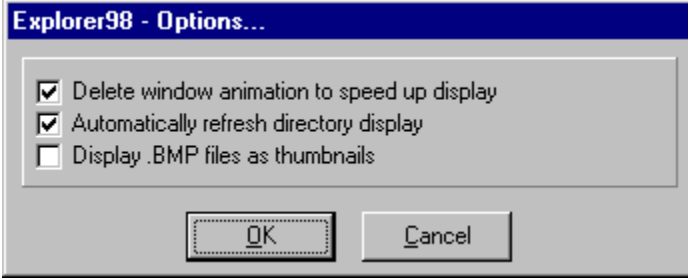


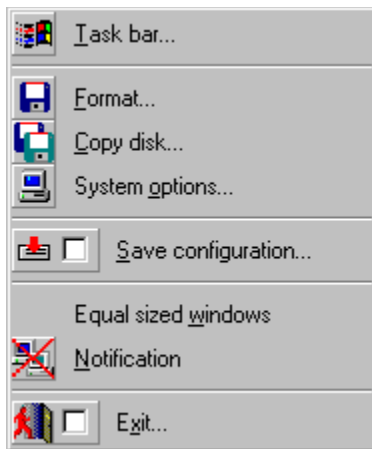


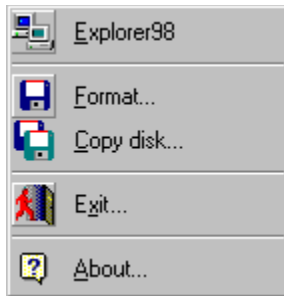
- Folder comparison showing Absent, Newer, Older, and Similar files, as well as files with the same name, date but differing size, and with option to Sort by name, type, size, date and File filter, etc...















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# Special features



- Main Toolbar

## Main context-sensitive menu...

Save/Restore different configurations :  
- Right click on the Main Toolbar open a context-sensitive menu which allows you to Add/Replace/Modify the paths of the two folders in use.



- Title bar

## Left or right context-sensitive menu...

Save/Restore different configurations :  
- Right click on the left or right Title Bar open a context-sensitive menu which allows you to Add/Replace/Modify the path of the folder in use.

- The menus are saved automatically when closing the application.

- It is possible to change the file by dragging the title of a window, a folder or a file onto the title of another window.



- Drive Bar

## Free space...

Right click on the Drive Bar display free space



Click on one of the opposite icons:  
+ CTRL resizes the windows to the same size.  
+ SHIFT displays one window only.




FastView Viewer:  
- The windows position and size are saved automatically.  
- You can Drag and Drop from a window outside Explorer98.  
- In Image or Hexa mode, keeping the left mouse button depressed while on the window enables you to move it.  
- -----, a double click on the FastView window toggles from normal mode to full




screen.

- In Hexa mode, starting from the current position, only 100 lines can be copied, printed or saved.


- The parameters used for folder comparison, folder printing and the FastView viewer are only retained for the current session. They are not saved during configuration saving.

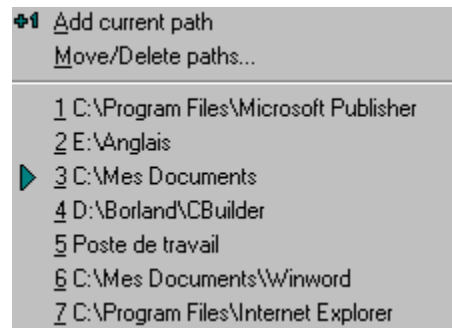
 Add current paths  
Move/Delete paths...

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1 C:\Program Files\Internet Explorer ..... C:\Program Files\CompuServe  
 2 D:\DYNAZIP2\CSOURCE ..... C:\Multimedia Files\Music\Interactive Music  
3 D:\BORLAND\CBuilder ..... C:\MSOFFICE

7 configurations can be saved.

 This mark shows the last folder browsed.



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Free Space			
0%	A:\	0 Kb	0 Kb
25%	C:\	534 976 Kb	2 096 160 Kb
8%	D:\	174 912 Kb	2 096 160 Kb
14%	E:\	305 952 Kb	2 096 160 Kb
0%	F:\	0 Kb	141 408 Kb
0%	G:\	0 Kb	0 Kb

Free Space			
0%	A:\	0 Mb	0 Mb
25%	C:\	522 Mb	2 047 Mb
8%	D:\	170 Mb	2 047 Mb
14%	E:\	298 Mb	2 047 Mb
0%	F:\	0 Mb	138 Mb
0%	G:\	0 Mb	0 Mb

