

# Alarms

Powerful Alarm Program for Palm OS

Version 1.0

## Quick User's Manual

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## Downloading, Installation and Registration

### System Requirements

*Alarms* requires Palm OS 4.0 or later. A color Palm OS5/ARM-based device is recommended.

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### Downloading

*Alarms* program is distributed in archive zip format. After the download, you should unpack the archive file into any temporary folder. You may use the freeware WinZip program for it.

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### Installation

To have *Alarms* in your Palm-organizer you should install *Alarms.prc* file. Double-click on *Alarms.prc* to launch the Palm Install Tool. Inside this box, you will see a white area, which should contain the name of the file you wish to install. Click the Done button and HotSync your Palm. HotSync will now copy the software across and installation is complete.

ATTENTION! The Install Tool error message: "Unable to install... File does not exist." appears when path name is too long or the zip was not unpacked to a folder. In this case, please unpack the zip to the root C:\ folder and reinstall from this folder.

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### Registration

You can freely use the full functional trial version of *Alarms* during 7 days. Then you will have to purchase the program or to remove it from your Palm-organizer.

Once the trial period ends you must purchase and enter a registration code to continue using the software. You do not need to re-install the software. Simply enter a registration code and your Trial version will be converted into a Registered version.

- Select Options -> Registration item from the *Alarms* menu
- Carefully enter the Registration Code
- Tap Register button when done

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### Revision History

#### Version 1.2

- Daily repeated alarm bugfix
- Hourly repeated alarm bugfix
- Sorting in Alarms window bugfix

Version 1.1

- Categories in alarms list are added
- First letter look-up in alarms list is added
- Full Centro support is added
- Misk bug fixes

Version 1.0

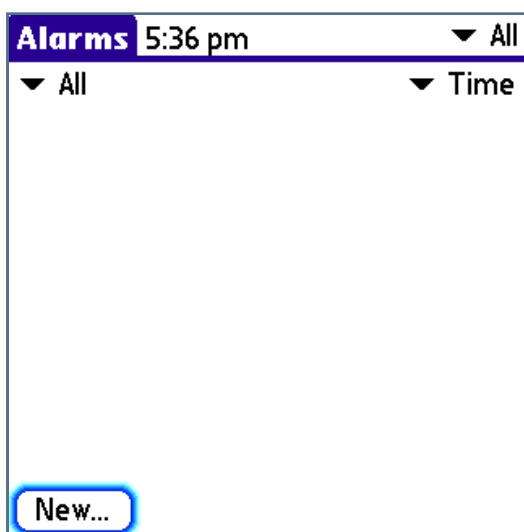
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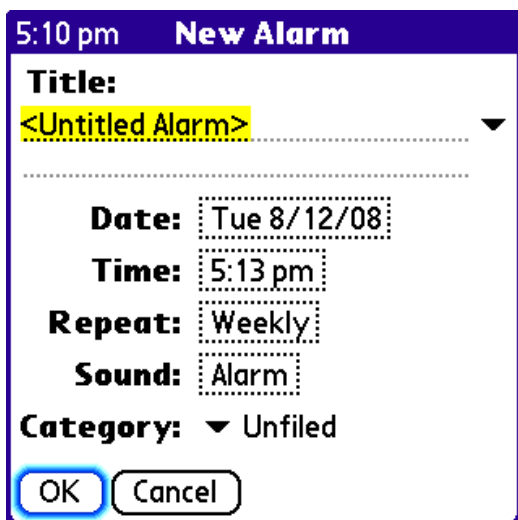
## Using And Customization

### Creating a New Alarm

Start *Alarms*. You will see the main screen of the program - alarms list. After the first launch it will be empty.



In order to add new alarm Tap New... button. You will see New Alarm window.



Title - the title of alarm. Tap arrow at the right of title field for using [predefined quick titles](#). You may also add your own quick titles.

Date - the date when alarm will be activated in the first time. In order to change tap the [date entry box](#).

Time - the time when alarm will be activated in the first time. In order to change tap the [time entry box](#).

Repeat - repeat options. In order to change tap the entry box. See chapter [Repeat Options](#) for more information.

Sound - sound preferences. In order to change tap the entry box. See chapter [Sound Preferences](#) for more information.

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Repeat Options

In order to change repeat options tap Repeat pick list.

