# Sketch Plugin - NounProject #3

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#### Intro

Sketch Plugin to use open source database of <u>Thenounproject</u>

#### • Features:

- See all icons from <u>Thenounproject</u>
- Search specific tags
- Drag-n-Drop svg icons to Sketch artboards

## Achievements and progress

#### **Continuation of project from previous sessions**

- Inherit and unify the work done previously
- Setup code repository
- Code cleanup

#### Integration with <u>TheNounProject</u> API.

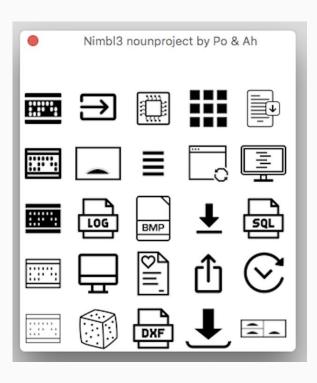
⇒ Reading user input and searching the <a href="https://example.com/TheNounProject">TheNounProject</a> for icons.

```
function fetchThatIcon(url) {
   var apiURL = NSURL.URLWithString('https://thenounproject.com/search/json/icon/?q=' + url + '&page=1&limit=25');
   var request = NSURLRequest.requestWithURL(apiURL);
   var response = NSURLConnection.sendSynchronousRequest_returningResponse_error(request, null, null);

   var responseString = NSString.alloc().initWithData_encoding(response, NSUTF8StringEncoding);
   allImages = iconUrls(JSON.parse(responseString));
   allImages.length > 0 ? showSelectableImages() : alert('Not found', 'Error');
}
```

#### **Next Steps**

## Displaying the icons on a Native Panel



#### **Next Steps**

#### Better management of scripts and commands:

- package.json
  - Refactor it to a standard format
  - Add <u>eslint</u> to lint JS code to our coding standards
- manifest.json
  - Rename the Menu and UI titles
  - Add launch shortcuts

#### Important Takeaways

- Switching between JS and Objective C remains the biggest hurdle
- Lack of proper documentation of all the API Interface of <u>Mocha</u>
- Development with Sketch is extremely slow due to
  - Constant crashes
  - False reloads

# Thanks!

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