

Gather Up the One-Hits v2.3

AppleScript for iTunes

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This script will quickly collect the "one-hit wonders" in your iTunes library—every track whose artist is represented by just a *single* track—and copy them to a new playlist.

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Installation:

To manually install: 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:

Run the script. Enter a name for the name of the playlist that will be created. The default name is "One Hit Wonders". Click the "Proceed..." button and in a few moments the new playlist will be selected, filled with the "one-hit" tracks that were collected.

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Information and download link for this script is located at:

<http://dougscripts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=gatheruptheonehits>

Version History:

v2.3 jan 6 09
- speed enhancements

v2.2 dec 1 08

- fixes additional issue whereby only one track is copied to the "One Hits" playlist

v2.1 oct 12 08

- fixes issue whereby only one track is copied to the "One Hits" playlist

v2.0 may 25 08

- runs as universal binary
- dropped iPod support
- user-enterable playlist name
- code consolidation, read-only

v1.0 september 7 04

- initial release

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

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