

How to create a custom shape

- First download the software to create shapes <https://inkscape.org/en/download/windows/>

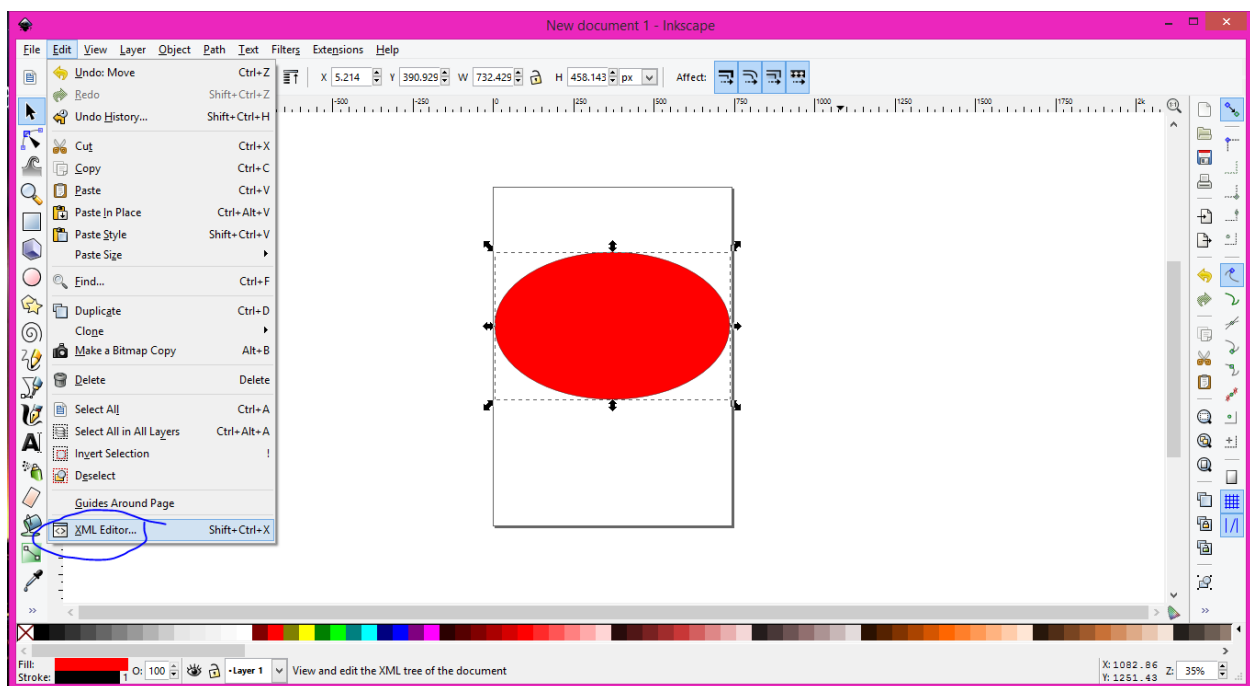
Note: it has to be the previous version of inkscape.

Previous version (0.48.5)

