Audition for Windows 95/NT

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Overview

Audition for Windows 95/NT is a small utility that will allow you to play sound files located in a disk directory. A play list is created of all sound files found in the selected folder.

Audition for Windows 95/NT is fully Y2K compliant and will work with MS Windows 98 as well as Windows 95/NT systems.

Playing Sound Files

Sound files can be played individually, or the entire play list can be played one after another. Double-click your mouse on a sound file listed in the play list to hear individual sounds.

Context Menu

Right-click your mouse on a sound file in the play list to display a small popup menu containing the most commonly used Audition menu commands.

Editing Sound Files

Commands are included to launch your favorite WAV file editor and speaker volume control applications. These can be specified using the <u>Audition Options</u> property sheet.

Purchasing Audition

Audition for Windows 95/NT is a fully functioning program. It is **not** crippled in any way.

Audition for Windows 95/NT is distributed as <u>shareware</u>. You may evaluate it free of charge for 30 days. After 30 days you are required to <u>register</u> it. If after evaluating Audition for 30 days you decide not to register it you are required to <u>remove</u> it from your computer.

Registration entitles you to unlimited free updates and support via E-Mail or telephone.

You may also purchase Audition for Windows 95/NT using your credit card via the Internet or by telephone.

Audition for Windows 95/NT provides a simple means of playing and editing all of those sound files you've been collecting.

Installing Audition

Installation

To install Audition for Windows 95/NT on your computer simply create a new, empty folder and place the files; AUDITION.EXE, AUDITION.HLP and AUDITION.CNT there.

AUDITION.EXE - The Audition Application - The Windows 95 Help File

AUDITION.CNT - The Windows 95 Help Contents File

If you run the SETUP.EXE file that ships with Audition for Windows 95/NT and specify the default installation directory the files mentioned above will be placed in the **C:\Program Files\Software by Design** folder.

To integrate Audition for Windows 95/NT with the MS Windows Explorer select the Audition <u>Explorer Setup</u> property sheet while Audition is running.

Note If you have an earlier version of Audition for Windows 95/NT installed on your computer, simply replace the AUDITION.EXE and AUDITION.HLP files with the newer versions. Audition stores configuration information in the MS Windows 95/NT System Registry.

Note The AUDITION.INI file is no longer used and can be deleted. The various application settings specified in the <u>Audition</u> <u>Options</u> property sheet as well as the main window's size and location on the desktop are now stored in the MS Windows 95/NT System Registry.

Warning If you rename the AUDITION.EXE file you must also rename the HLP file using the same basename. For example if you change the Audition application file name to NewName.exe, rename the help file to NewName.hlp. The HLP and CNT files *must* reside in the same folder as the application file itself.

Configuring Audition

Audition Options

Select the **File | Options** menu item to display the Audition Options property sheet. This window will allow you change various Audition program settings.

Show Tool Ribbon Tips

Check this item to display small popup tip windows when the mouse pointer is moved over <u>toolbar ribbon</u> pushbuttons. A short description of the button currently beneath the mouse will be shown when this item is checked.

Use New Windows 95/98 Toolbar Style

Check this item to display the toolbar ribbon using the newer "flat style" buttons.

Place Icon in Taskbar Tray

Check this item to display a small Audition icon in the Taskbar Icon Notification Tray. If this item is selected and the Audition window is minimized a button will not be added to the Taskbar, to restore the Audition window on the desktop press the small icon in the taskbar tray instead. This item is available to keep the taskbar free for other running windows.

Note When this option is selected, clicking on the Close box in the upper right-hand corner of the window title bar will minimize Audition instead of closing the application. To quit Audition right-click with your mouse on the Audition icon in the Taskbar tray. You may also use the **File | Exit** menu command or the **Ctrl+Q** keyboard shortcut.

Confirm Program Exit

Check this item to confirm quitting Audition for Windows 95/NT. When this option is selected you will be prompted to confirm your intention to exit Audition and return to the MS Explorer desktop. This item is useful if you run Audition from the tray and wish to avoid accidental exits when you right-click on the Audition tray icon.

Ask Before Deleting Play List Deletions

Check this box to confirm play list deletions. If this item is checked you will be prompted before removing sound files from the play list. Deleting a sound file from the play list does not delete the file on disk, but rather just removes it from the play list.

