

WINDOWS XP ASSIGN CD ACTIONS

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Ever notice that every time you insert a CD, you are prompted for a decision based upon which data is found on the CD? This is the method to tell Windows XP once-and-for-all what option to use when you insert a CD.

1. Open Windows Explorer.
2. Left-click on the “+” next to “My Computer.” This displays the subordinate drives and devices.
3. Open the CD Player’s Properties (Figure 1):
 - 1 RIGHT-click on your CD Drive icon.
 - 2 Left-click on “Properties.”

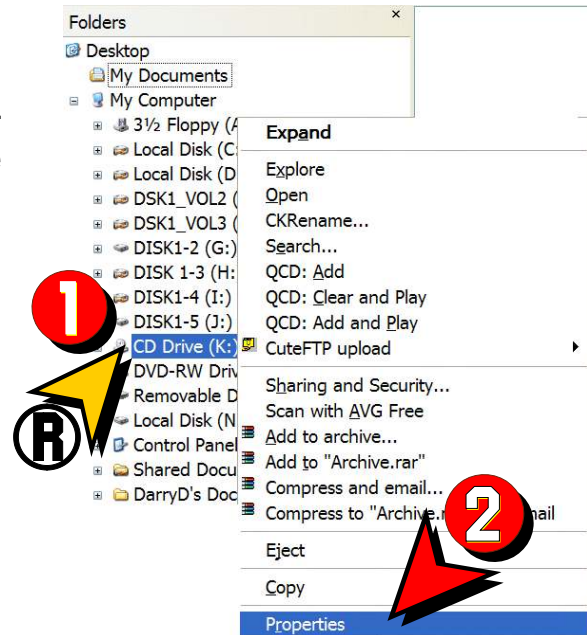


Figure 1



Figure 2

4. Assign a procedure (Figure 2):
 - 1 Click on “AutoPlay” tab.
 - 2 Click on “Select an action to perform.”
 - 3 Click on the program you want to perform the action.
 - 4 Click on “Apply” button.

5. Select the next Content (**Figure 3**):

❶ Click on the down-arrow next to “Music Files.”

❷ Click on the Contents you want to assign.

6. Repeat the processes in Step 4.

7. When you have assigned all the actions you desire, left-click on the “OK” button.

8. When you insert a CD, Windows XP will automatically perform the action you assigned based upon the contents of the CD.



Figure 3