

# iCollections 8

## *What's new in v.8.0*

- Overall stability of functions improved
- Improved the speed of copying items to/from Collections
- Improved memory management while running in the background
- Further improvements to performance
- Compiled with the latest macOS Ventura API
- Set custom colors for icon badges
- Locate a file in a Collection by typing its name
- Set a HotKey for a Collection window
- Activate app's all windows when clicking in Apps Monitor
- Manual sort mode for Apps Monitor
- Application Monitor - Added "Keep in Apps Monitor" option
- Improved show/hide collection handler
- Folder view can show hidden files
- Hidden files are greyed out
- Improved GUI in line with macOS Ventura guidelines
- Bug fix

## *What's new in v.7.5.1*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Bug fix

## *What's new in v.7.5*

- Icon badges for Collections and Folder Views
- Display of the active application indicator has been improved
- Improved display of items with only labels
- Save scroll positions for Folder Views
- Improved performance when refreshing items
- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Bug fix

## *What's new in v.7.4.3*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Bug fix

## *What's new in v.7.4.2*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Improved overall performance
- Bug fix

## *What's new in v.7.4.1*

- Hidden Apps Indicator in App Monitor

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.4*

- Custom Trash icons
- Display number of items in the Trash
- Auto Refresh for Web Views
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.3.4*

- Improved disk mount listener
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.3.2*

- More date sort types
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.3*

- Selecting multiple collections. Selected collections can be moved or deleted at the same time.
- Manually save and restore window positions as a backup of the screen layout.
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.2.1*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.2*

- Click outside a drawer to miniaturize
- GUI redesigned
- Copy, Print for hotkeys
- Activity Indicator for Apps Monitor
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.1.3*

- Chinese language version
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.1.2*

- Improved support for network and removable drives
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.1.1*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.1*

- "Font and Color" settings redesigned

- Empty Trash on a selected drive
- Item highlighting on mouse hover
- Color tags can be disabled in the Settings
- Menu icons can be turned off in the Preferences
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.7.0*

- Optimized for macOS Monterey
- Faster and more efficient file handling for Intel and Apple M1 chip
- Redesigned file access methods to improve performance and memory management
- App Monitor permanent items added

#### *What's new in v.6.8.9*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8.8*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Performance improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8.7*

- Volume icons in Collections refresh improved
- Window Monitor bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8.5*

- Hide other apps when switching
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8.3*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8.2*

- Text clipping files - the Save window added
- Showing hidden Collections improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8.1*

- Compatibility with macOS 11.2
- Paste text clipping into the frontmost app
- Resolve broken aliases
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.8*

- Eject a single volume or entire disc
- Display item version in the filename
- Activating Collections improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.7.6*

- "New text clipping" added to item's context menu
- Editing text clipping
- More keyboard shortcuts added. The list on <https://naarakstudio.com/icollections/manual/shortcuts.html>
- Clicking on a Collection's item will bring the Collection to the front. Can be switched off in the Settings/Advanced
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.7.5*

- Improved compatibility with macOS 11
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.7.3*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.7.2*

- Collection's frame antialiasing and clear rendering
- The Popover improvements
- DragThing Docks import added to Help menu
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.7.1*

- Improved compatibility with macOS 11

#### *What's new in v.6.7*

- iCollections is now an Universal App (native Intel + native Apple silicon code)
- Color tabs
- GUI improvements
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.6*

- Windows Monitor
- Titlebar icons
- Popover improvements
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.5.4*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.5.3*

- Compatibility with macOS 10.15.6
- Drop GIF and BMP image accepted now
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.5.2*

- Color tags added
- Activity indicator improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.5.1*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.5*

- Auto Fade mode
- Themes
- Theme pasteboard
- Title bar buttons color (black or white)
- Selected item color can be changed in Settings
- "Keep Collections on Desktop level" improved
- Smaller title bar if window buttons are disabled
- Collection's shadow improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.4.3*

- iCollections Storage back up/restore.
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.4.2*

- Drawers improvement. The Drawers can be now placed on a border of two monitors.
- Drag and drop messages from Apple Mail into a Collection
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.4.1*

