## How to convert/compress a video using Handbreak

This tutorial demonstrates how to compress a 179MB video down to 60MB.

**STEP 1:** Open up the Handbreak application. Download it <u>here</u> if you do not already have the application.

STEP 2: Click on the Source button and then click on File (Open a single video file).

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**STEP 3:** Choose the video that you want to convert/compress and then click on the Open button.

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**STEP 4:** The default settings are usually good as is so you will just need to choose where you want to save the converted/compressed video and give it a name.

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STEP 4.1: Click on the Browse button.

**STEP 4.2:** Choose where you want to save the video, then type in the name of the video and then click on the Save button.



**STEP 5:** You will now see that the space under Destination has been filled with the file path and name of the output video. You can now proceed to start the converting/compressing process. Click on the Start button to begin.

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**STEP 6:** After clicking on start you will see a progress bar on the bottom of the window. It will change to Queue Finished when it is finished converting and then you can close Handbreak and go to your newly converted/compressed video on your PC.

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The status bar goes from the progress bar above to Queue Finished seen below.

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