

How to use the Vista DVD within a presentation

The best way to use the Vista DVD within your presentation is by using the software "WinDVD5" from the company "InterVideo" (<http://www.intervideo.com>). By using the bookmark feature of this software you will be able to quickly jump to individual points within the whole DVD. The attached file has some examples which we consider worth showing, even if you have a Vista present or you are using another powerpoint presentation. Some of the features are hard to show to clients even if there is a Vista present during your demo. E.g. to show the machine control features or redundancy is easier by using the DVD than having to do it on the console itself.

Hint: If you have the bookmarks set and want to quickly open them during your presentation, just type "K" on your keyboard and select the next one. This will open the bookmark list without having to use the mouse and is considered to be the fastest way to navigate during a presentation. (The full bookmark features are available by using the right mouse button.)

The bookmarks get stored in a "WinDVD5" proprietary file format. There is an example file available from Studer which has stored the bookmarks listed below:

1. "Opening": Title 1, Chapter 1, 0:00:00

This bookmark may be used to impress people by some cool music as well as some nice pictures from the Studer factory.

2. Machine Control "Colin Broad": Title 7, Chapter 2, 0:04:10

3. Machine Control "Qolle": Title 7, Chapter 3, 0:06:42

4. Machine Control "Soundmaster": Title 7, Chapter 4, 0:09:07

These three bookmarks show the client the different possibilities we offer regarding the machine control. Since it is never possible to show all three variants on a demo console, the DVD is a unique possibility to do so.

5. Vista 8 introduction: Title 9, Chapter 1, 0:00:01

This chapter gives a general impression of the differences of the Vista 8 against Vista 6/7. Just the start of it is a nice overview. Stop playback when the explanations are going into details.

6. Redundancy demo: Title 11, Chapter 2, 0:03:12

This part of the DVD is a must. It shows very impressively how Studer handles redundancy and how strong our products are in this concern. Again, it is hard to show this other than using the DVD.