- Compatibility with the upcoming macOS 10.15.5
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.4*

- Labels only mode
- Collections List improved
- Small improvements and features requested by users added
- Sound for item activation added
- Time delay for Auto-Shrink and Drawers activation added
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.3.2*

- Full screen detection improved (Preferences)
- Collections List improved
- Calendar improved
- Locate your iCollections app file (see the manual)
- Window animation settings removed
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.3.1*

- Multi-monitor support update
- Small improvements and features requested by users added
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.3*

- Sound events
- Title bar and tab bar can be displayed independently
- Folder/Disk popover showing the item contents
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.2.2*

- Compatibility with macOS 10.15.3
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.2.1*

- Hide tab bar when a Drawer is minimized
- Hide all file name extensions
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.2*

- Side tabs - tab bar displayed on left/right side of a window
- Compact tab bars
- Drawers "Top Menu" - a drawer sliding under the system menu bar
- Appearance Settings simplified
- Add trash bin to any Collection
- Custom icons for items

#### *What's new in v.6.1*

- Menubar Dock - place a Dock on the system menu bar.
- Auto Import - automatically move items from the selected folder to a Collection.
- Top screen drawer improved.
- Improvements, better efficiency, compatibility with incoming macOS 10.15.3 and bug fix

#### *What's new in v.6.0*

- Grid View

- Quick menu (option+click on an item)
- Never Hide mode
- Reduced inter-item space (thicker items packing)
- Full screen detector prevents Collections to bring over a full screen application
- Drag and drop improved
- 3D Collections frame
- Don't show warning before emptying the Trash Bin

#### *What's new in v.5.4.3*

- Reduced inter-item space (thicker items packing)
- Drag and drop improved
- Collections' size can be manually changed through the Collections List
- Files scan "efficiency" improved (reduced number of files read operations)
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.4.1*

- Compatibility with macOS Catalina. The update is strongly recommended for **all users**.

#### *What's new in v.5.4*

- Hotkeys for Collection items (and for any item in macOS)
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.3*

- Collection's background image
- Hide selected applications in Apps Monitor
- Apps Monitor can show applications in most recently used order
- Shrink to the size of the title bar for Auto-shrink Collections
- Selecting Get Info, Quick Look or Share provides the information about the original item

#### *What's new in v.5.2.1*

- Stability and performance improvements
- Configuration save module redesigned
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.2*

- Trash Collection - display Trash on the Desktop
- Icon badges for Apps Monitor (similar to macOS Dock)
- Cmd+double click on an item to reveal it in the Finder
- Improved application switching in App Monitor
- "Insert URL" added to Collection's context menu
- Size to Fit Mode - grow centrally added
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.1.2*

- Space Items - insert empty items as a separator
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.1.1*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.1*

- Hot spots added for Bring to front/Send to back event
- "Size to Fit" Collections can grow up, down, left or right
- Click a Collection to bring it to front - now as default behaviour
- Collections' List improved
- Automatically show window shadow for frontmost Collections
- Automatically adjust window opacity for frontmost Collections
- Changed indication colour for dragged/resized Collection
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.0.2*

- Size to Fit Collections can grow up, down, left or right
- Status bar text color change added
- Collections' List improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.5.0*

- Calendar Collection
- Collections Drawer Mode
- Multi-monitor support improved
- Hide title bar
- Hide title bar buttons
- Hide/Show Collections gestures added
- Overall performance improved

#### *What's new in v.4.8.3*

- Improved Collections' scrolling speed
- Improved multi-monitor support
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.8.1*

- Search option in the Appearance Settings
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.8*

- Item label color change
- Super clear label font rendering
- Share item context menu
- Display file size/version over its icon



- Status bar (displays full item path)
- Hide/show all Collections when mouse moves over specified screen corner
- Item label wrapping improvement (for long filenames)
- Item expansion tooltips (for long filenames)
- Alias resolving
- Keep both option added for copy/move items into Collections

#### *What's new in v.4.7.4*

- "Open With" menu option for aliases
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.7.2*

