

# Lights, Camera, Learning!

## Windows Movie Maker



# Ways to Use Movie Maker in Your Classroom

General Elementary Junior High/High School

Biographies ABCs Ad in Foreign Language

Vocabulary Rhyming Words Historical Event

Outside Geometry Branches of Gov. Dominant/Recessive

Ctry./state features Clouds, rocks, animals Budget/Music video

Book reports Timelines Causes of \_\_\_\_\_

Periodic Table Water Cycle Social Issues

Wars Works of an artist

Food Pyramid Religions of the World

Geographic Terms/Places

Poetry reading

Leaf/Plant analysis

Character analysis

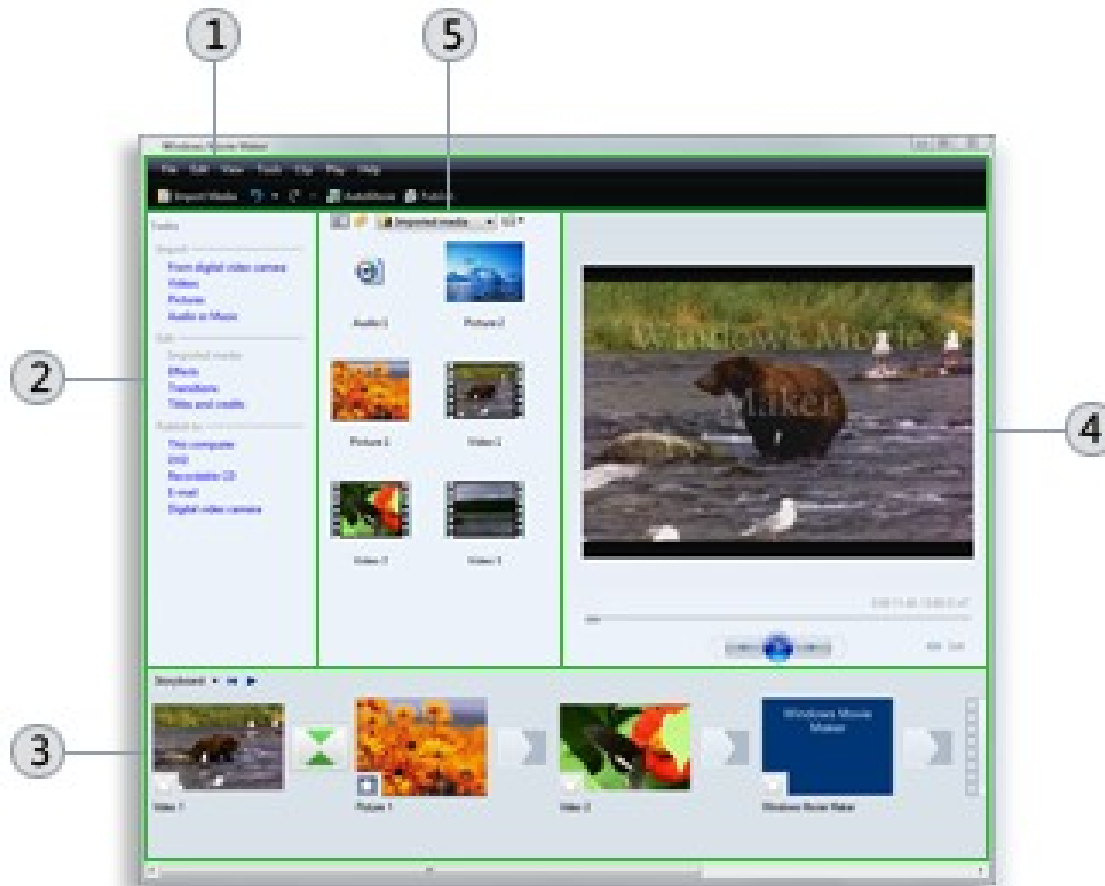
History of a sport

Force/Motion/Machines

# Ways to Use Movie Maker to Introduce/Teach/Highlight

- Class/School Rules and/or Policies
- Resources available in school (Technology, Media Specialist, Sites)
- Pose questions with pictures for students to answer (i.e., EQ or LQ)

