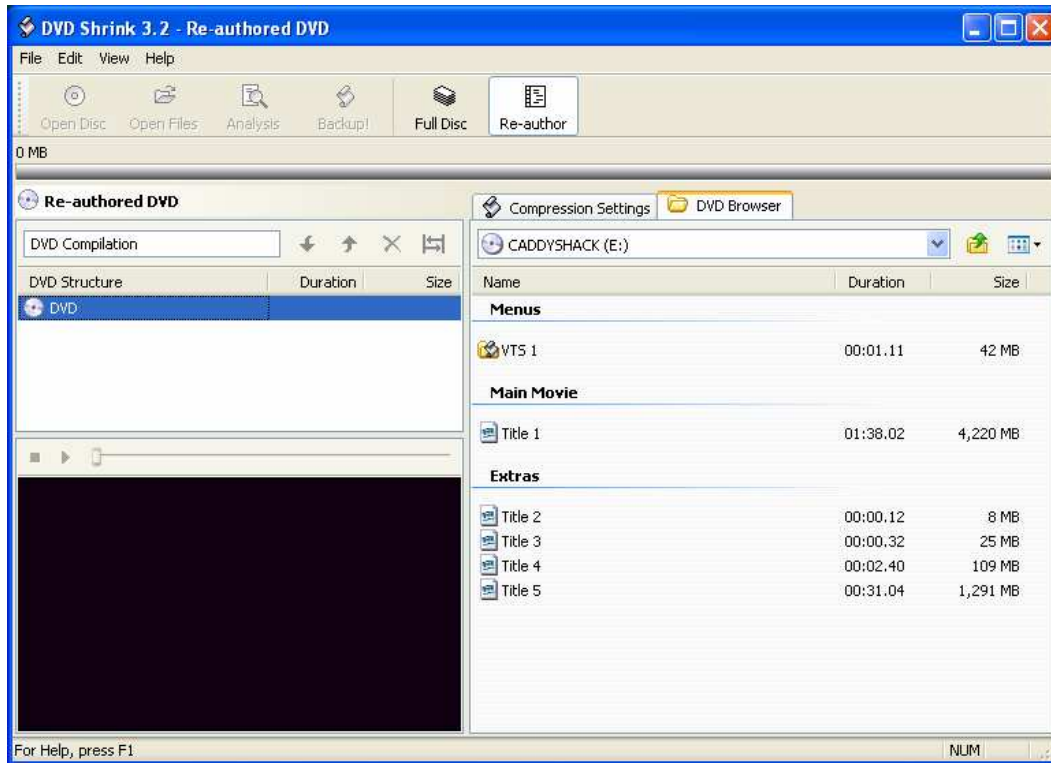
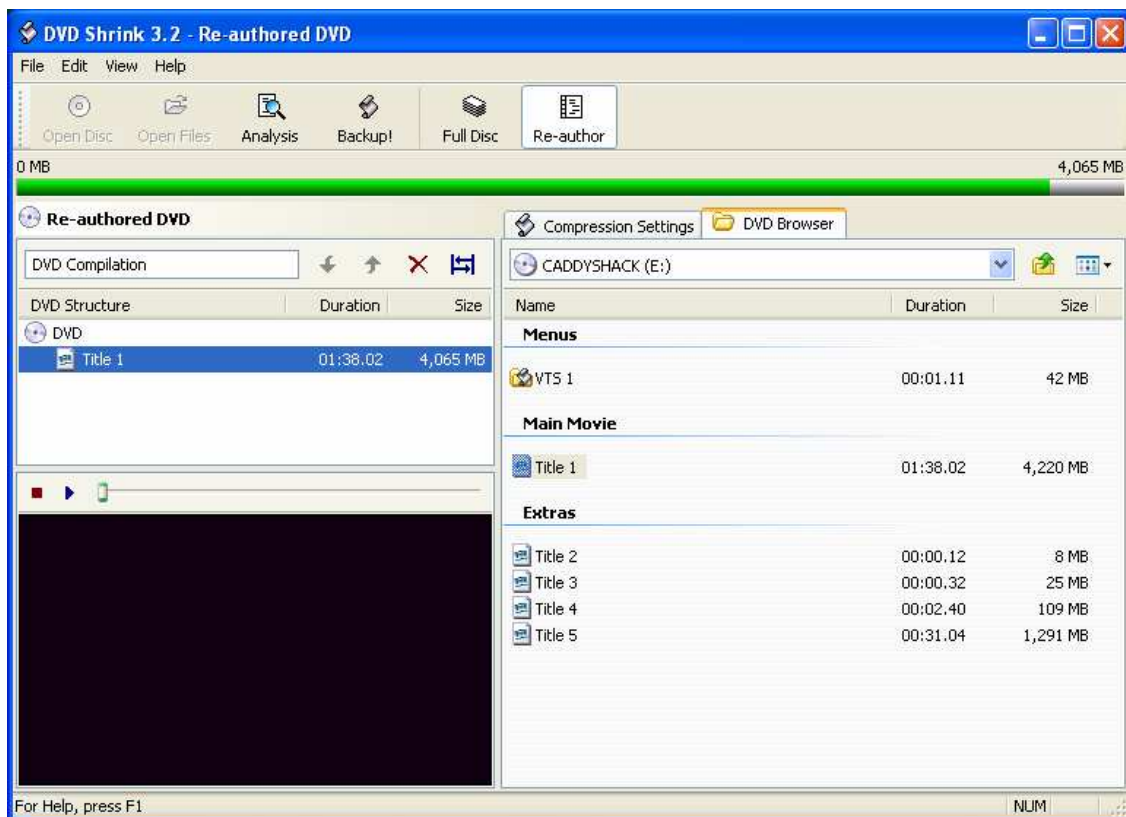


