The HyperStuff Collection

ClipArt Plus™

for the APPLE IIGS

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INTRODUCTION

ClipArt Plus for HyperCard IIGS is part of the software series, "The HyperStuff Collection." ClipArt Plus is a combination of Xcmds, NDA's, ClipArt, and an Icon converter to enhance and make HyperCard IIGS easier to use.

REQUIREMENTS TO USE

AppleIIGS computer with 1.5Meg. (2 Meg reccommended) Please note: Additional memory may be required by usage of NDA's or other memory resident programs. Hard-Drive and HyperCard IIGS.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Included in this package are: Manual, Product registration card, ClipArt Plus disk containing four (4) NDA's, 20 screens of clipart, a System file "ConvertIcon" for converting System Icons to HyperCard IIGS Icons, and four (4) Xcmds in a demo stack to get you started.

GETTING STARTED

Copy the four NDA's into your .../SYSTEM/DESK.ACCS folder on your Hard-Drive. Then restart the system.

Copy the application file "Convert Icon" and the demo stack containing the Xcmds onto your hard-drive. Launch HyperCard IIGS and from under the file menu select "OPEN STACK." Locate the demo stack and double click to run. To use "Convert Icon" run System file.

Xcmds

Copying Xcmds to other stacks

Before you can use the Xcmds in this package on stacks that you create, they must first be attached to those stacks. The "Copy Xcmd" button on the sample stack is provided for that purpose. The Copy Xcmd button requires two xcmds that are supplied with HyperCard IIGS.

To install the HyperCard IIGS Xcmds into the demo stack, run the "ScripterTools" stack that is supplied with HyperCard IIGS. Click on the Xcmd Category. From the Tool List, click on "DisplayList," then click "Install." Install the DisplayList Xcmd into the Demo stack.

Repeat the above proceedure to install "ResCopy" into the demo stack.

The Copy Xcmd button is now ready for use.

Run the demo stack and click on "Copy Xcmds." Choose the Xcmd you wish to copy from the available list. Choose the destination stack that will receive the Xcmds.

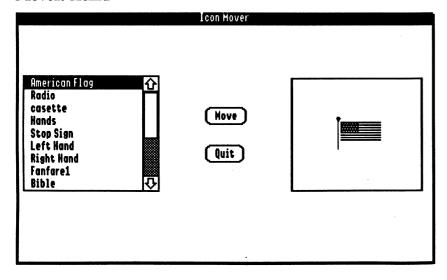
VClip Xcmd

VClip Xcmd provides you the means to view or print the contents of the standard Clipboard. The Clipboard is a buffer area in memory. It contains the last graphic or text that was cut or copied. To use VClip, simply type "Vclip" into the message box. Vclip can also be called from a script. A simple script handler could read:

On MouseUp Vclip End MouseUp

If the Clipboard is empty the Clipboard window will flash for a second then close. If there is text or a graphic in the Clipboard, the Clipboard window will be displayed on the screen. Once the Clipboard window is displayed, pressing "P" will cause the Clip contents to print to the printer.

MoveIt Xcmd



MoveIt Xcmd is a fast, easy method of copying HyperCard IIGS Icons to other stacks. MoveIt can be called by typing "MoveIt" into the message box or with this simple script:

On MouseUp MoveIt EndMouseUp MoveIt will display all the Icons that are owned by the current stack. If there are no Icons in the current stack MoveIt will follow the standard HyperCard IIGS hierarchy. That is, if there are no Icons in the current stack, the home stacks Icons will be displayed, and if there are no Icons in the Home card, HyperCard IIGS itself will be searched. You cannot duplicate an Icon with MoveIt. MoveIt will copy Icons to stacks that are not presently in use. The Icon names will be displayed in a list on the left hand side of the screen. The right hand part of the screen will display the Icon. Selecting the "Move" button will display the standard file dialog box. From here you can choose what stack to copy the Icon to. Cancel returns control to HyperCard.

