

**AudioLink Acousitc Player PICT Plus help pages.**

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The **AudioLink Acoustic Player PICT Plus** software receives compressed audio and video data from the **Acoustic Server PCIT Plus**, and plays the audio and video in real-time.

If the **Acoustic Player** is registered as a helper application of a Web browser, the **Acoustic Player PICT Plus** is loaded automatically when the link to the **AudioLink audio video file** is selected in a Web page.

To work your WWW browser with the **AudioLink Acoustic Player PCIT Plus**, you have to register the **AudioLink Acoustic Player** as a helper application of your WWW browser. The following information is needed to configure your WWW browser:

Application Name: alplayer.exe  
MIME Type: audio  
MIME Subtype: x-al-acoustic  
File Extensions: .ala, .alf

ex.) Configuring Netscape Navigator 2.0b3

To register the **AudioLink Acoustic Player** as a helper application, you need to take the following steps.

1. Start the Netscape Navigator and select from the General menu item from the Options Menu.
2. On the general dialog, select the Helper Apps tag.
3. Press the Create New Type... button and enter "audio" in the Mime Type field and "x-al-acoustic" in the Mime subtype field.
4. Enter ".ala, .alf" in the extensions field.
5. Press the Browse... button and find and select the alplayer.

### File Menu

Open: plays the .ala file on the disk.  
Open URL: specifies the **AudioLink audio file** over the Internet.  
example: alp://hostname/directory/example.ala  
Exit: quits the **Acoustic Player PICT Plus**.

### View Menu

Show Status: displays the status of audio play  
Show Info: displays the information about the audio being played.  
Statistics: displays the statistics of audio data being received.  
Statistics Option:

#### Acceptable Audio Bandwidth

Audio play is paused if the available bandwidth is lower than the set value.

#### Acceptable Discard Ratio

Audio play is paused if the discard ratio of receiving audio data exceeds the set value

#### Time Out

period. Audio play is paused if the audio data is not received within the set

