NKS PRESET LIBRARY : TAL J-8
For Komplete Kontrol / Maschine

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Intro

Welcome to the TAL J-8 NKS Library for the Native Instruments Komplete Kontrol / Maschine software and hardware.

This NKS library contains presets for all the factory presets and expansions for the TAL J-8 VST including sound previews and database artwork. All files have been hand tagged with detailed attribute tagging along with a very detailed and fully labelled controller map.

Compatibility / Requirements

- Supports Komplete Kontrol 2.8+ / Maschine 2.16+
- Supports Maschine MK2/MK3/Studio
- Supports All Komplete Kontrol Keyboards
- Supports VST3 (VST2 compatible library also available in your download area)
- Supports PC / Mac
- TAL J-8 VST Required

This is NKS compatibility files only. This will not work without the actual VST/Library being installed
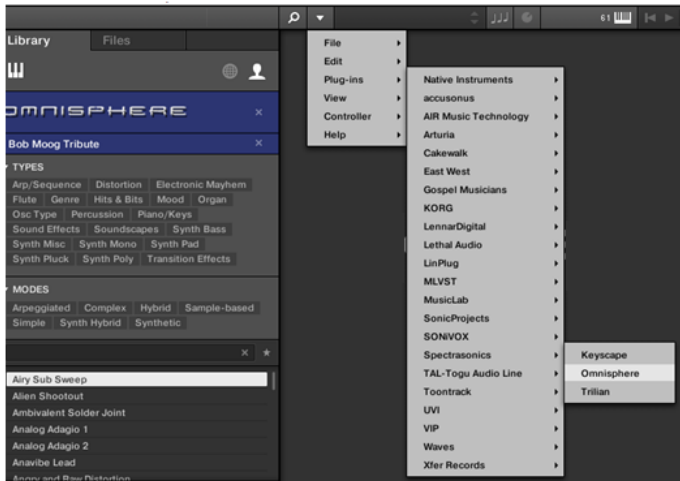
Download

A free version is available that contains a handful of presets for you to test with.

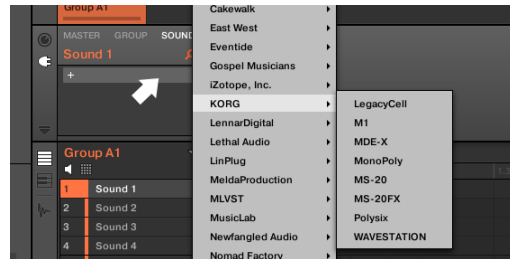The full version is available for purchase with an immediate download.

Installation

First ensure you have the VST plug-in installed and available to the software. Confirm if you need the VST2 or VST3 version.

In Komplete Kontrol It should already appear in your File > Plug-ins menu.

In Maschine open the plug-in browser and check the VST is listed:

If the plug-in does not appear in these locations you need to check the VST is available at the location set within Preferences. Perform a rescan if any changes are made.

Once the plug-in is confirmed installed and working with the software, copy the preset and artwork (if included) to the following locations:
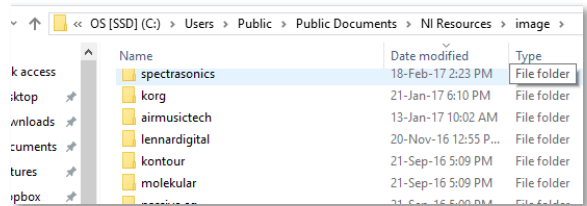
Database Files: Contains the browser images and database details for the Komplete browser. Place the "image" and "dist_database" folders in the following location (or copy the sub folders inside these folders if they exist):

Windows: C:\Users\Public\Public Documents\NI Resources

MAC: /Users/Shared/NI Resources

Image Folder Example:

Database Folder Example:
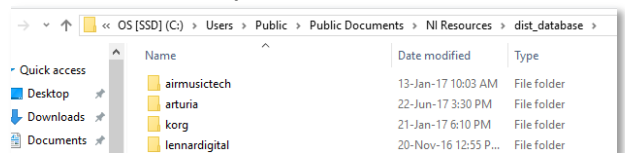
All User library database and image files will be held in these folders with a unique folder for each vendor/plug-in.

