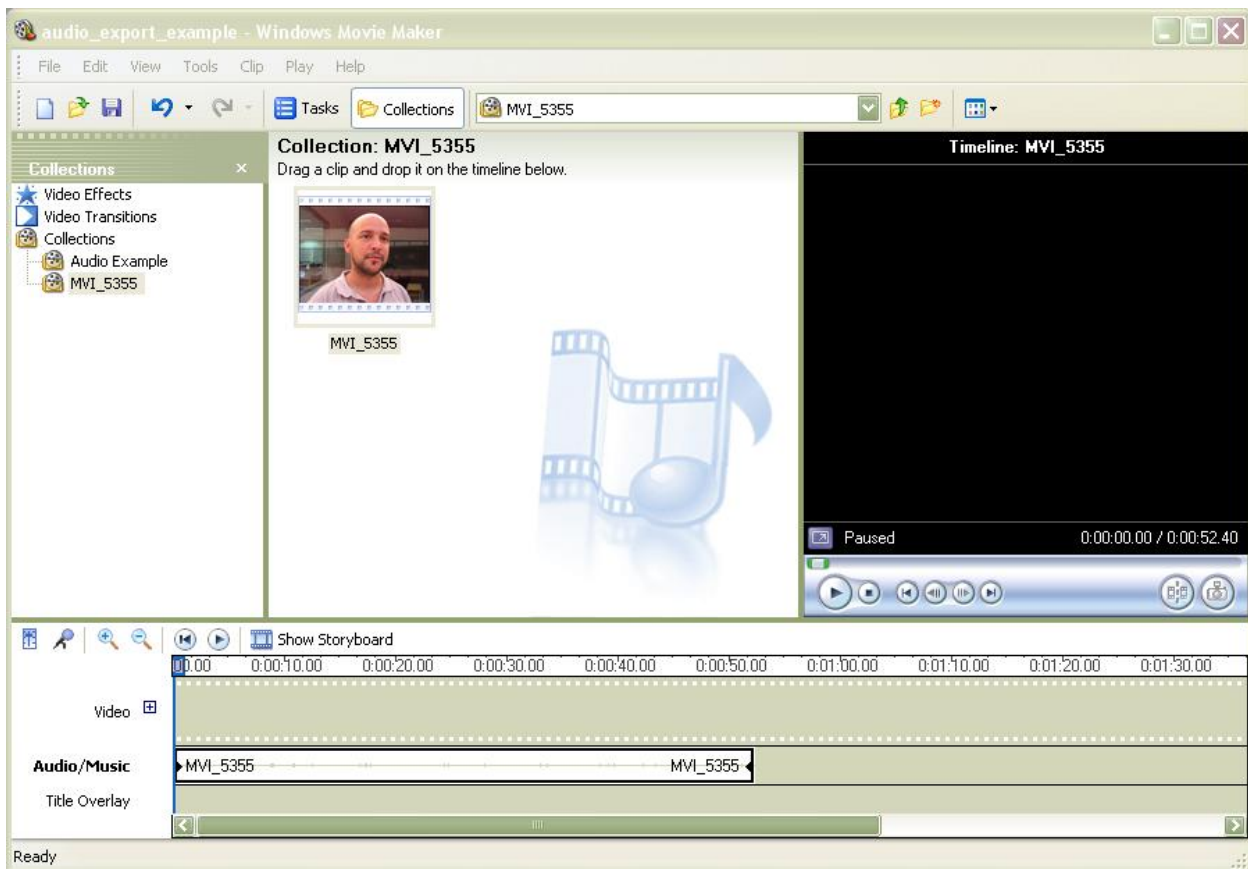
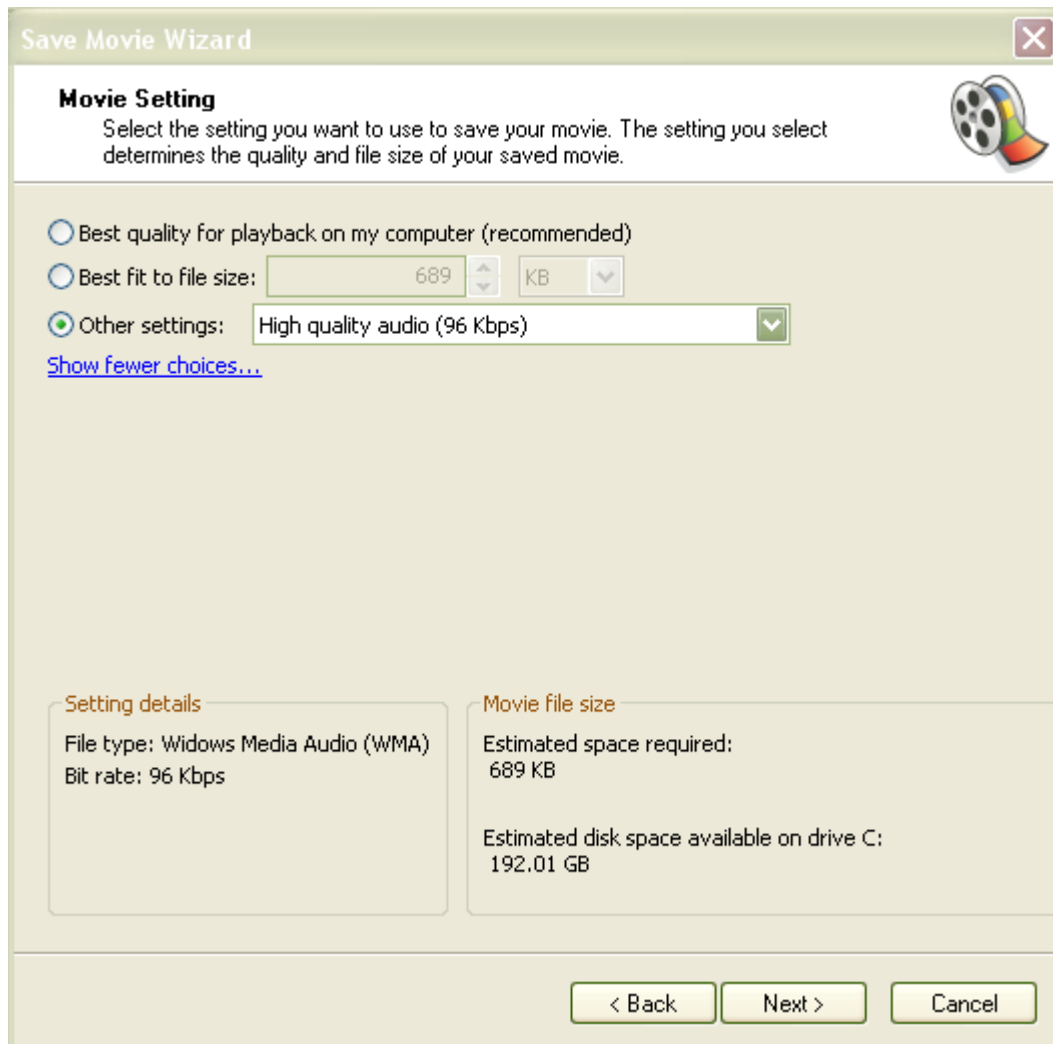


How to Strip the Audio Only from a Video Clip in Windows Movie Maker

1. Open Windows Movie Maker.
2. Start a New Project in WMM: File menu > New Project
3. Import into Collections (select the video file to import).
4. Save the project.
5. Change from Storyboard View to Timeline View. Make sure you can see the “Audio/Music” track in the WMM timeline.
6. Drag your clip down onto the “Audio/Music” track (*not* the “Video” track!).
7. Save the project.
8. File menu > Save Movie File (this is slightly different in Windows Vista)
 - a. My Computer (click Next)
 - b. Name the file AND choose where to save it (click Next)
 - c. In the menu, select “High quality audio (96 Kbps)” (click Next)
 - d. Click Finish
9. The finished file is in the WMA format. You will need to convert this to WAV (using the Switch program) just as you did all your audio files from your digital audio recorder.



Above: Notice that the Audio/Music track is the only track with anything on it.



Above: You will get this option (High quality audio) ONLY when the Audio/Music track is the only track in use in the project being exported.

Note that your original interview video file *is not changed* in any way when you do this.

Make sure to create another, separate new WMM project for your complete video. Do not try to make this project do double duty.