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FONT

User Guide

Installation & Setup

Thanks for purchasing VariFont, that's a quick guide on how to install and use the plugin

Close After Effects if open

The easiest way to install the plugin is to use the aescrpts + aeplugins manager app - [please download it here](#)

Otherwise, if you want to install it manually, copy the plugin file 'VariFont_[ver]' into the following directory:

Windows users:

C:\Program Files\Adobe\Common\Plug-ins\7.0\MediaCore

Mac users:

/Library/Application Support/Adobe/Common/
Plug-ins/7.0/MediaCore

Start After Effects

How it works

For the best result apply the effect to a Solid Layer

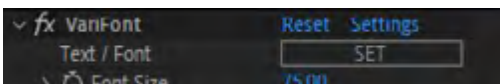
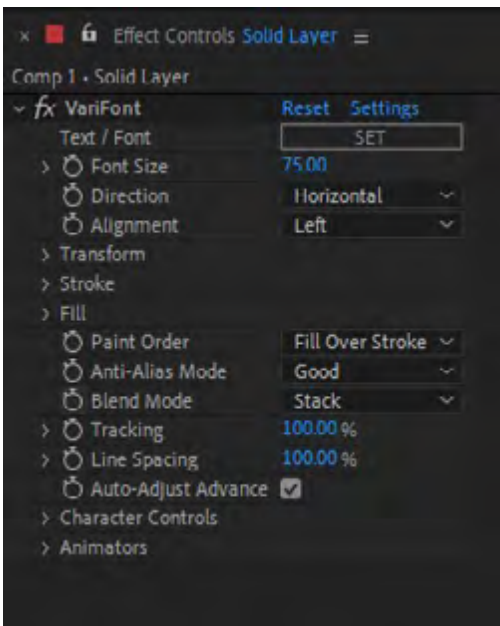
Find the effect under the following menu:

Effect > Braindot Design > VariFont

The commands in the UI are organised in a sort of logical order, suggesting a very generic workflow

VariFont supports all fonts installed in the system, and offer advanced features regardless of the Font type

In facts, until you select a Variable Font from the dedicated menu, you will not have the Dynamic Axis belonging to Variable Fonts (from now on VF)

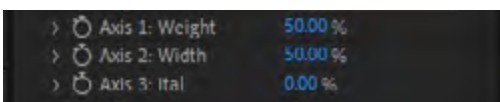


To change text and font a new font, press the SET button



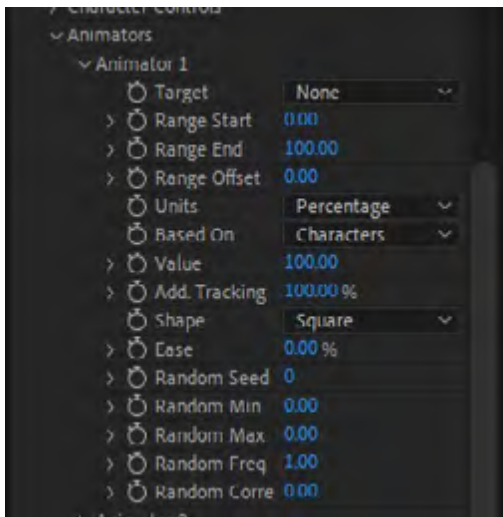
A dedicated Panel will open. Here you can choose between any of the fonts in your system, or only VF if the 'Show only variable fonts' checkbox is ticked on

You can input multiline text, change text Style and text Size. Press OK



If you have selected a VF, all of the available Axis to this specific design will be shown in the UI, with these sliders you can now change and animate the available axis

A few features we are particularly proud of are grouped under the Animators group, the last entry of the UI



In order to activate the Animator Groups it is necessary to pick a Target Parameter from the Target menu.

Some of the most powerful parameters of this group are:

Range Selection (Start & End)

Range Offset

Shape

Random Min/Max

Random Frequency