



Basic Questions about Authoring

During Authoring different contents of a DVD are combined. Besides of video and sound, graphics, menu structures, subtitles or pictures can be combined and functionally connected. Authoring is an important step as it enables the customer/user the access to contents of a DVD. In order to run the DVD on every device, single parts of the DVD contents have to be brought into the corresponding format.

In a video, a so-called encoding is performed, i.e. the original material provided by you is converted into a compatible MPEG2 Format for DVDs.

During the embedding of the sound another change takes place. The original material is converted into a PCM- or MPEG-Format.

For the graphic elements like the background of the user guidance, buttons and logos Photoshop data can be used along with standard graphic formats.

1. Film material

Can you provide an MPEG-2 Format?

Yes No

Is the requested final format PAL or NSTC?

Note: Requirement - PAL-resolution 720x576, NTSC 720x480

PAL NTCS

How high is your Bit Rate?

Note: The maximum Bit Rate should not exceed 9,8 Mbit/Sec, the combined image rate for video- and audio data is of 9,2MBit.

Audio

Video

Which sound format do you provide?

AC-3 Stereo	192 bis 224 KBit/Sek.
AC-3 5.1 Surround	384 bis 448 KBit/Sek
PCM-Stereo 16 Bit, 48 kHz	1536 KBit
None of the mentioned formats	

(The Menu)



2. Menu design

Do you provide Photoshop Data with layers?

Note: Specific information is to be found in Photoshop „Film & Video“.

Yes No

Are there Separate Objects that shall appear in the Selection?

Yes No

Which of the Following Issues do you Require?

- Linking of movies with menus
- Placement of different Audio Tracks (*e.g. Multi Language*)
- Design of a menu according to template
- Embedding of a Loop function for playing infinite loop
- Embedding of a graphic or motion menu incl. sub-menu
- Adding of Subtitles
- Sub-division of movie into separate chapters

(The material)

(Contact informations)



4. Contact informations - Appointment

Please tell us your contact informations and a appointment to call you back.
We will check your informations and will give you a personal briefing for free.

(if known) Customer ID:

Title:

Name:

Last Name:

Company:

Adress:

Postal Code:

City:

Phone:

E-Mail:

Prefered Contact Approach:

Desired Date:

If you filled out our contact form correctly you are able to send it by just pressing the send button below. The PDF will be send to our authoring section which will contact you on your prefered contact form to your desired date.

You are also able to print the PDF and send it on postal way.
