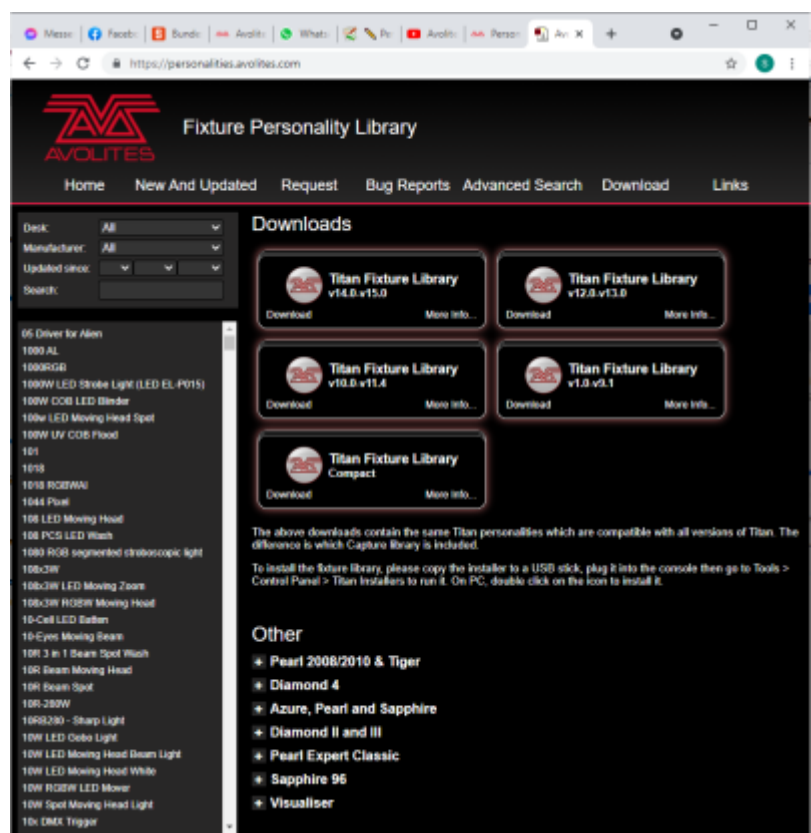


# Personality Sources

There are various ways to get a personality for new fixtures:

## The personalities website

The central point to get the most recent personality library is <http://personalities.avolites.com/> - this library is frequently updated. Here you can also request new personalities, and can browse the library. More often than not you'll find that a certain fixture already exists under another name, by another brand. In order to update your personalities, download the package for your console, run it on the console - which will copy all the files to their correct folders - and restart Titan. That's all.



It is paramount to provide verbose information when requesting a new personality: the better the info provided the better the personality is. If there are only roughly guessed values then the personality can only reflect this.

**This is by far the best way to get new personalities**, for various reasons:

- as it is a centralised approach all the personalities follow the same rules and standards, e.g. it's always the same wheels which are used to adjust a specific parameter
- this is essentially the only way to get the personality capture-ready so that the fixture is also visualised in capture
- the newly created fixture is available to everyone, and is maintained in the future as well, e.g. if new attributes need to be stored in the library for future software releases

Turnaround time for new personalities is usually very few days - often the new personality is made

available the next working day, and the capture personality follows few days later.

Please note that currently the personality library is provided as separate downloads for various versions of Titan: while the Titan part is always the same, it is the Capture part which differs. Various versions of Titan have different versions of Capture integrated - and these require different Capture personalities.

## The personality section of the forum

Another source of knowledge is the [personality section of the forum](#). Here you get advice about particular details regarding personalities - and when it is niclights who answers then you better listen carefully: he is the one who creates most of the personalities today.

## The Avolites Fixture Finder

Another interesting thing is the [Avolites Fixture Finder](#): this allows to search for fixtures with a particular channel layout, e.g. for fixtures 'with 19 channels, 1=Pan, 6=Dimmer, 8=Red, 11=White' Search and result might look like this:

The screenshot shows the Avolites Fixture Finder web application. The search criteria are: Model, Manufacturer (Type here...), Channels (19) and ( ) cells. The search results show 5 modes found:

Manuf.	Model	Mode	Ch.	Capt.	Cells	File
Dialighting	DW26-15 Quatra Zoom	19 DMX	19	not ready	0	<a href="#">Dialighting_IW26-15_Quatra Zoom.d4</a> <a href="#">View</a> <a href="#">Download</a>
Dialighting	DW26-15 Zoom	19 DMX	19	ready	0	<a href="#">Dialighting_IW26-15_Zoom.d4</a> <a href="#">View</a> <a href="#">Download</a>
Blizzard Lighting	Blockhead 2	19 DMX	19	ready	0	<a href="#">Blizzard Lighting_Blockhead 2.d4</a> <a href="#">View</a> <a href="#">Download</a>
Longman	25 eyes Matrix	19 DMX	19	not ready	0	<a href="#">Longman_25 eyes Matrix.d4</a> <a href="#">View</a> <a href="#">Download</a>
Nicola	WP 500 Z	19 DMX	19	ready	0	<a href="#">Nicola_WP 500 Z.d4</a> <a href="#">View</a> <a href="#">Download</a>

## Your Avolites distributor

It is not guaranteed but your local Avolites distributor should be able to help with any aspect of running your Avolites console - and providing personalities is part of this too, don't you think? So, give

your local Avo hero a shout!

## The personality builder

Be it pure curiosity, be it an emergency, be it a special need: you can also build your own personality, using the Personality Builder provided by Avolites. You shouldn't do this in a hurry - but it is very well possible. [And this part of this wiki](#) is dedicated to providing all sorts of information to get you up and running.

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