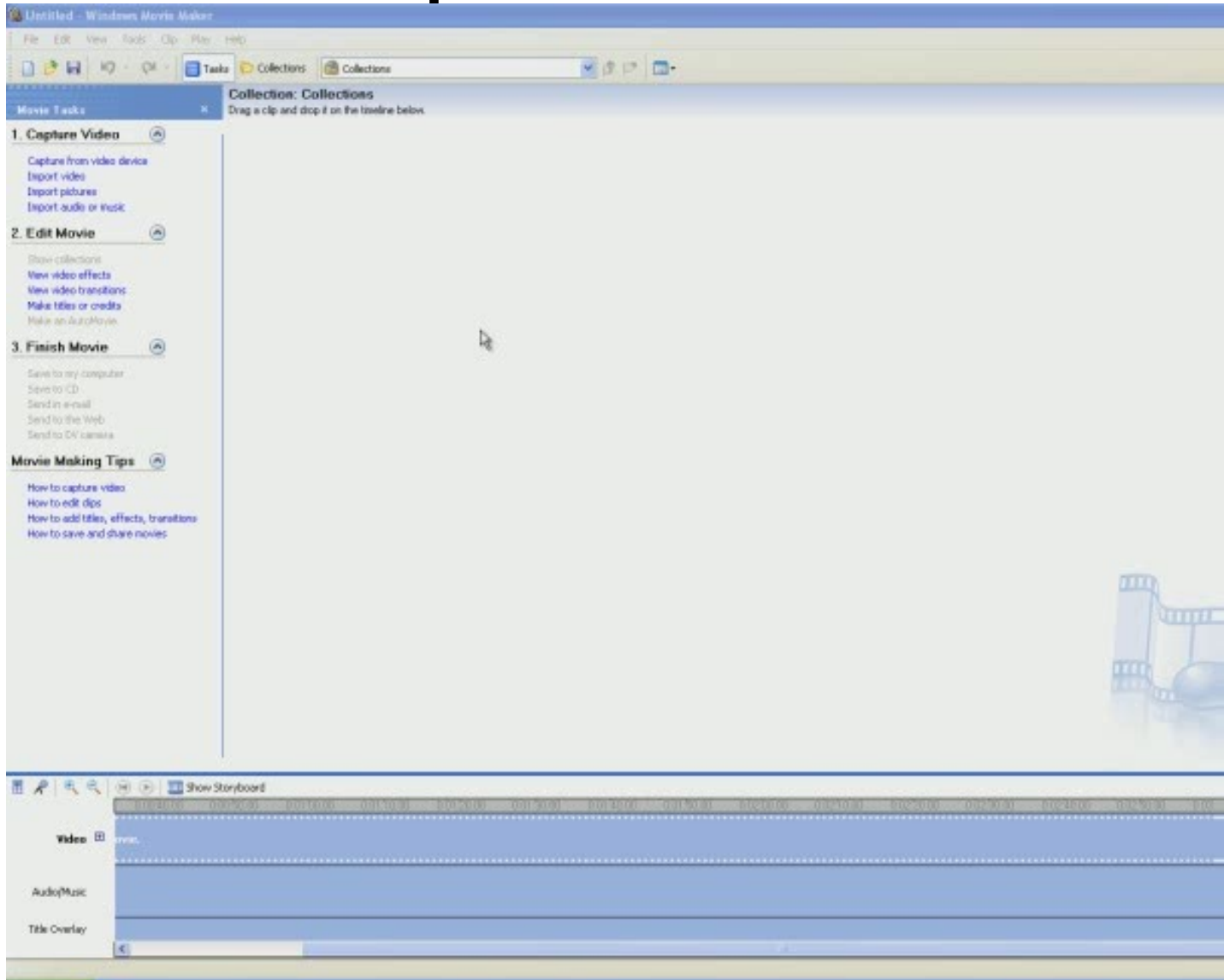
# Let's Look at the Elements of Movie Maker



- ① Menu bar
- ② Tasks pane
- ③ Storyboard/timeline
- ④ Preview monitor
- ⑤ Contents pane

