
File Manager

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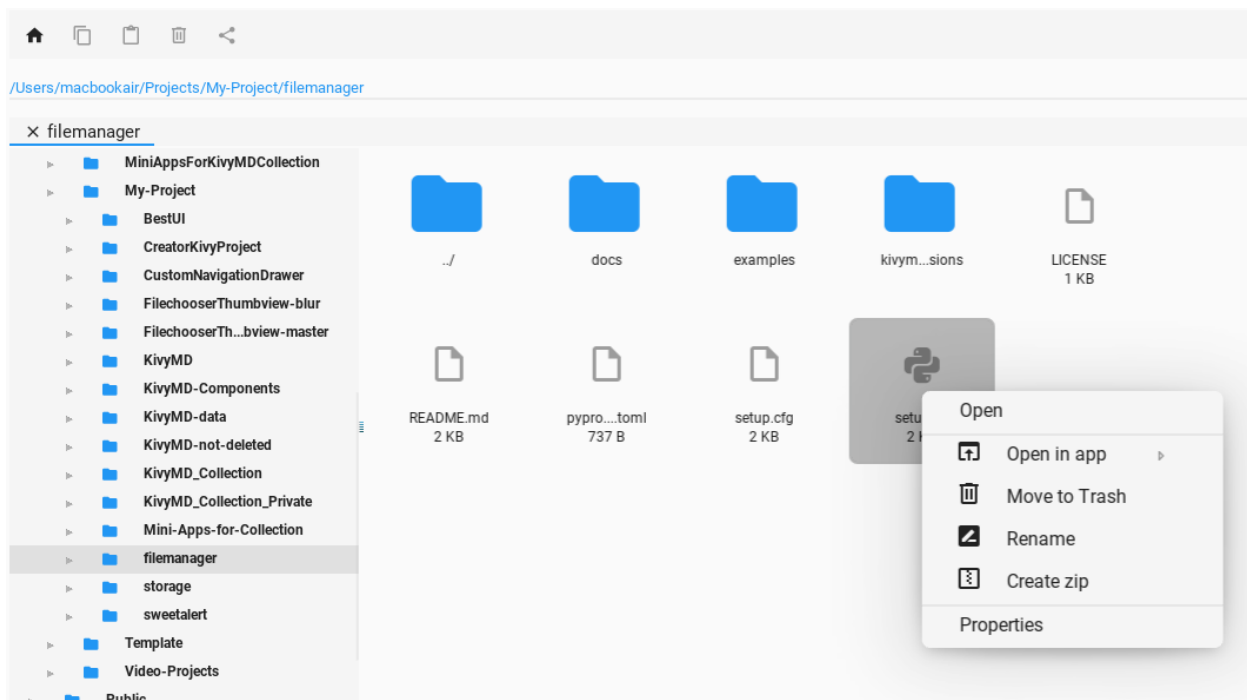
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1.1 Components

1.1.1 File Manager

File manager for the desktop.



Warning: We have not tested the file manager for Windows OS. Therefore, we do not guarantee the absence of bugs in this OS. Contact [technical support](#) if you have any problems using the file manager.

