

Create Archive of Selected

v2.0

For iTunes 11+/OS X 10.6+
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This script will create a .zip archive of the files of the selected iTunes tracks.

OS X 10.6 and later only.

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Installation:

Put AppleScripts in your iTunes "Scripts" folder. This is located in your *[user name] / Library / iTunes /* folder.

*The user Library directory is hidden by default. To make it visible, hold down the Option key on your keyboard and select **Go > Library** from the Finder.*

If there is no folder named "Scripts" in the *[user name] / Library / iTunes /* folder then 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.

See the online Download FAQ for more info and video on downloading and installing AppleScripts.

How to use:

Select some tracks in iTunes whose files you wish to archive and run the script. Enter a name for the .zip archive and select a location where it will be created.

Copies of the files will be gathered in a new folder and that folder will be zip-archived. (Of course, the files for the selected tracks must actually exist and be accessible.)

The final .zip file will be displayed in the Finder when the script has finished.

Notes:

Only copies of the original files are used.

Depending on the size of the files you have selected, archiving time can vary.

Helpful Links:

Information and download link for this script is located at:

<http://dougscripsts.com/itunes/scripts/ss.php?sp=createarchiveofselected>

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