

FileStorm and FileStorm Pro 1.5.1 for Mac OS X



FileStorm version 1.5 adds improved functionality, extensive customization capabilities, and increased compatibility. Not only does this new version provide an extensive set of capabilities not available in other disk image utilities, it is now also the only tool that can create a disk image or CD on Mac OS X 10.2 that is completely backwards-compatible on Mac OS X 10.1.

New Features in 1.5

- Will now create a finalized disk image or CD on OS 10.2 that will correctly display background when mounted on OS 10.1
- More complete control over how the icons on a disk image will be displayed including icon size, position, and alignment
- Improved interface for disc burning (under Mac OS 10.2 or later) that supports additional burners, allows selection between multiple burners, and controls burn speed, post-burn verification, ejection, and desktop mounting
- Ability to set custom installer background
- Cut, copy, and paste items in project window and between projects
- Add multi-language License Agreements which will display when the disk image is mounted
- New options for disk image creation
 - Format options- for building DMG and IMG disk image (OS 9 compatible)
 - Finalize options - for creating read-only and read-only compressed images
 - Encoding options - for post-processing finalized image (GZip, BZip, MacBinary, BinHex)
- Now supports forward slash "/" character in file and folder names, including installers and uninstallers
- Added additional shell script support
 - Ability to execute scripts at launch/exit of installer and uninstaller
 - Added new runtime variables (useful for script parameters) of %INSTALLER_ITEMS% (path to installer's Installer Items folder) and %SELF% (path to installer/uninstaller application)
- Installer Replace Newer option now checks for version info in packages or version resource ('vers') before using the default creation date check
- Added new AppleScript variable "building" to wait for build, finalize, encode completion allowing for interactive AppleScripts

Fixes in 1.5

- Fixed uninstaller bug not setting its menu titles correctly when installer ran from read-only disk image
- Background image now shows correctly if disk image created with Mac OS X 10.2 Finder's "Show Item Info" View option turned on
- Fixed incorrect display of "installation incomplete" warning at the end of the install if you chose Quit from the File menu
- Improved handling of relative paths in project files
- Fixed bug in authenticated installers with non-ASCII characters (trademark, etc.) in launch path name
- Saving FileStorm project file now preserves CVS information
- Better error checking during build and installs
- Developed workarounds for various Mac OS X 10.2 caching problems that could cause icons to display incorrectly on disk images

New Features and Fixes in 1.5.1

- Added Prompt for Logout and Prompt for Restart Quit Actions to Install Items. FileStorm installers can now be set to optionally logout a user or restart the user's computer at the end of an installation if a particular item is installed. For more information, see Quit Action under Install Item in FileStorm Help
- Fixed a bug introduced in 1.5 causing an error when copying symbolic links or read-only files/folders during a Build
- Corrected a problem with the eSellerate proxy dialog appearing behind the serial number dialog on Mac OS X 10.1 when registering on a dial-up connection