NOTE: Be sure to <u>copy</u> the sub folders into the above locations. You want to add the folders with the existing folders. <u>Mac users</u> should be cautious NOT to "Replace" the entire image or database folder with the included ones. You must copy these folders INTO the image and database folders (Merge)

Preset Files: Contains the preset files that need to be added to your user library. Copy this folder to your user library location. By default the user library is located at:

WIN: C:\Users\[USER]\Documents\Native Instruments\User Content

MAC: Users/[USER]/Documents/Native Instruments/User Content

You can confirm this location within the Komplete\Maschine software Preferences > Library > User Library

	Computer > Documents > Native Instruments > User Content >
Name	Date modified
Lethal	28-Aug-17 12:59 P...
Omnisphere	10-Oct-17 4:05 PM
Xpand!2	28-Aug-17 12:55 P...
Z3TA+ 2_64	24-Jul-17 10:05 AM

NOTE: If you already have a previous version of this NKS library you should delete it and replace with the latest version.
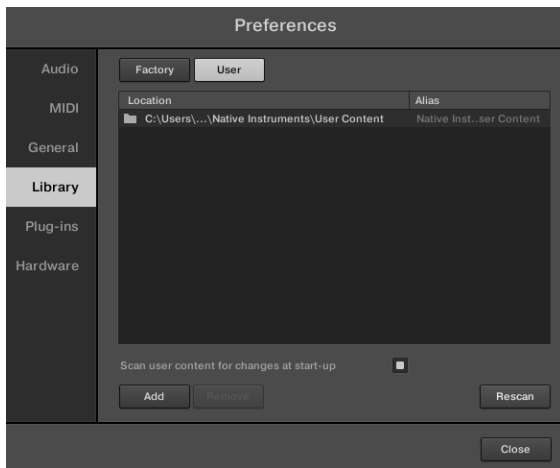
After the files have been copied, launch the Komplete Kontrol in STANDALONE mode to do a library update. If the software is not set to auto-scan on start-up, open Preferences > Library then select Rescan

If everything has worked correctly you should now see the plug-in listed in the browser with an assigned category, artwork for the plug-in and the installed presets will be listed in the browser. A new installed library will create a new Bank entry.

Be sure you are looking in the **User Library** as User created NKS files do not appear in the factory library.

Problems?
If artwork is not displayed or the categories are not created there may be differences in how your VST plug-in is labelled compared to the database files. For all issues please visit the Forum Thread

Installation Video PC:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d1XnEDdMu0s

Installation Video Mac:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=amzq_T5kc90

The Preset Browser

Presets are accessed by selecting the *User library* icon at the top of the browser .

You can browse using any tags or reconfigure/rename tags using the tag editor in Komplete/Maschine.

Selecting a preset from the list will open the plug-in and automatically load the preset. You can then use the mapped controls to start tweaking the sounds.

Controller Mappings
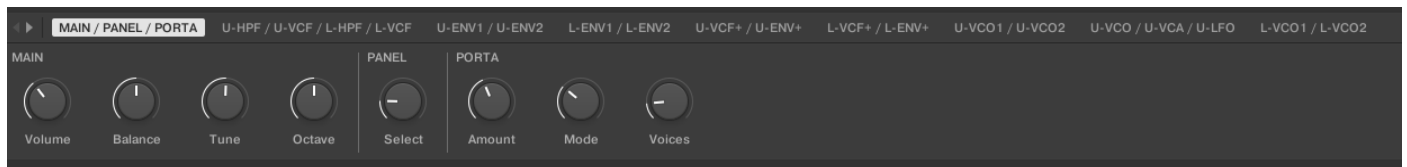
Controls for J-8 are a bit of a challenge as there are 2 separate layers to the synth and they can operate independantly or in a dual mode. I have done my best to make the layout of mapping as intuitive as possible choosing to cover both the UPPER and LOWER layer controls together so for instance, the filter page will have Upper + Lower filters on the same page. You will note an U- or L- to indicate if the section is for Upper/Lower layer control.