GetPrefix Xcmd

The GetPrefix Xcmd will allow the stack user to select a Filename from the standard file dialog box. The full pathname of the selected file will be returned in the "Result." If the user does not select a file (Cancel was chosen), the result will be empty. GetPrefix was designed to allow the user to select a file and return the name of the selected file. The file is not opened, read, or in any way manipulated. GetPrefix can be called with one parameter, an optional dialog title. If GetPrefix is called without parameters, the title "Save To Stack" is used. GetPrefix can not be called directly from the message box because of the way HyperCard IIGS utilizes the function "The Result." A sample script could read:

On MouseUp GetPrefix "Choose a File"

NDA's

If the result is empty then
Put "No file chosen" into the message box
Else
Put The result into the message box
End if
End MouseUp

GetPic Xcmd

GetPic Xcmd provides an easy method of importing ClipArt, or PrintShop IIGS™ graphics into stacks. GetPic can be called from the message box by typing "GetPic." It can also be called from a script handler

On MouseUp GetPic End MouseUp

Once GetPic is activated the standard file dialog is displayed. From here the user can select an SHR graphic file or PrintShop IIGS picture. The selected graphic will be displayed on the screen. The cursor will change to a cross hair and by holding the mouse button down and dragging the mouse, a portion of the graphic will be outlined. Click the mouse to copy the image to the Clipboard. The selected image can then be pasted into the stack with the "Paste Picture" menu Item located under the "Edit Menu."

ClipIt NDA

ClipIt NDA is useful for capturing images from the SHR screen and transferring them to the Clipboard. When ClipIt is selected the cursor changes to a cross hair. Holding the mouse button down and dragging the mouse will cause a dotted outline to be drawn around the image. Click the mouse to copy the image to the Clipboard. Once in the Clipboard, the image can be used in whichever program supports the standard Clipboard.

PrintShr NDA

PrintShr is a fast way to print whatever is on the IIGS screen. It will even print the cursor. If you do not want the cursor printed, move it to all the way to the upper right hand screen before you click to start the printing.

Icon Button NDA (ResIcon)

Icon Button NDA can be used to capture portions of the SHR screen and save the image as a HyperCard type Icon. When selected the cursor changes to a cross hair. Holding the mouse button down and dragging the mouse will cause a dotted outline to be drawn around the image. Click the mouse to verify the selection or outline a new selection. Type the name you which to associate the Icon within the provided field. Choose the stack that the Icon will be added to.

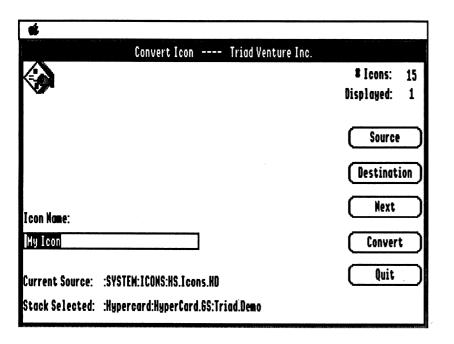
Instant Icon NDA

Instant Icon can be used to capture a portion of the SHR screen and save the image as a Finder Icon. Upon activation, the cursor will change to a cross hair. Holding the mouse button down and dragging the mouse will cause a portion of the graphic to be outlined. Releasing the mouse button will display the attribute dialog box. Select a file type from the list of available types. Fill in the Application path and filename that the Icon will be associated with. Choose where the Icon file will be saved. Icons saved with Instant Icon can be placed in the Icon folder of the boot disk, or they can be edited with any Icon editor.

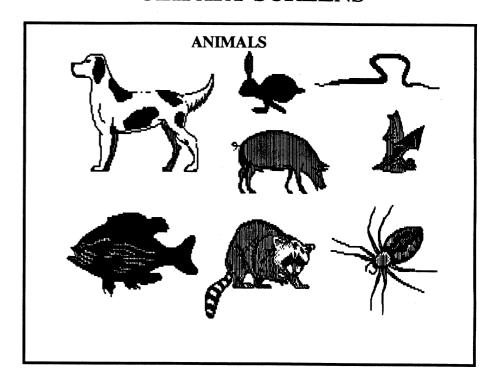
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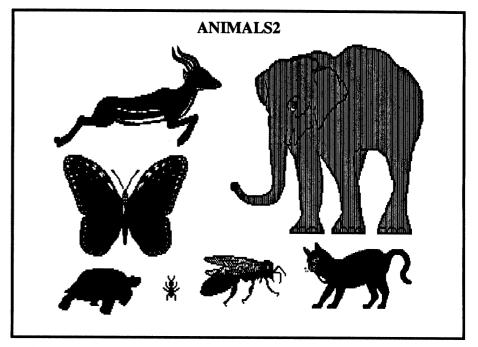
Convert Icon

This System file will allow you to convert Apple IIGS System ICONS to HyperCard IIGS ICON format. Screen shown below.

