



## Petit Piano User Guide

# Welcome to Acousticsamples

Thank you for using the Petit Piano library. We hope you enjoy playing the instrument and wish it supports your musical ideas or even better: inspire new ones.

In this User Guide we will provide you with an overview of how to use the Petit Piano library.

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# Requirements and Installation

## Step 1 - REGISTER YOUR PRODUCT

First if you do not have an iLok account, you will need to create one on this page: <https://www.ilok.com/%23!home#!registration>

After that you can input your product's serial number and iLok ID on the following page in order to register your product: <https://www.acousticsamples.net/index.php?route=account/authorizeilok>

## Step 2 - ACTIVATE YOUR LICENSE

To activate your product(s) on your computer, you can perform the steps below:

- Open iLok License Manager from your computer's applications
- Sign in to your iLok account
- Click the **Available** tab (or access **Available Licenses** via the menu **View** at top)
- Drag & drop the license(s) to your computer or iLok dongle in the left column

## Step 3 - DOWNLOAD AND INSTALL UVI WORKSTATION

The free player UVI Workstation that powers AcousticSamples soundbanks can be downloaded from the following page: <https://www.acousticsamples.net/uveworkstation>

## Step 4 - DOWNLOAD AND INSTALL YOUR LIBRARY

AcousticSamples libraries can be downloaded as RAR files from the page [Downloads/Serials](#) on your AcousticSamples account.

Once downloaded you can then extract the RAR file with [WinRar](#) (Windows) or [The Unarchiver](#) (Mac)

You will get a UFS file that you need to put in the following default locations:

*Macintosh HD/Library/Application Support/UVISoundBanks* (on Mac)  
*C:\Program Files\UVISoundBanks* (on Windows)

After that your soundbank will appear in UVI Workstation's Soundbanks list.

# Interface and Parameters

Petit Piano is a small 50 keys children piano.

This piano is manufactured by a french piano manufacturer called "Klein" and this is the only "Childrens" piano of this size. It features a real wooden keyboard and a 2 string system which makes it sound close to a full sized upright piano and not like a toy.

It is a small piano, but we still wanted to make it as realistic as possible, so we added our top piano features like sympathetic resonances, true pedal action, or really accurate release samples to get great sounding staccatos. We recorded 6 velocity layers as well as key noises, resonances, release samples, pedal noises, etc... and you can control every bit of it using the interface.



## Default interface

The default interface gives you access to many parameters.

Volumes:

- The release samples volume.
- The pedal noises volume.
- The keys up volume.
- The pedal down resonances volume.
- The volume of the sympathetic resonances.

- The true pedal action allows you to decide if pressing the pedal down when notes are held with trigger the pedal down and smoothly fade it in, just like on a real piano.

#### Effects:

- We added a built-in tone control for a brighter or darker sound.
- The reverb is based on high quality impulse responses that you can choose from the interface.
- You also get complete control over the dry and wet volume of the reverb.

#### Midi:

- The dynamics controls the volume of the low velocities.
- The Vel Curve (Velocity curve) controls how the volume answers to the velocity of your keyboard.
- The MIDI curve controls is a velocity remapper.

# Features

1.29Gb uncompressed, 247Mb compressed in lossless flac format, around 859 samples.

6 Velocity layers for the sustain.

6 Velocities for the release.

Pedal and key noises.

Pedal down resonances.

Sympathetic resonances.

True pedal action.

Access to impulse response list.

Tone control.

Advanced UVI scripting giving you access to a simple yet powerfull interface and advanced features.

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