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Thread: [vk.com search, COMPLETELY RECODED in C#! Free MP3 downloader, 10x faster than before!](#)

Meerkat.? - October 8, 2013, 12:12 pm

VK.COM SEARCH V3

INTRODUCTION

A lot of people contacted me when my older vk.com search application stopped working (pretty logical if you see the fact that over 2k people downloaded my application).

The old application was horrible. It looked nice but the code looked like shit and the threading was a joke.

I completely rewrote the program and this time I did it properly. I started from scratch and did everything as it should this time (no `CheckForIllegalCrossThreadCalls` = false and stuff like that).

For those who don't know what vk.com search is, it is a desktop client I created for the very popular website vk.com. Vk.com is a social network like facebook, but with the ability to listen and share music. This application plays back those mp3's and allows you to download them in a neat little program. Vk.com is insanely popular (ranked #19 most visited website in the world) in Russia and some other countries but it's pretty unknown here.

To use this program, you will need an account on vk.com. Unfortunately enough, they do require you to fill in your phone number to create an account. They do NOT use this number for anything else other than for checking whether you are a bot or not.

FEATURES

Cool GUI

Playlists

Favorites (synced with vk.com)

Downloading mp3's

Sorting to bitrate

Auto-updater

Here are some SCREENSHOTS for you to enjoy:

The new Login screen. Now I'm using the official vk.com API, making the login window a little uglier but speeds much better ;)

The new main form. See how you can drag stuff around to your playlists/favorites?

The reworked download form. Progressbars in listviews are awesome.

HUGE .gif (Warning, 5mb! And for some reason the mouse cursor is not included.)
Spoiler ([Click to View](#))

DOWNLOAD

Here's a download link to get vk.com search:

http://www.mediafire.com/download/1v29yi5hyl0v8mt/vk_search.rar

It is possible that the program will ask you to update, this download is the first version I released.
Updates will contain new features and bugfixes.

If you want a virus scan, go upload it to virustotal yourself. Don't trust = don't download ;)

CHANGELOG

Code v3.0.0.2

If you double-click a playlist, a random track from that playlist will now be played

Bugfixes

v3.0.0.1

Bugfixes

v3.0.0.0

Initial release

KNOWN ISSUES

Code • The login window flashes. That is because of a very annoying bug in the WebBrowser control. Inb4 hate: I did not want to include extra dll's for a simple login form.

• The download window opens multiple times instead of having all downloads on one form. No idea wether I'm going to leave it this way or not.

• The window sometimes disappears in the taskbar.

HELP ME OUT

If you encounter a bug that you can reproduce, please tell me in the comments (I'd rather not receive a shitload of PM's, I get PM's enough already).

Please be specific, "PLS HALP IT DOESN'T WOARK" is not enough info for me to fix stuff.

Alright, that's it for this thread. Enjoy!

P.S.: I posted this in the .Net section because I'm only releasing a binary, and because the original was coded in VB.Net. The C# section is not visited that often either. inb4 shitstorm ?

log dot zip - October 8, 2013, 12:18 pm

Awesome! I know A LOT of people have been waiting for this.

Perplexity - October 8, 2013, 12:19 pm

Dude this is fucking amazing, it looks a lot better than before and I love it! :3

Nextrum - October 8, 2013, 12:21 pm

Bug! -

On application start shows the following - <https://puu.sh/4L1eY.png> , I have got Windows 8.1 installed and have the latest framework installed, aswell as that I have got the two dll's and the exe in the same folder.

Meerkat.? - October 8, 2013, 12:22 pm

(Oct 8, 2013 12:21 PM)Xertz Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Bug! -

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Nextrum - October 8, 2013, 12:22 pm

(Oct 8, 2013 12:22 PM)Mavamaarten~ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Does it stay like that or does it just flash? If it flashes, "it's not a bug, it's a feature" ;)

Nope just sticks at that one screen.. therefore it's a bug ;)

LethalNET - October 8, 2013, 12:23 pm

Vouch for mava :3 Quality release from a quality user :D

Temploit - October 8, 2013, 12:24 pm

Is it a bug that mediafire won't download it >.>

Tried it like 8 times and still not working...