Reload Play List from Last Folder Used

Check this box to reopen the last folder that was used, and load the sound files into the play list whenever Audition is launched

Dark Play List Window Background

Check this item to display the WAV file names in the play list window with a dark background instead of the paper white background MS Windows normally uses to display text.

Play Sounds Asynchronously

Check this box to play sound files asynchronously. Checking this item will allow sound files to be played in the background. This mode is automatically overridden while the Play All command is in effect.

Sounds with Warning Dialog Boxes

Check this box to play a short beep sound when Audition displays a warning dialog box or an error occurs.

OK

Press this button when you have completed your selection of Audition program options. When you press this button the Audition Options property sheet will be closed and your settings will be saved.

Cancel

Press this button to close the Audition Options property sheet without making any changes. If you have made any changes to the option settings, and then press this button your changes will not be used, and the previous settings will remain in use.

Help

Press this button to open the Audition Help Window and go directly to the Configuring Audition topic.

Note The options you have selected will be saved when you press the **OK** button. The desktop location of the Audition Options property sheet itself will also be saved. Your settings will be saved in the MS Windows 95/NT System Registry.

Configuring Tools

Audition Options

Select the **File | Options** menu item and pick the **Tools** tab to display the Audition Tools property sheet. This window will allow you change various Audition tool settings.

Pause Between WAV Files

Specify the number of seconds to pause between WAV files when playing all files displayed in the play list. You can specify a time delay of between 0 and 15 seconds, where 0 prevents a delay between files being played.

Sound Editing Application

Specify the name of the sound editing program you would like to use for editing WAV files. Enter the full path and file name of the application you wish to use, or press the browse [...] button to the right of this entry field to select a file using the standard MS Explorer file browser.

Volume Control Application

Specify the name of the volume control program you would like to use when playing WAV files. Enter the full path and file name of the application you wish to use, or press the browse [...] button to the right of this entry field to select a file using the standard MS Explorer file browser.

OK

Press this button when you have completed your selection of Audition program options. When you press this button the Audition Options property sheet will be closed and your settings will be saved.

Cancel

Press this button to close the Audition Options property sheet without making any changes. If you have made any changes to the option settings, and then press this button your changes will not be used, and the previous settings will remain in use.

Help

Press this button to open the Audition Help Window and go directly to the Configuring Tools topic.

Note The options you have selected will be saved when you press the **OK** button. The desktop location of the Audition Options property sheet itself will also be saved. Your settings will be saved in the MS Windows 95/NT System Registry.

Audition Explorer Setup

Audition Explorer Setup

Select the **File | Options** menu item to open the Audition Options property sheet. Select the **Explorer** tab to display MS Windows 95/NT Explorer setup options. This window will allow you to integrate Audition for Windows 95/NT with the Microsoft Windows 95/NT Explorer. You can also select the **Help | Setup** menu item to go directly to this window. Use this command to create and remove MS Explorer shortcuts for Audition for Windows 95/NT.

Create a Start Menu Item

Check this item to create a Audition Start Menu entry. The Audition for Windows 95/NT program will be located in the Software by Design folder on the Programs menu. This item will be disabled (grayed) if a Audition item already exists in the Software by Design folder.

Remove this Start Menu Item

Check this item to remove the Audition entry located in the Software by Design folder on the Programs menu. This item will be disabled (grayed) if a Audition item does not already exist in the Software by Design folder.

Create a Desktop Icon

Check this item to create a Audition for Windows 95/NT program icon on the Explorer desktop. This item will be disabled (grayed) if a Audition desktop icon already exists.

Remove Icon from the Desktop

Check this item to remove the Audition for Windows 95/NT program icon from the Explorer desktop. This item will be disabled (grayed) if a Audition desktop icon does not already exist.

Create a Startup Folder Item

Check this item to automatically run Audition for Windows 95/NT whenever Microsoft Windows is started. This option creates a Audition program icon in the MS Windows Explorer Startup folder. This item will be disabled (grayed) if a Audition startup item already exists in the Startup folder.

Remove the Startup Folder Item

Check this item to remove Audition from the MS Windows Explorer Startup folder. This item will be disabled (grayed) if a Audition startup item does not already exist in the Startup folder.

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Press this button when you have completed your selection of MS Explorer shortcuts. When you press this button the Audition Setup property sheet will be closed and the MS Explorer shortcuts you have selected will be created or removed.

