

Retranscoding To Copy Source File As A Rendition

Manual (retranscode single videos in the Brightcove admin: see attached PDF here:

[How To Generate a Copy of a Source Video File In Brightcove.pdf](#)

Batch (retranscode multiple videos at once)

For each video ID in a given account to be retranscoded, we need to generate a manifest.xml file with XML elements per video as per below.

*** NOTE, the means to generate a manifest.xml file for *thousands* of video entries is still in discussion with Brightcove.

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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<publisher-upload-manifest publisher-id="Your-ID" preparer="Ed" report-success="TRUE">
<notify email="myemail@myemail.com"/>
<reencode-from-existing-source
title-refid="video1"
encode-to="MP4"
encode-multiple="TRUE"
h264-preserve-as-rendition="TRUE"
overwrite-images="TRUE"
/>
</publisher-upload-manifest>
```

We could create a form for you to input the necessary information and then generate the XML code