Repeat None

Repeat Options

Repeat: ▼ None

☐ Remove after alert

Alarm: - Outdated -

Occurs: 2:24 pm once at Thu 6/26/08

OK

Cancel

Set as Default

In this case alarm will ring once. If Remove after alert checkbox is selected, this alarm will be deleted from alarms list after actuation.

Repeat Hourly

Repeat Options

Repeat: ▼ Hourly

Every: ▼ .....1 Hour(s)

End on: ▼ No End Date

On: S M T W T F S

From: 8:00 am To: 8:00 pm

Alarm: Thu 6/26/08 3:00 pm

Occurs: Every hour from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm on weekdays

OK

Cancel

Set as Default

In this case alarm will ring every 1, 2, 3... etc. hours depend on number entered in Every field.  
End on - after this date alarm will never ring. If selected *No End Date* - alarm will ring endlessly.  
On - alarm will ring only on selected days of week.  
From, To - alarm will ring only if time will be between From and To bounds.

Repeat Daily

Repeat Options

Repeat:
▼ Daily

Every:
▼ .....1 Day(s)

End on:
▼ No End Date

Alarm: Fri 6/27/08 2:24 pm  
Occurs: 2:24 pm every day

OK Cancel Set as Default

In this case alarm will ring every 1, 2, 3... etc. days depend on number entered in Every field.  
End on - after this date alarm will never ring. If selected *No End Date* - alarm will ring endlessly.

Repeat Weekly

Repeat Options

Repeat:
▼ Weekly

Every:
▼ .....1 Week(s)

End on:
▼ No End Date

On:
S M T W T F S

Alarm: Wed 7/2/08 3:34 pm  
Occurs: 3:34 pm every week on every day

OK Cancel Set as Default

In this case alarm will ring every 1, 2, 3... etc. weeks depend on number entered in Every field.  
End on - after this date alarm will never ring. If selected *No End Date* - alarm will ring endlessly.  
On - alarm will ring only on selected days of week.

Repeat Monthly

Repeat Options

Repeat:
▼ Monthly

Every:
▼ .....1 Month(s)

End on:
▼ No End Date

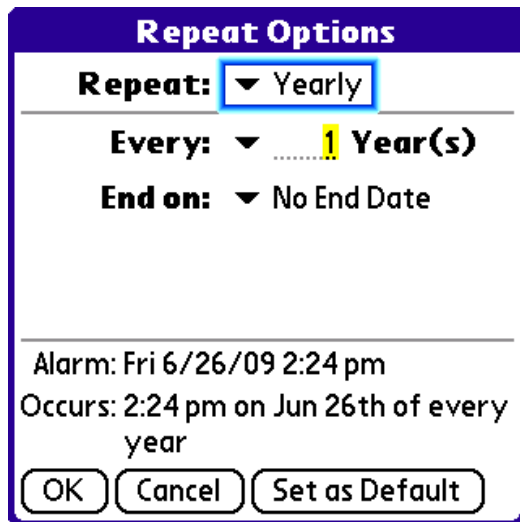
Repeat by:
▼ Date

Alarm: Sat 7/26/08 2:24 pm  
Occurs: 2:24 pm on 26th of every month

OK Cancel Set as Default

In this case alarm will ring every 1, 2, 3... etc. months depend on number entered in Every field.  
End on - after this date alarm will never ring. If selected *No End Date* - alarm will ring endlessly.  
Repeat by - if selected *Date* alarm will ring on the 1st day of month. If selected *Day* alarm will ring on selected day of week, for example "every first Tuesday of every second month".

Repeat Yearly

A dialog box titled "Repeat Options" with a purple header. It contains three settings: "Repeat:" with a dropdown menu showing "Yearly", "Every:" with a dropdown menu showing "1 Year(s)", and "End on:" with a dropdown menu showing "No End Date". Below these settings, it displays the alarm details: "Alarm: Fri 6/26/09 2:24 pm" and "Occurs: 2:24 pm on Jun 26th of every year". At the bottom, there are three buttons: "OK", "Cancel", and "Set as Default".

