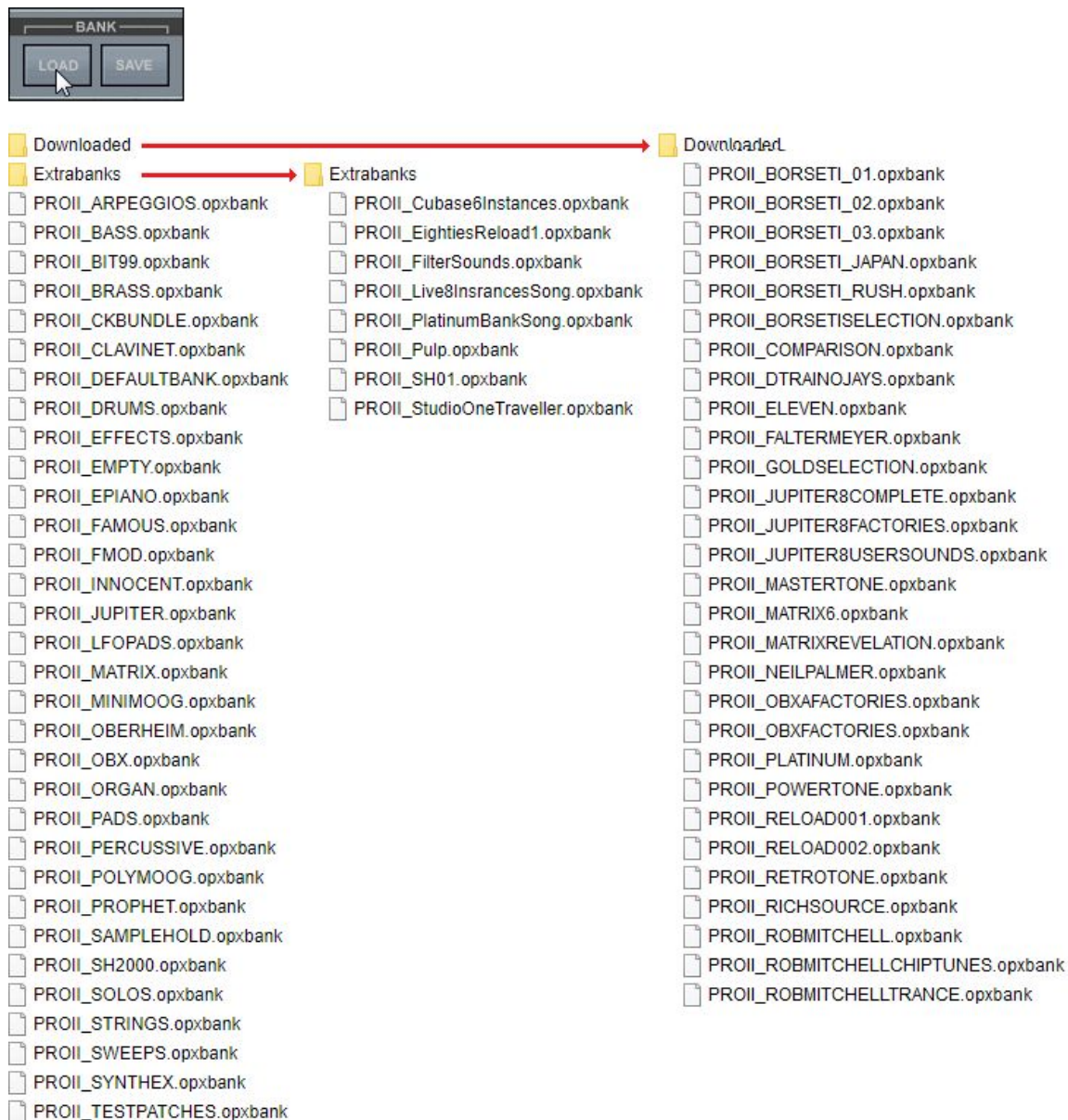


# Patches Guide

The synth always starts with the factory default bank loaded, which is 128 chosen patches taken from various banks which try to give an impression on the range of sounds the synth can deliver.

Apart from four init presets all further sounds are provided in banks which can be loaded by clicking on the BANK LOAD button:



If the BANK LOAD button should't point to the banks folder then once click the PRESET LOAD and RESET SAVE button and cancel which should re-set the banks path.

The files with .opxbank extension are the banks. There are 69 banks pre-installed which contain a total of about 2'500 sounds.

To learn more about all these included banks visit this site which offers a description as well as audioclips and videos for all included banks:

<https://www.sonicprojects.ch/opxpro2/banksinfo.html>

Most people of course are about the legendary PROII\_FAMOUS bank which includes many famous 80s patches.

But there are many more famous patches available in other banks released after the initial famous bank. Check the banks info site and also the banks reload site mentioned below which offers the Famous Complete collection.

Even more banks can be downloaded for free on the banks reload site where we then and when release new soundsets for free download:

<https://www.sonicprojects.ch/opxpro2/userarea.html#Newest>

ELEVEN, POWERSTONE and RETROSTONE already are included

To learn how to use the synth's patch manager and the built-in banks as well as how to create your own sounds and banks check the last chapter in this video tutorial:

<https://www.sonicprojects.ch/opxpro2/tutorial.html>

### Create own sounds and banks:

In short, to save an own patch as single preset first on click into the name field to give it a suitable displayed name which is an independent parameter not tied to the file-name, confirm with enter, then click on PRESET SAVE to save it as single preset.

The save file name automatically defaults to the displayed name in the name field, but can be edited e.g. to save different versions. To keep the saved presets apart from the init presets and to group them you are free to create sub-folders within the presets folder and save your patches into these ones.

To create a bank of your saved presets first on load the PROII\_EMPTY bank, load your before saved presets into its slots in any order you like using PRESET LOAD, and then save the bank with a new custom name.

The best create a new custom folder within the banks folder for your own custom banks e.g. called MyBanks.

### POSTSCRIPT:

As you can see on the banks info site the library offers thousands of elaborated first class sounds including many famous 80s sounds as well as tons of original factory presets or other typical classic sounds from various classic synths cloned in every detail from original recordings or the actual synths themselves.

So apart from many new unheard sounds only OP-X PRO-II can achieve the library offers sort of a time capsule for the most legendary sounds of synth history.