## ReAuthoring a Movie with DVD Shrink

Insert the DVD into your DVD-ROM or DVD Burner and then click Open Disc. DVD Shrink will Analyze the movie and then you will see a screen like this. We want to **Re-author** the Movie so click on the **Re-author button** (right side, near the top).

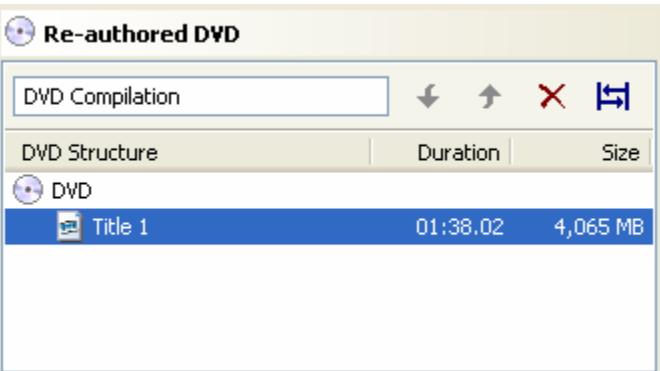


Look on the right side of the window under the heading Main Movie. You will see at least one file, such as **Title 1** in this example. Left click on that Title 1 and while holding the left mouse button down drag it over to the left into the DVD Compilation pane (as I have done in the example below)



***This step is optional – it is not necessary to set the Start/End Frames. Go to Page 4 if you want to skip this step.....***

Ok, focusing on that left pane you will click on the button that looks like this:



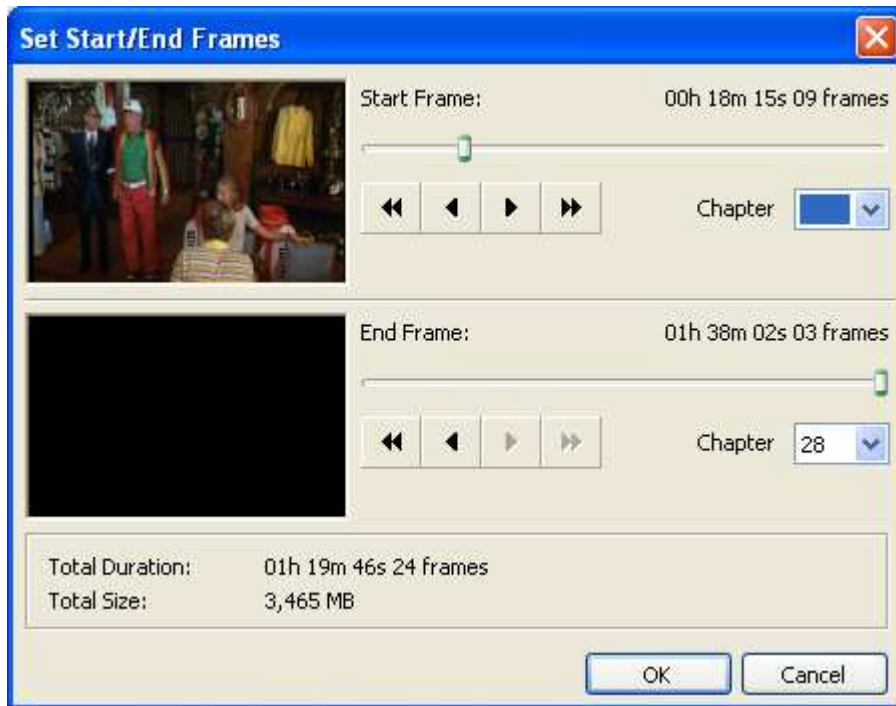
That button can be seen on the right side of the picture to the left.