**Repeat Options**

**Repeat:** ▼ Yearly

**Every:** ▼ .....1 Year(s)

**End on:** ▼ No End Date

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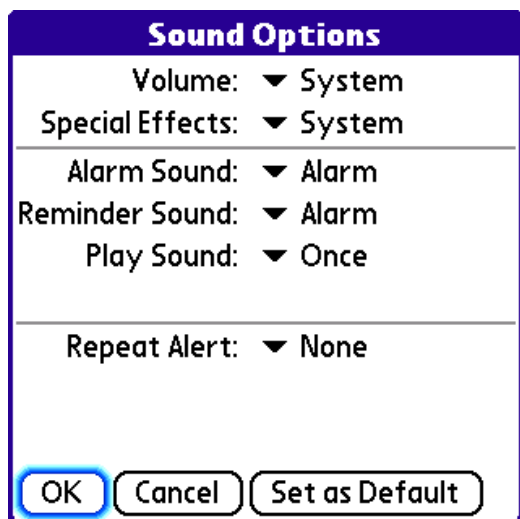
Alarm: Fri 6/26/09 2:24 pm  
Occurs: 2:24 pm on Jun 26th of every year

OK Cancel Set as Default

In this case alarm will ring every 1, 2, 3... etc. years depend on number entered in Every field.  
End on - after this date alarm will never ring. If selected *No End Date* - alarm will ring endlessly.

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Sound Options

A dialog box titled "Sound Options" with a purple header. It contains five settings: "Volume:" with a dropdown menu showing "System", "Special Effects:" with a dropdown menu showing "System", "Alarm Sound:" with a dropdown menu showing "Alarm", "Reminder Sound:" with a dropdown menu showing "Alarm", and "Play Sound:" with a dropdown menu showing "Once". Below these settings, it displays "Repeat Alert:" with a dropdown menu showing "None". At the bottom, there are three buttons: "OK", "Cancel", and "Set as Default".

**Sound Options**

**Volume:** ▼ System

**Special Effects:** ▼ System

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**Alarm Sound:** ▼ Alarm

**Reminder Sound:** ▼ Alarm

**Play Sound:** ▼ Once

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**Repeat Alert:** ▼ None

OK Cancel Set as Default

Volume - the volume of alarm sound. In order to change tap corresponding pick list.

Special Effects - special effects like vibrate or led, depend on your handeld features. In order to change tap corresponding pick list.

Sound - the sound of alarm. May be MIDI Tone, Ring Tone, or MP3/WAV file. In order to change tap corresponding pick list.

Reminder Sound - the sound of alarm for Repeat Alert preference.

Play Sound - this preference is useful for short sonuds. Sound will play as many times as settet in this preference.

Repeat Alert - if you didn't react on ringing alarm (i.e didn't tap Clear or Go To buttons), alarm will repeat as many time, as settet in this preference.

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## Alarms List

You may choose desired view of Alarms List using two pick lists in the top part of Alarms List window.

Alarms	All	None
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Wake me up</b> 6:00 am every day Next: Fri 6/27/08 6:00 am	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Wake me up</b> Next: Fri 6/27/08 6:00 am	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Meeting with John Smith</b> 2:30 pm once at Mon 6/30/08 Next: Mon 6/30/08 2:30 pm	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Meeting with John Smith</b> Next: Mon 6/30/08 2:30 pm	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Fitness Training</b> 7:30 pm every week on Mon, Wed and Fri Next: Fri 6/27/08 7:30 pm	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Fitness Training</b> Next: Fri 6/27/08 7:30 pm	
<input type="button" value="New..."/> <input type="button" value="Edit..."/> <input type="button" value="Delete..."/>	<input type="button" value="New..."/> <input type="button" value="Edit..."/> <input type="button" value="Delete..."/>	

Alarms	All	None
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Wake me up</b> 6:00 am every day	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Wake me up</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Meeting with John Smith</b> 2:30 pm once at Mon 6/30/08	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Meeting with John Smith</b>	
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If the checkbox at the left of alarm's name is unchecked, this alarm is switched off and will never ring.

In order to edit alarm tap on alarm's title an alarms list, or highlite desired alarm using 5-way navigator and tap Edit... button.

In order to delete alarm tap on alarm's title an alarms list, then tap Delete button in *Edit Alarm* window, or highlite desired alarm using 5-way navigator and tap Delete... button.

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## Chime

Chime is a cyclic alarm, repeating in equal period of time.

Chime

☒ Enable Chime

Every: 

▼ Hour

From: 

8:00 am

To: 

8:00 pm

Days: 

SMTWTFS

Sound: 

Alarm

Next Chime: Thu 6/26/08 3:00 pm

OK

Cancel

Every - desired period of time

From, To - chime will ring only if time is between From and To time bounds.

Days - chime will ring only on selected days of week.

Sound - sound preferences. See chapter [Sound Preferences](#) for more information.

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