

IP Messenger for MacOS X Read Me

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This version is the final version for Mac OS X 10.2 Jaguar or 10.3 Panther.
There is no plan to upgrade for legacy OSs.

1. Overview

- IP Messenger is a pop-up style instant messaging software for Local Area Networks.
- This software is a port. You can get the original version of IP Messenger (for Windows, by H.Shirouzu) in following URL.
IP Messenger (<http://ipmsg.org/index.html.en>)
- There are many compatible implementations for other platforms, just like this software.

2. Freeware

- IP Messenger is a Freeware, and source code is opened to the public.

3. Requirements

- Mac OS X v10.2.x Jaguar or Mac OS X 10.3.x Panther
- A Macintosh Computer (PowerPC)
- LAN (Local Area Network) to connect

4. License Agreement

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5. Install

- Double click .dmg file, then the volume will be mounted.
- Copy the application file to any folder(/Application recommended).

6. Upgrade

- If you use older version, quit the older version and overwrite newest version.

7. Uninstall

- Quit the Application and remove application file.
- To uninstall completely, remove a following file.
~/Library/Preferences/IPMessenger.plist

8. Usage

IP Messenger is easy to use.

8.1 Sending Message

To open new message window, choose menu item from "Message" menu.

Write message, select users to send, and press the "Send" button.

To transfer files/folders, drop from finder to message text area.

Users with left side attachment icon means supporting files/folders transfer.

8.2 Receiving Message

When a message is received, window will pop-up.

If attachments exist, Attachment Drawer opens and you can download them.

8.3 Absence Mode

You can choose absence mode from "Absence" menu.

In absence mode, the dock icon will be changed, and reply automatically when message received.

8.4 Preference Settings

When choose "Preferences..." menu item from Application menu, you can change preference settings of IP Messenger.

9. Support

The latest executable application and source code is opened to the public in following URL.

<http://ishwt.net/en/software/ipmsg/>

If there are bug reports, requests or questions, please use contact form which exists on this site.