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Cinnamon applets

There are several very useful applets available to improve the desktop experience. Below is a list of several and some comments when necessary.

SSH Launcher

A small applet sitting in the system tray that provides quick access to ssh configuration stored in \sim /.ssh/config in a way similar to PuTTY's quick-launcher.

Original version (has since been updated to v1.1): https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/93

Fixed version 1.0: https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/223

In the 'fixed version', the edit config option has an error and needs to be changed after installation.

vi ~/.local/share/cinnamon/applets/sshlauncher@sotiwin/launch_editor.sh

remove the chmod commands before and after the gedit command.

Grouped Window List

This applet replaces the regular task window list with app grouping and thumbnails and previews. Similar to Windows 7. (Fork of WindowList with App Grouping / Icing Task Manager, built-in in Cinnamon 4)

grouped window list settings.json

Windows Quick List with Close Button

This applet adds a small icon in the system tray that provides a list of all open windows and an option to switch to them or close them.

https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/98

CPU Monitor

Small text based cpu load indicator in system tray.

https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/8

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Graphical Hardware Monitor

Shows CPU/Mem in graphical form in system tray.

Requirement:

sudo apt install gir1.2-gtop-2.0

https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/12

Volume control with apps

Enables individual application volume control from the systray

https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/150

Scripts Menu

Adds a dynamic menu with scripts from a directory (default ~/.scripts-applet which needs to be created first)

https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/185

GPaste Reloaded

clipboard manager to be able to search/retrieve multiple clipboard entries requires gpaste deamon to be installed

https://cinnamon-spices.linuxmint.com/applets/view/237

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