## How to Generate SmartDocsRadio.m3u (Windows PowerShell)

**Script location:**

C:\Users\ovidi\Desktop\Developer\_SmartDocs\Website\scripts\make-m3u.ps1

### 1. Open PowerShell in the script folder

**Option A (easiest):** 1. Navigate to the folder: C:\Users\ovidi\Desktop\Developer\_SmartDocs\Website\scripts 2. Hold **Shift** + **Right-click** in an empty space 3. Choose **“Open PowerShell window here”**

**Option B (manual way):**

cd "C:\Users\ovidi\Desktop\Developer\_SmartDocs\Website\scripts"

### 2. Run the script

**Local (for testing):**

.\make-m3u.ps1

This will scan:

C:\Users\ovidi\Desktop\Developer\_SmartDocs\Website\audio\

and create or update this file:

C:\Users\ovidi\Desktop\Developer\_SmartDocs\Website\SmartDocsRadio.m3u

### 3. Recommended: include your domain for Alexa

When your site is live on Netlify, run this instead:

.\make-m3u.ps1 -Domain https://smartdocspack.netlify.app

That will write **full HTTPS URLs** to your playlist, like:

https://smartdocspack.netlify.app/audio/Song1.mp3

These URLs work perfectly for Alexa or remote playback.

### 4. Verify output

Open the generated file:

C:\Users\ovidi\Desktop\Developer\_SmartDocs\Website\SmartDocsRadio.m3u

You should see something like this:

#EXTM3U  
#EXTINF:-1,Song1  
https://smartdocspack.netlify.app/audio/Song1.mp3  
#EXTINF:-1,Song2  
https://smartdocspack.netlify.app/audio/Song2.mp3

### 5. Redeploy your website

After confirming the playlist looks good, redeploy your site to Netlify (drag-drop or push via Git). The website will automatically load **SmartDocsRadio.m3u** next time you visit.

### Optional: create a .BAT shortcut

You can create a simple file named GeneratePlaylist.bat with this line:

powershell -ExecutionPolicy Bypass -File "%~dp0make-m3u.ps1" -Domain https://smartdocspack.netlify.app

Save it in the same scripts folder, then you can **double-click** it anytime to regenerate your playlist automatically.