



VideoUp Application
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Getting Started

Installing the application

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Making yourself at home

The interface

Open the VideoUp application by double-clicking on the shortcut on the Desktop. VideoUp will open and you will see this:

VideoUp app screenshot

This is the main window of the application. The Main box is where you open a video and choose where you would like to save it. You can view the video in the media player under the Trim tab. The other tabs have options to add subtitles, add information, import subtitles, upload to YouTube and help if you need any.

Click on Browse next to Input file to open up a video. When a video is chosen, the video will be ready to play in the media player below. Click on Browse next to Output file to change the name of the output video and where you would like to save it.

Using the menu

The menu bar at the top has extra options. Clicking on File will show the File Manager, New, Save and Exit. Clicking on File Manager will open up the File Manager app. Using the File Manager is explained in *name of section*. Clicking New will clear VideoUp. Clicking Save will save your current work, and Exit will close VideoUp. *Decide and explain other file menu options*

Making a video shorter

Trimming a video

Once you have opened a video, the media player will be ready to play it. Click the play button to view your video. To trim a video:

- Play the video you opened
- Pause at the place you want to start trimming

- Click the 'Set Start Time' button
- Play the video until the point you want to stop the trim
- Click 'Set End Time'

You have now set the time to trim the video

Adding subtitles to a video

Creating a subtitle

Firstly, we need to set the time where the subtitle will appear. Play the video and set the start and end time. You will notice that this is similar to the trim option. Now, to add a subtitle:

- Write the subtitle to the box on the right
- When done, click the 'Enter Subtitle' button
- This will add the subtitle to the gray box above
- Continue this until all subtitles have been added

Saving the subtitle

The subtitles can still be edited in the gray box above. When you are finished, click the 'Save Subtitle' button and choose where you want to save it.

Adding information to a video

Adding basic information

Here you can add information about the video which makes it easy to identify. This is useful if you have lots of videos. Here you can:

- Add the title of the video
- The author (e.g. DCCT)
- Choose the date the recording was done
- Enter a description about it

Selecting a resolution

The resolution is the size of the video, which also affects quality. So the higher the resolution, the better the quality will be. But the size of the video will be huge. The smaller the resolution, the smaller the file size will be. But the quality will not be as good. There are four resolutions to choose from:

- 1920x1080
- 1280x720 (default)
- 854x480
- 640x360

Also, you will notice that the trim times are the ones you set in the Trim Video tab.

Removing sound

The sound of the video clip is removed by default. If you choose Enable sound in the checkbox, then the sound of the video clip will be kept. Removing sound helps to make the file size smaller.

Import subtitles into the video

Adding subtitles

Adding subtitles to the video is simple. You can add the subtitles you just created, or ones from before. Click the 'Use from file' button, then Browse to find and import your subtitles.

Converting a video

Converting your video

Once you are happy with all the changes you made, convert the video by clicking the Convert button. A window will open up telling you that the video is busy converting. Once it is done, the window will tell you that the video is done converting. You can view your newly converted video by clicking 'Play Result', or you can close the window.

Getting your video onto YouTube

Uploading to YouTube

Now that you have converted your video, it is now ready to be uploaded to YouTube. You can see how to do this by clicking on the 'Upload Video' tab. You will see that the video name and description has already been set. You are welcome to change this if you would like. Once you are ready:

- Click on the Upload button
- A Google web page from the internet will open up. Sign in with your Google account details (if this is not your first time uploading a video, then you will not see this step)
- Click Allow to allow VideoUp to upload to YouTube using your account details
- The video will upload. Once it is done, a window will pop-up in VideoUp letting you know that the video has been uploaded successfully
- Log onto YouTube and you will see it there