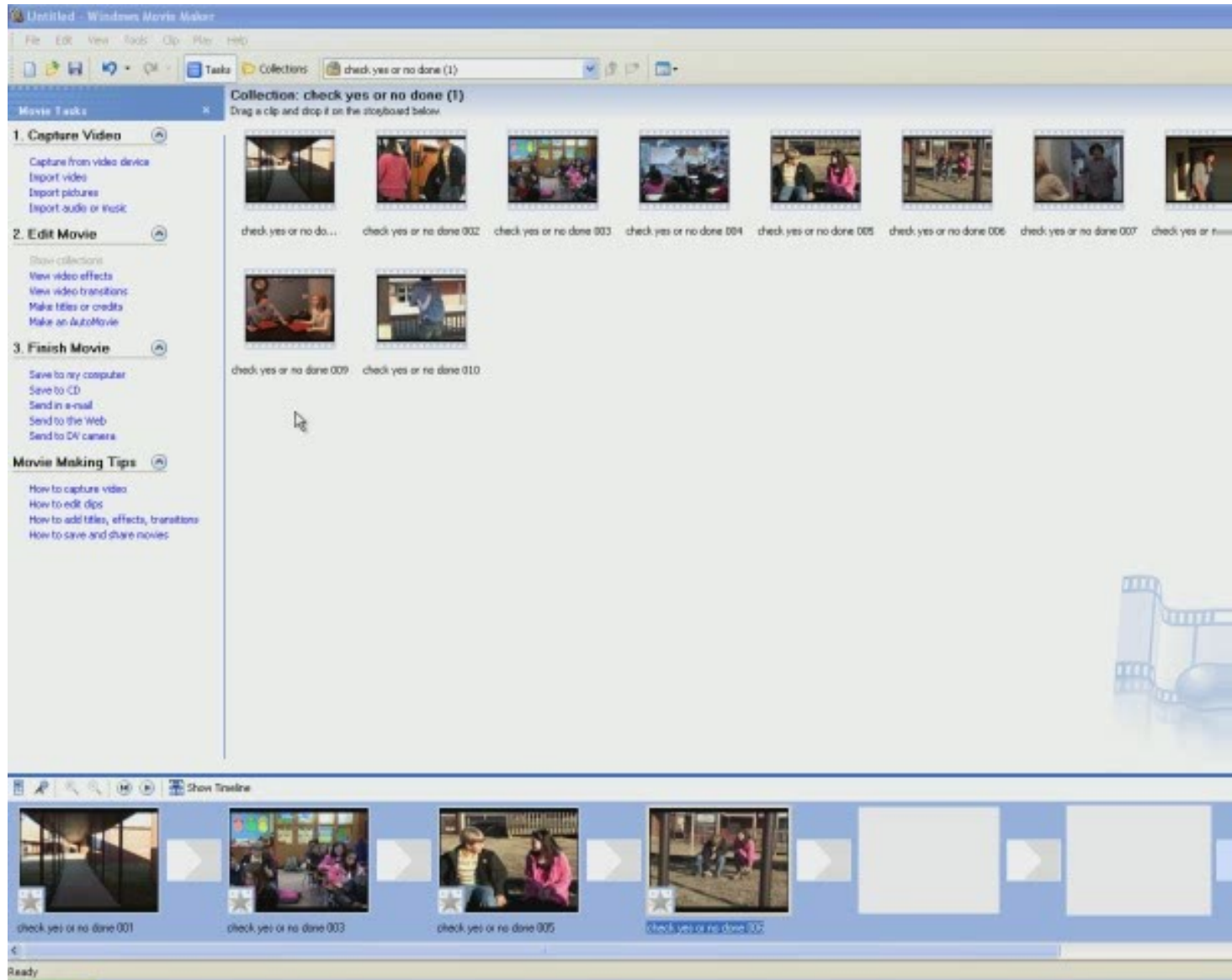
*The main areas of Windows Movie Maker*

# Import Video



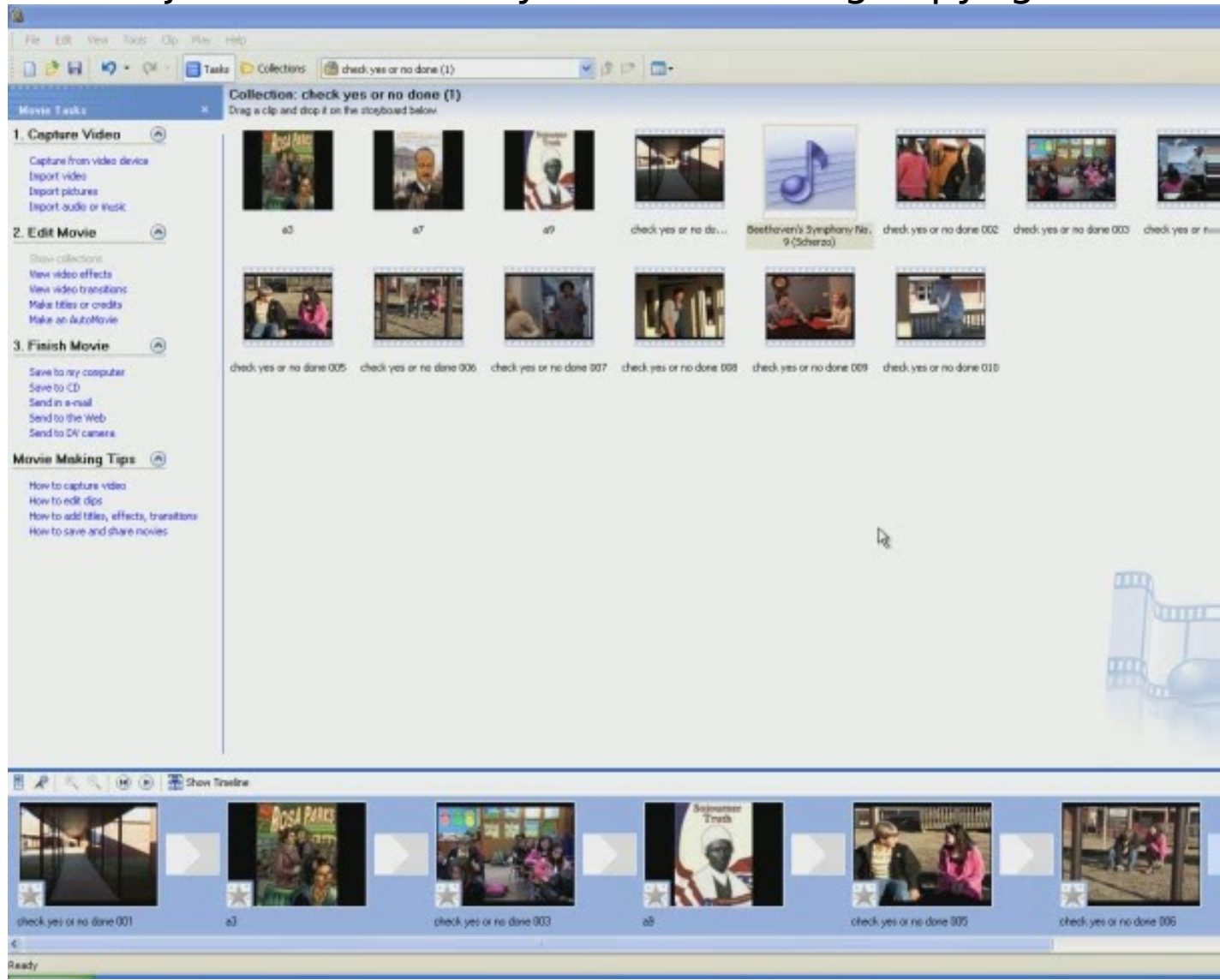
# Import Pictures

You can add multiple pictures at once and mix them in with

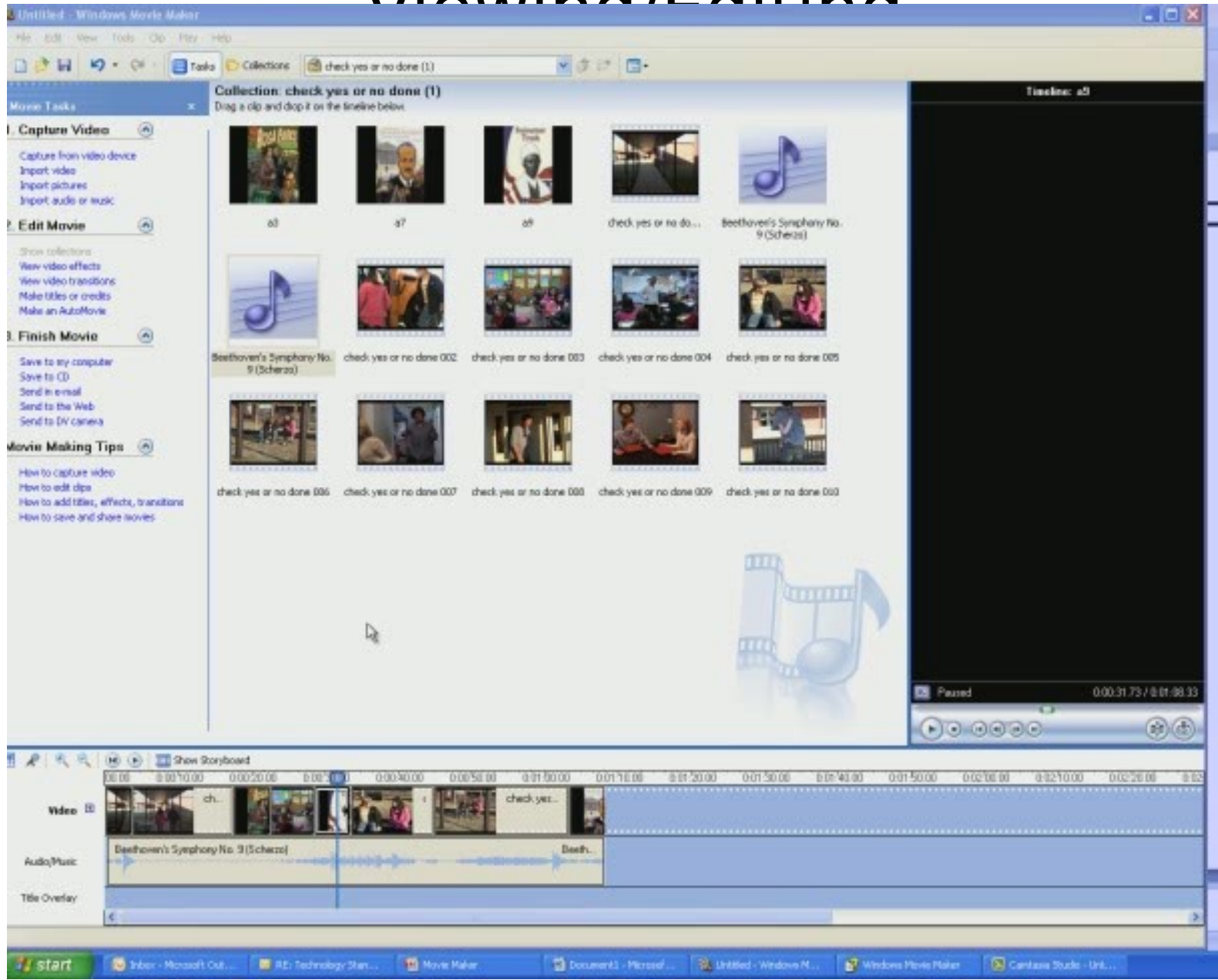


# Import Audio

You can add sample music, download from free music site, or add your own...just be sure that you are following copyright law. Ü



# How to Make Timeline Larger for Viewing/Editing





# How to Record Narration

1. Plug microphone into microphone jack
2. Check to make sure volume is turned up
3. **Click on *microphone icon*** on the tool bar and tap mic to test it
4. To record click ***Start Narration*** and *start speaking*
5. Click ***stop narration*** when you are finished
6. The *Save As* box will automatically pop up when you stop, **save audio in your folder**
7. **Import *audio clip*** into your project and **drag into audio row**
8. To trim, click on the audio clip in the timeline, move cursor to either end until you see a *double-sided red arrow* and drag in or out.

