

Installation & Tips

User Interface Design Framework

Install the framework

Library files

Just open the files in Illustrator. Should work in all CS versions.



Colors-library.ai



Icons-16px.ai



GUI-Main-elements.ai

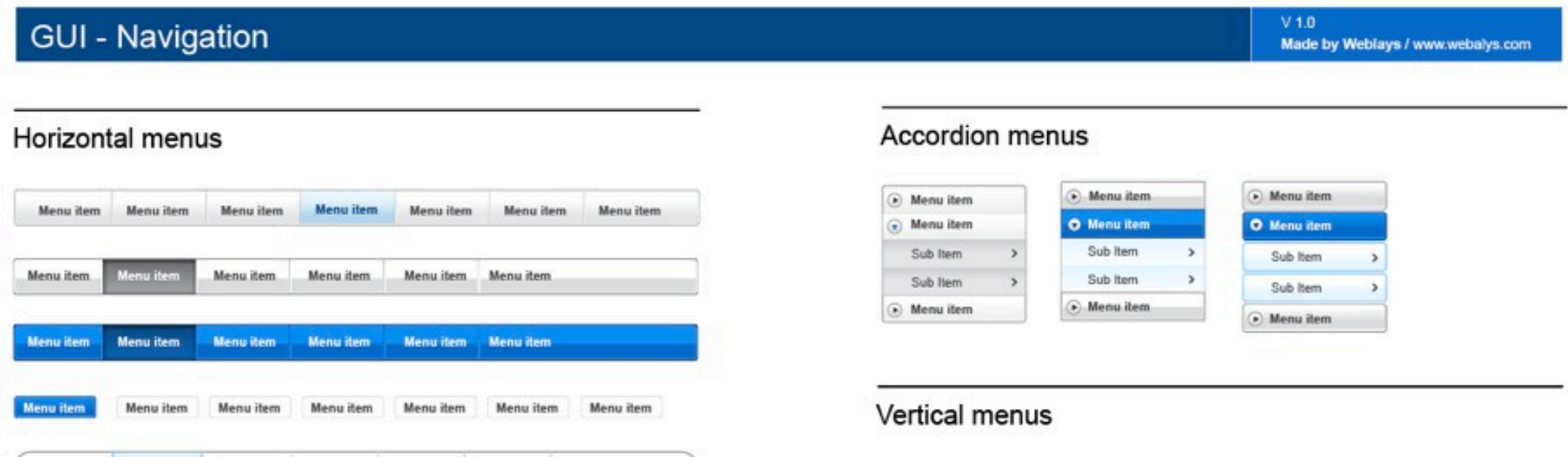


GUI-Navigation.ai



GUI-windows-containers.ai

For example, you should see that for the GUI navigation file :



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Illustrator Panels

Open the files from the illustrator software, from the panels Symbols, Swatches or Styles

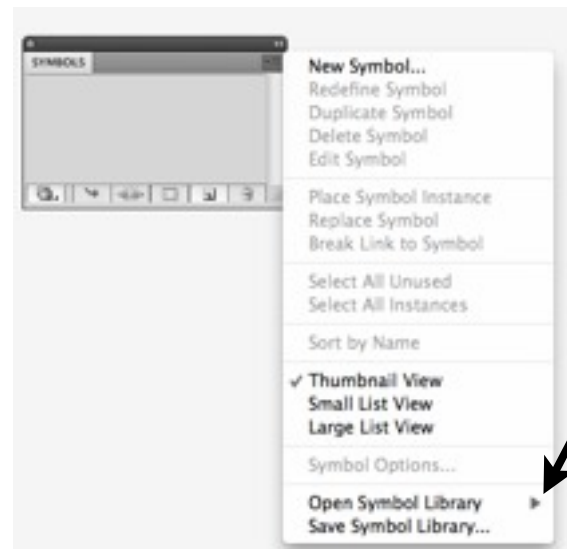


panel-symbols-icons.ai

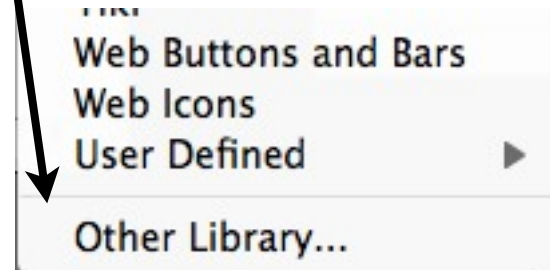
For example for the icons library, do the following steps :



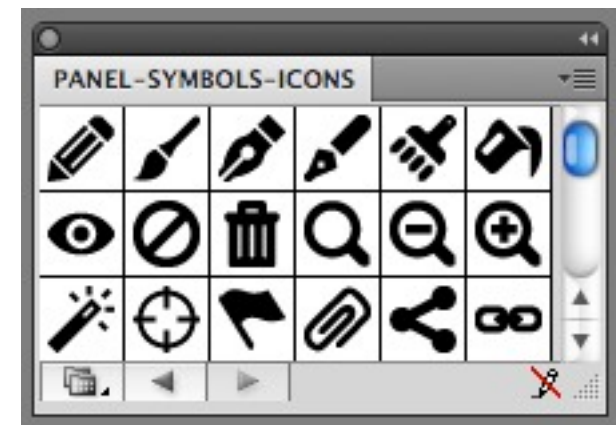
← Click on the Panel option menu



Go to «Open symbol library». Then select «Other library» on the menu and browse you hard drive to find the file and load it.



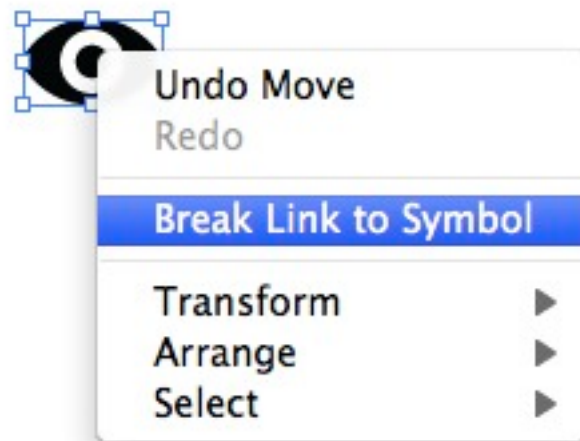
Now you can use the icons directly from the panel.
Enjoy :-)



Using the framework

Using the symbols

Drop the symbols directly to your document.
Right click on it and use «Break link to symbol» if you want to tweak it.



Now you can change the color or make any change you want.

Resizing a GUI element without deforming it



Don't use the «Selection tool»; it will deform the element when you resize



You should use «Direct selection tools» and select only the points you want to move. Here, the right part of the dropdown.