Once you click that button a Set Start/End Frames window will pop up and look like this.



We will start with the Start Frame area. You can drag the little bar to the right to find the part of the movie you want to begin with. You can also use the single or double arrows for finer adjustment(s).

\*\* Note: there may be a slight delay when you start dragging the bar so be a little patient.



Once you have found the beginning that you want to use go down to the End Frame portion of the window and drag that little bar to the left to find the end point you want to set. Again, you can use the single or double arrows for finer adjustments.

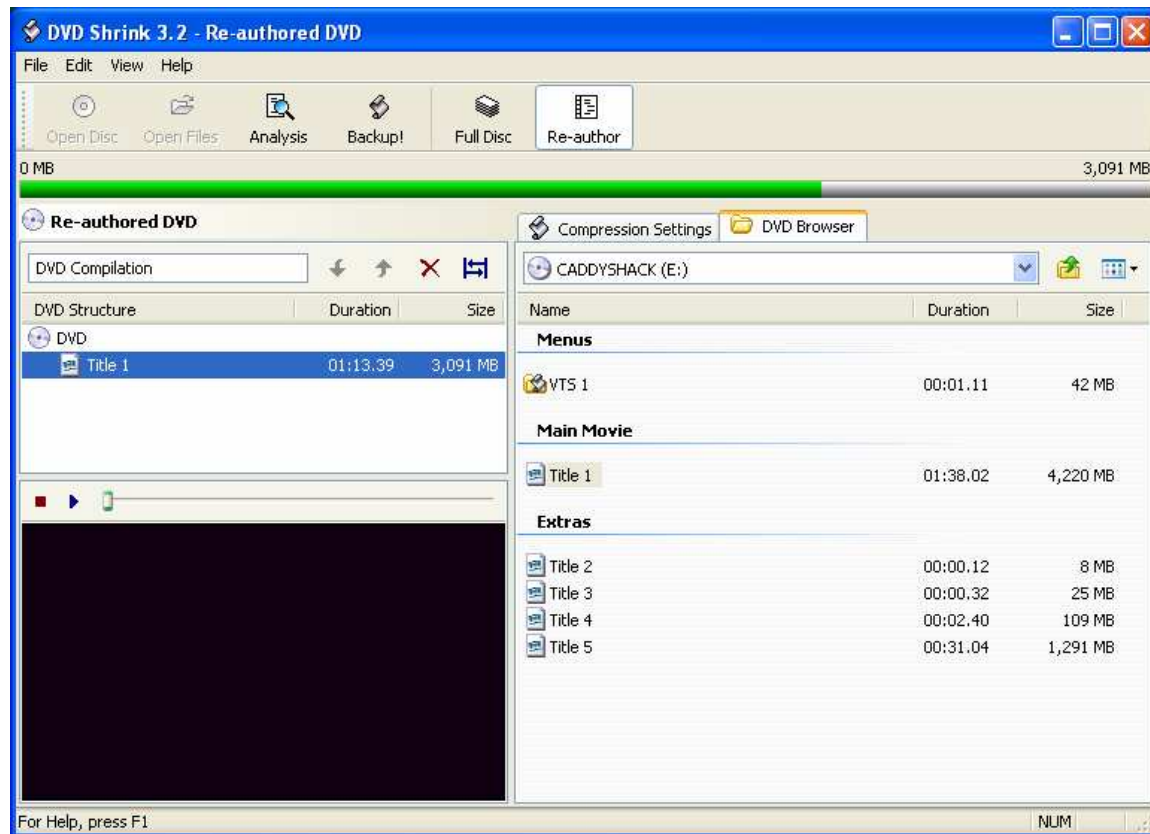


When you are happy with the Starting and Ending Points for your movie click the OK button to return to this screen.