Controller Reference

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Controller Page: [1]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 2001944572):       Volume     [MAIN]
Control 2        (ID: 1808297692):       Balance
Control 3        (ID: 109291866):        Tune
Control 4        (ID: 1790677650):       Octave
Control 5        (ID: 1861696367):       Select     [PANEL]
Control 6        (ID: 309701878):        Amount     [PORTA]
Control 7        (ID: 1891182017):       Mode
Control 8        (ID: 718854241):        Voices


Controller Page: [2]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 2102231536):       Cutoff     [U-HPF]
Control 2        (ID: 1897358336):       Cutoff     [U-VCF]
Control 3        (ID: 1117828521):       Reso
Control 4        (ID: 510811756):        Slope
Control 5        (ID: 2102231535):       Cutoff     [L-HPF]
Control 6        (ID: 1897358335):       Cutoff     [L-VCF]
Control 7        (ID: 1117828520):       Reso
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Control 8   (ID: 510811755): Slope

Controller Page: [3]====================================
Control 1   (ID: 1336329177):   Attack   [U-ENV1]
Control 2   (ID: 1649328289):   Decay
Control 3   (ID: 648687768):   Sustain
Control 4   (ID: 1951103284):   Release
Control 5   (ID: 1336329208):   Attack   [U-ENV2]
Control 6   (ID: 1649328320):   Decay
Control 7   (ID: 648687799):   Sustain
Control 8   (ID: 1951103315):   Release

Controller Page: [4]====================================
Control 1   (ID: 1336329176):   Attack   [L-ENV1]
Control 2   (ID: 1649328288):   Decay
Control 3   (ID: 648687767):   Sustain
Control 4   (ID: 1951103283):   Release
Control 5   (ID: 1336329207):   Attack   [L-ENV2]
Control 6   (ID: 1649328319):   Decay
Control 7   (ID: 648687798):   Sustain
Control 8   (ID: 1951103314):   Release

Controller Page: [5]====================================
Control 1   (ID: 860135869):   Env Mod   [U-VCF+]
Control 2   (ID: 1007069378):   Env Src
Control 3   (ID: 243892322):   LFO Mod
Control 4   (ID: 706525031):   KeyTrack
Control 5   (ID: 1685460560):   Velocity
Control 6   (ID: 536875211):   Env1 Key   [U-ENV+]
Control 7   (ID: 536875242):   Env2 Key
Control 8   _____   _____

Controller Page: [6]====================================
Control 1   (ID: 860135868):   Env Mod   [L-VCF+]
Control 2   (ID: 1007069377):   Env Src
Control 3   (ID: 243892321):   LFO Mod
Control 4   (ID: 706525030):   KeyTrack
Control 5   (ID: 1685460559):   Velocity
Control 6   (ID: 536875210):   Env1 Key   [L-ENV+]
Control 7   (ID: 536875241):   Env2 Key
Control 8   _____   _____

Controller Page: [7]====================================
Control 1   (ID: 321675561):   X-mod   [U-VCO1]
Control 2   (ID: 1662504036):   Range
Control 3   (ID: 1305180330):   Wave
Control 4   (ID: 1330822631):   Sync
Control 5   (ID: 356458230):   Low Freq   [U-VCO2]
Control 6   (ID: 402524069):   Range
Control 7   (ID: 1276746416):   Tune
Control 8   (ID: 1333809481):   Wave