Usage

```
from kivymd.app import MDApp

from kivymd_extensions.filemanager import FileManager

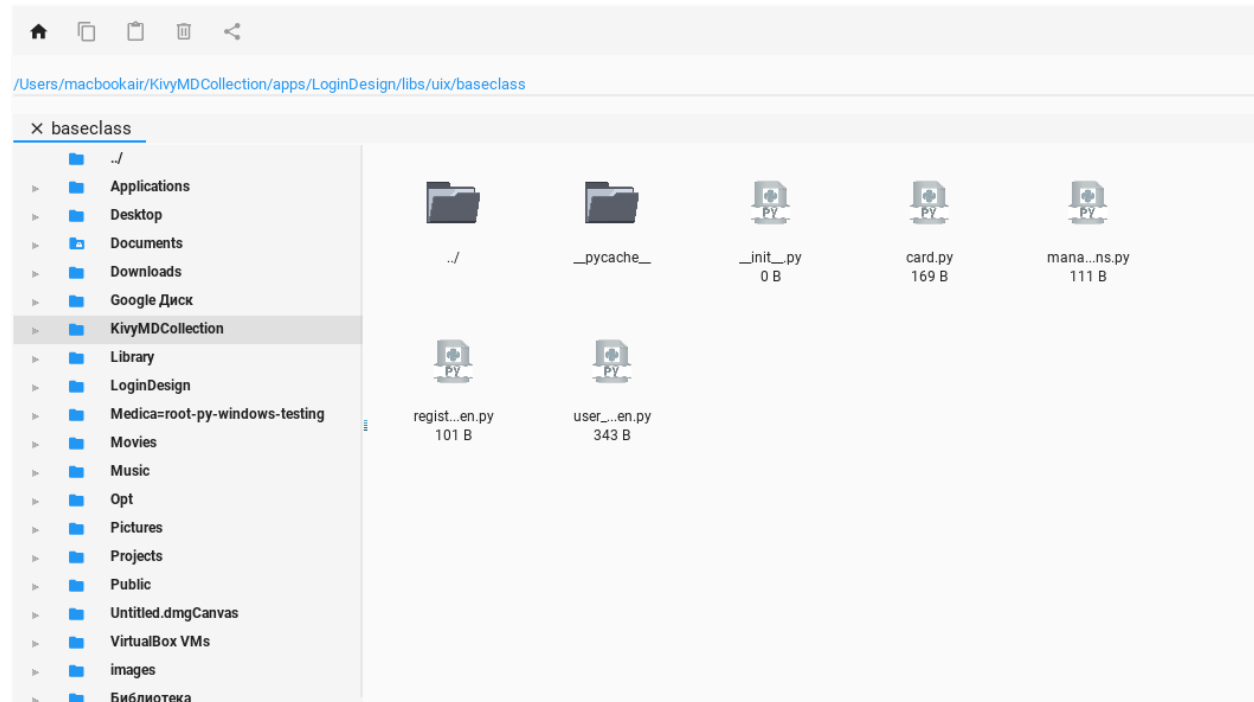
class Example(MDApp):
    def on_start(self):
        FileManager().open()

Example().run()
```

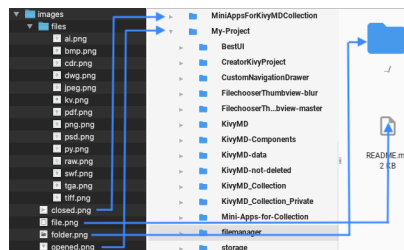
Customization

If you want to use custom icons in the file manager, you need to specify the path to the icon theme:

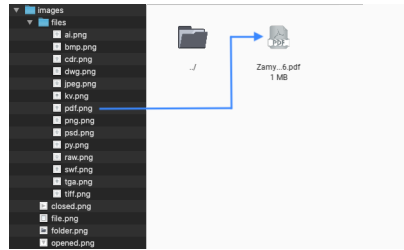
```
FileManager(path_to_skin="path/to/images").open()
```



The resource directory structure for the file manager theme looks like this:

