

Total Fonts Collection V 2.0 for Palm OS

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GENERAL INFO

This collection of shareware fonts holds about 30 different fonts divided over about 20 Font families. Most of the fonts are designed for better reading, some just for fun. You will find a list of all the fonts in **Fonts-Overview.pdf**

In this package:

- Readme-FIRST.pdf (the file you are currently reading)
- Total-Fonts-overview.pdf (**images of all the fonts included**)
- PDB directory: all the **Palm** fonts
- Xtra directory:
 - X-master (by LinkeSOFT)
 - Fonhack123 (by Sergey Menshikov)

Please note that X-Master, FontHack were not developed by Twokidsinagarage (we're not that smart, unfortunately).

INSTALLATION

To be able to use the Total-Fonts Collection you must install an extension manager (like Hackmaster, Tealmaster, EVPlugbase or X-master) and FontHack first!

We have been using Hackmaster for quite some time now, but the most popular extension manager at the moment is X-Master. X-Master and FontHack are included within the "Xtra" folder of the Total-Fonts zip file you just unpacked.

Please note that X-Master and FontHack were not developed by twokidsinagarage (we're not that smart, unfortunately).

Please consult your Palm User Guide first if you're a new user!

And PLEASE read the readme files for X-Master and FontHack FIRST!

1. Backup your Palm data (Hotsync)
2. Install X-Master and FontHack on your Palm and at least one Total-Fonts, or otherwise you won't have any font to choose.
3. Launch X-Master and activate FontHack by tapping on the checkbox (left side)
4. Choose "Details - Configure". Now replace a system font with the Total-Fonts of your choice. You can replace them in all and / or single applications as you like. (The procedure for For HackMaster, TealMaster and EVPlugbase is a little bit different. Plase consult the readme file)

With AAA FontViewer you can easily preview and delete all fonts. You can also delete fonts with the System Laucher (Menu - Delete). **But do not delete an active font! This will cause a fatal error** (but no data loss).

NEED TO KNOW!

Most applications expect the **DEFAULT** System font height, which is 11 pixels. This means that if you replace System fonts with larger or smaller ones, the screentext and buttons won't fit anymore. Some applications might even crash!

However, the size of a font is defined by it's **LINESPACING**, not by the actual size of the characters themselves. The characters might be small, as long as the line spacing is 11 pixels your safe! You'll need the font overview below to find the right corresponding font.

We designed a Pooky9 especially to get **A_LOT_OF** text on your screen. This means that for this font we also used **NON STANDARD** font size. Therefore you must use Pooky9 with care; most applications won't mind, but some might actually crash (as explained above). You **cAN** use this font in, f.e. AportisDoc and WordSmith.

PANIC!

If something dramatic should happen, like a reset loop, do not perform a *hard* reset, but a *warm* reset: hold down the page up button while resetting manually (this is called a "warm reset").

Now launch X-Master (or your extension manager) and deactivate FontHack. Reset the Palm again (normal *soft* reset). This should fix the problem without data loss.

If problems should persist try the following:

1. Launch your extension manager and deselect ALL System Extensions (Hacks) except for FontHack.
2. Now make a soft reset.
3. If you're not getting any error messages now, one of the other hacks you are using might be incompatible with FontHack.
4. You can find out which one it is by activating them one by one.
5. If you found out which one is causing trouble, look for an update online or mail the developer of the specific hack
6. Else decide on which hack you really need and which hack just has to go.


If still there is something wrong somewhere, you'll have to contact the authors of X-Master and FontHack (N O T us!). But most of the time a soft reset will cure Hack problems!.

And if everything else fails you can still stay home and watch TV. |-(


COSTS

Actually, this set is for **F R E E**. But if you like it a lot we would be very pleased if you would like to buy our commercial set, called **Smart Fonts** for just **\$2,-** (at Palmgear or Handango). Especially because 10% of **A L L** our earnings go towards the Dewar Wildlife Trust (www.Gorilla-Haven.org)! And without you there is so little to donate...

WHO ARE WE?

We are **T W O K I D S I N A G A R A G E** , and we dedicated the bigger part of last and this year to **PIXELSTUFF** for PalmOS. We don't really know why, but it just happened that way. Apart from these fonts we also sell **ICONS** for Action Names Datebook and Datebk 3 / 4. It's rather silly, we must admit. But quite a lot of fun at the same time. Check out our website if you want to know more about us: www.twokidsinagarage.com

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Also if you want to put this font collection on some shareware CD-ROM, please mail us at Fonts@twokidsinagarage.com

You may distribute unregistered copies of the Fonts, but only in the original package.

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If you want to have an overview of all the fonts in our Total-Fonts collection, please consult the **Total-Fonts-Overview.pdf** file.

If you just want better reading, you might like the following TK-Font families:

- Luka
- Pixie
- Squint L
- Typewriter

If you want ALOTTA text on your screen *'cause you hate scrolling*, try these fonts:
(Unless otherwise stated **A L L** these fonts have a line spacing of 11 pixels!)

- Pixie
- Pooky
- Quimby

If you're looking for a nice BOLD type, these might come in handy:

- Avatar
- Commodore
- Fatzo
- Oingoboingo

If you're one of those artsyfartsy types, check out these fun fonts:

- Avatar
- Bush
- Effy
- L 'Automne
- Script
- Slopo
- Wouwel