***Again, the setting of the Start and End frames (points) is optional. If you want to just do a straight re-author you can simply drag the main title into the Compilation area and click the Backup! button.***

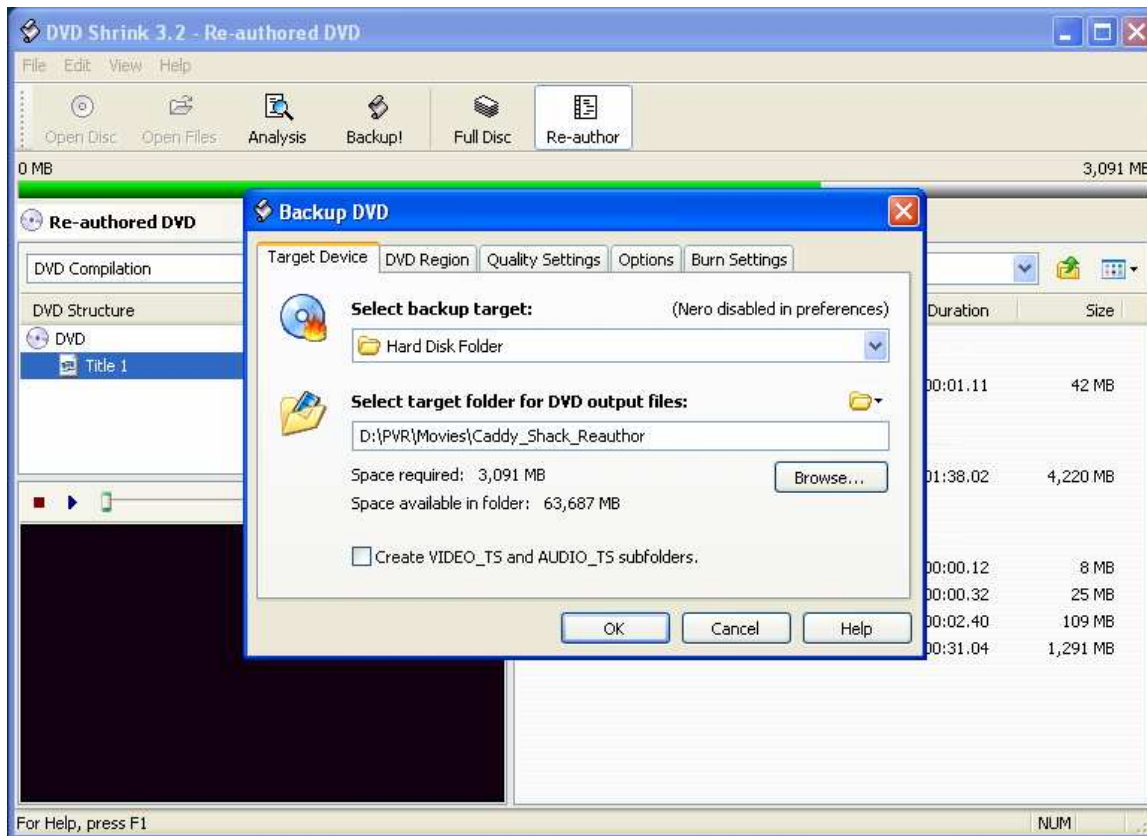
Look on the left under Re-authored DVD, our Title 1 duration time is 1:13:39. Look to the right and the Title 1 (under Main Movie) is 1:38:02. We have trimmed around 25 minutes off of the main movie.

This is a great way to trim away the credits and/or the extended lead-ins for some movies. You can also use this technique to extract short clips from movies or edit your own DVDs to extract specific portions to burn to DVD.



Now you can click on the Backup! button at the top of the DVD Shrink window and you will see the Backup DVD window pop up like in the picture below.

Don't forget to select the destination folder and name your movie (I have named the Reauthored movie in this example - Caddy\_Shack\_Reauthor).



Now go ahead and click the OK button and the Encoding process will begin. You will see a window like the one below.



When the encoding process is finished you can close DVD Shrink and burn your newly Reauthored movie to a DVD using your burning software.

Good job you did it!