Right click on the menu to toggle Kb/Mb

## Keyboard commands

F2	Change the name of the selected file or folder
F3	Search for a file or folder
F5	Refresh the contents of the current folder
F6 or TAB	Toggle between Status bar and window
CTRL + TAB	Toggle between left and right window
ALT + ENTER	
or (ALT+Double Click)	Display properties of selected file or folder
CTRL + A	Select All
BACKSPACE	Activate the parent folder
MAJ + Drag	Force a move
CTRL + Drag	Force a copy
CTRL + MAJ + Drag	Create a shortcut
Right Click + Drag	Cancel the current action

# Assistance

E.mail: [cmaufroy@compuserve.com](mailto:cmaufroy@compuserve.com)  
<http://www.cmaufroy.com>

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FRANCE

To get quick assistance on Explorer98 contact me by e-mail giving as much background information as possible.

Any comments or suggestions for future versions of Explorer98 will be welcome.

Check the following Web site for the latest releases of Explorer98.

<http://www.cmaufroy.com>

## Why and how to order ?

Explorer98 is not free although you are allowed to use it without any charge for up to 30 days. After this trial period Explorer98 will no longer operate.

However if you do use it, you must register as a user. A registration number will enable you to use the complete version of Explorer98 and future updates that are currently in production (Zip compression/decompression development is underway and will be freely available to registered users).

You also benefit from reduced prices on future versions.

If you order two licenses you will make a saving of nearly 25 %, so tell your friends and acquaintances.

All orders are subject to the license agreement.

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### Ordering by Check

Checks must be in an international format as detailed on the order form.

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### Compuserve registration

To have the registration fee added to your Compuserve bill, use the command GO SWREG and follow the instructions.

The Explorer98 ID is 16518

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### ShareIt registration: online on the Internet, via phone, fax, or postal mail

Credit cards are the fastest and cheapest way. We accept Visa, Mastercard, American Express and Diners Club. The credit card validation is handled by ShareIt!

You can do the registration online on the Internet at:

<http://www.shareit.com/programs/101091.htm>

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Please provide me with the license/s of the software EXPLORER98.

Quantity	US price
1	\$29
<b>2 à 9</b>	<b>\$22 Think of your friends !...</b>
10 à 24	\$17
25 à 49	\$14
50 à 100	\$10

Total order ..... \$.....

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Payment must be:

- International postal money orders,
- or Travelers check (American Express, Thomas Cook, Citicorp, Visa,...)
- or Eurochèque
- or Postal check

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My address is:

Company: .....

Name: .....

Address: .....

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City, State, Zip: .....

Country: .....

Day Phone: ..... Fax: .....

E.mail: .....

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Comments:

# ShareIt Order Form

Registration fee: \$32

Please print out the following form, and fax or mail it to:

Reimold&Schumann Internet Services ShareIt! Habsburgerring 3 50674 Koeln Germany  Phone: +49-221-2407279 Fax: +49-221-2407278 E-Mail: register@shareit.com
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We are now also officially incorporated in the USA! If you are located in the US, you can now also send a check to the following address:  ShareIt! Inc. P.O. Box 97841 Pittsburgh, PA 15227-0241 U.S.A.
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Registration form for Explorer98

Program No.: 101091

Last name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street and #: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, postal code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

How would like to receive the registration key/full version?

e-mail      - fax      - postal mail

How would you like to pay the registration fee of \$32:

credit card - wire transfer - EuroCheque - cash

Credit card information (if applicable)

Credit card: Visa - Eurocard/Mastercard - American Express - Diners Club

Card holder: \_\_\_\_\_

Card No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Expiration : \_\_\_\_\_

Date / Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# What is Shareware

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## Why Pay for Software I Already Have ?

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# Uninstallation

The base register and the system files have not been modified when installing Explorer98. To uninstall Explorer98 simply delete the folder that you have chosen during installation as well as the keyboard shortcuts that you may have created.

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# Association Of Shareware Professionals

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Le shareware, c'est une méthode de distribution des logiciels, pas un type de logiciel.

Si vous utilisez régulièrement certains logiciels, après la période légale d'essai, vous devez impérativement verser la contribution réclamée par l'auteur. Vous en tirerez logiquement certains avantages supplémentaires, selon le logiciel, tels que : documentation imprimée, mise à jour envoyée directement par l'auteur, et caetera.

