

Timezone

By default, Batocera is configured for Central European Time (CET) timezone.

Starting with Batocera 31, you can select your own timezone from the menu **SYSTEM SETTINGS** → **TIMEZONE**. From the same menu, you can also toggle the clock to 12-hour format if you want.

Older versions of Batocera

To adapt to your local time zone, you need to edit `/userdata/system/batocera.conf` and add/modify a line with:

```
system.timezone=America/Los_Angeles
```

To list all the suitable timezones and select yours, you can [connect to your Batocera system](#) and type:

```
# ls /usr/share/zoneinfo/
```

This command returns several directories (each one being a group of time zones). Then you can select the exact timezone you want in the corresponding directory. Back to my example above, I could select `Los_Angeles` from the output of:

```
# ls /usr/share/zoneinfo/America/
```

These instructions are still valid for Batocera 31+, if you need to change them manually.

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