Cancel

Press this button to close the Audition Explorer Setup property sheet without creating or removing any MS Explorer shortcuts.

Help

Press this button to open the Audition Help window and go directly to the Audition Explorer Setup topic.

Recent Files Configuration

Recent File Configuration

Select the Recent | Settings menu item to open the Recent Files Configuration dialog box. Use this window to select the various Recent Files settings described below.

The first section of this dialog box allows you to specify folder names to be ignored when adding folder names to the Recent Files menu.

Ending with the 'BAK' File Extension

Check this item to ignore folders ending with the .BAK file extension.

Starting with the Prefix 'Backup of'

Check this item to ignore folders starting with the prefix Backup of.

The second section of this dialog box allows you to remove all folder names from the Recent Files menu.

Clear the Recent Files Menu

Check this item to clear the Recent Files menu. Checking this item will delete the 9 most recently selected Audition folders.

OK

Press this button when you have completed your selection of Recent File settings. When you press this button the Recent Files Configuration dialog box will be closed and your settings will be saved.

Cancel

Press this button to close the Recent Files Configuration dialog box without making any changes. If you have made any changes to the Recent File settings, and then press this button your changes will not be used, and your previous settings will remain in use.

Help

Press this button to open the Audition Help window and go directly to the Recent Files Configuration topic.

Selecting Sound Files

Selecting Sound Files

Select the File | Open menu item to display the Sound Folder Browser. Use this dialog box to select a folder containing the sound files you would like to audition. Click your mouse on the folders listed in the left hand window to display a list of sound files suitable for loading and playing.

Sound File Formats

Audition for Windows 95/NT will play WAV files, the most common form of sound files found on MS Windows 95/NT systems. WAV files are used by most programs and games that play sounds using your computer system's multimedia equipment.

Note The desktop location of the Sound Folder Browser will be saved and used the next time you open it.

File Menu

File Menu Commands

The File menu provides commands used to work with the sound files used by Audition. A short description of each item follows:

<u>O</u>pen

Opens the <u>Sound Folder Browser</u> window and allows you to select a folder containing sounds files. The **Ctrl+O** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Properties

Displays a small window showing file properties for the currently selected sound file. This window will display the sound file's name, folder location, size, last modification date and file access permissions. The **Alt+Enter** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Options

Opens the Audition Options property sheet and allows you to change Audition program settings.

Exit

Closes the Audition program and returns control to the Explorer desktop. The **Ctrl+Q** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Tip Commonly used File menu commands can also be invoked using shortcut keys or buttons on the toolbar ribbon.

Edit Menu

Edit Menu Commands

The Edit menu provides commands used to edit the contents of Audition play lists. A short description of each item follows:

<u>D</u>elete

Deletes the currently selected sound file from the play list, this command does not delete the sound file from the disk, but rather just removes it from the play list. The **Del** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Fdit

Opens the sound editor program and loads the currently selected sound file from the play list for editing. The **Ctrl+E** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Tip Commonly used Edit menu commands can also be invoked using shortcut keys or buttons on the toolbar ribbon.

View Menu

View Menu Commands

The View menu provides commands used to change Audition display options. These items provide a means of changing the Audition window appearance. A short description of each item follows:

Toolbar

Use this command to turn the toolbar ribbon on and off. If this item is checked the Audition toolbar ribbon will be displayed below the menu bar. To hide the toolbar ribbon uncheck this item. Most commonly used Audition menu commands have a toolbar button. If the toolbar ribbon is turned off you will have to use the normal Audition menus.

Status

Use this command to turn the status region on and off. If this item is checked the Audition status region will be displayed at the bottom of the Audition window. To hide the status region uncheck this item. The status region displays current program status and will also display a brief description of each menu command as the mouse is moved.

Customize

Use this command to <u>customize</u> the Audition for Windows 95/NT toolbar ribbon. The standard MS Windows Toolbar Customization dialog box will be opened and displayed when this command is selected.

Font

Use this command to select the font style and size to be used when displaying sound file names in the play list.

Refresh

Refreshes the Audition play list to reflect the sound files currently located in the selected folder. The **F5** shortcut can also be used for this command. This command is useful if you've used the MS Explorer to move or delete sound files from the currently selected sound folder that Audition is using.

