

# Add a Video to the Slide List

## To Convert or Not to Convert

- Files which do not need Conversion - .avi
- Files which need conversion - .mov; .mp4 etc
- If you are unsure then dragging or otherwise adding a file to the Slide List will, if necessary, suggest Optimisation (Conversion to .avi)

## Unconverted Video

### Dragging into Slide List

- A file which is of the type which requires Optimisation (.mov; .mp4 etc) can be dragged (left click and drag) into the Slide List
- A Window pops up to suggest that you should Optimise the File
- It is advisable to always accept this suggestion and Click on Optimise - you can save to the same folder as the original or change to a different folder location
- The original file is added to the Slide List and the Slide Duration will be equal to the Video Clip Duration
- Once the Slide Duration is set by this action any editing of the Video Duration by Trimming etc must be compensated for by manual adjustment of the Slide Duration
- Optimisation or Conversion is then carried out in the background allowing the user to work
- It is (if required) possible to intercept the Optimisation Dialogue - see below
- The file is then saved as Filename.converted.avi and added to the File List
- The original file (after conversion) is replaced by the Filename.converted.avi File in the Slide List

## Right Click Menu

## Converted Video

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