

MailSpace - Users manual

The functions of the application can be reached on three tab pages. The tab pages can be switched with the help of the cursor keys.

The application has to be configured before using it. On the third tab page (*Settings*) we have to set

- the email address on which the mails should be stored,
- the address of the POP3 server for the email address,
- the username and password for the POP3 server (the username and the password belongs to the email address)

After setting the necessary information, we have to save the settings by selecting the *Save settings* menu item in the *Options* menu.

Furthermore, an email account has also to be set in the Messaging application for the outgoing emails. (An existing one can be used as well).

Uploading files

File upload can be performed on the first page. We can navigate in the local file system using the cursor button. Files can be selected for upload by pressing the selection button on the keyboard (the middle of the cursor buttons).

Actual selections are lost when changing the current directory.

The upload process can be started with the *Upload selected* menu item in the *Options* menu. The program offers the available email accounts (Fig. 1). After selecting the appropriate account, the upload starts. A progress bar can be seen during the upload process.

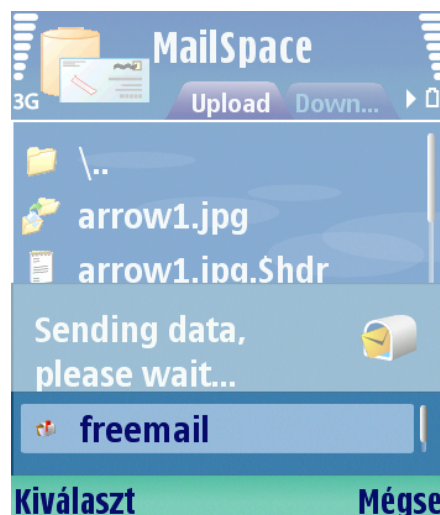


Fig 1

Managing files on the server

Managing files on the POP3 server is possible on the second tab page (*Download*). The list of files is empty by default, it is refreshed on demand (*Options* menu, *Update list* item). In this case the program offers the available access points. After selecting the appropriate access point to connect to the internet, the communication starts between the application and the server and the list is filled with items.

We can navigate through the files using the cursor buttons. The files can be selected for download with the help of the selection button. The download process can be started with the *Download selected* item in the *Options* menu. (The application remembers the access point selected when updating the list, consequently we do not need to set it again).

In a popup window the target directory can be selected (Fig. 2). The files will be copied from the server into this directory.

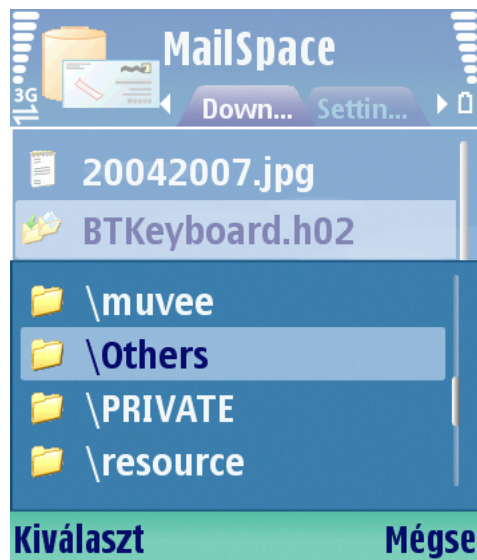


Fig. 2

After selecting the target directory, the download process starts. We are continuously informed about the status of the download through an information window. (Fig. 3)

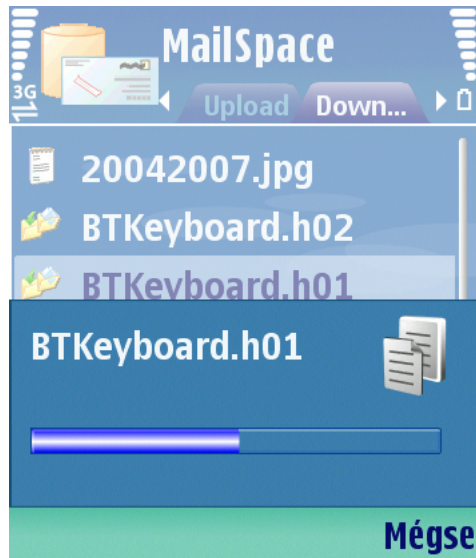


Fig. 3

The selected files can be removed from the server by selecting the *Delete selected* menu item in the *Options* menu. After deleting the files, the list is automatically refreshed.

Installation guide

Recall that in the Users manual, an SMTP email account is necessary to be configured for outgoing file traffic.

Proper information has to be set on the *Settings* page.

The application itself can be installed by installing the mailspace.sisx package file.

For testing I suggest using the freemail.hu email provider because of its reliable POP3 service. Furthermore, freemail.hu facilitates using non-secured POP3 protocol, which is needed to use the application.