

# TUTORIAL



## Converting an Audio CD to MP3

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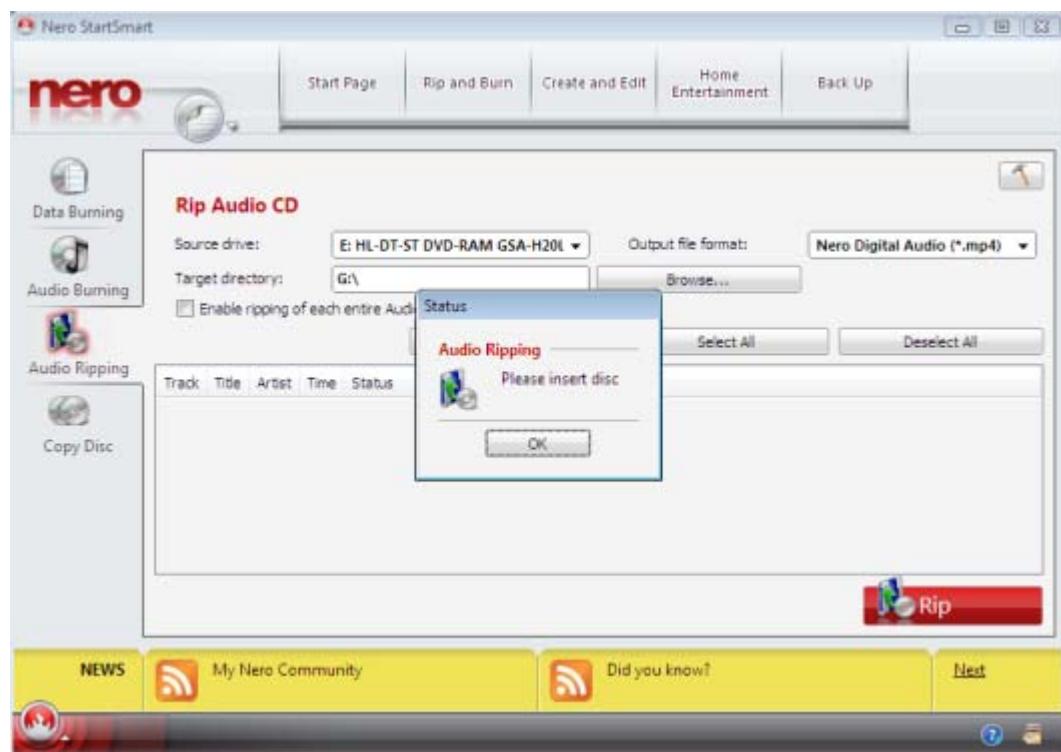
In this tutorial you can follow the step by step procedure on how to use Nero Start Smart to copy audio files from an Audio CD to your hard drive in MP3 file format.

The following requirement has to be fulfilled:

- You have started Nero Start Smart.

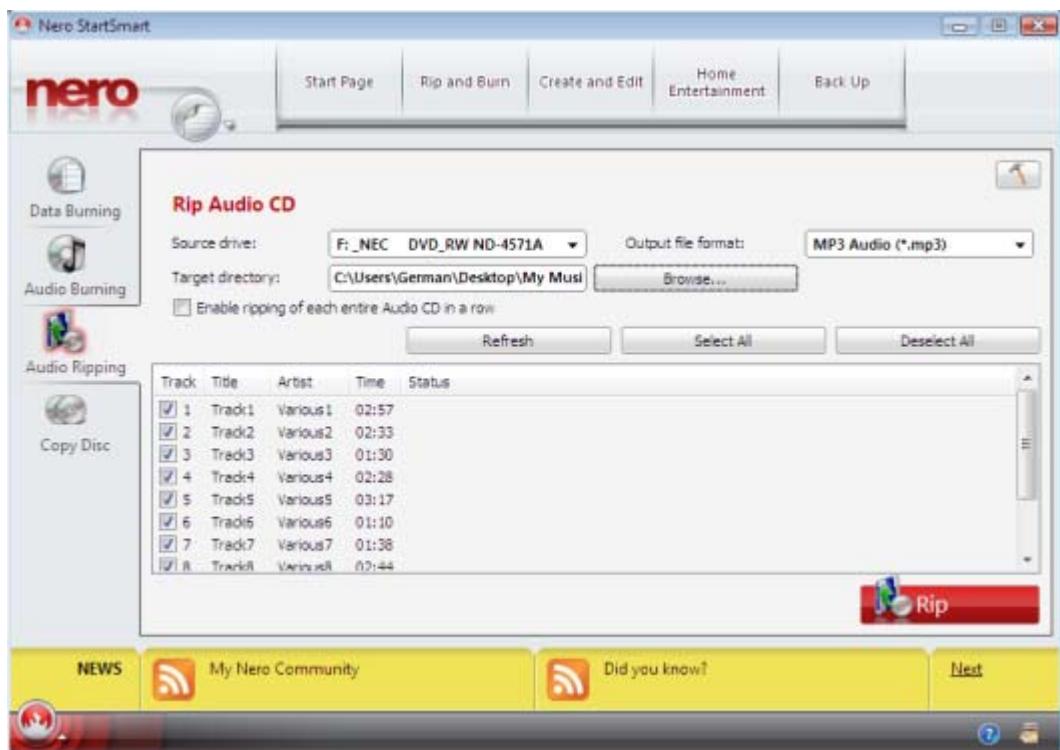
To convert and save audio files, proceed as follows:

1. Click the **Save Tracks** menu icon.  
→ The **Rip Audio CD** screen is displayed and a dialog box asks you to insert an Audio CD into a drive.



Rip Audio CD screen

2. Insert an Audio CD into a drive and click the **OK** button.
3. In the **Source Drive** drop-down menu, select the drive in which your Audio CD is located (e.g. F:!).  
→ The Audio CD is read and the individual audio files which are located on the Audio CD are listed.



"Rip Audio CD" screen with audio files

4. In the **Output File Format** drop-down menu select the **MP3** file type.
5. Click the **Browse** button and select the target directory in which the audio files should be saved (e.g. the **My Music** directory).
6. If you do not want select all but only a few individual audio files which are on the Audio CD, click the **Unselect All** button.  
→ The check boxes in front of the audio files are deactivated.
7. Activate the check box in front of the respective audio files that you want to copy (e.g. **Track 1**, **Track 2**, and **Track 5**).
8. Click the **Save** button.  
→ The selected audio files are copied and converted into the **MP3** file format. A progress bar in the lower left side of the screen displays the copy progress. A dialog box opens after the copy process has finished.
9. Click the **OK** button.  
→ You have copied audio files from an Audio CD to your hard drive in MP3 format.