

# Playlist Names to Text File

## v3.0

For iTunes 11+/OS X 10.10+  
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This script will export the names of the playlists in the selected Source to a text file. The Source is determined by whatever playlist is currently selected: if you have an iPod Playlist selected, all iPod Playlists names will be exported; if you have an iTunes library playlist selected, then all iTunes playlist names will be exported.

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## Installation:

Put AppleScripts in your iTunes "Scripts" folder. This is located in your *[user name] / Library / iTunes /* folder.

*The user Library directory is hidden by default. To make it visible, hold down the Option key on your keyboard and select **Go > Library** from the Finder.*

If there is no folder named "Scripts" in the *[user name] / Library / iTunes /* folder then create one and put the script(s) in it. AppleScripts will then appear in iTunes' Script menu, and can be activated by selecting by name and clicking. Be sure to also save this Read Me document in a safe and convenient place.

**See the online Download FAQ for more info and video on downloading and installing AppleScripts.**

## How to use:

Before launching the script, simply select a single playlist under the section of in the **iTunes Source list** (aka the left sidebar) containing the playlists you want to list.

For example, to list all the playlists in an iPod library, make sure to select any single playlist on *that* iPod under “Devices”; to list all the playlists in the current local library, make sure to select any single playlist under “My Music Playlists”.

Launch the script and follow the prompts for saving a text list of playlist names from the selected source.

## Helpful Links:

**Information and download link for this script is located at:**

<http://dougscripts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=playlistnamestotext>

**If you have any trouble with this script, please email me.**

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### Version History:

**v3.0** july 10 2016

- General maintenance and security update
- For OS X 10.10 and later only
- Preliminary support for macOS 10.12

**v2.0** jan 21 14

- maintenance update for compatibility with modern iTunes
- fixes issues when Apps, Tones, or iTunes Store playlists selected

v1.0 july 27 04  
- maintenance

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