

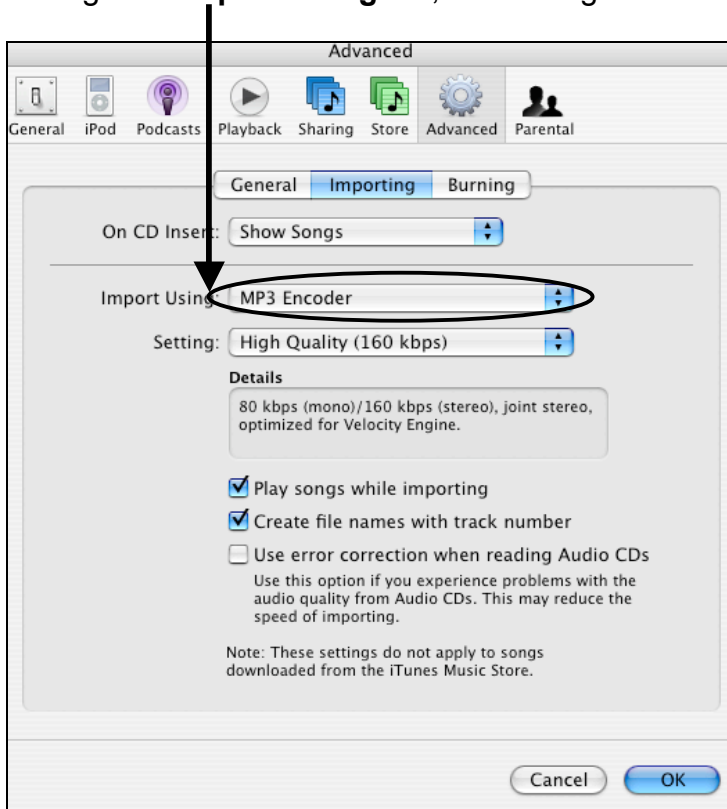
## Garage Band 1: Using your Song in Another Project (e.g., Powerpoint, iPhoto, iMovie)

In order to best use your Song in a project, you will need to reduce the file size.

- GarageBand 1 exports to iTunes in “AIFF” format, which is high quality, but makes a large file size. If you use it in this form, your project is likely to become too large/won’t play well, etc
- MPEG Audio, or “.mp3” is a popular compressed format for audio. An “mp3” file takes up less memory on your hard drive or our servers, but is almost as high in quality as AIFF.

To convert your song to mp3:

- With iTunes open, Top Menu: iTunes > Preferences:
- Click on Advanced; Click on Importing tab.
- Change the **Import Using** tab, and change to “MP3Encoder.”



Top Menu > Advanced > Convert Selection to MP3:

Notice: you now have 2 copies of the same song in iTunes:\*

Notice the difference in File Size!

Name	Time	Artist	Kind	Size
GreatBeat	0:21		AIFF audio file	3.7 MB
GreatBeat	0:21		MPEG audio file	423.5 KB

You will want to choose the MPEG file for use in your project, because it is much smaller.

\*Note: to make the “Kind” column appear, Control+click on any column, and check “Kind”