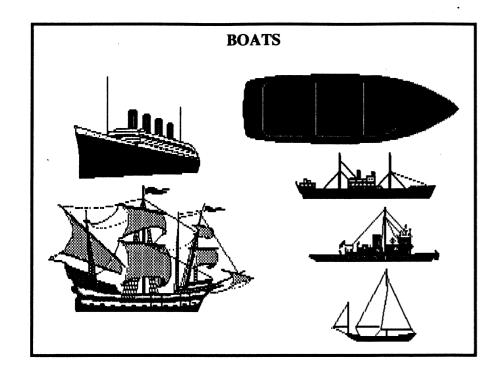


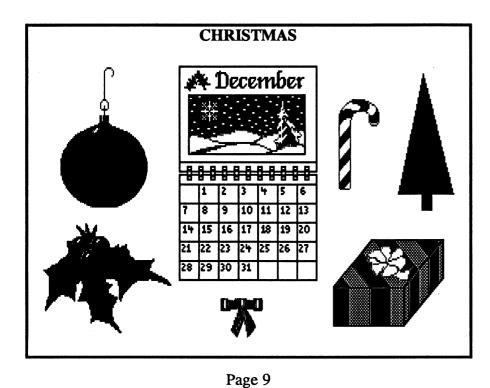
CLIPART SCREENS



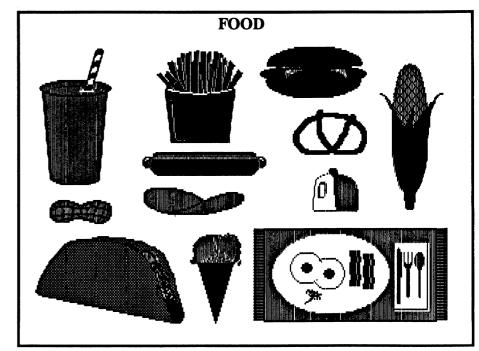


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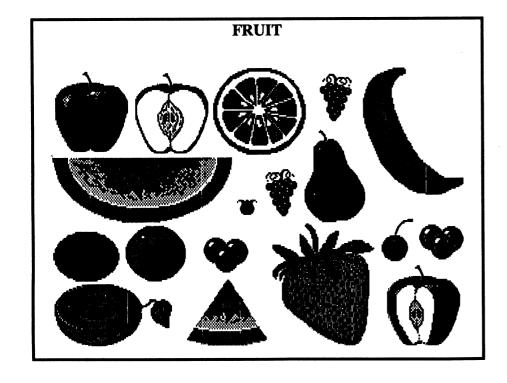