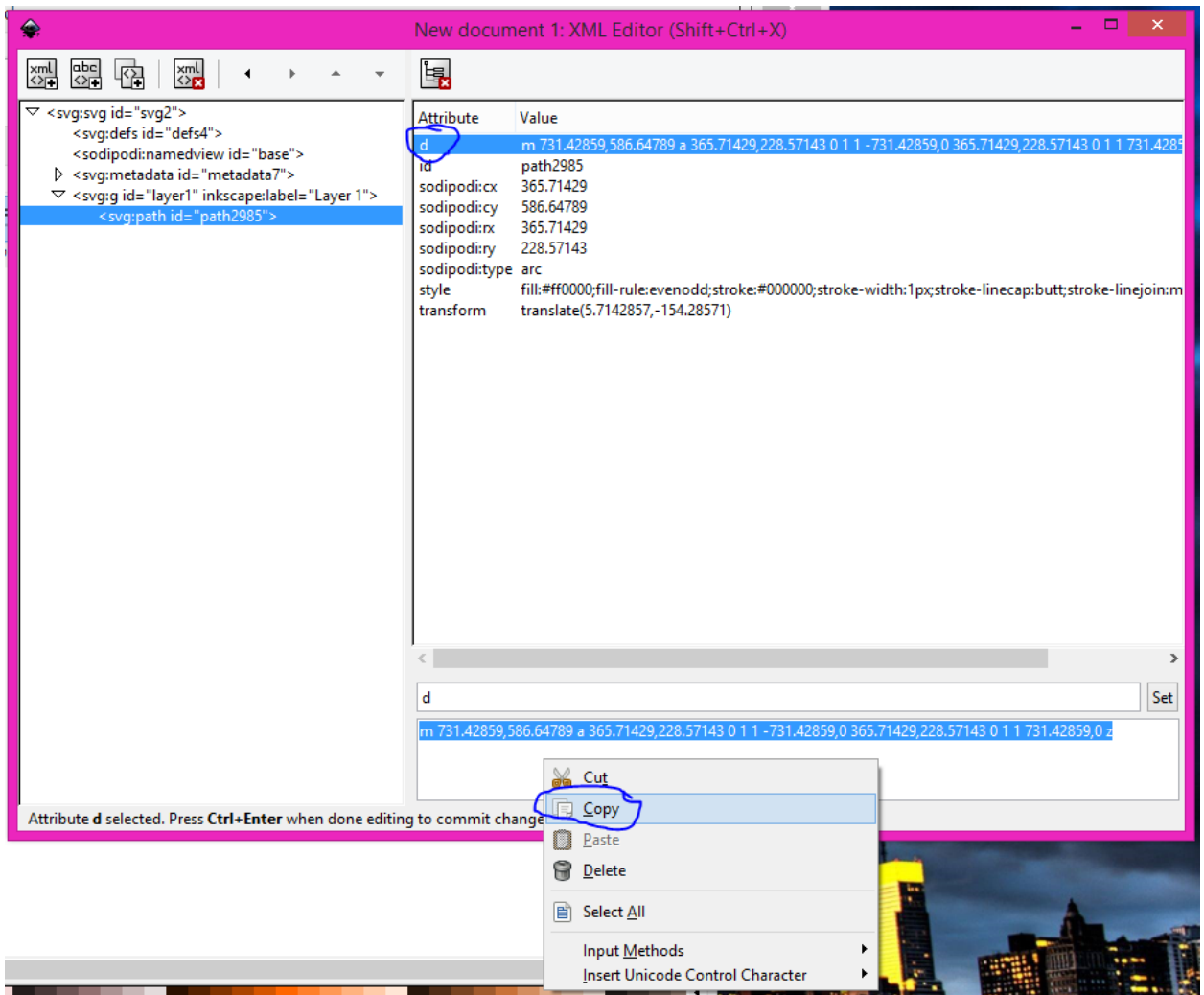


installer, 7zip, portable app

- Open the program and draw the shape that you want. Then do to Edit > XML editor

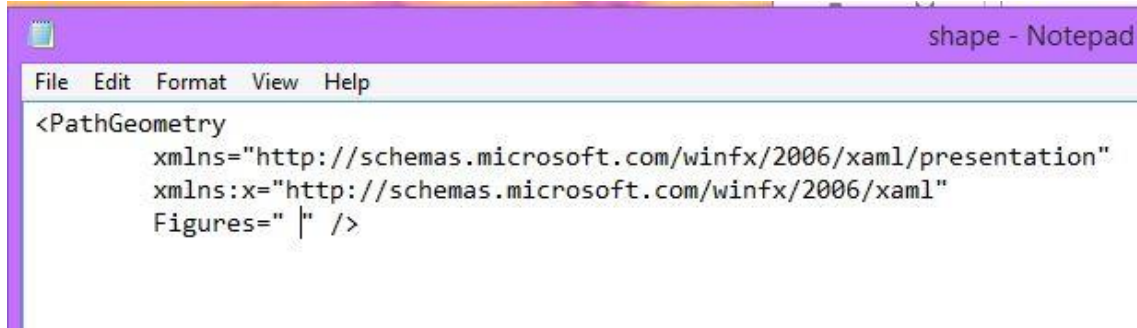


1. A second window will open up and you will drill down to `<svg:path id= "path2985">`
2. Under "attribute" click on "d"
3. Copy the m and the rest of the values to the z

