System 6: Removing Fonts and Desk Accessories (9/94)

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TOPIC --

This article gives instructions for removing fonts and desk accessories (DAs)
from a System file. It applies only to Macintosh systems that use a version of
System 6.

DISCUSSION ---

Change from MultiFinder to Finder

Font/DA Mover 4.1 can remove desk accessories, but can't remove fonts from the
startup System file while in MultiFinder. If you aren't using MultiFinder, skip
to the "Use Font/DA Mover" section. If you try to remove fonts, a message
appears. Click the OK button.

You now have three options to change from MultiFinder to Finder:

• Restart and Press Command Key
  Choose Restart from the Special menu and hold down the Command key.
  This temporarily disables MultiFinder. Choosing Restart again
  enables MultiFinder.

• Restart with a System Floppy Disk
  1) Choose Restart from the Special menu.
  2) Put a System disk in the main floppy drive right after you hear
     the chime.

• Set Startup to Finder Only
  1) Choose Set Startup... from the Special menu. A dialog box
     appears.
  2) Click the Finder radio button (the Finder Only radio button
     highlights at the same time).
  3) Click the OK button.
  4) Choose Restart from the Special menu.

Use Font/DA Mover

You are now ready to remove fonts from your System file. If you don't already
have Font/DA Mover 4.1 on your hard disk, copy the application to your hard disk

now.

Note: If you have older versions of Font/DA Mover on your hard disk, drag them
to the Trash and choose Empty Trash from the Special menu. Using an older
version can damage your System file!

1) Double-click the Font/DA Mover 4.1 application. (Hold down the
   Option key before launching Font/DA Mover 4.1 to display desk
   accessories first rather than fonts. The scroll box on the left
   then shows the desk accessories currently installed in your System
   file. Follow steps 2-4, substituting desk accessories wherever you
   see fonts.) The Font/DA Mover screen appears.

   The scroll box on the left shows the fonts currently installed in
   your System file. The title below the scroll box, "System on
   Macintosh HD," indicates the location of the fonts.

2) Select the fonts you want to remove by one of two methods:

   • Drag over the list on the left while pressing the mouse button.

   • Or you can hold down the Shift key and click each font. You can
     select items that aren't next to each other by this method.

   Font/DA Mover displays the selected fonts in reverse type (white
   letters on a black background).

3) Click the Remove button to remove the selected fonts. A message
   appears.

4) Click the OK button. Font/DA Mover removes the fonts, and they no
   longer appear in the left window of the screen.

5) To remove desk accessories and fonts during the same session, click
   the Font or Desk Accessory radio buttons at the top of the Font/DA
   Mover window.

6) When you're finished, click the Quit button to go back to the
   desktop (Finder).

7) If you previously chose to Set Startup to Finder Only, repeat the
   steps in that section, but click the MultiFinder radio button rather
   than the Finder radio button.

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