

## PICS animations

To view PICS animations:

- 1) Open Media Player 2.0 from the Finder
- 2) Click the **PICS** button on the window that appears
- 3) Choose the desired PICS animation from the file dialog box
- 4) Click on **DO IT** to open the PICS file and display the first frame
- 5) A control window will open, similar to a simple VCR remote
- 6) Features of the control window (from left to right):

**REWIND** - Rewinds the animation to frame one

**FRAME REVERSE** - Goes back one frame. If you're on the first

frame, this takes you to the last one

**FRAME ADVANCE** - Goes forward one frame. If you're on the

last frame, this takes you to the first one

**PLAY** - Plays the animation from front to back in an endless

loop until you click the mouse

**STOP** - Closes the animation and goes back to the main window

**Setting speed:** To change the speed, select a speed from the

Speed pop-up menu.

Skipping to a specific frame: To skip to a specific frame, click

in the rectangle next to the words **GO TO** and type a

number. Press the return key to skip to that frame.

The frame is displayed.

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**NOTE:** The total number of frames and the current frame number is displayed on the control window.

7) Click the black box (**STOP**) to go back to the main window

A sample PICS animation has been included in your Media Player 2.0 folder, entitled "**Media 2.0 PICS sample.**" You can open it and view it by following the steps above. It was recorded in black and white because color animations take too much space. **Media 2.0 PICS sample** was created by Morgan Deters, owner of Imperial Software. **Media 2.0 PICS sample** runs fastest in 8-bit color mode (256 colors).