# How to Add Effects to Slides

1. Under *Edit Movie* click *View Video Effects*
2. Change from *Timeline View* to *Storyboard View*
3. Browse through video effects clip; double click to view the effect if you prefer
4. Choose an effect and click and drag the effect into the little box with the star in it. The star will turn blue when the effect has been successfully added.

\*An effect does not have to be added to each frame.

# Add Slide Effects Video

The screenshot displays the Windows Movie Maker application window. The title bar reads "Untitled - Windows Movie Maker". The menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "View", "Tools", "Clip", "Play", and "Help". The taskbar shows "check yes or no done (1)".

The main workspace is divided into three sections:

- Movie Tasks:**
  - 1. Capture Video:** Capture from video device, Import video, Import pictures, Import audio or music.
  - 2. Edit Movie:** Show collections, View video effects, View video transitions, Make titles or credits, Make an AutoMovie.
  - 3. Finish Movie:** Save to my computer, Save to CD, Send in e-mail, Send to the Web, Send to DV camera.
- Movie Making Tips:** How to capture video, How to edit clips, How to add titles, effects, transitions, How to save and share movies.
- Collection: check yes or no done (1):** Drag a clip and drop it on the timeline below. This section contains a grid of 15 video clips, including "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)" and several "check yes or no done" clips.

The right side of the window shows a preview window titled "Timeline: check yes or no done 001" with a "Paused" status and a progress indicator "0:00:00 / 0:01:00.33".

The bottom section is the "Storyboard" area, which includes a time axis from 0:00 to 0:02:00. The storyboard shows a sequence of video clips and audio tracks. The "Video" track contains several clips, including "ch..." and "check yes...". The "Audio/Music" track shows "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)" and "Beeth...". The "Title Overlay" track is currently empty.

