



Scrapbook Pixixel

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100% local media cataloguer · macOS 14 Sonoma or later

1 Gather your media

You point Scrapbook at your existing folders: **nothing is copied or moved** — your original files stay exactly where they are.

1

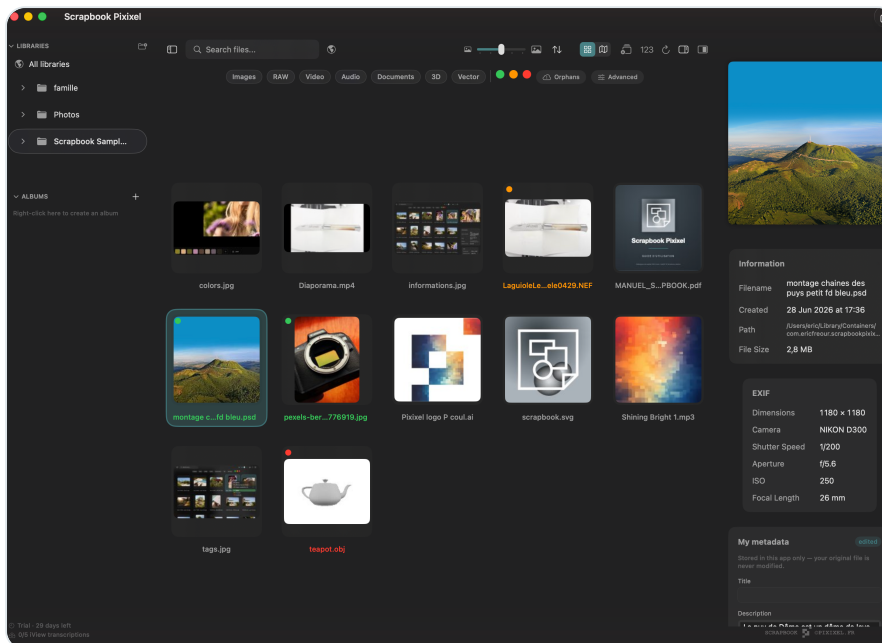
Drag a folder into the window (or ). The grid fills up.

2

Add several: each folder becomes a library in the sidebar.

3

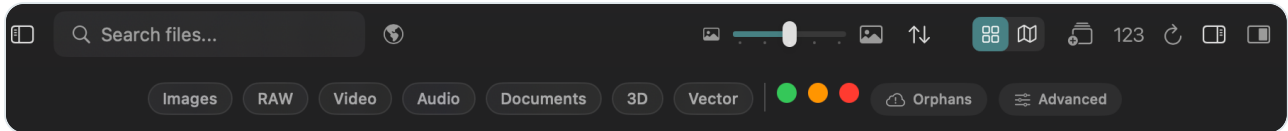
“All libraries” aggregates everything: shared grid, search and map.



Remove ≠ delete.  takes a library out of the app without erasing anything on disk. Your originals are never touched.

2 Browse, filter, sort

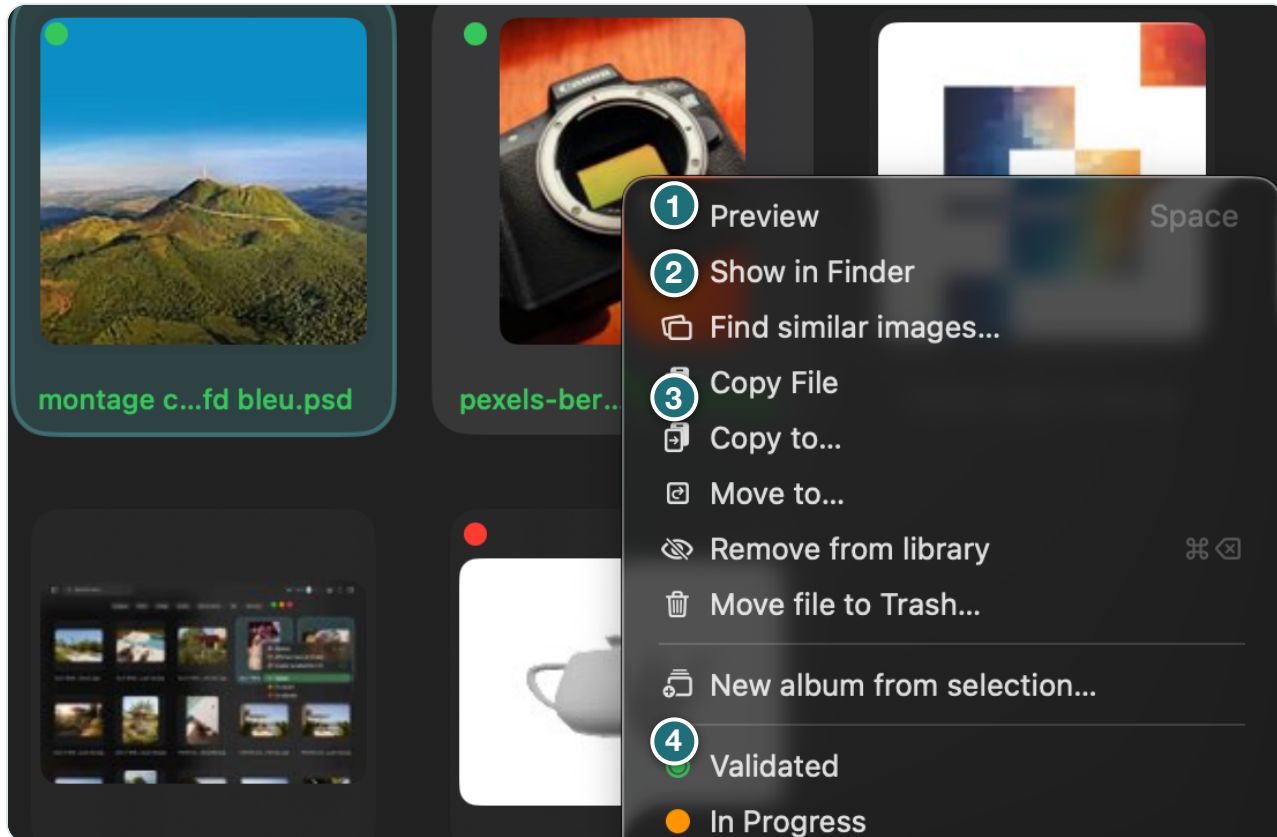
The **toolbar** drives the whole display. Narrow the mass of images down to just what you need.