PS: Don't forget to edit your site

Meerkat.? - October 8, 2013, 12:27 pm

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I know I forgot about my site, but I don't have access to the servers atm. I'll update it soon enough though ;)

Dr41DeY - October 8, 2013, 12:31 pm

This looks awesome: Mawamaarten~! :p

The GUI & The program!

° Gonna download this now

Nextrum - October 8, 2013, 12:32 pm

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Just tested it through compatibility mode and with admin rights and doesn't work. Suppose it could be a problem with Windows 8.1, it's been messing up my XAML and C# windows app code so I dunno.

?Mephobia - October 8, 2013, 12:33 pm

Looks great! I liked the old GUI better, but this has much better functionality. NICE

Temploit - October 8, 2013, 12:46 pm

Just a question: Where is the volume bar?

ninjahood - October 8, 2013, 12:57 pm

Thanks alot man, i have been waiting for this awesome application, im very happy to see it again. :)

?ICE? - October 8, 2013, 12:58 pm

Loved the last program, can't wait to use this! ^^ Thanks man!

Meerkat.? - October 8, 2013, 1:02 pm

(Oct 8, 2013 12:46 PM)Temploit Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just a question: Where is the volume bar?

I knew people were going to ask. Currently there is none. I don't know if I'll implement one. I probably will, at some point.

Mr. Bot - October 8, 2013, 1:59 pm

Thanks, I love this program.

Great new look & update.

Blink - October 8, 2013, 2:29 pm

Awmg finally the release! After being able to follow it's development in real life ;)

Amazing program, clean user interface, easy to use and very usefull! Undoubtly the best mp3 downloader released here. :P

SomeWhiteGuy - October 8, 2013, 3:31 pm

Nice job as usual. Gets better every time.

tweety - October 8, 2013, 3:56 pm

Amazing as always Mava. The GUI looks extremely pretty and professional. This new version seems to be faster than the older version. Brilliant. You should seriously get in contact with vk and ask them if they are interested to deal with you. It's not something they should avoid when you actually promoted the service they offer.

Amazing work, keep it up.

Meerkat.? - October 8, 2013, 10:46 pm

Thanks so much everyone :)

If there's any bugs don't hesitate to post them!

Milopeach - October 8, 2013, 11:49 pm

Ahhh, Thank you! The older version had some GUI problems that caused it to crash. Thanks for the update!

Note: When you download more than 1 song it opens a new download window, might probably be easier to add static window that updates a list of each downloading song with a paused/downloading/finished tab control or something. Just a note, not my program.

?eumonic - October 9, 2013, 12:13 am

Nicely done Mava. This looks better every time I see it.

padde - October 9, 2013, 1:30 am

I love this. Might even ditch Spotify if you add so you can have "offline playlists" or even add your own local songs.

Keep it up!

Decim - October 9, 2013, 5:13 am

Promising app, looks great.

However it's missing the key element of VK as of now, which is the list of the popular songs. Not sure if you've got it in your to-do list but it's definitely something you should consider.

Then there's the multiple downloads dialog. Instead of displaying individual windows for each download, maybe restrict them to listview items in a single window? Just a suggestion though.

Also, there seems to be a little bug with sorting the listview out.
I clicked the Bitrate header but it doesn't arrange all the tracks accordingly, it arranges only the first few.

Good job nevertheless.

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Vets - *October 9, 2013, 6:18 am*

Gonna download this now ! Thanks Dude :3

Meerkat.? - *October 9, 2013, 8:06 am*

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Thanks. I didn't even know about the popular music thing, but it certainly looks interesting :o
The multiple downloads thing is already on the "known issues" list. The other bugs you're having probably has something to do with vk not being able to process multiple things at once, I'll look some more into this but I can't promise a fix.

.Death - *October 9, 2013, 10:15 am*

i was a beta/alpha what ever tester and i really love it. thanks for the release

Lambasoft - *October 9, 2013, 10:26 am*

Thanks got it's back ! I've been looking for a replacement application since the day it stopped working.

I liked the old color more tho ...

Thanks !

Oh and for some reason, I'm still using the 3.0 version ... where each download has it's own windows.

Ron. - October 9, 2013, 10:59 am

Okay, found something that causes crash.

If you right click on the Downloads form, it will open the crash screen.

edit: It only happens when you DONT right click on a download, only when you right click on open space.

