AMG Scripts v1.1

AppleScript for iTunes
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This script lets you delete a specified number of characters from the beginning of each track name of the selected tracks.

This script is Donationware. If you use it and like it *please* consider making a donation to support my AppleScripting efforts. Click here for more info.

Installation:

If you installed the files from the downloaded disk image by dragging them to the "Installer", then the AppleScript and this Read Me document have already been installed in your *[user name] > Library > iTunes > Scripts* folder. The script will appear in iTunes' Script menu, where you can activate it by clicking on its name.

To manually install, if necessary: Put AppleScripts in your iTunes Scripts folder. This is located in *[user name] > Library > iTunes*. If there is no folder named "Scripts" there, create one and put the script(s) in it. AppleScripts will then appear in iTunes' Script menu, and can be activated by selecting by name and clicking. Be sure to also save this Read Me document in a safe and convenient place.

How to use:

I took the recent "iTunes Web Infohound X"

[http://www.dougscripts.com/itunes/scripts/scripts05.shtml#webinfohound]
by Greg Townsend and edited it to make 3 very quick dialog-less utility scripts for my own use. when I get new mp3s I always immediately go to AMG to grab an image and usually the text blurbs on the artist and album for my own archives. iTunes Web Infohound is great but has too many options and dialog boxes for me since I only use 1 browser and 1 site all the time.

I call them...

* AMG Album

Take selected or playing iTunes track and pipe ALBUM info to an All Music Guide search in either Internet Explorer or Safari. if iTunes is the frontmost application it will try and use the selected track, otherwise if iTunes is not the frontmost app and/or no track is selected, it uses the track that is playing.

* AMG Artist

Take selected or playing iTunes track and pipe ARTIST info to an All Music Guide search in either Internet Explorer or Safari. if iTunes is the frontmost application it will try and use the selected track, otherwise if iTunes is not the frontmost app and/or no track is selected, it uses the track that is playing.

* AMG Track

Take selected or playing iTunes track and pipe TRACK info to an All Music Guide search in either Internet Explorer or Safari. if iTunes is the frontmost application it will try and use the selected track, otherwise if iTunes is not the frontmost app and/or no track is selected, it uses the track that is playing.

Helpful Links:

Click on the underlined URL text:

- Doug's AppleScripts for iTunes
- Assign Shortcut Keys to AppleScripts
- Download FAQ - **Info on downloading and installing AppleScripts**
- Doug's RSS Feed - **Recent site news, script additions and updates** (add link to your news reader)
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Information and download link for this script is located at:
http://www.dougscripts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=amgscripts

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If you have any trouble with this script, please email me.
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