# tint2 documentation

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**tint2** is a simple panel/taskbar intentionally made for **openbox3**, but should also work with other window managers. The goal is to keep a clean and unintrusive look with code lightweight and compliance with freedesktop specifications.

# 1 Run

Running the command tint2 will create the config file in \$HOME/.config/tint2/tint2rc

You can customize tint2rc or specify another file on the command line with **-c** option. tint2 -c \$HOME/tint2.conf &

With Openbox3, add 'tint2 &' in Openbox config file \$HOME/.config/openbox/autostart.sh

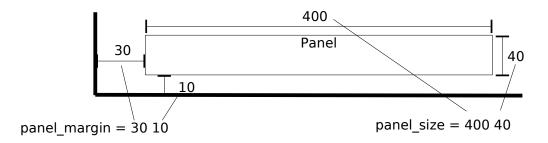
# 2 Copyright

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# 3 Configure

#### 3.1 Panel

- panel\_monitor = monitor where tint draw the panel the first monitor is 1, use 'all' to get one panel per monitor.
- panel\_position = vertical\_position horizontal\_position value for vertical\_position : bottom, top value for horizontal\_position : left, right, center
- panel\_size = width height width = 0 to get full monitor width
- panel\_margin = horizontal\_margin vertical\_margin horizontal\_margin = 0 to get full monitor width
- panel\_padding = horizontal\_left\_right\_padding vertical\_ padding horizontal\_spacing
- font\_shadow = boolean (0 or 1)
- panel\_background\_id = integer

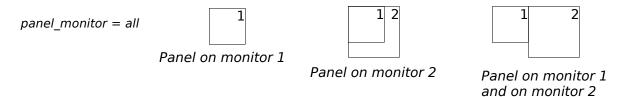


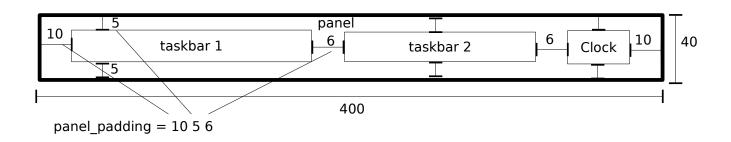
# Use % to adjust the panel size to monitor size

panel\_position = bottom center
panel\_size = 94% 30
panel\_margin = 0 0



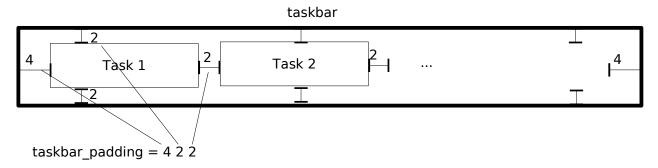
# Use panel monitor = all to get one panel per monitor (unless it's included into another one)





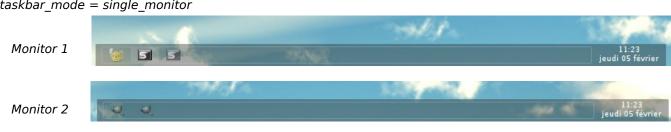
# 3.2 Taskbar, multi-desktop, multi-monitor

- taskbar\_mode = single\_desktop, multi\_desktop or single\_monitor
   taskbar\_mode = single\_desktop : tint show one taskbar with task of current desktop
   taskbar\_mode = multi\_desktop : tint show one taskbar per virtual desktop
   you can drag-and-drop task between desktop
   and clic on an empty taskbar to switch desktop
   taskbar mode = single monitor : tint show one taskbar with task of current monitor
- taskbar\_padding = horizontal\_left\_right\_padding vertical\_ padding horizontal\_spacing
- taskbar background id = integer



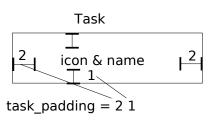
#### With 3 desktops and 2 monitors





#### 3.3 Task

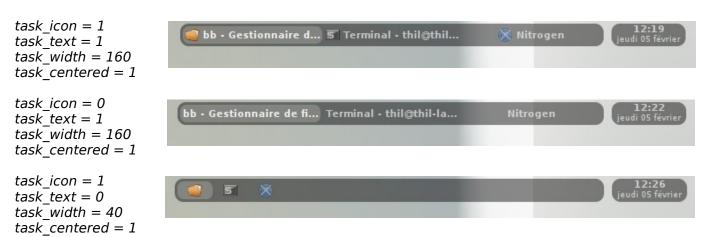
- task icon = boolean (0 or 1)
- task\_text = boolean (0 or 1)
- task centered = boolean (0 or 1)
- task\_width = width task\_width = 0 to get full taskbar width
- task\_padding = horizontal\_ padding vertical\_ padding
- task\_font = [FAMILY-LIST] [STYLE-OPTIONS] [SIZE]
- task\_font\_color = color opacity
- task\_active\_font\_color = color opacity
- task background id = integer
- task\_active\_background\_id = integer



#### The size of icon depend on task vertical padding



# Draw task with or without icon



# Icon's opacity follow text's opacity (task font color or task active font color)



# 3.4 Systray

- systray padding = horizontal left right padding vertical padding horizontal spacing
- systray\_background\_id = integer

comment systray padding to hide systray.

#### 3.5 Clock

- time1\_format = %H:%M time1\_format use 'strftime' syntax comment time1\_format and time2\_format to hide clock
- time1\_font = [FAMILY-LIST] [STYLE-OPTIONS] [SIZE]
- time2 format = %A %d %B
- time2\_font = [FAMILY-LIST] [STYLE-OPTIONS] [SIZE]
- clock font color = color opacity
- clock\_padding = horizontal\_ padding vertical\_ padding
- clock background id = integer

time1\_format = %d/%m %H:%M time1\_font = sans bold 8 #time2\_format = %A %d %B time2\_font = sans 6 clock\_font\_color = #020d35 80 clock\_padding = 0 0 clock\_background\_id = 0



# 3.6 Mouse action

customize mouse action with: none, close, toggle, iconify, shade, toggle\_iconify

mouse\_middle = none mouse\_right = close mouse\_scroll\_up = toggle mouse\_scroll\_down = iconify

# 3.7 Background and border

tint2rc config file start with background option.

- rounded = number of pixels
- background\_color = color opacity opacity = 0 to get backgroung transparency
- border width = width
- border\_color = color opacity
   opacity = 0 to get border transparency

tint2 identify each background with a number (1, 2, ...). Number 0 is reserved for full transparency background.

# Define background

rounded = 10 border\_width = 1 background\_color = #ffffff 40 border\_color = #ffffff 60

rounded = 1 border\_width = 0 background\_color = #ffffff 30 border\_color = #ffffff 15

# and use them on objects

panel\_background\_id = 1
taskbar\_background\_id = 0
task\_background\_id = 0
task\_active\_background\_id = 2
clock\_background\_id = 0



panel\_background\_id = 0
taskbar\_background\_id = 1
task\_background\_id = 0
task\_active\_background\_id = 2
clock\_background\_id = 1

