Embed YouTube Videos in PowerPoint 2010

Adding a YouTube video to a PowerPoint 2010 presentation is pretty simple, however it does require locating and making a minor edit to YouTube’s embed code.

Embedding YouTube Videos

1. Locate the video in YouTube.

2. Click on the Share link located beneath the actual video.

3. Click the Embed link.

4. Uncheck the “Show suggested videos when the video finishes” box and check the “Use old embed code” box.

5. Select (highlight) the HTML embed code.

6. Right-click on the highlighted code and select Copy from the shortcut menu.

7. Open your presentation in PowerPoint 2010.
8. Select the slide on which to paste the video and then, on the Insert tab, click the bottom half of the Video button (in the Media group).

![Image of Video button options]

9. Select **Video from Web Site**... from the shortcut menu.

10. Right-click in the blank area of the “Insert Video From Web Site” dialog and select **Paste** from the shortcut menu.

![Image of Insert Video From Web Site dialog]

11. Edit the pasted text, making the following changes:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Locate and replace...</th>
<th>with this...</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>“//&quot; version=3</td>
<td>“http://&quot; version=2</td>
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</table>

*IMPORTANT: Each replacement will occur twice in the code, giving a total of four (4) replacements.*
Example:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Before</th>
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<tr>
<td><code>&lt;object width=&quot;420&quot; height=&quot;315&quot;&gt;&lt;param name=&quot;movie&quot; value=&quot;//www.youtube.com/v/nGeKSiCQkPw?hl=en_US&amp;amp;version=3&amp;amp;rel=0&quot;&gt;&lt;/param&gt;&lt;param name=&quot;allowFullScreen&quot; value=&quot;true&quot;&gt;&lt;/param&gt;&lt;param name=&quot;allowscriptaccess&quot; value=&quot;always&quot;&gt;&lt;/param&gt;&lt;embed src=&quot;/www.youtube.com/v/nGeKSiCQkPw?hl=en_US&amp;amp;version=3&amp;amp;rel=0&quot; type=&quot;application/x-shockwave-flash&quot; width=&quot;420&quot; height=&quot;315&quot; allowscriptaccess=&quot;always&quot; allowfullscreen=&quot;true&quot;&gt;&lt;/embed&gt;&lt;/object&gt;</code></td>
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12. Click the **Insert** button.

    A black video box will appear on the slide.

![Video Box](image)

13. Size and position the video box.

    **NOTE:** When the slide show is started, the video will appear.

    ![Video](image)

*Click on the video to begin playing.*