

# Song Upload Guidelines

This page will help you uploading a song to the [song hacks](#) page while respecting the upload standards for this section.

## Content

The zip archive you upload in ``ff3:ff3us:music:songdata`` must contain at least a SPC file of the song (.spc), the song data file (.bin) and an instrument file (.bin). You can add extra files relevant to that song (such as alternate versions or a MML file).

All 3 files must have same name as zip archive, to the exception that you must add “\_data” to the song data filename and “\_inst” to the instrument filename. The archive name must be all lowercase and no space (use underscore). If you add extra file, keep the name and add something to the filename in the same way it is done for the instrument or data files.

Each file name must start by the game abbreviation, see the list below. In case of a duplicate entry, use at end of filename the author code (see other list below). In any case of major doubt, look at existing archive and content names as reference, or ask your questions on the forums or on Discord.

## MP3 Preview

The mp3 preview you add in `ff3:ff3us:music:songdata:preview` must respect the song filename (as close as possible). FYI, you can convert SPC files to WAV then to MP3. It is suggested to upload 128kbps MP3s, or V5-V6 if you use VBR. The preview must be 30 seconds (including fade out if one).

## Author Codes

To use for duplicate entries.

```
_1 = Royaken  
_2 = Gi Nattak  
_3 = tsushiy  
_4 = emberling  
_5 = MetroidQuest  
_6 = unknown author
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## Game abbreviations

If you game is not here, you are free to create one that make sense. Use other songs as references in doubt.

alttp\_ = A Link to the Past  
bof\_ = Breath of Fire  
bof2\_ = Breath of Fire 2  
cc\_ = Chrono Cross  
cr\_ = Chocobo Racing  
ct\_ = Chrono Trigger  
cv\_ = Castlevania  
cv2\_ = Castlevania 2  
cv3\_ = Castlevania 3  
cvl\_ = Castlevania Legend  
dk64\_ = Donkey Kong 64  
dkc2\_ = Donkey Kong Country 2  
dq2\_ = Dragon Quest 2  
ds4\_ = Legend of Wizard  
dual\_orb\_ = Dual Orb  
dual\_orb2\_ = Dual Orb 2  
earthbound\_ = Earthbound  
eo3\_ = Etrian Odyssey 3  
ewj2\_ = Earthworm Jim 2  
ff = Final Fantasy  
ffmq\_ = Final Fantasy Mystic Quest  
fft\_ = Final Fantasy Tactic  
ffa\_ = Final Fantasy Adventure  
fz\_ = F-Zero  
fzc\_ = F-Zero Climax  
ias\_ = I am Setsuna  
iog\_ = Illusion of Gaia  
kaw\_ = King Arthur World  
kh = Kingdom Hearts  
lom\_ = Legend of Mana  
lufia1\_ = Lufia  
lufia2\_ = Lufia 2  
mm = Mega Man  
pkm = Pokemon  
rd\_ = Radical Dreamers  
rs = Romancing Saga  
s&n\_ = Sonic & Nuckle  
sd2\_ = Secret of Mana  
sd3\_ = Seiken Densetsu 3  
soe\_ = Secret of Evermore  
som\_ = Sword of Mana  
terrigma\_ = Terranigma  
tmnt = Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles  
top\_ = Tales of Phantasia  
totr\_ = Treasure of the Rudras  
undertale\_ = Undertale  
xg\_ = Xenogears  
ys = YS  
zelda2\_ = Zelda 2

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