Another action that causes a crash,

If you right click in the area where your created playlists would be, you open the submenu to delete or rename playlist even when you right click on open space.

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3.0 is the latest version, no update has been released yet.

serubi - October 9, 2013, 3:20 pm

You did it once more Mava! Good job.

Zettabit - October 9, 2013, 4:10 pm

Looks like it's coming along nicely. I saw the thread for the original one but this one looks even better. I'll definitely use this.

Jonte - October 9, 2013, 5:13 pm

Wow cheers man. I like what you've done with the program.

0xBB - October 9, 2013, 7:24 pm

This is hot son ! Nice GDI work ?

Meerkat.? - October 9, 2013, 11:48 pm

I have just released the first update, fixing the crashes when right-clicking empty space in both the downloads listview and the playlistview.

µTorrent - October 10, 2013, 2:17 am

I wanted to tell you... that I love you, period.

fillobotto - October 10, 2013, 6:21 am

Thank you Mava! Since your old tool stopped working, I started browsing vk.com site for music, but now... yeah!

Nozemi™ - October 11, 2013, 2:31 am

This is an amazing program! I love just love it! I was in need for Spotify Premium, but I guess that need has changed.

Thanks for an awesome program! Anyway, I have some ideas for further updates, I don't know if you care to add them or not, but I'll come with them anyway.

My ideas would be:

- Radio function? (Isn't too hard to make(?), not sure, just make it search for other songs in same genre?)
- Right click a playlist and click "Download Playlist" instead of highlighting every song, could be useful, but not important, at least not to me.

Also I've noticed that the media keys (play, pause, next, previous) has some bugs, or maybe not bugs,

but the only media key that is working is the play/pause button, I just pushed the next button, and the

whole program crashed, as well as the next/previous keys on my keyboard wouldn't work as well, maybe

because of this bug(?).

This is just minor bugs though, I still love the program! It would've been awesome if you could add my ideas.

Nozemi

JIMP - October 11, 2013, 6:10 am

Have some issues here. Crashes after ~30 minutes when listening to my vk-playlist, saying process stopped working. Also updates are bugged. But the rest works.

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Meerkat.? - October 11, 2013, 1:09 pm

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Hm, interesting. The update system works here, that message pretty much only appears if it cannot

connect to my dropbox. Perhaps some firewall is blocking it?

Banks? - October 11, 2013, 1:22 pm

Really liking it so far, nice job!

I have one suggestion for playlists:

When clicking on the playlist, you should randomly pick a song from the list and start playing the playlist, like Spotify does.

ZCFC - October 11, 2013, 3:34 pm

Some reason the hotkeys don't work. When I press my next song or pause/play on my mouse, which works with practically everything else I've tried, this doesn't.

Anything I'm missing? o.O

Suggestion: A custom scrollbar, the current one looks really out of place with the rest of the black/grey UI :)

Bug Report: I get an error every time I upon it saying "Update Failed"

Just thought I'd add by the way, I love your program, it's great, thanks for making it! :)

Meerkat.? - October 12, 2013, 12:48 am

The update check that fails is really odd. I'll take a look at it but I think this may be a dropbox issue. The playlist doubleclick thingy is a nice idea, I'll implement that when I have the time.

EDIT: I re-uploaded the JSON file and that seems to have fixed the issue.

Nozemi™ - October 12, 2013, 7:35 am

I've noticed that in the end of a playlist, when the last song has finished playing, the program crashes.

Don't know what that might be, however, I've came up with another idea.

The shuffle function that Spotify has is a nice function indeed, I like that function a lot, it would've been awesome if you could add that function.

As I said in an earlier comment. Thanks for an awesome program!

Nozemi

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Thanks for the report. That bug should be fixed by now (update is released).

I also implemented that random track @ doubleclick.

Rolls Royce - October 12, 2013, 11:31 am

YES! It's back!!

I STRONGLY recommend this program. It used to be easy to use and now it's even easier (It also looks better despite the fact that it looked sick to begin with.) Mavamaarten~ is undoubtedly the bomb.

iNuke - October 12, 2013, 11:35 am

I'd like to know, can I find any musics? Like I'm French so I'd like to download some French rap, am I able?

Also, great program. I remember it before it stopped working.
Great job, as always coming from you man.