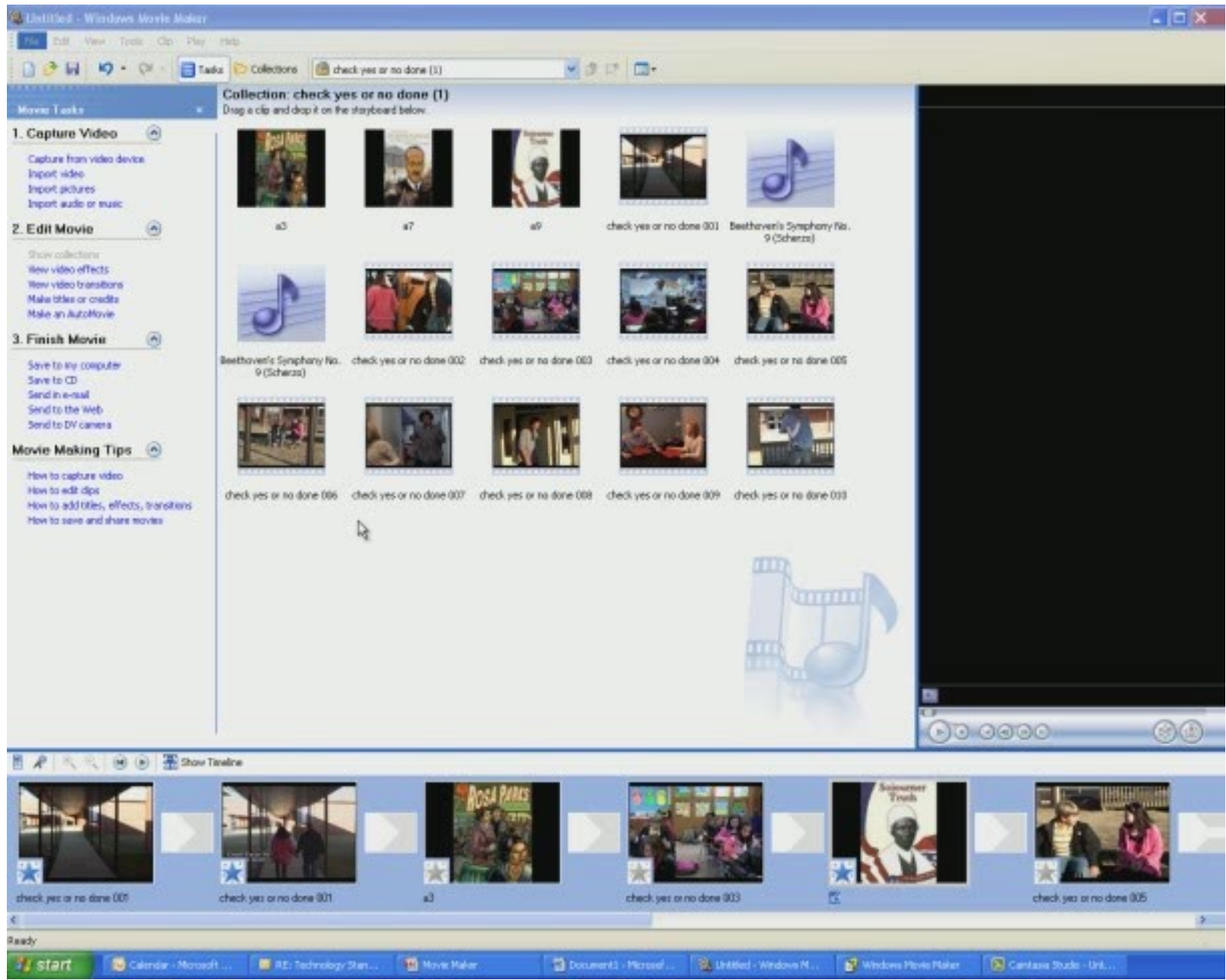
The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the Start button and several open applications: "Inbox - Microsoft Out...", "E:\ Technology Stan...", "Movie Maker", "Document1 - Microsof...", "Untitled - Window M...", "Windows Movie Maker", and "Cartasia Studs - Unk..."

# How to Add Transitions Between Slides

1. Under *Edit Movie* click *View Video Transitions*
2. Browse through video transitions; double click to view
3. Choose a transition and click and drag into the smaller boxes between the pictures.

\*You do not have to choose a transition to insert between each picture.

