

# Create a Movie with Windows Movie Maker

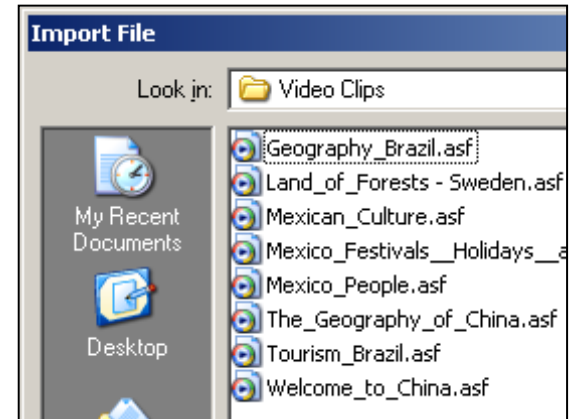
## Step 1 - Import Video

- Launch Movie Maker and click on "Import Video"
- Find the folder containing your video clips (in this case your CD drive) click on the video clip you wish to use and click on Import. The clip will automatically be cut into short video clips.

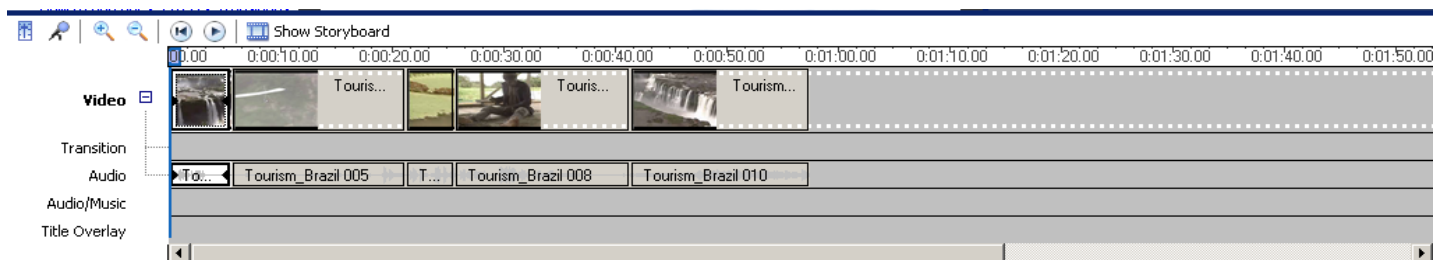


## Step 2 - Create a Storyboard

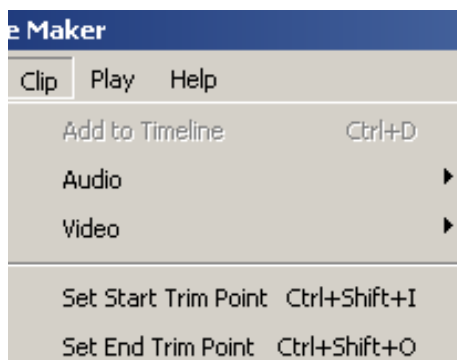
- You can view a clip by double clicking on it.
- Drag and drop the clips you wish to use in sequence on the storyboard timeline.
- Clips can be rearranged by dragging and dropping them into different positions.
- You can toggle between the storyboard view and the timeline view.