Controller Page: [8]====================================
Control 1   (ID: 291400632):   Mix   [U-VCO]
Control 2   (ID: 54745427) :   Level   [U-VCA]
Control 3   (ID: 2098188502):   Velocity
Control 4   (ID: 132695532):   LFO Mod
Control 5   (ID: 714655293):   Rate   [U-LFO]
Control 6   (ID: 282123652):   Delay
Control 7   (ID: 1515517440):   Waveform
Control 8   (ID: 716287970):   Sync

Controller Page: [9]====================================

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Control 1        (ID: 321675560):       X-Mod       [L-VCO1]
Control 2        (ID: 1662504035):      Range
Control 3        (ID: 1305180329):      Wave
Control 4        (ID: 1330822630):      Sync
Control 5        (ID: 356458229):       Low Freq    [L-VCO2]
Control 6        (ID: 402524068):       Range
Control 7        (ID: 1276746415):      Tune
Control 8        (ID: 1333809480):      Wave


Controller Page: [10]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 291400631):       Mix         [L-VCO]
Control 2        (ID: 54745426) :       Level       [L-VCA]
Control 3        (ID: 2098188501):      Velocity
Control 4        (ID: 132695531):       LFO
Control 5        (ID: 714655292):       Rate        [L-LFO]
Control 6        (ID: 282123651):       Delay
Control 7        (ID: 1515517439):      Waveform
Control 8        (ID: 716287969):       Sync


Controller Page: [11]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 1678921618):      LFO         [U-VCOMOD]
Control 2        (ID: 794552794):       Env1 Mod
Control 3        (ID: 988849625):       Mod Src
Control 4        (ID: 1040259425):      PWM
Control 5        (ID: 2045639166):      PWM Src
Control 6        (ID: 347179285):       Invert
Control 7        _____        _____
Control 8        _____        _____


Controller Page: [12]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 1678921617):      LFO         [L-VCOMOD]
Control 2        (ID: 794552793):       Env1 Mod
Control 3        (ID: 988849624):       Mod Src
Control 4        (ID: 1040259424):      PWM
Control 5        (ID: 2045639165):      PWM Src
Control 6        (ID: 347179284):       Invert
Control 7        _____        _____
Control 8        _____        _____


Controller Page: [13]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 812349523):       Rate        [U-ARP]
Control 2        (ID: 813982200):       Sync
Control 3        (ID: 808133616):       Mode
Control 4        (ID: 1560339892):      Range
Control 5        (ID: 1192727331):      On/Off      [U-HOLD]
Control 6        (ID: 1749661536):      Mode        [U-VOICE]
Control 7        _____        _____
Control 8        (ID: 2107718173):      Mode        [ARP SYNC]


Controller Page: [14]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 812349522):       Rate        [L-ARP]
Control 2        (ID: 813982199):       Sync
Control 3        (ID: 808133615):       Mode
Control 4        (ID: 1560339891):      Range
Control 5        (ID: 1184392578):      On/Off      [L-HOLD]
Control 6        (ID: 1749661535):      Mode        [L-VOICE]
Control 7        _____        _____
Control 8        _____        _____


Controller Page: [15]====================================
Control 1        (ID: 594700688):       VCO         [PITCH WHL]
Control 2        (ID: 1781669938):      Dest
Control 3        (ID: 1734877383):      VCF
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Control 4          (ID: 59204467) :       VCO      [MOD WHL]
Control 5          (ID: 1293909098):      VCF
Control 6          (ID: 697305870):       Porta    [MODE]
Control 7          (ID: 1129198037):      Voice
Control 8          _____        _____


Controller Page: [16]===================================
Control 1          (ID: 478154176):       Tune     [U-MAIN]
Control 2          (ID: 3433269)  :       Pan
Control 3          (ID: 59480163) :       Filter   [U-MPE]
Control 4          (ID: 1710686934):      Volume
Control 5          (ID: 1977436164):      Voices   [U-UNISON]
Control 6          (ID: 759167116):       Detune
Control 7          (ID: 1499404882):      Spread
Control 8          _____        _____