- **Filter by type:** Images, RAW, Video, Audio, Documents — or your **custom extensions** (psd, ai, eps...).
- **Filter by colour label**, or show only **orphans** (original file not found).
- **Sort** (name, date, size, type) · **thumbnail size** + / - .
- **Navigate:** · +click (range) · +click (add) · A (all).

3 Annotate & organise

A **right-click** on an image (or a selection) is your Swiss army knife: classify, label, find the file.



1 Preview (Space) — full screen, info and palette.

2 Show in Finder — the original file.

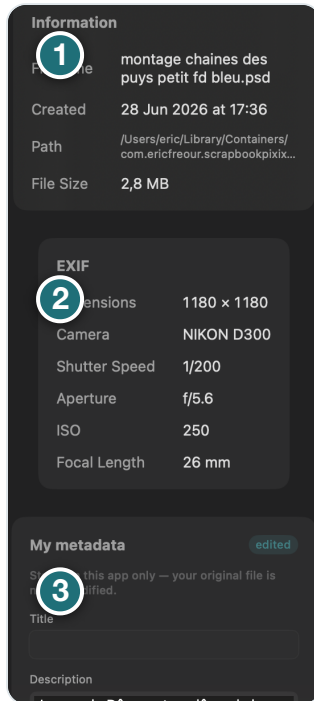
3 Copy the file — paste elsewhere as-is.

4 Colour labels (%1 — %5 , %0 = remove).

Going further to organise: create **albums** (free groupings, right-click in the Albums area), add **keywords & notes**, and edit **metadata** — always in the catalogue, **never on the original**.

4 See all the information

The **inspector** (right) shows everything; the **palette** extracts the dominant colours.



- 1 **Information** — name, date, path, file size.
- 2 **EXIF** — camera, lens, focal length, aperture, ISO, speed, GPS.
- 3 **My metadata** — your notes & keywords, **editable**; the original file is never touched.

Colour palette



- 1 **Dominant colours** (HEX / CMYK / RAL).
- 2 **+** = system eyedropper, pick anywhere.
- 3 Click a colour → **⌘C** copies the HEX.
- 4 **Export .ase** to Photoshop / Illustrator.

5 Save your data

All your work (labels, keywords, albums, views) fits in **a single** `.sbpixel` file you store wherever you like.

1
Save ⌘S · **Save As** ⌘⇧S .

2
Reopen ⌘O · **Import**
another library ⌘I .

3
Portable CSV export
generated with the
catalogue — readable
anywhere.

Save Library As...

Save As:

Tags:

Where:  Desktop ⬆ ⬇

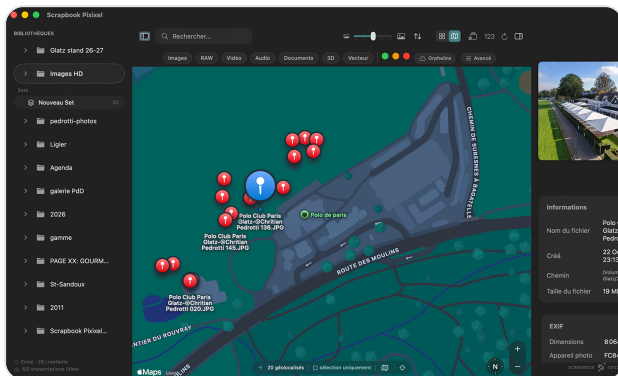
☒ Include les vignettes (catalogue autonome, plus lourd)

Cancel Save

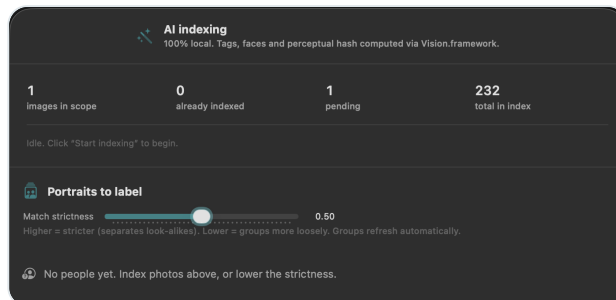
Open format, no lock-in: a `.sbpixel` is a macOS bundle containing `catalog.sqlite` + `thumbs/` + `manifest.json`. Your data stays readable even without the app.