- New Bug Reporter
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.7*

- Auto size icons
- Size to Fit Collection's mode
- Dynamic Colors - Collections colors change when macOS theme changes
- Vertical Collections mode
- Support for URL drag&drop
- Drop Wells macOS 10.14 compatibility issues fixed
- Memory efficiency improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.6.1*

- iCollections has been notarized by Apple (authorised for distribution)
- Folder View optimized
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.6*

- Web View cookies management
- Auto Shrink mode for Web Views
- Always on Top mode for Web Views
- Select a Collection's tab by Cmd+[digit] shortcut
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.5.1*

- Compatibility with macOS Mojave
- Dark mode (automatic)
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.5*

- Apps Monitor - show currently running processes

- New selection shape and thin label font - both accessible from the Appearance Settings
- Select Collection's controls (buttons, tabs) by tab key and arrows when Full Keyboard Access is on
- Appearance improvements
- Keep a Collection always on top of other windows
- Rename added to the context menu
- Size Panel bug fix
- Compatibility with the newest macOS.

#### *What's new in v.4.4.1*

- Problem with displaying Web Views on some monitors - fixed.
- Compatibility with the newest macOS.

#### *What's new in v.4.4*

- Collection View updated to the newest macOS SDK (better responsiveness, easier drag selection)
- Single Click Mode (Collection's context menu)
- Icon Size Panel (Collection's context menu or double click on empty space)
- Context action "Open With" for multiple selected items
- Memory efficiency improved
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.3*

- Drop Well - new functionality
- Bring Collections to front - shortcut added (Preferences)
- Collections' windows improvement - resizing, dragging, snapping
- Animations improved
- Shadow windows can be semi-transparent
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.2.1*

- Compatibility with the newest macOS.

#### *What's new in v.4.2*

- Display content of a folder in its context menu
- Show folders on top
- Show hidden files and folders
- Overwrite a file or folder by an alias is not allowed anymore

#### *What's new in v.4.1.2*

- Stability and performance improvements

#### *What's new in v.4.1*

- Automatically hiding Collections lying-under revealed Collection

- Predefined colours in a Collection's menu
- Smoother Hiding/Displaying Collections
- Improved dragging Collections experience
- Improved display performance
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.4.0.1*

- Auto start up - improved compatibility with the latest macOS
- Manual sorting in Collections - bug fixed

#### *What's new in v.4.0*

- New Appearance Settings window.
- Double click on Desktop to hide/unhide Collections
- Colour tabs. Assign a different colour to each Collection's tab
- Reveal a Collection from the main menu
- Put a Collection over all other windows (Alt key+click)
- Ascending/descending items sorting
- Home button added to Mobile View
- Tab indicator customisation (colour, shape)

#### *What's new in v.3.7.1*

- Sharing the Storage on a cloud disk improved
- Auto-shrunk Collections multi-monitor systems support
- "Check for Update" - bug fixed
- Minor bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.7*

- Added windows shadow as an option
- Un-shrink Collections by clicking on the title bar
- File move/delete event log
- Auto-shrink delay can be changed in the Appearance Settings
- Performance improvement
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.6.1*

- Compatibility with macOS 10.13

#### *What's new in v.3.6*

- This update contains stability and performance improvements
- Show in Finder added to a Collection's menu
- Auto-shrink Collections displayed on top (Preferences option)
- Storing Collections appearance - bug fixed
- Performance improvement

#### *What's new in v.3.5.1*

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#### *What's new in v.3.5*

- Web View - A new type of Collection for display websites
- Preserve Collections' visibility state between application relaunch
- Image Frames - a new option - change image alignment
- Preferences - a new option - turn off window frames
- Fixed a small bug when unshrinking Collections
- Rename Folder View - bug fixed
- Improved support for screen resolution changes

#### *What's new in v.3.4.4*

- macOS 10.10 compatibility
- Drag and drop improved
- Copy/Move an item to a Collection - 'Abort' button added
- Copy items to a folder alias - bug fixed
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.4.3*

- Memory usage improved
- Folder View bug fixed
- Drag and drop improved
- Copy to a Collection - cancel button added
- Compatibility with macOS 10.10
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.4.2*

- Drag and drop module improved
- Copy items improved
- Copy, Cut, Paste, Select All when editing an item name
- Progress during copying items - bug fixed

