

Experiment with Native APIs



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Our Experiments

Application menu

Menu

System tray

Tray, Menu

Clipboard buffer

Clipboard,
globalShortcut, Tray,
Menu

Screenshot

desktopCapturer, screen,
globalShortcut

Git status

child_process, os

Demo

Application menu

Demo of the API

Dropdown — like File, Edit, View...

Menu module

Summary

Application menu

Native, app-level

Out of the way

Can store lots of stuff!

Demo

System tray

Demo of the API

OS-level icons

Tray module

Menu module

Summary

System tray

Instant access

Always visible

Always on

Demo

Clipboard buffer

Project with several modules

clipboard module

globalShortcut module

Tray module

Menu module

Summary

Clipboard buffer

API combos rock!

No Flash

Programmatic clipboard control

No clipboard change events

No outside-Electron cursor position

Demo Screenshot

Toy app for screenshots
desktopCapture module
screen module
globalShortcut module

Summary Screenshot

No browser sandbox

Audio and video APIs available

Demo

Git status

Access to host machine binaries

GUI for testing git status

child_process module

os module

Summary
Git status

Many app possibilities

**Remember security, compatibility, and
performance**