Minimize

Minimizes the Audition window to a button or icon on the taskbar. The **Ctrl+Y** shortcut can also be used for this command. To restore the window to the desktop press the Audition button on the taskbar, or the program icon in the taskbar notification tray.

Always on Top

Use this command to keep the Audition window top most on the desktop. When this item is checked the Audition window will float above all other non-topmost windows on the desktop. This item is useful if you normally run Audition with a small window that would be easily obscured by other applications. The **Ctrl+T** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Tip Commonly used View menu commands can also be invoked using shortcut keys or buttons on the toolbar ribbon.

Sound Menu

Sound Menu Commands

The Sound menu provides commands used to play the sound files listed in Audition's play list. A short description of each item follows:

Play

Plays the currently selected sound in the play list. The **Ctrl+P** shortcut can also be used for this command. Double-clicking the mouse on a sound in the play list or pressing the **Enter** key will play individual sound files as well.

Play All

Use this item to play all of the sounds currently in the play list. The Ctrl+A shortcut can also be used for this command.

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Stops playing the sounds in the play list when the **Play All** command was previously issued. The **Esc** shortcut can also be used for this command.

Volume

Opens the volume control program and allows you to change your system's speaker volume level. The volume control program used will be the application you specified in the Audition Options property sheet.

Tip Commonly used Help menu commands can also be invoked using shortcut keys or buttons on the toolbar ribbon.

Recent Files Menu

Recent Files Menu Commands

The Recent Files menu contains a list of the last 9 sound folders selected.

Select a folder name from this menu to quickly re-open a Audition folder you worked with recently.

Select the **Recent | Settings** menu item to <u>configure</u> the Recent Files menu.

Help Menu

Help Menu Commands

The Help menu provides commands used to get help for Audition operations. A short description of each item follows:

Contents

Opens the Audition Help window and displays the Table of Contents. The F1 shortcut can also be used for this command.

Search

Opens Audition Help and displays the Search window. You can use this window to search for specific Audition help topics.

How to Use Help

Opens a Help window that explains how to use MS Windows 95 Help files.

Register

Displays the Audition <u>Shareware Registration Wizard</u>. This wizard allows you to register Audition for Windows 95/NT for authorized use.

Setur

Displays the Audition <u>Explorer Setup</u> property sheet. This window provides options to integrate Audition with the MS Windows Explorer. Use this window to create MS Explorer Start Menu items and desktop icons.

Web Site

Opens your web browser application and goes directly to the Software Design web site on the Internet.

Send E-Mail to Author

Opens your Internet eMail client application and allows you to send an eMail message directly to the author at <u>Gregory_Braun@CompuServe.com</u>.

Note You must have your Internet eMail client software configured as your default Simple MAPI client for this command to work properly

About Audition

Displays the Audition splash box. This window contains the current version number of Audition and a program copyright notice. Click the mouse anywhere in this window to close it

Tip Commonly used Help menu commands can also be invoked using shortcut keys or buttons on the toolbar ribbon.

Customizing the Toolbar

Customizing the Toolbar Ribbon

The Audition toolbar ribbon can be customized by selecting the **View | Customize** menu item. The standard MS Windows 95/NT Toolbar Customization dialog box will be opened when this command is invoked. Use this window to add and remove Audition toolbar buttons as well as to change the order that the buttons appear on the toolbar ribbon.

Tip you can also move and delete toolbar buttons without opening the Toolbar Customization dialog box by simply shift-clicking with your mouse and dragging the button to a new location on the Audition toolbar ribbon itself. To delete buttons shift-click and drag the button off of the Audition toolbar ribbon.

Note Some versions of MS Windows 95 redraw the toolbar ribbon height incorrectly after customization, if this happens exit Audition and restart it again to restore the proper toolbar ribbon height.

Available Buttons

This list will contain the buttons available for adding to the Audition toolbar ribbon. Only buttons not currently installed on the toolbar ribbon will be displayed in this list.

Toolbar Buttons

This list will contain the buttons currently installed on the Audition toolbar ribbon.

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Press the **Add** button after selecting a toolbar button from the Available list. The tool button you have selected will be added to the Audition toolbar ribbon at the current selection point.

Remove

Press the **Remove** button after selecting a toolbar button from the Toolbar list. The tool button you have selected will be removed from the Audition toolbar ribbon.

