Video Conversion & Compression Guide for Windows Users

You may need to use a video conversion/compression tool to:

- Convert your video into a .mp4 file.

- Reduce the size of your video file for uploading. The recommended file size is 200 MB to 300 MB. Note: Before reducing your video file size, you should first trim your video so it contains only the video segment that will be submitted.

Follow these instructions to download and run this free software tool.

Go to https://www.any-video-converter.com/en8/for_video_free/ and follow the instructions to download the Any Video Converter Free Edition. Note that you should perform a Custom Installation to avoid installing additional software.
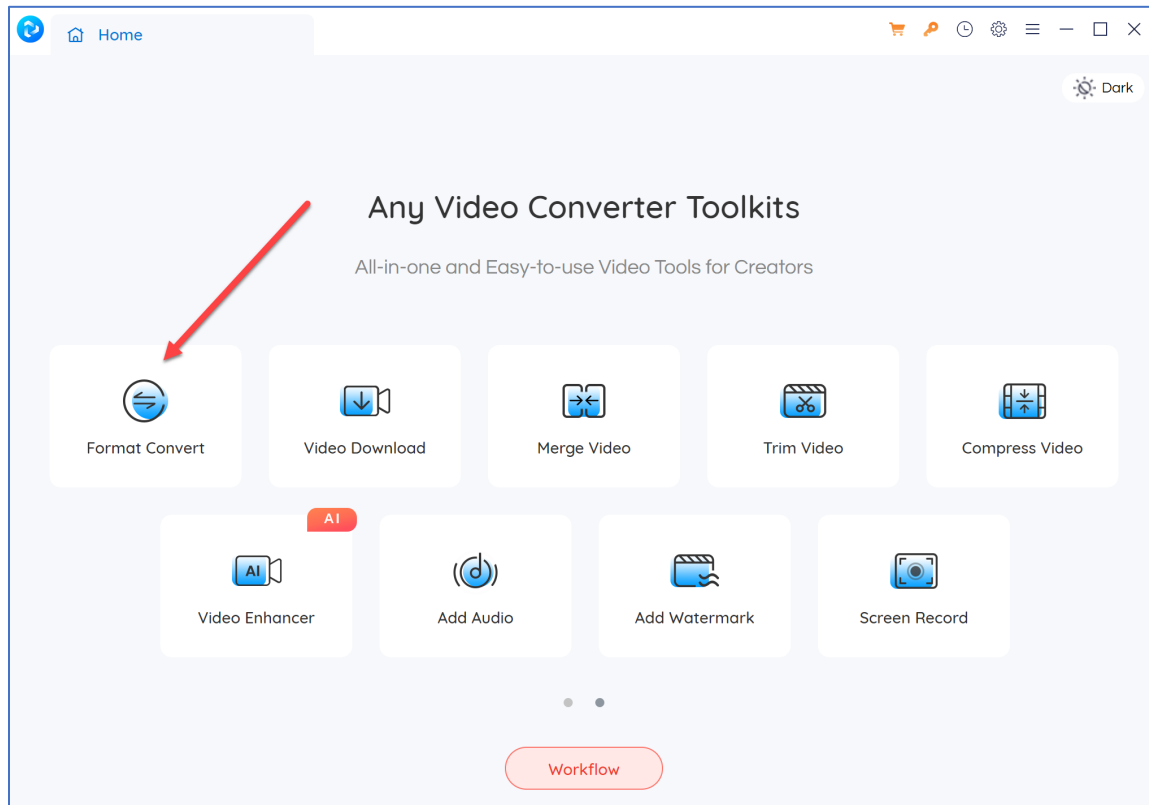
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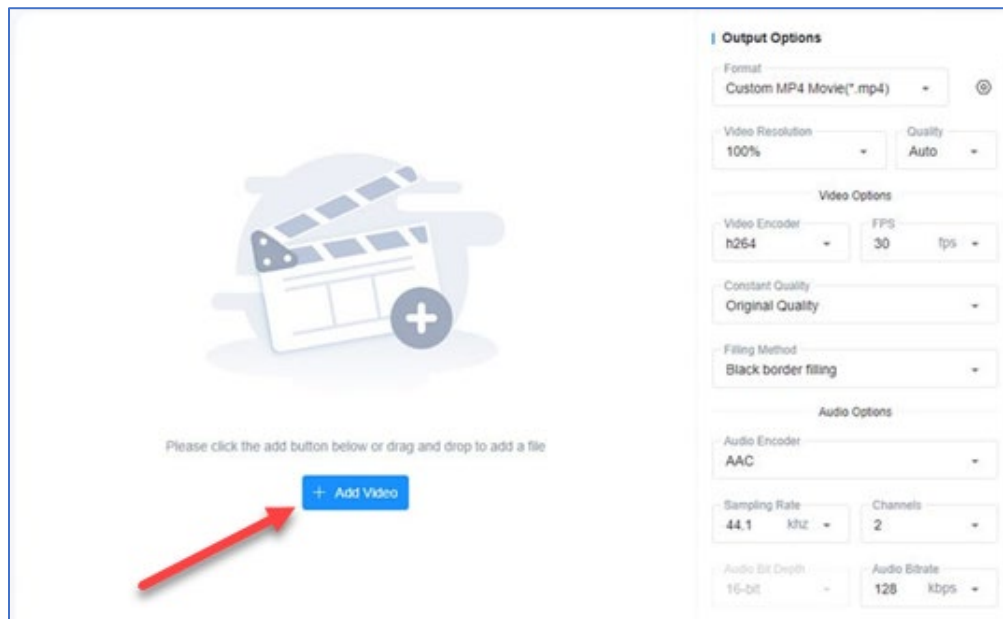
How to Convert a Video

