



## **AfterShot: What is an XMP file, and why are they in my images folder?**

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AfterShot 3 / AfterShot Pro 3 creates XMP files alongside image files. The XMP is a file that stores the edits to an image file, allowing the edits to be saved without writing any changes to the original image file. This is called "non-destructive editing".

Here's more information on non-destructive editing:

<http://help.corel.com/aftershot/v3/main/en/documentation/index.html#page/AfterShot-3%2Funderstanding-non-destructive-editing>

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