Close

Press the **Close** button to finish toolbar customization. The selection of toolbar buttons that you chose to include will be saved and reloaded whenever Audition for Windows 95/NT is started.

Reset

Press the **Reset** button to restore the Audition toolbar ribbon to its original default settings.

Help

Press the Help button to open the Audition Help file and go directly to the Customizing the Toolbar topic.

Move Up

Use this button to move the currently selected button up one place in the toolbar button list. The currently selected button will appear one place to the left on the actual Audition toolbar ribbon when this command is used.

Move Down

Use this button to move the currently selected button down one place in the toolbar button list. The currently selected button will appear one place to the right on the actual Audition toolbar ribbon when this command is used.

Toolbar Buttons

Tool Ribbon Buttons

Most commonly used Audition menu commands can also be quickly invoked by pressing a button on the toolbar ribbon displayed at the top of the main window. These buttons work exactly the same way as the corresponding menu items that they duplicate.

The number of buttons and their order on the Audition toolbar ribbon may differ from the following description if you have customized the toolbar ribbon.

Open - Open the Sound Folder Browser

Refresh - Refresh the play list



Properties - Show document properties



Delete - Delete the current selection



Edit - Edit the current selection



Volume - Open the Speaker Volume program



Play - Play the current selection



Play All - Play all files in the list



Stop - Stop playing sound files



Top - Make the window topmost



Font - Change window font style and size



Options - Open the Audition Options property sheet



Help - Open this Help file



About - Show Audition splash box

Tip If the Show Tool Ribbon Tips option was selected a small popup tip window will appear when the mouse pointer is placed over a button. A short description of what each button does can be viewed using this method.

Shortcut Keys

Shortcuts

Shortcut keys allow you to quickly invoke a menu item command without displaying the menu and then selecting an item. The most commonly used menu commands can be invoked using the following shortcut keys.

File Menu

Ctrl+O Open the Sound Folder Browser

Alt+Enter Show properties for the selected sound file Ctrl+Q Exit Audition , and return to the desktop

Edit Menu

Ctrl+E Edit the selected sound file
Del Delete the selection

View Menu

F5 Refresh the play list
Ctrl+Y Minimize Audition to an icon
Ctrl+T Make window topmost

Sound Menu

Ctrl+P Play the current selection
Enter Play the current selection
Ctrl+A Play All files in the play list
Esc Stop playing sound files

Help Menu

F1 Display this Help file

Comments and Upgrades

Comments and SuggestionsIf you have comments, questions or find any bugs in Audition for Windows 95/NT please feel free to contact me via email or on CompuServe.

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Release History

Audition for Windows 95/NT Release History

- v2.0 Original in-house development and testing of MS Windows 95/NT conversion using Win32 SDK.
- v2.1 Added 95/NT splash box for release.
- v2.2 Added MS Windows 95/NT Help file.
- v2.3 Fixed several minor bugs.
- v2.4 Replaced INI file with MS Windows 95/NT System Registry entries.
- **v2.5** Increased the width of the wave file list in the Folder Selection dialog box. Added MS Windows 95/NT <u>Explorer Setup</u> facilities. Add help buttons to the various Audition dialog boxes.
- **v2.6** Added facilities to <u>customize</u> the toolbar ribbon. Converted the Audition Options dialog box to a three-tab property sheet. Fixed a bug that prevented proper window repositioning when the MS Explorer Taskbar was placed along the left edge or at the top of the desktop and the Auto Hide option was active.
- v2.7 Added a Recent Folders item to the File Menu.
- v2.8 Added the Shareware Registration Wizard. Fixed several minor bugs.
- **v2.9** Added support for MS Windows 98. Converted the sound file play list window to the new Win32 ListView control. Fixed several minor bugs.
- **v3.0** Added an <u>option</u> to introduce a short delay between files when the **Play All** command is invoked. Added the standalone WAV Player applet. Fixed several minor bugs.
- v3.1 Added the Recent File Menu. Fixed several minor bugs.
- v3.2 Added a popup context menu to the play list. Fixed several minor bugs.
- v3.3 Fixes several minor bugs.
- v3.4 Added WAV sample information to the main play list. Fixed several minor bugs.