Rolls Royce - October 12, 2013, 11:44 am

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Also, great program. I remember it before it stopped working.
Great job, as always coming from you man. YES! I've downloaded songs from the program in multiple languages (including French) that aren't even on iTunes!

iNuke - October 12, 2013, 11:53 am

Thanks for the quick answer mate, then I'll download it and take a look. ?

hbro - October 12, 2013, 4:00 pm

I have something like that:

Meerkat.? - October 13, 2013, 12:51 am

(Oct 12, 2013 04:00 PM)hbro Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I have something like that:

Haha wtf, I haven't seen that before. What is your language you have set on vk.com itself?

Kappa - October 13, 2013, 1:57 am

Am I just blind or is there no way to change the volume? :o

Otherwise that, great program. :P

Meerkat.? - October 13, 2013, 3:21 am

(Oct 13, 2013 01:57 AM)DJ??? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Am I just blind or is there no way to change the volume? :o

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Correct. Once again I don't see the need for a volume slider, but I'll probably implement it some day because of the big demand.

tweety - October 13, 2013, 4:00 am

(Oct 13, 2013 03:21 AM)Mavamaarten~ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Correct. Once again I don't see the need for a volume slider, but I'll probably implement it some day because of the big demand.

Can you not just use the volume mixer in Win7 and Win8 to do this? o_o

ident - October 13, 2013, 5:48 am

The gayness of browsers.

Temploit - October 13, 2013, 6:10 am

(Oct 13, 2013 05:48 AM)ident Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The gayness of browsers.

Something like this was bound to happen.

I think webrequest would be even easier than a webbrowser, leaving the fact that webbrowser suck.

w?rloct - October 13, 2013, 6:25 am

Thank you! I loved the old one but this looks and works so much better!

ident - October 13, 2013, 10:24 am

It's not so much its a browser, its the fact the IE component cant bypass it.

Lambasoft - October 14, 2013, 6:03 am

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Rolls Royce - October 14, 2013, 7:23 am

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Rolls Royce - October 14, 2013, 2:47 pm

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Because I have the latest version and each download has it's own window, which is pretty annoying.Hmm, I must have misread you the first time. I thought you said it downloaded them all in one window. I agree that one window would be more convenient.

jaure - October 14, 2013, 4:27 pm

still same problem as the old one I just installed clean Win 7 and when I am trying to search:

<https://puu.sh/4Qj1N.png>

edit:

nvm I solved it by reconfirm my phone number on my account on vk.com

serubi - October 14, 2013, 8:24 pm

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volume slider for when I'm talking with people on Skype. So when I'm talking, I can listen to music, but easily and quickly adjust the volume of the sound, without adjusting the Skype volume.

Meerkat.? - October 14, 2013, 11:10 pm

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Check out the "Known issues" section in the startpost ;)

Lambasoft - October 15, 2013, 3:17 am

(Oct 14, 2013 11:10 PM)Mavamaarten~ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Check out the "Known issues" section in the startpost ;)

"You can open multiple download windows. No idea wether I'm going to leave it this way or not."

You used the verb "can" which has a double meaning off opposite sentences.

Your sentence will still be true if was written the opposite way:

"You can not open multiple download windows. No idea wether I'm going to leave it this way or not."

Sorry for being Sheldon cooper over there but I though an option was implemented to either choose whether to allow multiple download windows or not.

Now excuse me, I got a vk player to listen to
?

barukoru - October 15, 2013, 5:14 am

Good Job!thanks for sharing...Looks like a good tool.

Corneliuss - October 15, 2013, 7:18 am

It crashed ALOT when I change songs. The program and concept is really good though!

HLN1 - October 15, 2013, 1:46 pm

Bug report:

Double clicking a playlist gives an error and says the program crashed but if you just close the error box it continues to work as normal.

SeNmaN - October 24, 2013, 11:38 pm

make a sound scarce again.. that will be grate

-Tachyon - October 25, 2013, 1:53 am

This is absolutely amazing, much appreciated! :)

Quality to the max...

BladeZ201 - October 26, 2013, 6:15 am

I can't stop drooling on the theme and the equaliser! Hands Down, the best MP3 downloader!

