User Manual

Simple SiteMap Editor v1.0

< http://mountwhite.net/en/sitemapeditor.html>

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Simple SiteMap Editor is a portable application that allows users to quickly manually edit the content of sitemap files, or create new sitemap files.

For additional information about sitemaps, please visit http://www.sitemaps.org/

This is a "Green" application...it does not need to be installed, and it does not make any changes to your system or your registry. After you download SiteMapEditor.exe, just run it. It should run fine on all Windows versions, from 95 to 7. It provides a simple interface enabling users to quickly and effectively edit SiteMap files without having to get "down and dirty" with the XML.

By using this program you hereby agree to the terms of our <u>Software Disclaimer</u>. In summary, use at your own risks!

The use of this software is free for private, non-commercial use under the <u>GNU General Public License</u> <u>Version 2</u>. For commercial use of this software, <u>please purchase a license</u>. Once you have downloaded the file to a location of your choice, simply run the executable, no installation needed.

| SiteMap File | | | | | | Select |
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The use of SiteMap Editor is very straightforward.

In order to edit an existing sitemap.xml file, you can choose any of 3 options:

- Click on the "Select" button and use the file selector
- Drag the file and drop it anywhere into the application window
- Drag the file and drop it over the SiteMap Editor executable.

The full path of the file that was opened will be displayed into the "SiteMap File" field. Please note that there is no "Save As" button. If you wish to save the new file under a different name or location, simply

change the content of that field before pressing the "Save" button. If you want to create a new file, just type in the file name and location before pressing the "save" button.

| SiteMap File | C:\ <my path="">\sitemap xml</my> | Select |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------|
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Each entry will be displayed in a list.

| URL | Last Modified | P | Change Frequency |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|---|------------------|
| http://mysite.com/default.htm | 2010-12-02T13:22:56Z | 1 | monthly |

You can select a particular item by clicking on it. The values of that item can then be edited in the "Detail" Tab.

| Det | ail | Replace | Abo | out | | | | | |
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You can edit some of the information about multiple items by using the "Shift" or "Control" keys when selecting items in the list.

You can add new entries, clone entries, or delete entries by right-clicking on any item in the list and using the context menu.

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| JRL | Last Modified | Priority | Change Frequency | |
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| | | | | Create New |
| | | | | Create New Clone |

Items in the list can also be reordered by simply dragging then and dropping them to the new location.

If you decide that you do not want to use some of the optional fields "Last Modification date", "Priority" and "Change Frequency" simply uncheck the checkbox on the left of the desired item and it will be removed from the list. To add it back, check the box.

For the "Last Modification date" field, you have the choice between displaying only the date, or the date and time. If the time is displayed, you also have the option of displaying the time in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC).

| Last Modification | 2012-08-16T11:22:19 | | Display Time | 🔲 UTC |
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You can click on the column header of the list to resize the width of that column to fit the longest entry in the list. The columns can also be manually resized.

The "search" and "find and replace" features and self-explanatory and don't require much explanation.

| Detail | Replace | About | | | |
|--------|---------|-------|-------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Find | | | Replace with | Find |
| | | Case | e Sensitive | hopideo min | Replace Selected |
| | | | | | Replace All |
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Please note that the application will NOT warn you if you are overwriting an existing file, and it will also NOT warn you if you close the program without saving your changes. Changes to your sitemap file will NOT be written to disk until you click on the "Save" button.

At this point, this tool is NOT capable of auto-generating your sitemap by crawling your website, and it is also NOT capable of publishing your sitemap for you. Stay tuned for future updates!

We hope you find this application useful!