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System Registry

Audition for Windows 95/NT System Registry Key

Audition for Windows 95/NT stores configuration settings in the MS Windows 95/NT System Registry. These settings are updated automatically while Audition is running. There is no need to edit these settings manually.

If you insist upon editing these settings, you do so at your own risk. Audition automatically updates registry entries when it exits. If you wish to edit these settings make sure Audition is not running while you edit them. If Audition is currently running your changes will be overwritten when Audition exits.

Audition for Windows 95/NT stores configuration settings in the following system registry key:

HKEY_CURRENT_USER
Software
Software by Design
Audition for Windows 95/NT
Section
Label = Value

Warning There is no need to edit these settings manually. Audition will automatically maintain these settings for you. If you do edit these, you do so at your own risk.

Removing Audition

Removing Audition for Windows 95/NT

If you find that Audition for Windows 95/NT does not meet your needs you can remove it from your computer system by simply deleting the following files from your hard drive. All of these files will be located in the folder that you originally installed Audition in.

AUDITION.EXE AUDITION.CNT AUDITION.HLP Audition Application Program.

Audition Help Topics File Audition Help File

If you ran the SETUP.EXE file that ships with Audition for Windows 95/NT and specified the default installation directory the files mentioned above will be found in the **C:\Program Files\Software by Design** folder.

If you have opened and used the Audition for Windows 95/NT Help files your system may contain the following two (2) files. These files are created by the standard MS Windows 95/NT Help program WinHlp32.exe. These files may also be safely removed.

AUDITION.GID MS Windows Help settings file. This file contains the Audition Help window size and desktop location as

well as any bookmarks you may have created.

AUDITION.FTS MS Windows Help word database. This file is created when you build a custom word list for Audition Help

files. This file is used to search for words and phrases in the Audition Help files.

Audition for Windows 95/NT does not use any custom DLL files or system drivers. If you delete the files mentioned above from your system's hard drive you will have completely removed Audition from your computer system.

Note If you have installed Audition shortcuts on the MS Explorer Start Menu use the **Help | Setup** command to remove the <u>shortcuts</u> you created before you delete the Audition files mentioned above.

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What is Shareware

The concept of "Shareware"...

Shareware, also known as user supported software and other names, is a concept not understood by everyone. The author of Shareware retains all rights to the software under the copyright laws while still allowing free distribution. This gives the user the chance to freely obtain and try out software to see if it fits their needs. Shareware should not be confused with Public Domain software even though they are often obtained from the same sources.

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Thank you for your support.

Registering Audition for Windows 95/NT

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Registration entitles you to unlimited free updates and telephone support.

You can register Audition for Windows 95/NT by mailing the <u>Order Form</u> provided with this software. When you register Audition for Windows 95/NT you will receive your registration code by E-Mail, or optionally you may request that your registration code be mailed to you.

You may also purchase Audition for Windows 95/NT using your credit card via the Internet or by telephone.

The software you are currently using is a fully functioning program. As a registered user you will however be able to disable the initial splash box that appears when Audition for Windows 95/NT is first launched.

To register your copy of Audition for Windows 95/NT select the **Help | Register** menu command. The Shareware Registration Wizard will be displayed when this menu command is selected. Use this window to fill in the following entry fields:

User Name

Enter the user name you originally specified when you ordered Audition for Windows 95/NT.

Organization

Enter the name of your organization as originally specified when you ordered Audition for Windows 95/NT. If you did not specify an organization name leave this field blank.

Registration

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Font Size

The size of the font used in this help file can be made larger or smaller by selecting the **Font** item from the **Options** menu above. Select **Small**, **Normal** or **Large** fonts from the popup menu. The font size you select will be saved and used again each time you view this help file.

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Window Background Color

The background color for this help window can be changed to white if you prefer. To change the background color to white select the **Use System Colors** item from the **Options** menu above. For the color changes to take effect you will have to close and then reopen the Help file. You will be prompted to confirm this action. Your background color selection will be saved and used again each time you view this help file.

Window Placement

By default this help window positions itself in front of all other open windows. If you would prefer to have it covered up by other active windows select the **Keep Help on Top** item from the **Options** menu and then select **Not on Top** from the popup menu. Your selection will be saved and used again each time you view this help file.

Note The settings described on this page refer to options available in the MS Windows Help program *not* Audition. Right-click your mouse anywhere on this page to display a small popup context menu containing the settings described here.