Corneliuss - October 26, 2013, 7:24 am

Bug Report:

When the last song of the playlist ends, it crashes.

ident - October 26, 2013, 5:14 pm

(Oct 15, 2013 01:46 PM)Hmmlolnoob Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Bug report:

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and of course then there is logging the exception etc, i dont think argumentoutofrange is worth displaying a restart option.

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?ICE? - October 28, 2013, 5:08 pm

Please make a logout button lol, would really help. When I put on auto login, it wouldn't let me logout

Banks? - October 28, 2013, 6:20 pm

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Talk about nit-picking. The use of one word made you write that?

0xDEAD10CC - October 28, 2013, 7:28 pm

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But yet:
Quote:We expect as many as many errors...

You lost credibility right there I'm afraid... ?

Meerkat.? - October 29, 2013, 1:41 pm

(Oct 28, 2013 05:08 PM)Earth? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Please make a logout button lol, would really help. When I put on auto login, it wouldn't let me logout
Hah, I knew I forgot something :P
You can log out by clearing the Internet Explorer cookies. (Not a problem if you use another browser like most sensible people)

And @ the people hating on my uber awesome 1337 dialog, it's a dialog that appears if ANY uncaught exception gets thrown. The application would display "vk_search stopped working", now it shows this thing. I agree that for some exceptions a full restart / exit isn't necessary but the dialog is something I whipped up real quick. I'll take a look at implementing it a bit better, but I really have no time to code right now (exams next week).

ddol - October 29, 2013, 4:43 pm

Hey wait a second, this aint the c# section

Banks? - October 29, 2013, 5:02 pm

(Oct 29, 2013 04:43 PM)Sena Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hey wait a second, this aint the c# section
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ddol - October 29, 2013, 5:18 pm

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It was never a very popular subforum to begin with.

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Traitor-Panda - October 30, 2013, 6:53 am

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Your way of thinking annoys me.

Did you ever consider the fact that NO source code has been released thus it might as well have been created in VB.NET - it doesn't matter to you anyways seeing as you cannot view the source. It's not like this wouldn't be possible in VB.NET - the VB.NET forum (wrongfully IMO) receives quite the most attention so obviously a release like this SHOULD be release din the VB.NET section for maximum exposure.

Meerkat.? - October 30, 2013, 7:13 am

Wow, I didn't think it would be such a big deal to some people.

As long as there is no separate VB.Net / C# section, this thread is not misplaced here. This section is called "Visual Basic and .Net Framework".

I agree that it's a bit attention-whorish to put it here, but you know what, maybe I am.

fbto10 - October 30, 2013, 2:28 pm

This works greates mate ;) thanks ;3

Inkyzt - October 31, 2013, 8:18 pm

What theme is that? I've been trying to find that theme for a long time. I've seen it in other programs as well.

Lanku - November 2, 2013, 12:04 am

This app is great used the old one love the new one!

SubGenius - November 2, 2013, 9:30 am

This is amazing Mava... thank you so much!

rootergod - November 2, 2013, 9:36 am

Good Job!thanks for sharing...Looks like a good tool.

0xDEAD10CC - November 2, 2013, 2:38 pm

(Oct 30, 2013 06:53 AM)Traitor-Panda Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Your way of thinking annoys me.

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I'm glad common sense annoys you.

Banks? - November 2, 2013, 2:58 pm

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So I don't really have any problem with that, and nor does my idea of what should be done matter here. I'm only saying that there IS a reason why a C# forum was created. Nobody here seems to be taking that into consideration.

Routess - November 3, 2013, 1:37 am

Is it just me or does it really not contain a volume controller :(

Meerkat.? - November 3, 2013, 5:20 am

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(Oct 31, 2013 08:18 PM)Inkyzt Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) What theme is that? I've been trying to find that theme for a long time. I've seen it in other programs as well.

That theme is something I made myself. It's pretty much a copy of Microsoft's Zune theme:
<http://cdn.redmondpie.com/wp-content/uploads/2009/09/Zune42.png>

0xDEAD10CC - November 3, 2013, 10:23 am

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That's what I said as well, but I didn't know: "the original thing was coded in VB.Net."

Proxima - November 4, 2013, 12:01 am

Glad to find out you've updated it! Awesome work, much appreciated!