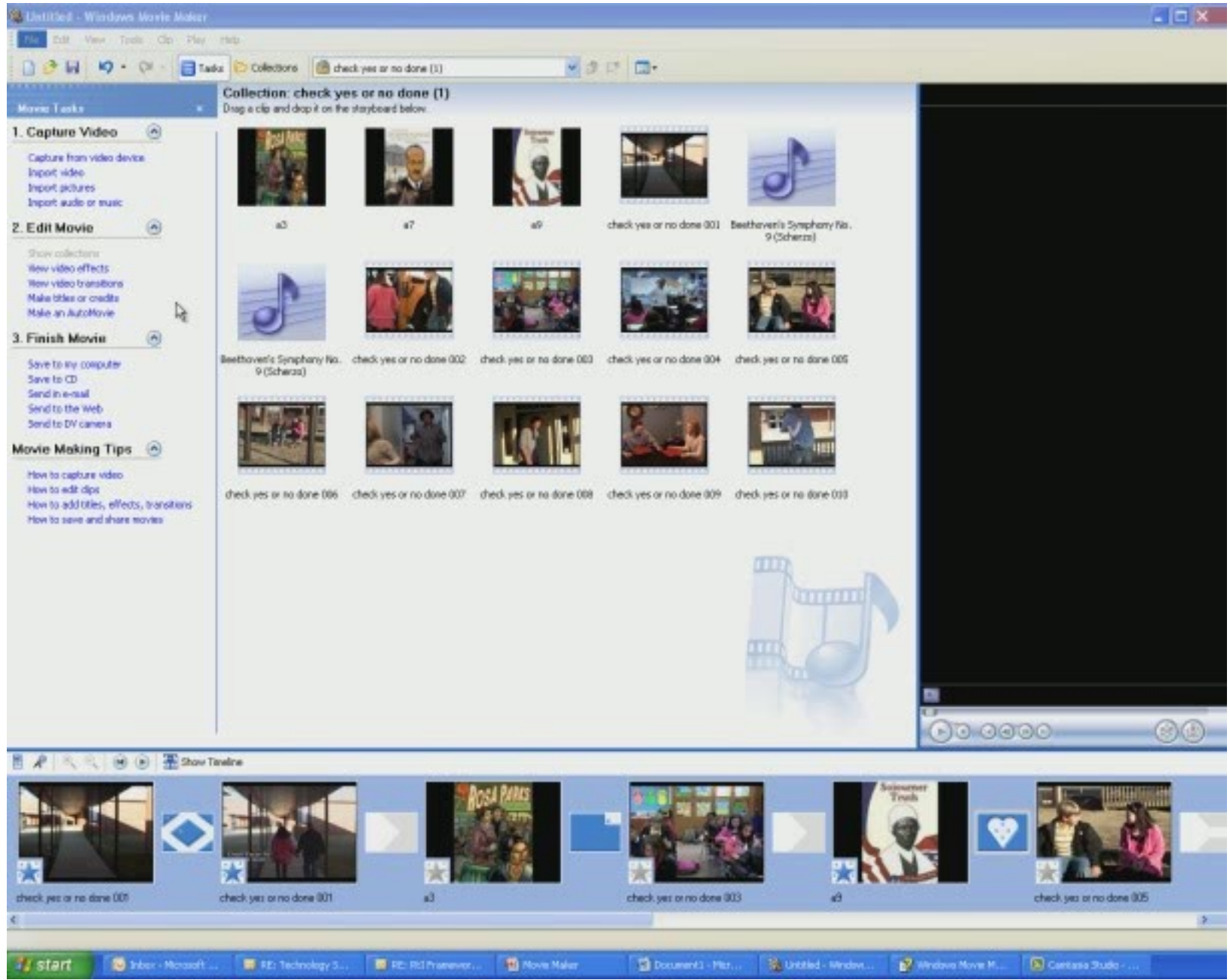
# Transition Between Slides Video



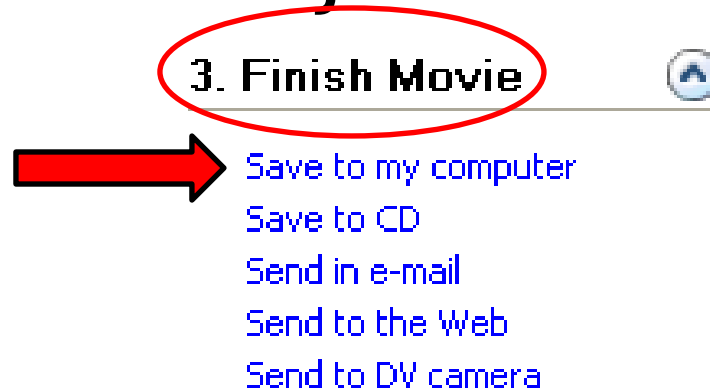
# How to Make Titles or Credits

1. Under *Edit Movie* click *Make Titles or Credits*
  2. Choose where you want the title (i.e., *Add title at the beginning of the movie*)
  3. Type desired title.
    - ~To change font and background color click *change text font and color*.
    - ~Click the arrow under *font* and choose a font.
    - ~To change color, click on the box under *color* and choose a color, click *ok*.
  4. Click *Done, add title to movie*.
  5. Click *Make Titles and Credits* to add more titles. Read from the title choices and add titles where desired throughout the movie.
- \*You can also add titles throughout the movie not just at the beginning and the end.*

# How to Make Titles or Credits Video



# Save Project as a Movie



**Once the movie is done select how you want to save the file.**

~I would save to my computer first then save or send elsewhere.

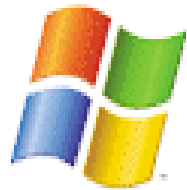
## **Save to my computer:**

1. Enter a file name
2. *Browse* to select a location to save your file
3. Select *ok, next*
4. Make sure *best quality for playback on my computer is selected, next*
5. Once the project has been converted, close out.
6. Open the file or folder where you saved your movie and copy and paste it to a flash drive or a server, e-mail it, post on teacher page, etc.



# How to Split a Clip

You may want to split a clip between scenes or events and add a transition, or you may just want smaller clips in which to work.



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### To split a video or audio clip

1. In the Contents pane or on the storyboard/timeline, click the clip you want to split.
2. On the **Play** menu, click **Play Clip**, and then click **Pause Clip** on the **Play** menu to pause the video at the point you want to split the clip.  
  
-or-  
  
On the monitor, move the playback indicator on the seek bar to the point you want to split the clip.
3. On the **Clip** menu, click **Split**.

# Split a Clip Video

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The main workspace shows a "Collection: check yes or no done (1)" with a prompt "Drag a clip and drop it on the timeline below." Below this, a grid of 15 video thumbnails is displayed. The first row contains thumbnails labeled "a3", "a7", "a9", "check yes or no da...", "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)", "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)", "check yes or no done 002", and "check yes or no done 003". The second row contains thumbnails labeled "check yes or no done 004", "check yes or no done 005", "check yes or no done 006", "check yes or no done 007", "check yes or no done 008", "check yes or no done 009", and "check yes or no done 010".