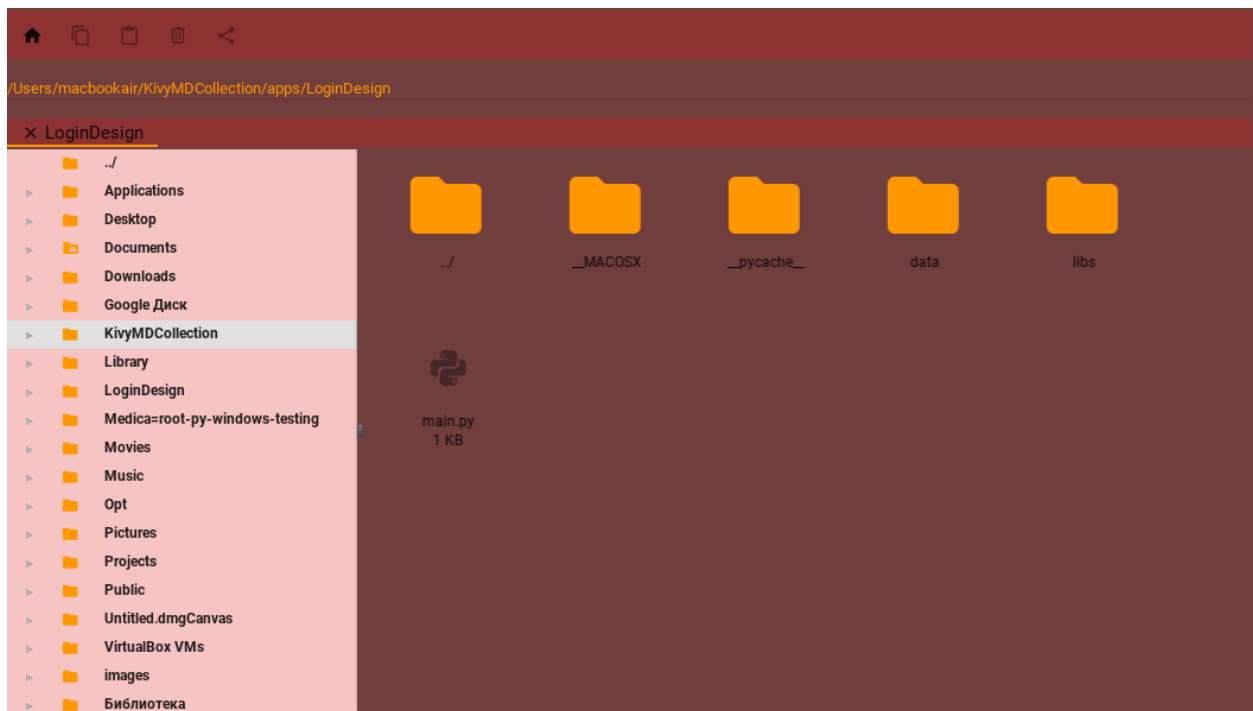


The `files` directory contains images whose names correspond to the file types:



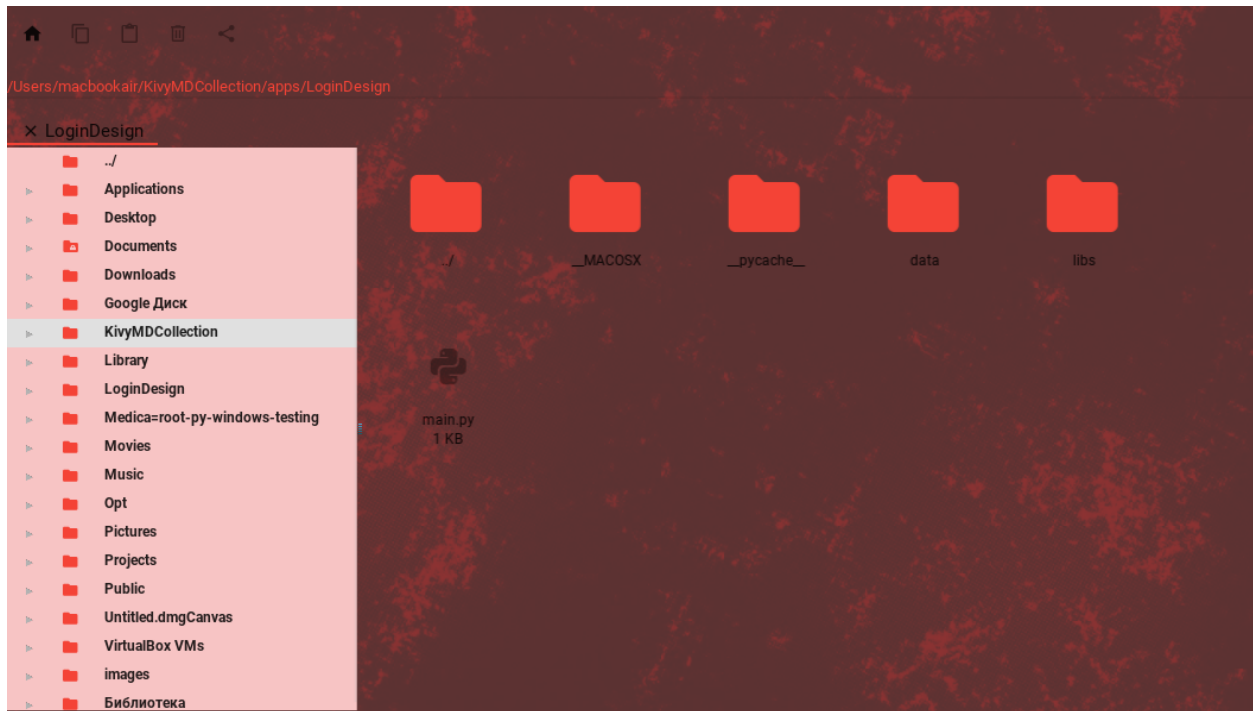
Color

```
FileManager(bg_color=(1, 0, 0, 0.2)).open()
```



Texture

```
FileManager(bg_texture="path/to/texture.png").open()
```



Warning: If you are using `bg_texture` parameter then `bg_color` parameter will be ignored.