Rolls Royce - December 2, 2013, 6:58 pm

Will you be updating this? Whenever you enter in a song name the program crashes.

Meerkat.? - December 4, 2013, 6:13 am

(Dec 2, 2013 07:58 PM)Rolls Royce Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Will you be updating this? Whenever you enter in a song name the program crashes.

That's a problem on your end then. The program still runs flawlessly here.

SecretG - February 5, 2014, 6:27 am

Hey man It's crashing for my. It used to work before but now everytime I start it up and search for a song and select one it plays for a 1 sec and then crashes. I'm on Windows 8.1 x64

Can you please fix this problem? If you don't have the intention to can you atleast release the source code for it, it can be a dumbed down version even.

Thanks in advance.

PathogenDubz - February 5, 2014, 9:55 am

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Edit:

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PathogenDubz - February 5, 2014, 11:46 am

(Feb 5, 2014 12:35 PM)Mavamaarten~ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I just use the vk.com API, I can't change how results are found.

Yeah I figured. Regardless, Great job! :)

Routess - February 5, 2014, 11:57 am

There is still no volume control -.-

i0xx - February 6, 2014, 4:03 pm

One hella tool, gonna try it out soon, thanks mava! ?

Meerkat.? - February 9, 2014, 7:03 am

(Feb 6, 2014 04:37 PM)Yani Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Same thing here man, some songs can be played but it crashes on most.

Great soft mavamaarten, been using it forever. ?

EDIT: Debugger showed this:

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

Looks like it's always for the same songs. Some work and some don't. They play for a couple of seconds and then it just crashes.

Hey, I found out what the issue was and I fixed it in an update.

I used to use the discogs API to get album art. For some reason, they changed it so now you can get search results, but not the images without logging in. This would mean that for tracks without an album art image, they would work fine, but if the track is on discogs with a picture it would fail loading the picture.

I now use the google image search API, and added an additional check to make sure the URL is okay.

Sorry for the wait :)

rabirabi - February 10, 2014, 7:52 am

I like the software, but when I open taskmanager I see this software consuming lots of memory and cpu usage. I guess this might be due to visualization animation. Btw are you using gif for animation?

Tedd - February 10, 2014, 8:45 am

Looks amazing mava, will download when I get home!

Meerkat.? - March 26, 2014, 12:36 am

(Mar 25, 2014 01:43 PM)Yani Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hey man, are you still developing this?

Would really love to see that download thingy work.

I also came across some bugs I can't really reproduce but they happen often, mostly that the song doesn't properly download.

The only way to fix it is to restart the app and try downloading it again right from the start.

Btw, it would be really cool to see something like a page feed.

For example you could add a page you like that posts a lot of music on vk itself like:

<http://vk.com/bestdnbmusic>

That way you can have a feed like the "Stream" from soundcloud.

As I said before mava, great app and many of my friend are using it :P

Even pinned it in a group on facebook where my friends share music.

To be honest, I'm experiencing some bugs as well, mainly the tabcontrol not swiching sometimes. I haven't experienced any issues with the downloading though. Many download windows at the same time, downloading multiple tracks at once, it's all working fine here.

I'm not actively developing this application anymore. If there are seriously feature-breaking updates to VK I will still update, but I'm not going to add new functionality.

MD5 - March 30, 2014, 9:06 am

Pretty awesome!

I may replace my spotify with this.

Rolls Royce - March 17, 2015, 8:47 pm

This deserves a bump for sure. I miss the old GUI though.

Rolls Royce - November 4, 2015, 7:21 pm

I'm getting this error when I try to open the program.

Cammy - November 5, 2015, 7:41 am

(Nov 4, 2015 08:21 PM)Rolls Royce Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#)

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You need to have both bass.dll and bass.Net.dll in the same folder as vk_search.exe

Rolls Royce - November 5, 2015, 9:04 pm

(Nov 5, 2015 08:41 AM)Jawe Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You need to have both bass.dll and bass.Net.dll in the same folder as vk_search.exe

Thank you. I is dumb.

Extradition - November 5, 2015, 10:38 pm

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Rolls Royce - November 6, 2015, 1:22 pm

(Nov 5, 2015 11:38 PM)Extradition Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This looks great, SpotDown seems to do this better tho. There are quite a few songs on VK that aren't on Spotify.

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