

# APPROVAL STUDIO EXTENSION GUIDE FOR MANUAL INSTALLATION

**Prerequisites:** Adobe Photoshop or/and Adobe Illustrator are installed, and Adobe Creative Cloud is available.

**How to Install:** Download the installations for [Windows](#) or [macOS](#) and run them on your computer for a more straightforward installation process.

If the way above failed due to some reason, use a third-party tool called **Anastasiy's Extension Manager** (it is available both for PC and Mac):

1. Get [Anastasiy's Extension Manager](#).
2. [Download the ZXP file](#).
3. Install the ZXP file with Anastasiy's Extension Manager.
4. Open Photoshop and go to Window > Extensions > Approval Studio to open the extension panel.

## How To Manually Install On Windows:

1. Close Adobe Photoshop or/and Adobe Illustrator if you have it opened.
2. [Download the ZXP file](#).
3. Change the file extension of the downloaded file from .zxp to .zip
4. Open the following folder in Windows Explorer:  
%appdata%\Adobe\CEP\extensions\
5. Alternatively, you can also navigate to the folder by hand:  
C:\Users\username\AppData\Roaming\Adobe\CEP\extensions\
6. Create a new folder, e.g., "Approval Studio," so you end up with the following path: C:\Users\username\AppData\Roaming\Adobe\CEP\extensions\Approval Studio
7. Extract all files and folders from inside the ZIP file to the new folder you created in step 5.
8. Open Adobe Photoshop or/and Adobe Illustrator and go to Window > Extensions > Approval Studio to open the extension panel.

## How To Manually Install On MacOS:

1. Close Adobe Photoshop or/and Adobe Illustrator if you have it opened.
2. [Download the ZXP file.](#)
3. Change the file extension of the downloaded file from .zxp to .zip
4. Open the following folder in Finder:  
/Library/Application Support/Adobe/CEP/extensions/
5. Create a new folder, e.g., "Approval Studio," so you end up with the following path:  
/Library/Application Support/Adobe/CEP/extensions/Approval Studio/
6. Extract all files and folders from inside the ZIP file to the new folder you created in step 5.
7. Open Adobe Photoshop or/and Adobe Illustrator and go to Window > Extensions > Approval Studio to open the Approval Studio panel.

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