6 Find where & who

As the collection grows, several ways to put your finger back on things — **all computed 100% on-device**, nothing leaves the Mac.



GPS map — toggle grid ↔ map. One pin = one photo, click to select it.

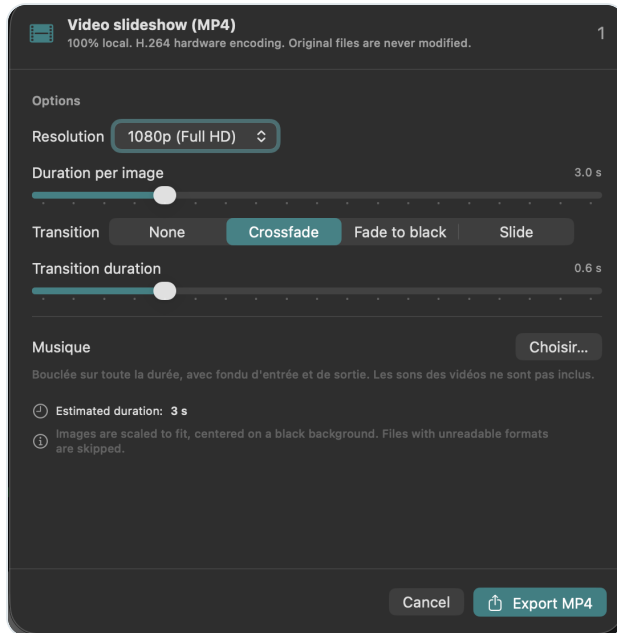


People (⌘⇧J) — group faces, name them, find every photo of a person.

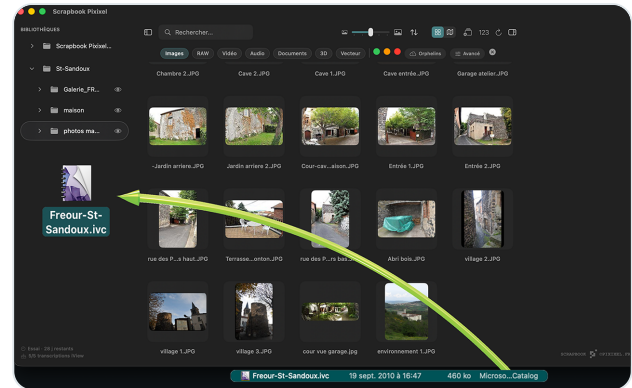
- **Advanced search**, multi-criteria (⌘⇧F) · **natural language** (⌘⇧N)
- **Duplicates** (perceptual hash) (⌘⇧D) · **AI indexing** (tags, faces, similarity) (⌘⇧J)

7 Share & bring in

Your media leaves Scrapbook for your tools — and other software's catalogues come into Scrapbook.



Exports — **MP4** slideshow (duration, transition, music), **HTML**, **PDF** contact sheet, **XMP** sidecars.

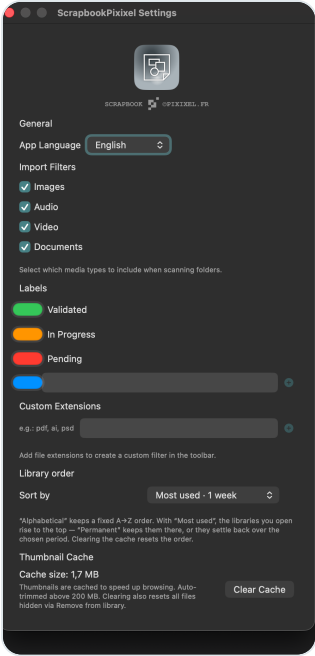


Imports — drag a **.ivc** (iView MediaPro). Also Lightroom, XMP and CSV.

Direct drag-and-drop: drag one or more thumbnails to **InDesign**, **Photoshop**, **Illustrator**, **After Effects**, **Final Cut** or the **Finder** — without leaving Scrapbook. Originals stay intact.



Settings & cheat sheet



In **Settings**:

- **Language** (20 languages)
- **Import filters** (media types scanned)
- **Labels**: create, rename, colour
- **Custom extensions**
- **Library order**
- **Thumbnail cache** + **Clear cache**

Cheat sheet

Add a folder	⌘0 or drag
Save / Open	⌘S / ⌘O
Colour label	⌘1 ... ⌘5
Advanced search	⌘⇧F
AI indexing / faces	⌘⇧J

Full-screen preview	Space
Select all	⌘A
Thumbnail size	⌘+ / ⌘-
Natural language	⌘⇧N
Duplicates	⌘⇧D

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