HyperHermann

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User's manual

(A copy of this manual, HH_14eng.doc, Word 97/2000 format, can be found on the installation CD. It can also be downloaded from the HyperHermann web site.)

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1. Copyright, safety concerns, and disclaimer

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HyperHermann is rigorously copy protected. After installing the program, you have to get a password from the author. This password can only be used on the hard drive where the program was installed. See also Section 5, **First startup**, below!

HyperHermann has been thoroughly tested, but as with all computer software it is difficult to make sure that no errors remain. It is therefore sold "as-is", and the author takes no responsibility for any adverse effects which the installation and use of the program may have on your computer or its software.

2. The Rorschach pictures in *HyperHermann*

The ten Rorschach cards occur in many places, and in several formats, in *HyperHermann*. The pictures of the Rorschach plates contained in *HyperHermann* are not exact replications. It is strictly forbidden to use them for other than educational and scoring purposes, to print them, or to copy them to any other computer document or application.

It is also important that the Rorschach pictures are not shown to unauthorised persons. As the owner of a copy of *HyperHermann* it is your responsibility that the program is not used by people without a legitimate professional motive, or otherwise used in inappropriate ways.

Beside passwording and copy protection, four more steps have been taken to prohibit any inappropriate use of the Rorschach cards in *HyperHermann*:

- The entire Rorschach plates are never shown in their natural size. (However, at some pages in the program it is possible to have a look at card details in natural size.)
- When the entire plates are shown, they have a patterned background instead of a white one.
- A warning text about non-legitimate uses of the pictures is always shown together with the plates.
- It is not possible to print out the Rorschach pictures from *HyperHermann*.

3. System requirements

HyperHermann is a free-standing Windows application, which although based on Macromedia Director does not require the presence of Director.

HyperHermann requires an IBM PC (or clone) computer with a hard drive (8 Mb of free disk space needed), a CD-ROM unit, an SVGA monitor, some 5 Mb of free RAM and Windows 95 or later installed. It is an advantage if the machine is not to slow; a Pentium processor is recommended.

4. Installation

From the installation CD: Insert the CD and double-click the file HHsetup.

From a downloaded HH.zip file: Unpack the file and double-click the file HH.setup.

The installation procedure will start; just follow the on-screen instructions. The installer creates a folder named "HyperHermann" on your hard drive at a location which you can

determine yourself. Inside the folder, you will find the executable file HH_Win95. This is the actual program HyperHermann.

5. First startup

Now perform the following steps to get a personal password:

• Open the HyperHermann folder and double-click the HH_Win95 icon. After a few seconds, a key consisting of a number of letters and numerals will be shown.

• Write down this key and send it to the author, for example by fax or e-mail. For addresses, see below! Be very careful when you write down the letters; note that some are in uppercase and some in lowercase. Then quit HyperHermann and wait for an answer...

• In return, you will receive a personal counterkey (password). When you start *HyperHermann* in the following, you must type in your password when requested.

If the program is copied to another computer or hard drive, or if it is installed anew from the CD, the password which you first received will *not* work. So if a disk error occurs which makes it necessary for you to reinstall *HyperHermann*, you must again go through the get-a-password procedure.

6. Stepping through the program

HyperHermann is hopefully self-instructing to a large degree, but certain basic features of it will be described here.

The program consists of a number of pages containing text, pictures and sometimes sounds. One can go from one page to another, or perform other actions, by mouse-clicking on so-called "buttons"; the icons and/or text of these buttons explain their function. For example, on the front page (the one which first appears when you have typed in the password) there are two buttons marked **More about HyperHermann** and **Click here to continue**, respectively. Clicking the first button causes a text about copyright and similar things to appear; from this text one goes back to the main program by clicking another button (marked **Return to HyperHermann**).

Do not double-click on buttons one click is enough. Also note that the cursor changes to an hourglass for a short while (almost) every time you click a button. When the cursor has changed back to an arrow, you may go on to clicking another button.

The button **Click here to continue** on the front page leads to page 2 in the program. This is the language selection page (see below). Clicking the **Next** button on the second page leads to the "Welcome" page, where you can find a more comprehensive description of how the program is used and some suggestions about different possible ways of going through *HyperHermann*. The text is in a field which can be scrolled in the usual Windows (or Macintosh) manner.

On page 4 you can find an active table of contents, i.e. one may click at a heading of one's choice and thereby go directly to that section. Another way of moving fast within *HyperHermann* – from any page – is to click on the page number symbol and then, when prompted, to type the number of the page one wants to go to. (Thanks to Elisabeth Engman who suggested this feature!) This mode of course presupposes that one knows what the different pages contain, even if one is not on the Contents page. Therefore, the table of contents is also printed at the end of this manual.

Now you are hopefully fully competent to handle *HyperHermann!* But a few word about language selection should also be added.

7. Choice of language

All button texts in *HyperHermann,* and certain general instructions and warning texts, are in English. The main text can be displayed in English, Spanish or Swedish. (Later versions will possibly have more options.) The choice between languages is made on page 2. You can go to the language selection page from any page in *HyperHermann* by mouse-clicking the button marked **Language**. You can also call up a language selection window

on the page which you are reading at the time by holding down the **Ctrl** key while clicking the button **Language**.

If you choose English or Spanish as the main language, the Rorschach codes for determinants etc. will also be displayed in English/Spanish. (If the Swedish language alternative is chosen, the codes are shown in German since there is no Swedish code system for the Rorschach.) To translate Rorschach terms and codes between German, English, Spanish and Swedish, press the button **Dictionary**.

There is also a button with the help of which you can turn certain sounds in *HyperHermann* (those which accompany the button clicks) on and off. Finally there is a place on page 2 where you can tell *HyperHermann* whether to show or not to show that page each time the program is started.

8. Troubleshooting

Here are some possible errors and what to do about them

• The installer does not work.

– The installation CD may be physically damaged, the download process went wrong in some way, or there may be some disk error on your computer's hard drive. If you have the opportunity, check the hard drive with a disk repair utility before returning the CD to the author.

• I have received my personal password, but it does not work.

– If you have copied the installed program to another computer or another hard drive, the password will NOT work. You will have to re-install the program.

– If the program is still on the drive where you installed it, please check the password and try again! If it still does not work, check that you sent the right code word to me. If not, send the correct one.

• The program locks up so that no manoeuvring is possible, not even quitting in the normal way.

– Let's hope that it is a random event... restart your computer and try to start *HyperHermann* once more. If there is another crash, please note how and where in the program it occurs, and then report to me!

HyperHermann is a fairly new program on the PC market. It has been thoroughly tested, but it is quite possible that problems remain which have not been foreseen. If you encounter a problem which is not listed above, please report it to me in an e-mail, a fax or an ordinary letter. I will also remain *very* grateful to you if you send in other suggestions for improvements in *HyperHermann*.

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