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Thread: [snapr v2 - an imgur based screenshot and upload utility](#)

Bicycles - May 28, 2014, 9:23 pm

Hello everyone, this is my first utility in over three years so bear with me. I'm quite rusty but I was able to code this in about two hours today.

It's a screenshot (snap) and image upload tool that uses the imgur.com API. You can take fullscreen snaps (<https://i.imgur.com/SOspBiD.png>) or just area snaps (you pick the area by dragging the mouse over the area you want to capture) <https://i.imgur.com/2U66rkz.png>

It's called: snapr.

Unobtrusive design:

It's designed to be minimally invasive, and does not collect any data other than your snaps nor communicate with any servers other than imgur. It is found in your notifications tray, and its only way of communication is through small, inconspicuous alerts whenever you take a snap.

You'll forget about it - until you need it.

It uses efficient, closely spaced hotkeys:

alt+z takes a fullscreen snap, uploads it to imgur, copies the direct link to clipboard

alt+x starts the area selector: simply drag your mouse while left clicking. snapr uploads the area you select and copies the direct link to clipboard

It contains a image uploader:

Simply right click on the icon in your notification tray and you'll be presented with an option to upload an existing image from your computer. With a beautiful theme from @Haze., this is the easiest way to upload a file to imgur. <https://i.imgur.com/IM1EvgM.png>

I would appreciate any feedback you have on this, whether constructive or positive. I would prefer a mix of both.

Coded in Visual Basic 2008 Express Edition on May 28, 2014.

File size: 101376 bytes

Filetype: PE32 executable (GUI) Intel 80386 Mono/.Net assembly, for MS Windows

MD5: 49ae57cdc33e7092b3c18853a36268ea

SHA1: 4ef82ecb7726a09a42e46be33b0074f103ea69d8

Virus scan:

virusscan.jotti.org

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Vouches/proof of legitimacy:

Spoiler ([Click to View](#)) (May 28, 2014 09:34 PM)Are? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Get this software while you can! It's amazing, works perfectly as it's supposed to. I always hate manually opening up the Snipping Tool on Windows. Here I can just press ALT+X and select the area I want to take a image of, and then it directly uploads it to imgur. Take 5-10 seconds to select and area, upload to imgur and have the link in your clipboard! I highly recommend you getting it right now. (May 29, 2014 12:17 PM) Dternity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You get a vouch for me, i fucking love this. It even copies the direct link to the picture, almost perfect HF.

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HAS SINCE BEEN UPDATED TO INCLUDE IMG TAG OPTION

Thank you very much for viewing! Best of luck. If you have any questions, feel free to PM me.

Hydraulic - May 28, 2014, 9:34 pm

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Bicycles - May 29, 2014, 6:46 am

Thanks Ares, does anyone else have any feedback on the program?

SIM-1847363 - May 29, 2014, 9:46 am

I see Imgur uploads quiet a lot, and i must say this is one of the fastest i have experienced, nice work! Keep it up, and what is your Imgur api Limit, because if this is going to be used by at least 100 + people, you need a Unlimited Imgur api.

Only3 - May 29, 2014, 10:50 am

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Bicycles - May 29, 2014, 11:52 am

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(May 29, 2014 10:50 AM)Only3 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) ^^ also just 2m size so for gif files its another problem That's just the imgur api in general. I'm not sure there's a way around that.

Dangerous Beef - May 29, 2014, 12:17 pm

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Also, will the source code be available i would love to check it out.

SIM-2306826 - May 29, 2014, 12:40 pm

Good job. I've made one before, just make sure you update yours and don't steal any code :)

Hidden™ - May 29, 2014, 12:42 pm

Very nice software I must say. Thanks for the share.

Bicycles - May 29, 2014, 12:42 pm

(May 29, 2014 12:40 PM)Tantibus Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Good job. I've made one before, just make sure you update yours and don't steal any code :)I'm planning to update this a lot. I already see some features to be added and bugs to be fixed :)

And of course not, I cited everyone in the Credits option on the program.

Alright. I updated this to fix several bugs (mostly with area snapr tool).

I also added a preferences page with the ability to add snapr to startup, remove from startup, and an option to include [IMG] tags in the clipboard per request.

?Fetz? - May 29, 2014, 3:55 pm

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Bicycles - May 29, 2014, 4:11 pm

(May 29, 2014 03:55 PM)Fetz Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Is it possible for you to set the key to PrntScrn?

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I'll add in the next version: Update from dropbox button.

It will also automatically download recent virus scans before you update, along with important information like md5 checksum and sha1/256.

Also in the next version: more bugfixes, and ability to set hotkey.

purplemilkftw - May 31, 2014, 9:15 am

Very nice brother, I love this. Thank you.

Bicycles - June 1, 2014, 8:54 am

(May 31, 2014 09:15 AM)purplemilkftw Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Very nice brother, I love this. Thank you. Thanks dude.

Does anyone else have any thoughts on this?

Vexane - June 1, 2014, 8:57 am

Correct me if I'm wrong, but this theme was made by iSynthesis, not Haze.

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=3559385>

Bicycles - June 1, 2014, 9:00 am

(Jun 1, 2014 08:57 AM)Varosion Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Correct me if I'm wrong, but this theme was made by iSynthesis, not Haze.

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=3559385> Yep.

I really don't know why I put Haze.

Seriously, I was convinced it was Haze.

Sorry, I'll change that :)

Vexane - June 1, 2014, 9:37 am

You never changed it.

Don't give credit to those who don't deserve it.

Aristocles - June 1, 2014, 10:02 am

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Bicycles - June 1, 2014, 2:51 pm

(Jun 1, 2014 10:02 AM)Oxabad1dea Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) your tools :

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quality don't worth it I'm not sure what's happening there, my tool works fine on my computer (equal to puush)

Dangerous Beef - June 1, 2014, 4:41 pm

Tried taking the screenshot of the same thing, it happens too me to.

Aristocles - June 1, 2014, 5:16 pm

Just open this image on a webbrowser or whatever : <https://puu.sh/9aAzI/952b1c2be8.jpg>

and try to Snapr it ans you will see

Bicycles - June 1, 2014, 6:11 pm

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Dangerous Beef - June 1, 2014, 6:18 pm

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<https://i.imgur.com/MMMG4bC.png>

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(Jun 1, 2014 07:09 PM)Spacecraft Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) No problem. I'll fix those errors tomorrow, and probably upload a newer version with several bugfixes.

That's great! Could you please PM me when the new version is available ? :)

Dangerous Beef - June 14, 2014, 1:21 pm

Found another bug, Snapr doesn't support taking pictures from multiple monitors.

Found another bug. If you try using snapr on any other monitor than your main and snapr won't recognize the monitor and will therefor not show up.

Although if you left click on you main an error will show up:

+Haze - June 14, 2014, 2:00 pm

"@Haze." .. Is that me? It on your thread in blue.

Bicycles - June 14, 2014, 7:31 pm

(Jun 14, 2014 02:00 PM)Haze. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) "@Haze." .. Is that me? It on your thread in blue.

Yeah it was, for some reason I got you and another user confused and I can't edit the thread. Sorry about that.

New update this week guys.