Controller Page: [17]===================================
Control 1          (ID: 478154175):       Tune     [L-MAIN]
Control 2          (ID: 3433268)  :       Pan
Control 3          (ID: 59480162) :       Filter   [L-MPE]
Control 4          (ID: 1710686933):      Volume
Control 5          (ID: 1977436163):      Voices   [L-UNISON]
Control 6          (ID: 759167115):       Detune
Control 7          (ID: 1499404881):      Spread
Control 8          _____        _____


Controller Page: [18]===================================
Control 1          (ID: 450120414):       VCO      [U-CALIB]
Control 2          (ID: 596939190):       Drive
Control 3          (ID: 581123442):       Reso
Control 4          (ID: 112642099):       Env
Control 5          (ID: 450120413):       VCO      [L-CALIB]
Control 6          (ID: 596939189):       Drive
Control 7          (ID: 581123441):       Reso
Control 8          (ID: 112642098):       Env


Controller Page: [19]===================================
Control 1          (ID: 1368445898):      On/Off   [FX LOCK]
Control 2          (ID: 1859821854):      Dry/Wet  [DELAY]
Control 3          (ID: 1678378736):      Time
Control 4          (ID: 1678364350):      Sync
Control 5          (ID: 139733206):       Spread
Control 6          (ID: 801138237):       HPF
Control 7          (ID: 2086006193):      LPF
Control 8          (ID: 559732264):       Feedback


Controller Page: [20]===================================
Control 1          (ID: 1123257056):      I        [CHORUS]
Control 2          (ID: 1123262150):      II
Control 3          _____        _____
Control 4          _____        _____
Control 5          _____        _____
Control 6          _____        _____
Control 7          _____        _____
Control 8          _____        _____
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FAQ?

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Can these presets be added to the Factory Library?
Yes they can. There are a couple of files that need to be created which are specific to your install locations. There are instructions on how to do this Here

Which Native Instruments Keyboard/Maschine hardware does this work with?
The NKS libraries will work with ANY Komplete Keyboard or Maschine Hardware

I'm not hearing any sound previews?
Check your preview volume is up in the Factory library and check you have a .preview folder with sound files in it. Some presets may have missing files so please report any issues with presets stating the preset name and the instrument/library.

I've noticed some issues
If you find any issues with incorrectly saved presets, sound preview issues, incorrect tagging etc please let us know the details and we will try and fix this up as quickly as possible.

I'm having some installation\usability issues
If you are having issues with installing and using the preset library, check out the Forum Thread to ask other users who may have some solutions. Also, check above for installation videos. Feel free to contact us if you still have issues.

Images are not displaying for the libraries!
This is normally down to the installation of the database/image folders not being correct. In some cases the plugin name could be different. If you cannot resolve your issue feel free to contact us (links below).

Can I get other VSTs or preset library's created as NKS?
I can only create presets for instruments I own or have a copy of. I am always on the lookout for new VST instruments at good prices so may do more down the track. If you are able to offer me a legal copy of a VST or can transfer me the library I can have a look if it is possible to make NKS compatible. If you are a plugin developere it may also be possible to add NKS compatibility for official factory inclusion. Feel free to contact me.

Contact \ Links

Website:	freelancesoundlabs.com
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Old Forum:	[Release] 3rd Party NKS Preset Pack for Komplete Kontrol
New Forum:	Freelance Soundlabs 3rd Party NKS Libraries for Komplete Kontrol / Maschine
Facebook Page:	https://www.facebook.com/freelancesoundlabs/
Youtube:	https://www.youtube.com/user/jestermgee

NKS Library: TAL J-8
Changelog

v3.0.0 (16 Mar 2023)
- Updated library for VST3 compatibility.

v2.6.1 (8 Feb 2023)
- Updated control template to fiox mismatched parameters from a latest
plugin update. Requires TAL-J8 v1.6.6 or later

v2.6.0 (7 July 2022)
- Unified/Updated tagging over all NKS libraries and set library base
version to 2.6.0

2.5.2 (22 Feb 2021)
- Initial version