Step 1: Open Any Video Converter

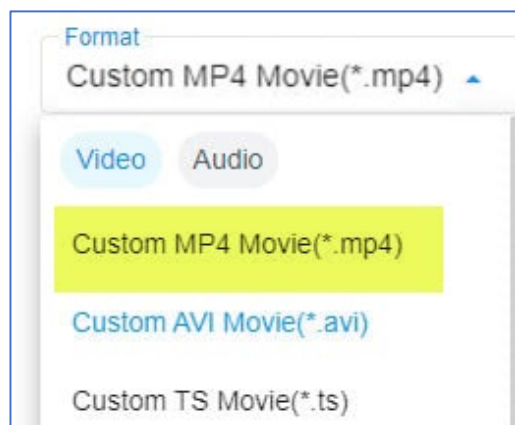On the main interface, select the **Format Convert** tool.

Step 2: Add Videos

Click **+ Add Video** or drag & drop to add video files.

The program will take a few seconds to analyze videos. After analysis, the video will be listed on the main panel with details (length, video codec, resolution, fps, audio codec, bitrate, subtitles, and more).

Step 3: Configure the Output Settings

Output Format

In the **Format** menu under the **Output Options**, select "Custom MP4 Movie(*.mp4)."

Do not change any other settings.

Step 4: Convert Your File

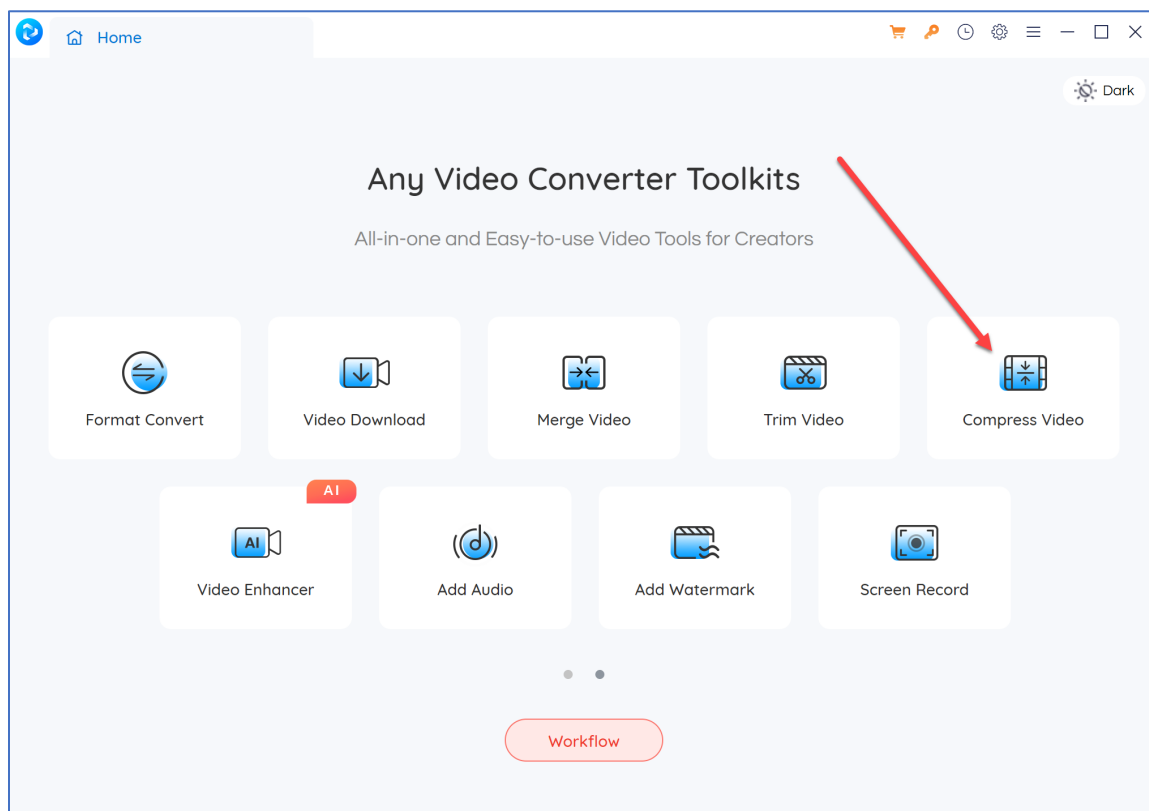Click the **Start** button to convert your video.