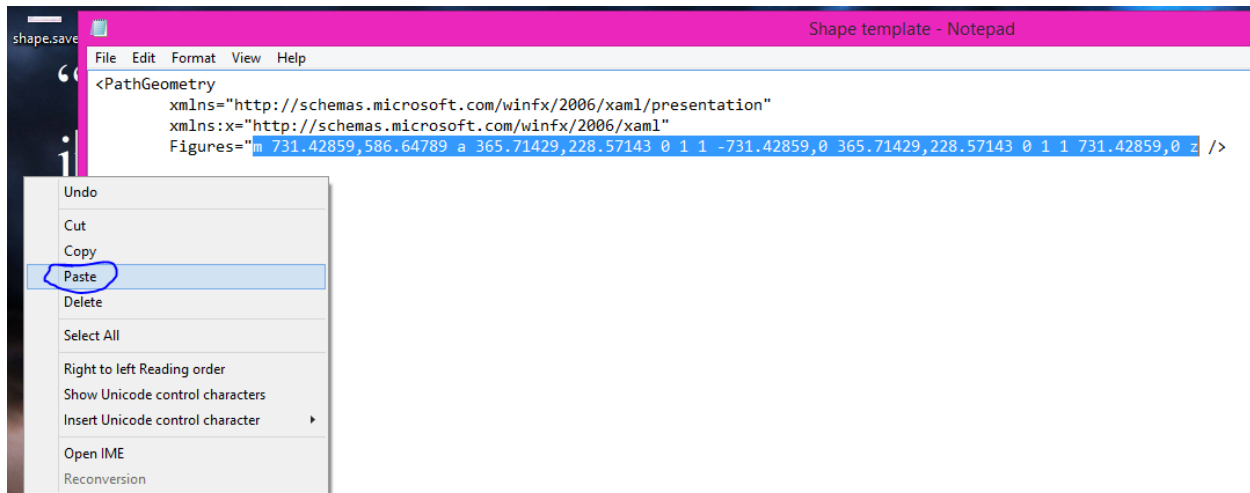


- Next open notepad and paste (tab over last three lines once)

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<PathGeometry
  xmlns="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2006/xaml/presentation"
  xmlns:x="http://schemas.microsoft.com/winfx/2006/xaml"
  Figures=" " />
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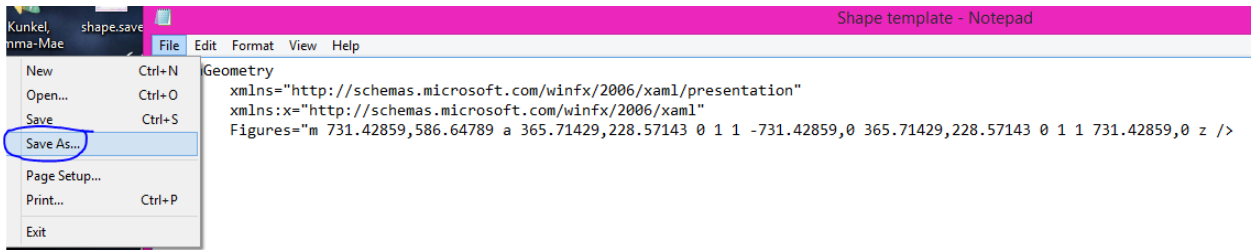


- Now "paste" the vales in the template after Figures="



- Saving the notepad is a very important step.

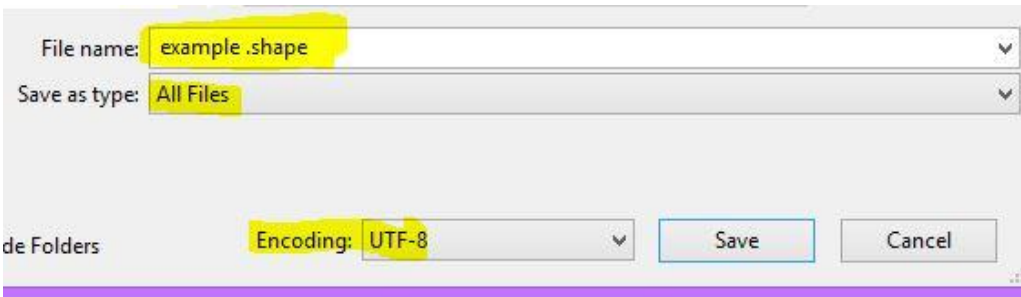
1. Go file save as



2. Name it anything **must add a [space] then .shape**

3. All files

4. UTF-8



Note: change (txt) to all files.

- Now open vista advanced and load custom shape in Boarder/Shadow shape.

