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|  | ROCKETLAUNCH!  *THE MANUAL* |

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# WHAT IS IT

A program to create new projects, in the right place, super super quick and how I want it, because I am lazy and impatient.

On the technical aspect, it is a Powershell script, written in imperative style, using Windows.Forms as GUI and compiled into PS2EXE.

# HOW TO USE ROCKETLAUNCH

Double-click the .exe. This window appears:

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|  | **“Name des Projects”** -> Fill it with a valid project code and name, it will create a project folder in the right place. By default it tries to detect what code could be.  If the project code is messy it tries to correct it.  **“Welche Projektvorlage…”** -> Choose a template for your project. By default, “Minimal” is selected.  **“Ausgangsdateien einbeziehen?”** -> After “Los!”, if this is checked, the program opens a dialog where you can select one or several original files.  **“Ein neues Trados…”** -> This opens the Trados New Project assistant, and loads in project name, orig files  **“Los!”** -> Create the project folder. “Nö” just cancels the whole thing and closes the assistant. |

If **“Ausgangsdateien einbeziehen”** is checked, a dialog will open to select the original files. When creating the project folder, the program will move them in 01\_orig, and rename with project code and “\_orig”

A shortcut to new project folder gets created in File Explorer

After all that it opens the new project folder in a new File Explorer window

Enjoy 😊

# INTEGRATED TEMPLATES

Theses are the template included. Ask me if you want something

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| **VORLAGE** | **ORDNERSTRUKTUR** |
| Minimal | 00\_info, 01\_orig |
| Standard TEP | 00\_info, 01\_orig, 02\_trados, 03\_to trans, 04\_from trans,05\_to proof, 06\_from proof, 07\_to client |
| Provider macht TEP | 00\_info, 01\_orig,02\_trados, 03\_to TEP, 04\_from TEP, 05\_to client |
| Sworn Translation | 00\_info,01\_orig, 02\_to client |
| MemoQ | 00\_info,01\_orig, 02\_memoQ, 03\_to client |
| Production | 00\_info |

# HOW TO INSTALL ROCKETLAUNCH

You don’t. Just double click the .exe file with the cool icon.

You can also add it to windows panel (you need to copy it outside of the drive before).

# WHAT I AM WORKING ON

All of these actions are still in the making. Give me some time!

## Create an Outlook folder

Have the tool create a folder in the Posteingang in Outlook upon creation. Problem is, I need to hardcode ONE folder – Belgium OR Germany.

## Drag and Drop

Have a field you can drag and drop source files, instead of a checkmark. And a browse button to fill it too.

## Counter

Count all source files included, put a CSV in Info with the detail of how much word per file and a total sum. Have a link in orig point to it. Save to clipboard total count, and eventually display a report ?

## Be more flexible

Detect automatically where Trados is, to make it future proof. Trados is saved in a folder named with its version name. Any update could break the “Open Trados and fill things” option.

## Have a settings file for templates

Have the tool look at a specific file, if it exists, with all the project templates, so everyone can have their own templates.

## Make it quicker

Quicker!

# KNOWN BUGS

## Lack of testing

Not sure what doesn’t work correctly yet. This one is fairly simple and does not rely too much on peoples to function.

## Autodeleting exe

The antivirus doesn’t like random executables and may delete the file randomly. Cant do anything about that.

## False positive

The antivirus doesn’t like random executables and may freeze execution and display a window, asking whether to deny or allow. Just click allow. Cant do anything about that.