*Storyboard View*



*Timeline View*

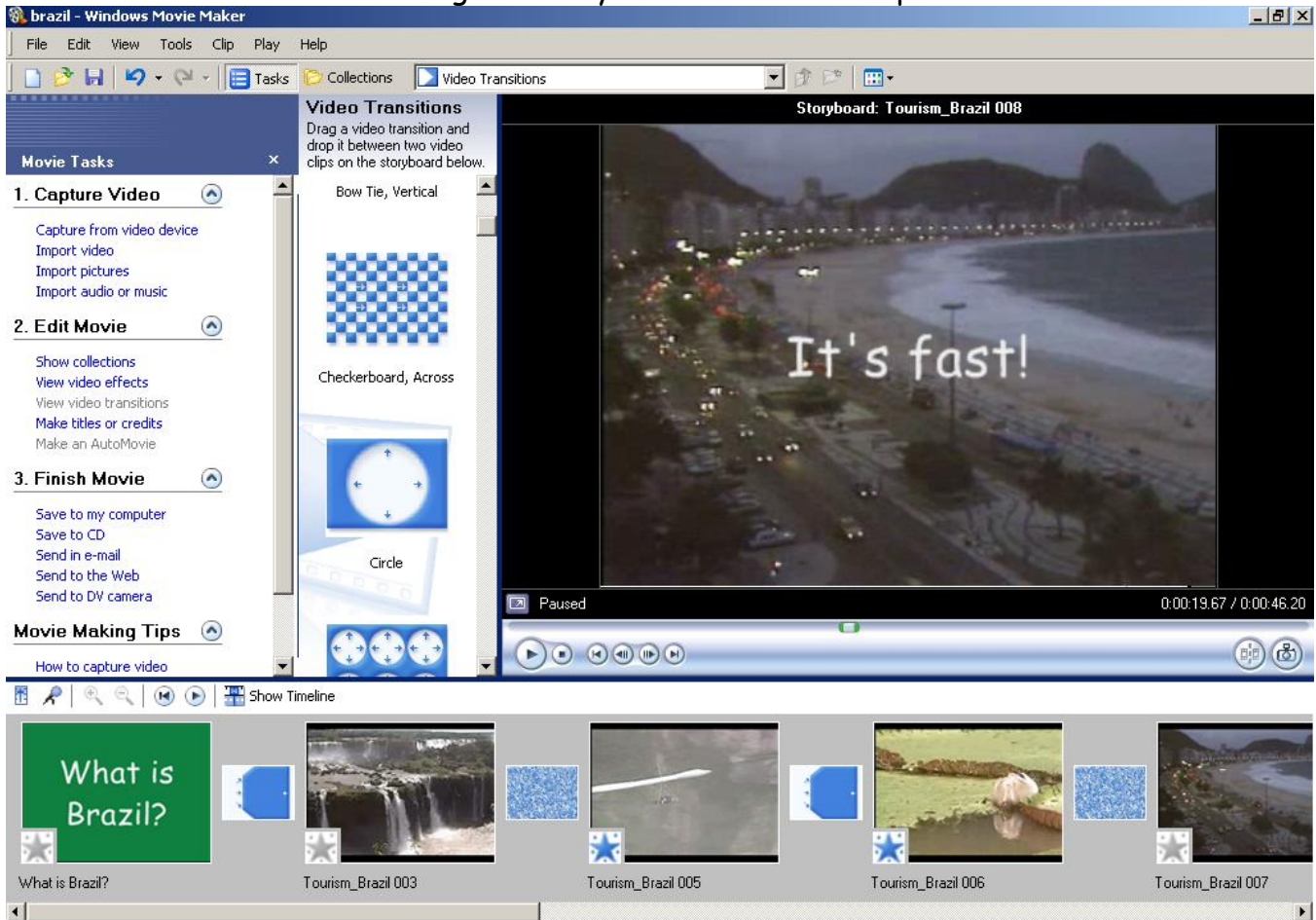


## Trim Your Clips

- After you have clips in order you can trim unwanted footage from any clip.
- In timeline view click on the clip you want to trim.
- Play the video until you reach the point in the clip where you want to start the trim. Select "Set Start Trim Point" from the Clip menu.
- Continue to play the clip until you reach the end section you want and choose Set End Trim Point from the Clip Menu.

## Add Effects

- To create transitions between clips click on "View Video Transitions" in the Movie Tasks list and drag the one you want between clips.



- To create Titles click on Make Titles or Credits from the Movie Tasks list, click on the type of title you want and follow the directions.
- To add audio
  - highlight the audio track that came with the clip in timeline view, right click on the audio and choose mute.
  - Click on "Import audio or music" and choose a music file to import.
  - Drag the file to the audio/music section of the timeline.
- To save you movie choose "Save Movie File" from the file menu, select my computer from the next set of choices and give it an appropriate name and save it to a specific folder on your hard drive.

### Where do you want to add a title?

Add [title at the beginning](#) of the movie.

Add [title before the selected clip](#) on the storyboard.

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Add [title after the selected clip](#) on the storyboard.

Add [credits at the end](#) of the movie.

