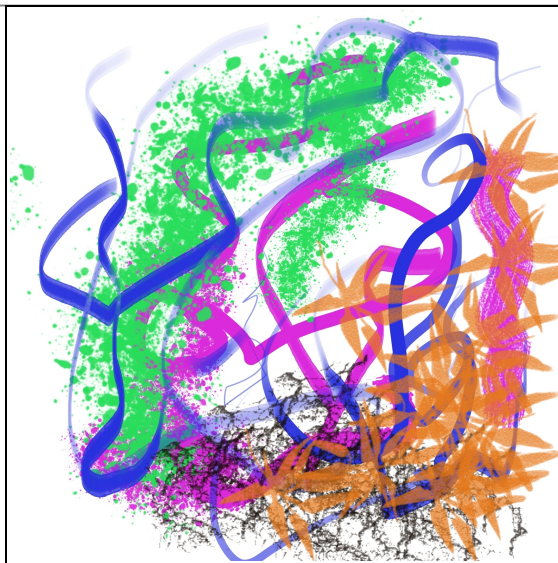# Digital Imaging with *Krita* software

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Create a new empty canvas
>File >New

Set your Workspace
>Window>Workspace >Big Paint

Under the Color wheel and triangle,
       Click the little horizontal dots
            Drag up
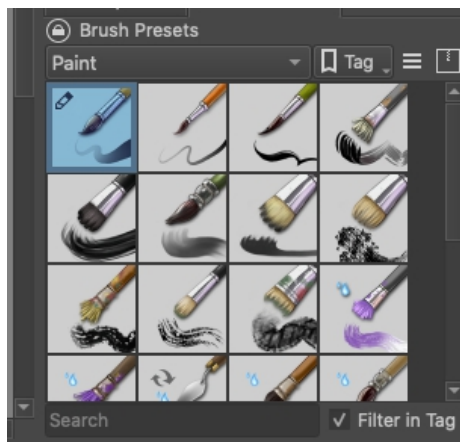   This moves the *Layers* docket up
            And so makes the *Color* docket smaller
       Click the horizontal dots above the *Brushes* tab
            This makes the *Brush Presets* docket larger

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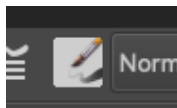### (Brushes; Drawing tablets)

Or...
Show the *floating Brush* docket
To float the *Brush Presets* docket...
Top menu, just left of "Normal",
      Click the *Choose brush preset* icon

Draw with different Brushes
Make sure the *Freehand Brush* is selected
      on left column of icons

In the big *Brushes* docket
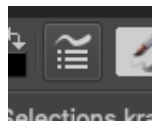   Click on one of the brush icons
      This changes the style of the brush

      Draw with it

      Experiment with different brushes
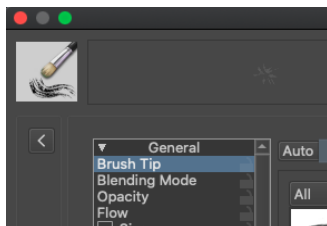   (and sizes and colors)

Edit Brushes
Click on the *Edit brush settings* icon (top row just left of *brush preset)*

This opens the Brush Editor window
      Make sure *Brush Tip is* selected (left column)

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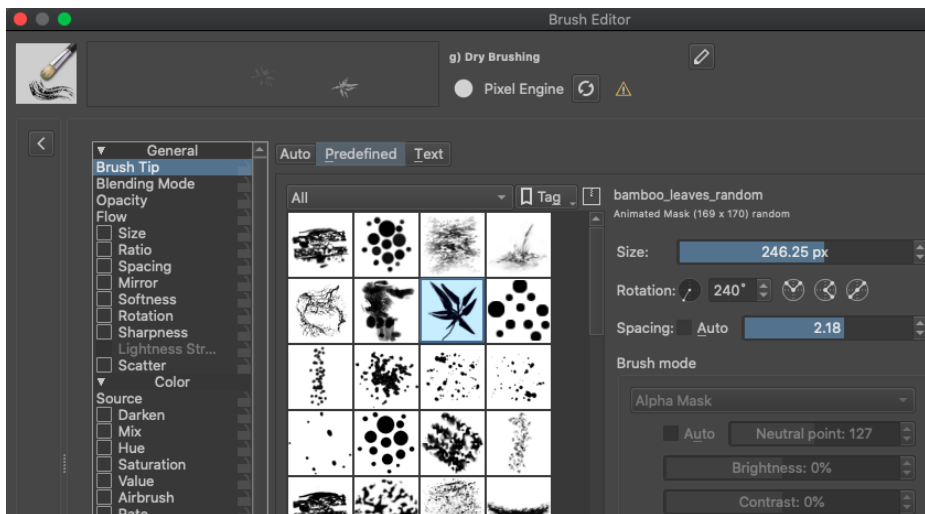
Predefined Brushes

To edit a predefined brush, select *Predefined* (middle, above the icons)
        Select the leaf brush
                Change *Size*
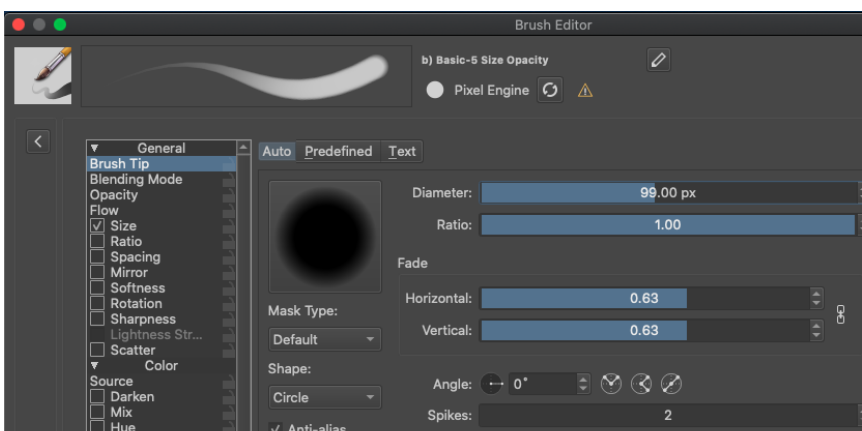   For *Spacing*, check off *Auto* and change spacing number

Basic round brush

To edit a basic round brush, select *Auto*
        To make your brush have soft edges
                Change numbers for *Fade*

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Pressure-sensitive Tablet

If you have a pressure-sensitive tablet,
      plug it into your computer
      (Usually through a USB port)

Many of the Krita brushes are pressure-sensitive
      (but only if you are using a pressure-sensitive tablet)

Draw with the pressure-sensitive pen and different brushes
      The effect of a brush changes
      Depending on
            Speed and Pressure of pen

Save your file

>File >Save As
      Use the default .kra format