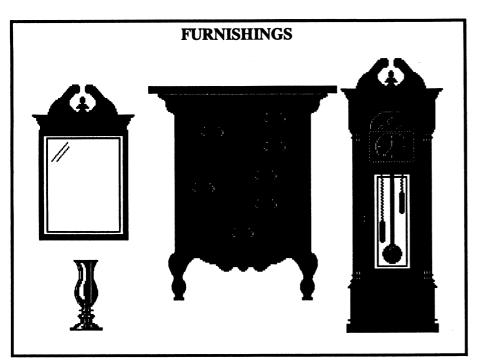


CONSTRUCTION

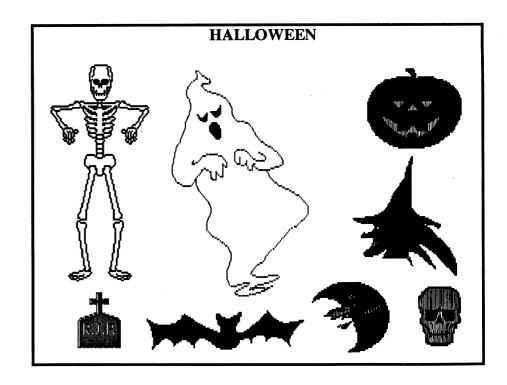


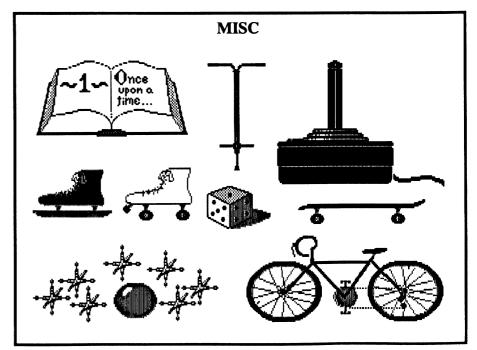
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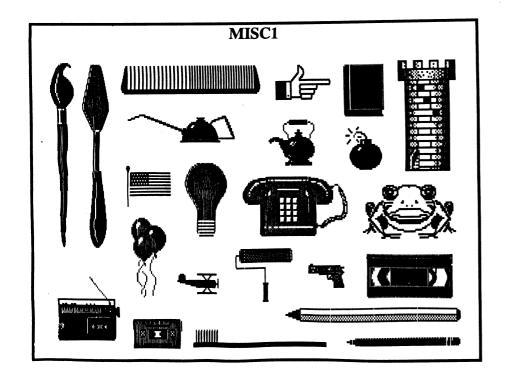


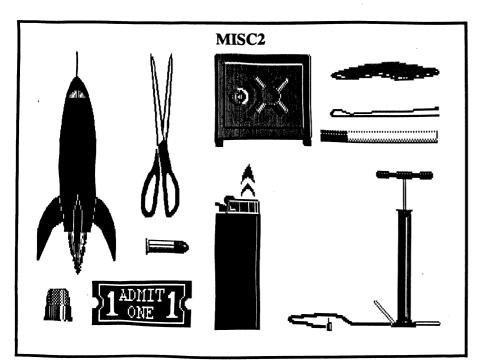
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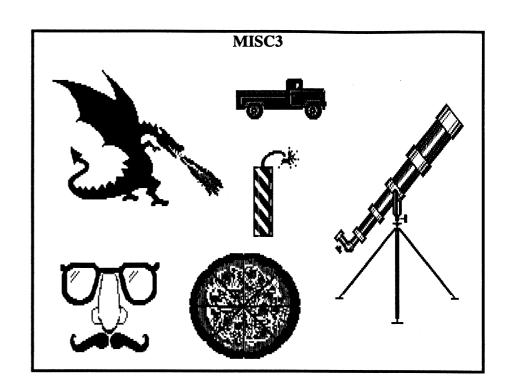


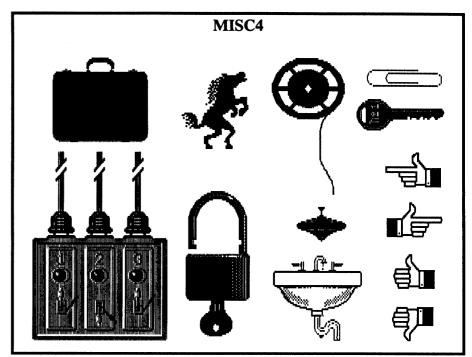
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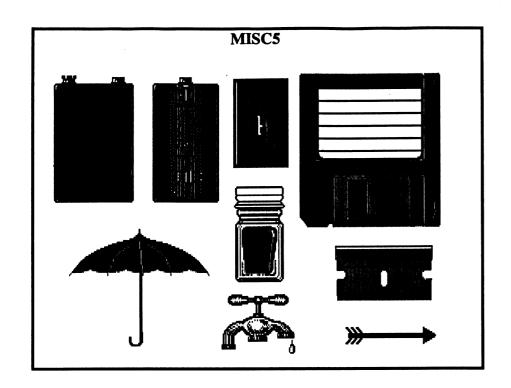