Start

Once the conversion is complete, the folder containing your new video file will open automatically. Move the file to your desktop, and you're ready to upload it to the ePortfolio system.
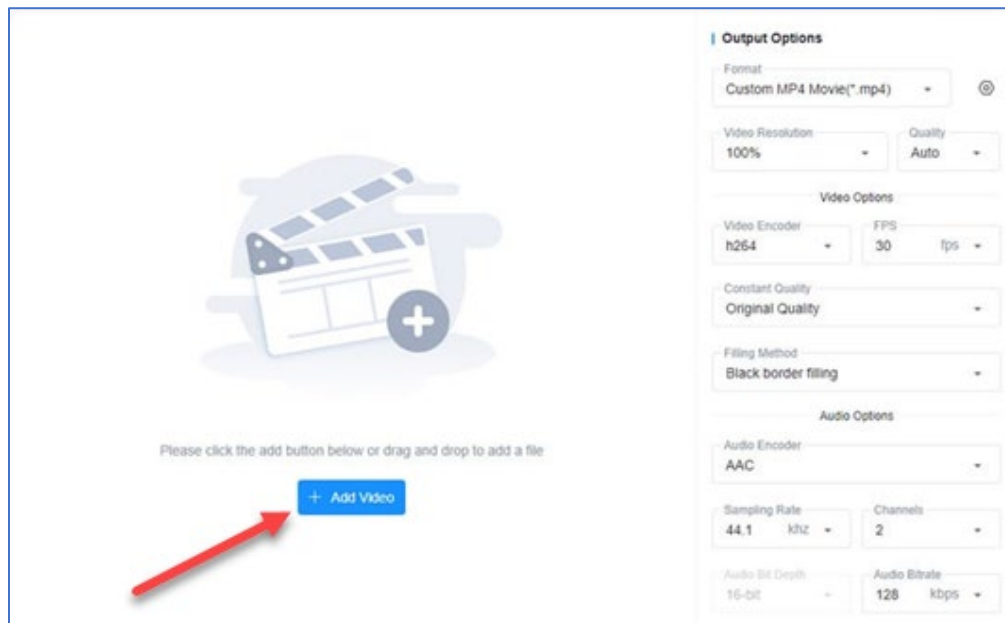
How to Compress a Video

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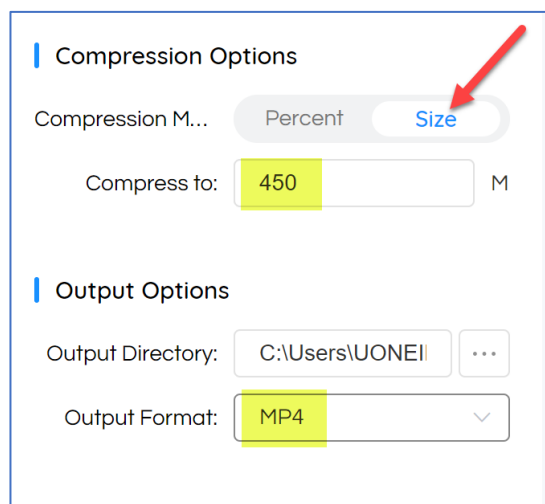On the main interface, select the **Compress Video** tool.

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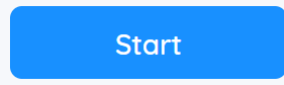
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In **Compression Options**, choose the option to enter a size. In the **Compress to** field, enter a number less than 500, as the file-size limit of the system is 500 MB.

Choose an **Output Format** of MP4.

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Additional Resources

Please visit www.nbpts.org/certification/candidate-center/eportfolio-submission/ for other helpful resources, including technical guides, video tutorials, and Frequently Asked Questions.