Events

on_tab_switch Called when switching tabs.

on_tap_file Called when the file is clicked.

on_tap_dir Called when the folder is clicked.

on_context_menu Called at the end of any actions of the context menu, be it copying, archiving files and other actions.

```
from kivymd.app import MDApp

from kivymd_extensions.filemanager import FileManager

class Example(MDApp):
    def on_context_menu(self, instance_file_manager, name_context_plugin):
        print("Event 'on_context_menu'", instance_file_manager, name_context_plugin)

    def on_tap_file(self, instance_file_manager, path):
        print("Event 'on_tap_file'", instance_file_manager, path)

    def on_tap_dir(self, instance_file_manager, path):
        print("Event 'on_tap_dir'", instance_file_manager, path)

    def on_tab_switch(
        self,
        instance_file_manager,
```

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```

instance_tabs,
instance_tab,
instance_tab_label,
tab_text,
):
    print(
        "Event 'on_tab_switch'",
        instance_file_manager,
        instance_tabs,
        instance_tab,
        instance_tab_label,
        tab_text,
    )

def build(self):
    self.theme_cls.primary_palette = "Red"

def on_start(self):
    manager = FileManager()
    manager.bind(
        on_tap_file=self.on_tap_file,
        on_tap_dir=self.on_tap_dir,
        on_tab_switch=self.on_tab_switch,
        on_context_menu=self.on_context_menu,
    )
    manager.open()

```

```
Example().run()
```

API - `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager`

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.RightContentCls` (***kwargs*)
 Same as `IRightBody`, but allows the widget to receive touch events instead of triggering the `ListItem`'s ripple effect

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerTab` (***kwargs*)
 Class implementing content for a tab.

manager

FileManager object.

path

Path to root directory for instance *manager*.

path is an `StringProperty` and defaults to `''`.

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerTextFieldSearch` (***kw*)
 The class implements a text field for searching files.

See rule `FileManagerTextFieldSearch` in `kivymd_extensions/filemanager/filemanager.kv` file.

hint_text

See `:attr:~kivy.uix.textinput.TextInput.hint_text`

background_normal

See `:attr:~kivy.uix.textinput.TextInput.background_normal`

background_active

See :attr:`~kivy.uix.textinput.TextInput.background_active`

type

Search files by name or extension. Available options are 'name', 'ext'.

icon is an `OptionProperty` and defaults to 'name'.

manager

See `FileManager` object.

on_enter (*self, instance, value*)

Called when the user hits 'Enter' in text field.

create_menu (*self, interval*)

set_type_search (*self, instance_context_menu, instance_context_item*)

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerFilesSearchResultsDialog` (**kwargs)

The class implements displaying a list with the results of file search.

data_results

manager

See `FileManager` object.

on_open (*self*)

on_dismiss (*self*)

go_to_directory_found_file (*self, path_to_found_file*)

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerSettingsLeftWidgetItem` (**kwargs)

Pseudo-interface for widgets that go in the left container for ListItems that support it.

Implements nothing and requires no implementation, for annotation only.

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerSettingsColorItem` (**kwargs)

Overrides `add_widget` in a `ListItem` to include support for `I*Body` widgets when the appropriate containers are present.

color

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerSettings` (**kwargs)

Box layout class. See module documentation for more information.

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManagerTextFieldSearchDialog` (**kwargs)

Base class for context menu windows.

manager

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.ContextMenuBehavior` (**kwargs)

Events

on_enter Fired when mouse enter the bbox of the widget.

on_leave Fired when the mouse exit the widget.

on_enter (*self*)

Fired when mouse enter the bbox of the widget.

on_leave (*self*)

Fired when the mouse exit the widget.

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.ContextMenuItemMore (**kwargs)`
Context menu item.

icon
Icon of item.
icon is an `StringProperty` and defaults to ''.

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.ContextMenuItem (**kwargs)`
Context menu item.

icon
Icon of item.
icon is an `StringProperty` and defaults to ''.

class `kivymd_extensions.filemanager.filemanager.FileManager (**kwargs)`

Events

on_tab_switch Called when switching tabs.

on_tap_file Called when the file is clicked.

on_tap_dir Called when the folder is clicked.

on_context_menu Called at the end of any actions of the context menu, be it copying, archiving files and other actions.

on_open_plugin_dialog Description.

on_dismiss_plugin_dialog Description.

path
The path to the directory in which the file manager will open by default.
path is an `StringProperty` and defaults to `os.getcwd()`.

context_menu_open
Open or close context menu.
context_menu_open is an `BooleanProperty` and defaults to `False`.

path_to_skin
Path to directory with custom images.
path_to_skin is an `StringProperty` and defaults to ''.

bg_color
Background color of file manager in the format (r, g, b, a).
bg_color is a `ListProperty` and defaults to `[]`.

bg_texture
Background texture of file manager.
bg_texture is a `StringProperty` and defaults to ''.

auto_dismiss = False

add_color_panel (*self*)

apply_palette (*self*)
Applies the color theme from the settings file when opening the file manager window.

apply_properties_on_show_settings (*self*)

Applies the settings from the “settings.ini” file to the checkboxes of items on the settings panel.

show_taskbar (*self*)

hide_taskbar (*self*)

show_settings (*self, instance_button*)

Opens the settings panel.

hide_settings (*self, theme_panel*)

Closes the settings panel.

set_path (*self, path*)

Sets the directory path for the *FileChooserIconLayout* class.

get_formatting_text_for_tab (*self, text*)

add_tab (*self, path_to_file*)

Adds a new tab in the file manager.

Parameters path_to_file – The path to the file or folder that was right-clicked.

remove_tab (*self, instance_tabs, instance_tab_label, instance_tab, instance_tab_bar, instance_carousel*)

Removes an open tab in the file manager.

Parameters

- **instance_tabs** – <kivymd.uix.tab.MDTabs object>
- **instance_tab_label** – <kivymd.uix.tab.MDTabsLabel object>
- **instance_tab** – <__main__.Tab object>
- **instance_tab_bar** – <kivymd.uix.tab.MDTabsBar object>
- **instance_carousel** – <kivymd.uix.tab.MDTabsCarousel object>

create_header_menu (*self*)

Creates a menu in the file manager header.

update_background_search_field (*self, instance, value*)

open_context_menu (*self, entry_object, type_chooser*)

Opens a context menu on right-clicking on a file or folder.

tap_on_file_dir (*self, *touch*)

Called when the file/dir is clicked.

call_context_menu_plugin (*self, name_plugin, entry_object*)

tap_to_context_menu_item (*self, instance_menu, instance_item, entry_object*)

dismiss_context_menu (*self*)

context_menu_dismiss (*self, *args*)

Called when closing the context menu.

get_menu_right_click (*self, entry_object, type_chooser*)

Returns a list of dictionaries for creating context menu items.

get_icon_file (*self, path_to_file*)

Method that returns the icon path for the file.

update_files (*self, instance_pludin_dialog, path*)

is_dir (*self*, *directory*, *filename*)

on_tap_file (*self*, **args*)

Called when the file is clicked.

on_tap_dir (*self*, **args*)

Called when the folder is clicked.

on_tab_switch (*self*, **args*)

Called when switching tab.

on_open_plugin_dialog (*self*, **args*)

on_dismiss_plugin_dialog (*self*, **args*)

on_context_menu (*self*, **args*)

Called at the end of any actions of the context menu, be it copying, archiving files and other actions.

on_open (*self*)

Called when the ModalView is opened.

1.2 About

1.2.1 License

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1.3 kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins

1.3.1 API - kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins

```
class kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.PluginBaseDialog (**kwargs)
    Base class for context menu windows.

    bg_color
    bg_background
    instance_context_menu
    instance_manager
```

1.3.2 Submodules

kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu

API - kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu

```
class kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.ContextMenuPlugin (instance_manager,
en-
try_object=None)

    dismiss_plugin_dialog (self, instance_plugin_dialog, name_plugin)
    main (self, name_plugin)
```

Submodules

kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.properties

API - kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.properties

```
class kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.properties.DialogProperties (**kwargs)
    Base class for context menu windows.

    get_first_created (self)
    get_last_opened (self)
    get_last_changed (self)
    get_file_size (self)
    get_access_string (self)
    set_access (self, interval)
    on_instance_context_menu (self, instance, value)
    on_pre_open (self)
```

kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.remove**API - kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.remove**

class kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.remove.**DialogMoveToTrash** (**kwargs)
Base class for context menu windows.

kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.rename**API - kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.rename**

class kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.rename.**DialogRename** (**kwargs)
Base class for context menu windows.

set_focus (*self*, *interval*)

rename_file (*self*, *new_file_name*)

on_open (*self*)

kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.ziparchive**API - kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.ziparchive**

class kivymd_extensions.filemanager.libs.plugins.contextmenu.ziparchive.**DialogZipArchive** (**kwargs)
Base class for context menu windows.

set_progress_value (*self*, *count_files*, *count*)

set_name_packed_file (*self*, *file_name*)

on_open (*self*)

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