#### *What's new in v.3.4.1*

- macOS 10.12 compatibility
- bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.4*

- Folder View - new kind of Collection
- Hide Collections by a definable hot key
- Files and Folder color labels - display and sort by
- Import files from any folder
- Import files by with auto-categorize by extension (or part of a file name)
- Auto-arrange Collections
- Locking Collections
- Performance improvement

#### *What's new in v.3.3.3*

- *Volume rename and refresh - bug fix*
- *Drag and drop items on a folder - improved and bug fixed*

#### *What's new in v.3.3.2*

- Additional options for context menu in Photo Frame
- "Check for Update" - bug fixed
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.3.1*

- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.3*

- New kind of Collection - Disk Panel
- Each Collection can be hidden individually
- Copy&paste Collection's items
- Press Cmd key to show a transparent Collection's Title Bar
- Pin Collections to Desktop
- Multi monitor functionality improved

#### *What's new in v.3.2.1*

- Auto-Shrink - bug fix
- Drag and drop on a folder - bug fix
- Minor optimizations

#### *What's new in v.3.2*

- Moving Tabs between Collections
- Collections List
- iCollection Storage Switch
- New FAQ window
- Bug fix

#### *What's new in v.3.1*

- Hide/Show Collections
- Performance improvement
- Item size change - bug fix.

#### *What's new in v.3.0 - Update for Mac OS X 10.10 and later.*

- Tabs
- Custom item size
- Retina display support
- Aliases without an arrow image, different label sizes, rescan Photo Folder, and more...
- Performance improvement
- Finished support for Mac OS X 10.9 and earlier

*What's new in v.2.9:*

- Photo Frame slide show efficiency improved
- Photo Frame "Shuffle" option added (slide show of random, unique pictures)
- Photo Frame "enable/disable mouse click to change a picture" added
- Bug fix

*What's new in v.2.8.1:*

- Auto-shrink Collections placed outside screen frame - solved
- Press Cmd-key to display a Collection frame

*What's new in v.2.8:*

- Gradient colours for Collections.
- Auto Shrink Collections
- Switch to display/hide file names
- Rounded title bars
- Option for changing font of a Collection's title

*What's new in v.2.7.2:*

- View settings slightly redesigned.

*What's new in v.2.7.1:*

- Fully compatible with the newest OS X El Capitan
- Dragging on a folder auto opens it in a Collection
- Enlarge a Collection during drag and drop to make items inside better visible
- Display a preview icon of PDF and video files
- Bug fix

*What's new in v.2.6:*

- Support for multi-monitor systems
- OS X Spaces - display Collections on one or all Desktops
- Bug fix

*What's new in v.2.5:*

- Photo Frames added
- Overall improvement

*What's new in v.2.1.1:*

- Fix Out-Of-Screen - improved
- Bug: Key shortcuts stop working after right click - fixed

*What's new in v.2.1:*

- Collections' names (titles) linked with physical folders
- Multi-monitor systems support
- Enlarge Collection improved

- Interface improvements
- *Bug fix*

*What's new in v.2.0:*

- Drop Wells - a place for temporary drag and drops
- Enlarge Collection
- Interface improvements - more customise options
- *Bug fix*

*What's new in v.1.4:*

- iCollections storage folder can be moved to any location
- New progress indicator during copy
- Optimisation and bug fix

*What's new in v.1.3:*

- "Show original" context option for aliases
- Blue selection for drop-on items
- Creating a new folder highlights it in the Collection
- Aliases management - improved and bug fixed
- Drag and drop on an item - improved
- Minor bug fix

*What's new in v.1.2.3:*

- New OS X 10.11 compatibility issues resolved
- Dragging items from Applications folder creates an alias instead of a copy
- OS X 10.9 double click on alias - bug fixed

*What's new in v.1.2.2:*

- OS X 10.11 compatibility improved
- Collections stay visible for 'Show Desktop' function (F11)
- Automatic updates
- Bug fix

*What's new in v.1.2.1:*

- Dark menu bar and Dock support (white icons)
- Drag and drop on a folder inside a Collection - bug fixed
- Bug fix

*What's new in v.1.2:*

- Bug fix

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