

# Macro Folders

As stated elsewhere, macros are xml files. However, in order for Titan to find and read these files, they must reside in designated locations which might differ depending from your installation. Also, this is different on real consoles and with Titan PC suite (Titan One, Titan Mobile, Titan Simulator):

- **Factory macros** - the macros created by Avolites. Please don't change these files - but it's a good idea to learn from it. Please be aware that factory macro files might be updated with software updates and personality updates - use your user macros for own macros as these won't be overwritten.
  - **PC suite:** C:\Program Files\Avolites\Titan\Macros resp. C:\Program Files (x86)\Avolites\Titan\Macros (32bit vs. 64bit Windows - you may use the system constant %programfiles% which always translates to the correct programs folder)
  - **Consoles:** D:\TitanData\... - this folder is part of a folder structure which is hidden by default, and for good reason. You simply shouldn't mess with these files - go get the files from the PC suite.
- **User macros** - this is the place for your own, generated, macro files. Files in this location will not be overwritten with any update. Also, if you want to copy your preferred macros across your computers/consoles, just keep these usermacro folders in sync.
  - **PC suite:** My Documents\Titan\Macros. As absolute path this may translate to something like C:\Users\{username}\Documents\Titan\Macros. The windows shorthand is %userprofile%\documents\Titan\Macros
  - **Consoles:** D:\Macros

## further readings

- [Introduction to macros](#)
- [Console and simulator](#) - how actions on the consoles are described
- [Recorded vs. coded macros](#) - both kinds: Country, AND Western
- [Macro file format](#) - what to observe when creating macro files
- [Macro Folders](#) - where exactly are the macro files stored
- [Deploying macros](#) - how to import a macro file into Titan
- [XML format](#) - a veeery basic introduction into the format macro files are written in
- [The Syntax of Functions](#) - understanding how functions are described in general
- [Control Structures](#) - conditions and other means to control the flow
- [Action and Menus](#) - when a menu needs to be toggled in addition to the action
- [Step Pause](#) - a little delay might sometimes be helpful
- [Active Binding](#) - highlighting a macro handle as active
- [Namespaces](#) - a way to keep order of the functions, properties and other stuff
- [Datatypes](#) - numbers, words, yes & no: the various types of values
- [Properties list](#) - the affected system variables of Titan
- [Function list](#) - the functions mentioned in this wiki
- [Examples list](#) - all the contributed macros. And where is yours?

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