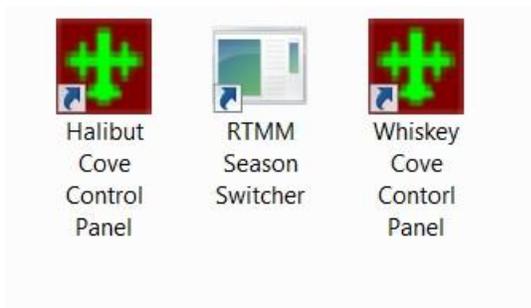


Creating a RTMM Control Center by Rod Jackson

With the availability of Halibut Cove, the RTMM user may have as many as three "control" shortcuts in use. That is a lot of shortcuts on a desktop....and there will be more in the future. On my system, I have consolidated the shortcuts into one single folder that looks like this:



By using the RTMM icon as the folder icon I can quickly find it. When I open that folder, it looks like this:



As you can, see it is then very easy to choose which RTMM Control you want to run. If you would like to set this up on your system, follow these simple instructions.

1. Create a folder name RTMM Cntrl Center on your desktop. The "Control" abbreviation to "Cntrl" keeps the folder name to two lines which the desktop will fully display.
2. Move your RTMM "control" shortcuts from your desktop into the RTMM Cntrl Center folder and rename the shortcuts to remove the version and .exe extensions just to make them more readable.
3. Copy the RTMM Icon folder that is in this folder to your c:\ or root folder (at least for me). You can put it anywhere but I like to put fixed reference folders in my root folder. It is up to you.
4. Go to your desktop and right click the RTMM Cntrl Center folder and choose Properties.
5. Choose the customize tab and click on the "Change Icon" button.

6. The system will then display the standard Windows icon choices....choose the Browse button and browse to the rtm.ico file which is inside the RTMM Icon folder that you copied to your c:\ location or wherever you decided to put it.
7. Select the rtm.ico file and click open. The RTMM icon should be selected and just click on OK.
8. In the resulting Properties window, click on Apply and then OK.

That's it. You have now changed the RTMM Cntrl Center folder icon to the RTMM icon and bound that relationship to the RTMM Icon folder that is in your c:\ folder or wherever you decided to put it.

Enjoy!