Video Copilot Install Utility 1.0 - User Guide [Mac]

The Video Copilot Install Utility is a command line tool to help you manage installed Video Copilot plugins.

1. Plugin Licensing

a. Online License Installation

To download and install plugin licenses use the following command:

./vcinstallutil license install <EMAIL> <PASSWORD> <PLUGINS...>

Replace <EMAIL> and <PASSWORD> with your Video Copilot download account information.

<PLUGINS...> can be replaced with one or more of the following commands:

COMMAND	PLUGIN
elementv2	Element V2
opticalflares	Optical Flares
heatdistortion	Heat Distortion

Example:

./vcinstallutil license install email@email.com password elementv2 opticalflares

This will install the licenses for Element V2 and Optical Flares.

If a license is already installed you can force a re-installation by specifying the -f flag

Example:

./vcinstallutil license install -f email@email.com password1234 elementv2

b. Offline License Request/Installation

To generate a license request files to the current working directory use the following command:

./vcinstallutil license request generate <PLUGINS...>

Upload the license request to the VideoCopilot website: https://www.videocopilot.net/account/downloads/

To install a generated license use the following command:

./vcinstallutil license request install <PLUGIN> <LICENSE_FILE>

Generate example:

./vcinstallutil license request generate elementv2 opticalflares

Two files will be generated: 'elementv2 request.reg' and 'opticalflares request.reg'.

Install example:

./vcinstallutil license request install elementv2 ElementLicense.license

You can specify the full path to the license file if it isn't located in the same directory as the install utility.

Example:

./vcinstallutil license request install elementv2 ~/Downloads/ElementLicense.license

c. License Status

To view the status of the plugins licensing run the following command:

./vcinstallutil license status

2. Element V2

a. Asset Path Management

To change the path of your Element V2 assets use the following command:

./vcinstallutil elementv2 setassetspath <PATHTYPE>

<PATHTYPE> can be one of the following commands:

COMMAND	DESCRIPTION
user	Current User Documents (e.g. /Users/ <user>/Documents)</user>
shared	Shared Documents (e.g. /Users/Shared/Documents)
custom <custompath></custompath>	A user defined path, replace <custompath> with the path</custompath>

NOTE: No assets will be installed or moved by this command, you will have to either install them via the installer or move them manually.

Examples:

Set the assets path to the current user documents folder:

./vcinstallutil elementv2 setassetspath user

Set the assets path to a folder on a different drive:

./vcinstallutil elementv2 setassetspath custom /Volumes/ExternalDrive/Folder

If your custom path has spaces in it add quotes (" ") around your path:

./vcinstallutil elementv2 setassetspath custom "/Volumes/ExternalDrive/My Folder"

NOTE: The custom path must exist prior to calling the custom path command.