At the bottom, the "Storyboard" view is visible, showing a timeline with a video track and an audio/music track. The video track contains several clips, including "check y..." and "check yes...". The audio/music track contains a clip labeled "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)". The timeline has a time scale from 0:00 to 0:02:00:00.

# How to Combine a Clip

**You can combine consecutive clips from video or clips that you may have previously split.**



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### **To combine a split audio or video clip**

1. In the Contents pane or on the storyboard/timeline, hold down the CTRL key, and then select the contiguous clips you want to combine.
2. On the **Clip** menu, click **Combine**.

The name and property information of the first clip in the group is used for the new clip and the time is adjusted accordingly.

### **Note**

- To select consecutive clips, click the first clip, press and hold down the SHIFT key, and then click the last clip. To select one clip at a time, press and hold down the CTRL key, and then click each clip that you want to combine.

# Combine a Clip Video

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The main workspace is titled "Collection: check yes or no done (1)" with the instruction "Drag a clip and drop it on the timeline below". It contains a grid of 14 clip thumbnails arranged in two rows of seven. The first row includes thumbnails for "a3", "a7", "a9", "check yes or no do...", "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)", "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)", "check yes or no done 002", and "check yes or no done...". The second row includes thumbnails for "check yes or no done 004", "check yes or no done 005", "check yes or no done 006", "check yes or no done 007", "check yes or no done 008", "check yes or no done 009", and "check yes or no done 010".

The left sidebar is divided into three sections:

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The bottom of the window features a "Show Storyboard" section with a timeline from 00:00 to 02:20:00. The "Video" track shows a sequence of clips, including "ch...", "check yes...", and "check yes...". The "Audio/Music" track shows "Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Scherzo)" with a volume slider. The "Title Overlay" track is currently empty.

The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the Start button and several open applications: "Movie Maker", "Technolog...", "Document...", "Untitled - M...", "Windows Me...", "Camtasia 3...", "Windows Me...", and "Snagit Editor...".