

WEEK 9

AUDIO EDITING IN AUDACITY

TOPICS DISCUSSED THIS WEEK

- Opening audio in Audacity
- Basic editing of audio
- Importing audio into Flash

[Audacity Help Site](#)
[Audacity Documentation](#)

Consider viewing the tutorial section on the Help Site wiki.

SEARCH TERMS TO USE

import audio flash
flash audio timeline
flash control audio playback

USING AUDACITY TO EDIT AUDIO

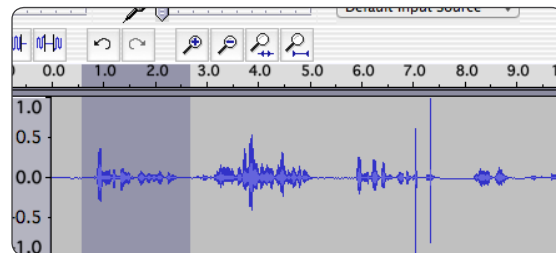
1. open an audio file in Audacity

(File > Open)

2. select the editing/selection tool

3. click and drag to select a region of the audio waveform

(click anywhere outside of the selected region to deselect)



4. press the delete key to remove the selected region of audio

(the selection tool remains as a line in the waveform area)



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STANDARD PLAYBACK TOOLS

Playback and recording tools to alter playback (you can also move around in the audio using the selection tool)

SELECTION TOOL

Use this tool to select an area of the audio waveform

ZOOM TOOL

Use this tool to zoom in or out of the audio for finer editing control

TIME SHIFT TOOL

Use this tool to move an area of audio within the timeline

DELETE OUTSIDE SELECTION

Use this button to delete all audio not currently selected (on either side of the selection).

RECORD BUTTON

Use this button to start recording from a pre-defined audio source

RECORDING VOLUME

Adjust the input volume (in case your voice is too loud or soft in the recording—you can also use tools, if available, on your microphone or input device)