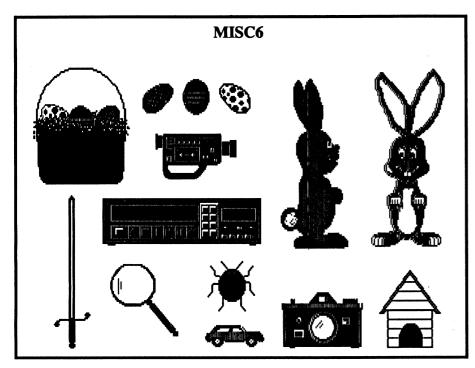
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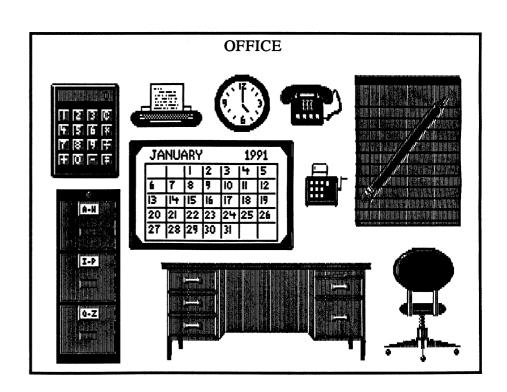


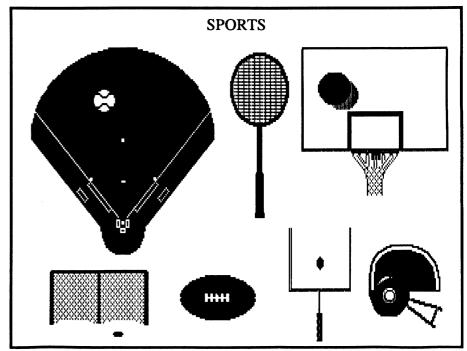
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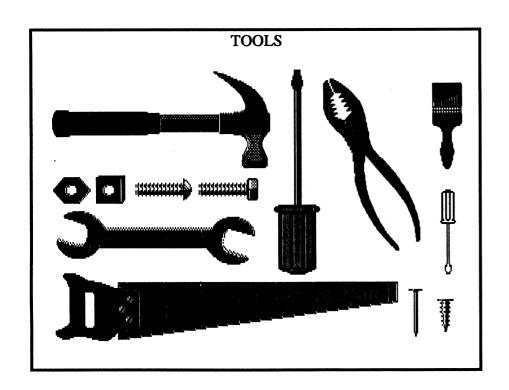


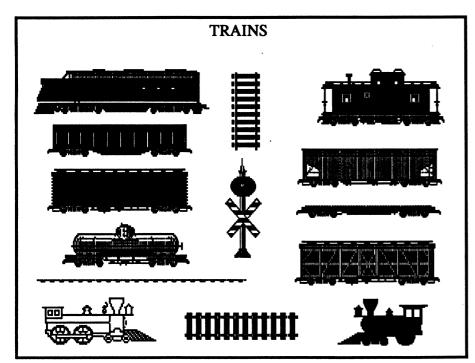
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OTHER PRODUCTS AVAILABLE

GDL = GRAPHICS DISK LABELER

Create colorful labels for your 3.5" disks. GDL imports popular graphic formats including SHR pictures, Icons, and PrintShop IIGS graphics. GDL uses Apple IIGS fonts, and includes provisions for changing styles and colors. Text can be superimposed over the graphics to achieve special effects. GDL includes Paint Tools for editing artwork and includes 320 and 640 mode versions. Complete with 50 labels and Label Grabber NDA. 1 MEG. required, for Imagewriter II. (Suggested price...\$39.95)

Also available...

GDL Graphic Disk with over 100 label files. Also included are Fonts, Icons, and PrintShop IIGS Graphics. (\$9.95) Extra blank labels in packages of 250. (\$11.95)

ClipTunes.

For HyperStudio and HyperCard IIGS

A collection of MIDI Synth format songs. Included in the package is the "Synth" Xcmd which allows the HyperStudio and HyperCard IIGS user to play 7 voice stereo music from within their own stacks. The songs can be played in the background so you can open menus, click buttons, switch cards, and animate Icons all while music continues to play. Selections range from Holiday music, marches, songs for special occassions, and music to switch cards by. ClipTunes comes complete with tunes, sample stacks, Xcmd players, and MIDI Synth Tool 35. (\$39.95)