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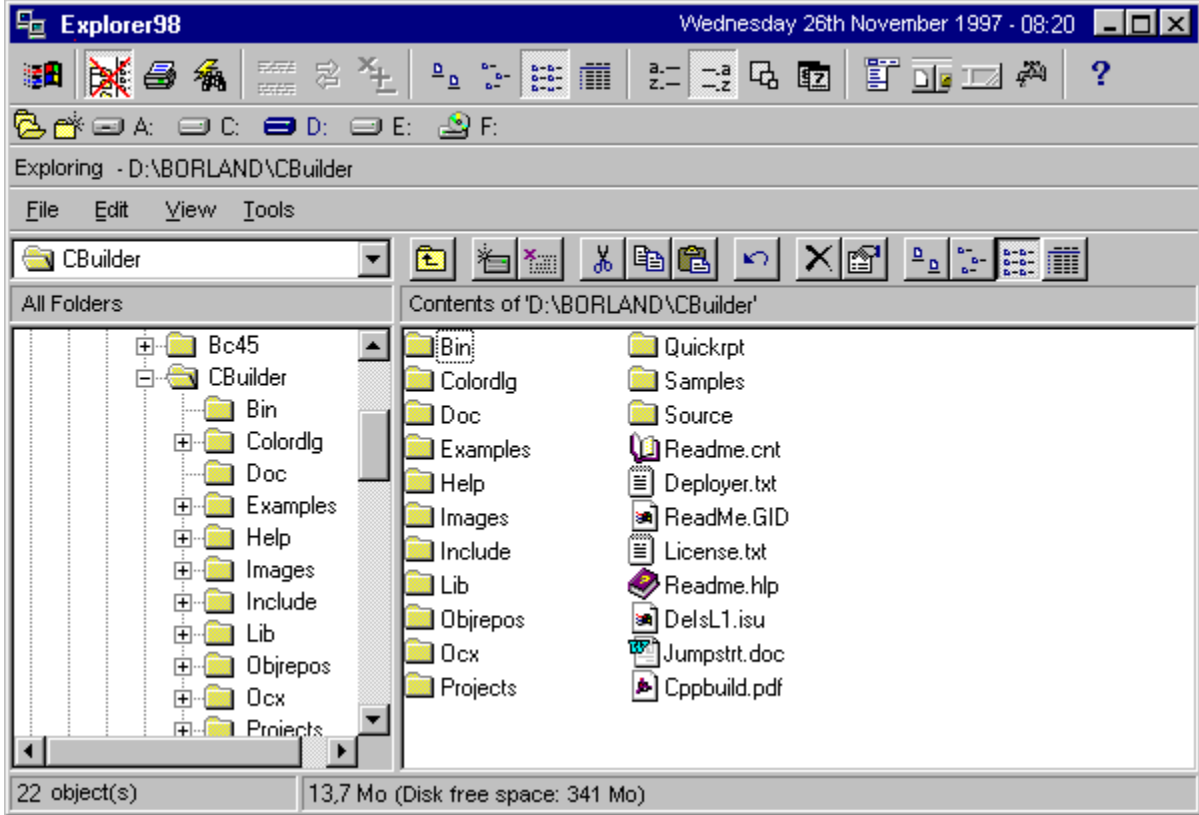
- former le public au principe mercatique du shareware (Try before you buy - Essayez avant d'acheter) ;
- établir un standard d'excellence auquel le travail de programmation, de mise sur le marché, et de suivi technique des membres devait obligatoirement répondre.
- encourager le développement du concept du shareware par des groupements d'utilisateurs et des distributeurs acceptant d'en expliquer la nature.
- aider ses membres à diffuser leurs productions.
- créer un forum de communications réservé aux membres. Ce forum a, entre autres, une existence électronique sur le réseau CompuServe.

Ainsi, le label ASP, vous donne la garantie que le programme auquel il est attribué n'est en aucun cas une version bridée, ou limitée de quelque façon que ce soit. L'auteur est tenu d'accuser réception du paiement de votre licence d'utilisation, et de vous assurer une assistance technique de 90 jours.

**HintAbout**











**HintDrive**


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## ***Inverser les fenêtres***

 gauche/droite

 haut/bas



- Enregistrer la configuration effectuée le traitement ci-dessus et sauvegarder aussi les diverses options en cours (emplacement et taille de fenêtres, chemin des dossiers, options d'affichage, de tri, etc...

**Tri par**


a.-  
z.- Nom


-a  
-z Type


 Taille

 Date



 Afficher ou non la Barre d'outils des deux fenêtres

 Afficher ou non la Barre d'état des deux fenêtres

 Réactualiser les fenêtres



Vue Arbre

Retour à la fenêtre principale

## ***Présentation des fenêtres***




horizontales





verticales

## **Affichage**

 Grandes icônes

 Petites icônes

 Liste

 Détails



Ouvrir la barre de tâches

C:\MSOFFICE

D:\BORLAND\CBuilder

# SWREG

Pour accéder au service Shareware Registration de CompuServe, tapez GO SWREG puis suivez les instructions...

Le numéro d'enregistrement d'Explorer98 est le 16518.

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