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Pa5X

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OS Version 1.1

Installation and new features

Installing the new operating system

If new, your instrument might already include the new operating system. You can see which version of the operating system is installed in your Pa5X by going to the **File** pages, and choosing the **System Info** command from the **page menu** (☰).

To install the new operating system, please read the “Pa5X – OS Update” instructions supplied with the installation package in our web site (www.korg.com).

Note: By loading the new operating system, you also load all the features added by the previous updates.

■ Be sure to save all your custom data

This OS update will overwrite all the Factory and User data. Please save all your custom data by using a **File > Save All** operation. See the chapter dedicated to the file management in the User Manual for more information.

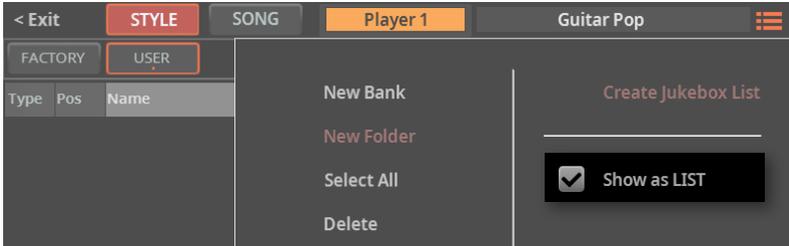
■ Reload your custom data

After the OS Update operation, during which you were asked to touch the **Format & Reset** button in the update dialog, please reload your custom data by using a **File > Load All** operation. See the chapter dedicated to the file management in the User Manual for more information.

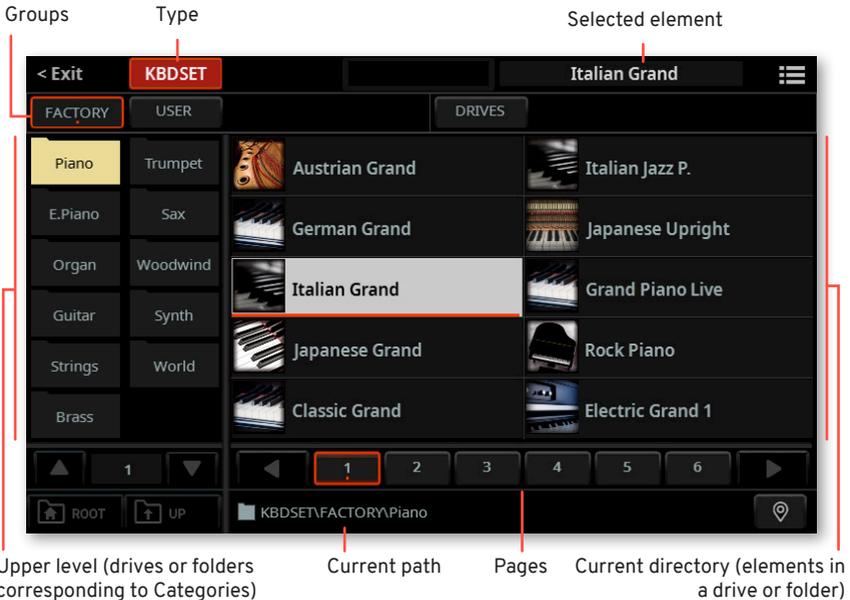
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List view added to the Select windows and File pages

You can now see the content of a **Select** window as Tiles or as a List. To choose the View mode, select or deselect the **Show as List** option in the **page menu** (☰).



> In **Tile View** mode (the default one) you see the musical resources as big tiles, easier to select.



> In **List View** mode you see the musical resources as a list.

Groups Type Selected element

Type	Pos	Name	Size	Date
	39	It.Grand Stack 1	5.99 KB	22/02/2022 14:11:14
	40	It.Grand Stack 2	5.96 KB	22/02/2022 14:11:14
	3	Italian Grand	6.38 KB	22/02/2022 14:11:14
	6	Italian Jazz P.	5.97 KB	22/02/2022 14:11:14
	4	Japanese Grand	6.80 KB	22/02/2022 14:11:14
	7	Japanese Upright	6.80 KB	22/03/2022 19:29:19
	12	Jazz Piano	5.97 KB	29/11/2021 16:52:16
	11	Korg M1 Piano	6.37 KB	22/02/2022 14:11:14

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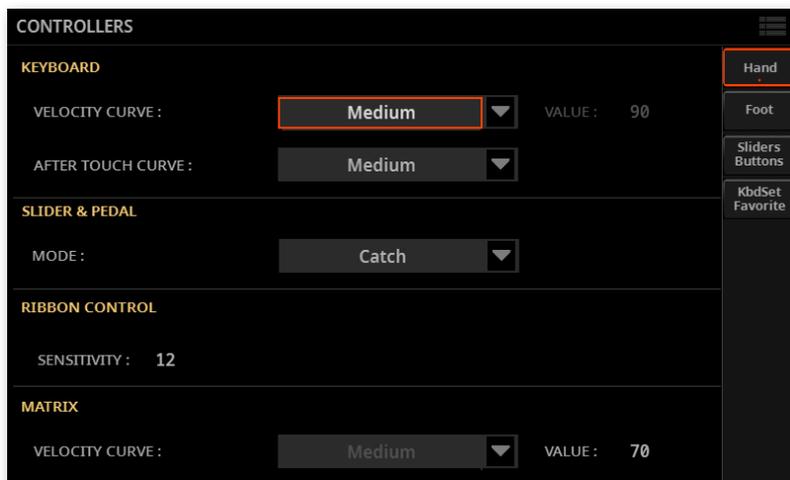
List (drives, folders or files)

Current path

Catch vs. Jump slider and pedal behavior

When moving a slider or a pedal, the value of the controlled parameter can immediately jump to the current slider/pedal value, or wait for it to reach the current parameter value, and catch it only at that point.

