

AutoWave 1.0

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INTRODUCTION

There are lots of WAV file playing utilities available for *Windows 3.1* but *AutoWave* is different. It's designed to work with File Manager, letting you simply double-click on a WAV file to play it. Normally when you double click on a WAV file, you see the Windows Sound Recorder application. If you just want to play WAV files from the File Manager, then *AutoWave* is the program you need.

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SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

AutoWave requires Windows 3.1, WAV file playing capabilities, a mouse and hard disk.

INSTALLATION

AutoWave was written in *Visual Basic 3.0*, so you need the VBRUN300.DLL library to use the program. If you don't already have a copy, you can download VBRUN300.ZIP from the *OsoSoft* BBS at (805) 528-3753.

Here's the installation process.

1. Copy VBRUN300.DLL to your WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory.
2. Copy AUTOWAVE.EXE and AUTOWAVE.WRI into the main WINDOWS directory or into another directory in your DOS path.
3. Start *Windows*, then run the File Manager application. Give the File//Associate command. In the dialog box, type WAV, press TAB, then type AUTOWAVE.EXE. Select OK.
4. Make sure the Options//Save Settings on Exit command is checked in the File Manager to save your changes. You can then exit File Manager if you wish.
5. That's the entire installation. Since *AutoWave* only works when you double-click a WAV file in the File Manager, there's no need to install its icon in the Program Manager.

Playing Files with *AutoWave*

To play any WAV file, you must be in the File Manager. Then, simply double-click on a WAV file. You'll hear the file. An hourglass mousepointer will appear on the screen while the file plays.

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