- 1 Go to the **Settings > Menu > Controllers > Hand** page.



- 2 Use the **Slider&Pedal > Mode** pop-up menu to choose between the **Catch** and the **Jump** mode.

Mode	Meaning
Catch	The parameter value will not be updated until the slider or pedal has reached the current value. This allows for a smoother action.
Jump	The parameter value will immediately jump to the current value of the slider or pedal. This allows for a more immediate response.

Changed some Control > Main functions

Some different controls are now assigned to the **Main** mode of the **Control** section.

- > The **Harmony** slider is now **Harmony/Double**, and controls both levels.
- > The **Harmony** and **Double On/Off** buttons have now a different name, while preserving the same function.



Separate controls for the Mic Processor's Delay and Reverb Level parameters

The Mic Processor's **Delay** and **Reverb Level** parameters are now separate, and can be assigned to different controllers. They were formerly a single parameter ("Mic Delay/Reverb Level").

Added MP3 Volume control

The **MP3 Volume** parameter has been added to the list of parameters assignable to the **Control** sliders and the pedals.

Pads selected from the Main page

Touching the name of the Pads in the **Home > Main** page no longer triggers them. You can now touch them to open the **Pad Select** window, and choose different Pads.



Added Mixer pane in the Home page

A **Mixer** pane has been added to the **Home** page.



The **Mixer** button, allowing to jump to the full **Mixer** page, is no longer available in the **Home > Control** pane, and has been moved here.

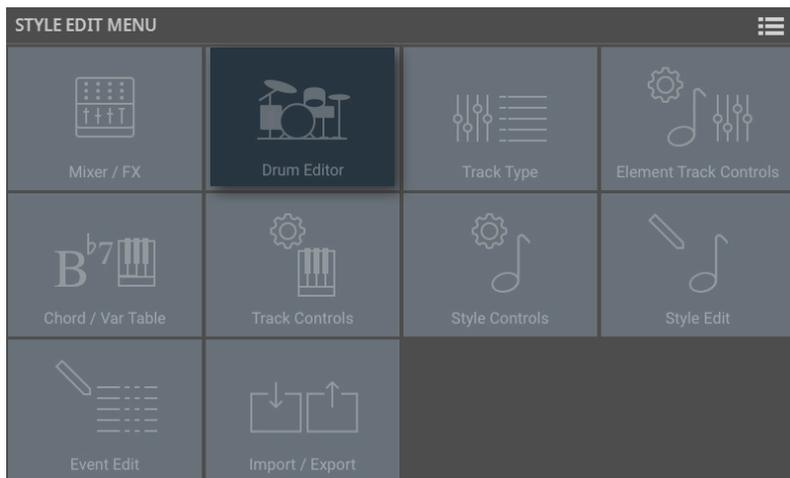


Second Player starting in sync with the first one

If you want to synchronize both Player's Tempo to the Tempo of the current Player, turn the **TEMPO > LOCK** on. You can start one Player after the other one, and they will play at the same Tempo.

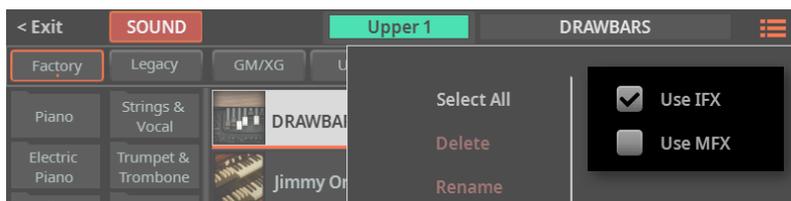
Drum Edit moved to a separate section

The **Drum Edit** page has now been moved to its own edit section, inside the **Drum Editor**.



Insert and Master FX automatically selected by the Upper 1 Sound

You can now have the Insert and/or Master FXs, saved with a Sound, be automatically assigned to the FX processors. To do this, select the **Use IFX** and/or **Use MFX** options in the **page menu** (☰) of the **Sound Select** window before choosing a Sound.



Scale/Tuning page added to Style Edit/Record mode

The **Scale/Tuning** page has been added to the **Style Edit > Element Track Controls** edit section. You can now program a sub-scale for each Style Element, and enable the sub-scale on each track of the Style Element.



The scale's root is usually C. With **Chord Follow** activated, it will change depending on the recognized chord.

Redesigned page menus

Some page menus have been redesigned, to include the new features.

User Interface refinements

There have been several user interface refinements, to make it even easier to use.

Formatting of microSD cards

You can now format and use microSD cards of up to 1TB of capacity.

Pa5X 1.1 – New Musical Resources

A new category of Pads has been added, with a whole new bank of Pads.

Synth

Synth Rhythm 1	Solo Arpeggio 2	Reso UpBeat	Reso Rhythm
Synth Rhythm 2	Synth Filter 1	Synth UpBeat	Matrix Pad
Synth Rhythm 3	Synth Filter 2	Dark Pad	80's Sequence
Synth Rhythm 4	Sine Arpeggiator	Bass DigiFilter 1	5/16 Synth
Lead Arpeggio	Fat UpBeat	Bass DigiFilter 2	Electro Sequence
Solo Arpeggio 1	Pad UpBeat	Panned Synth	Vintage Sweep

Pa5X v1.1 – Improvements and bug fixes

Improvements

Selecting Styles and Songs is now faster.

Saving musical resources is now faster.

The Drum Editor has been improved.

Importing data from Pa4X has been improved, and it is now faster and more accurate. After importing data from Pa4X, the “ImportResultReport.txt” file containing a list of import errors will appear inside the new KST folder.

Bug fixes

Various bug fixes, improving speed and stability.

Pa5X v1.0

This is the first version. Everything was new!

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