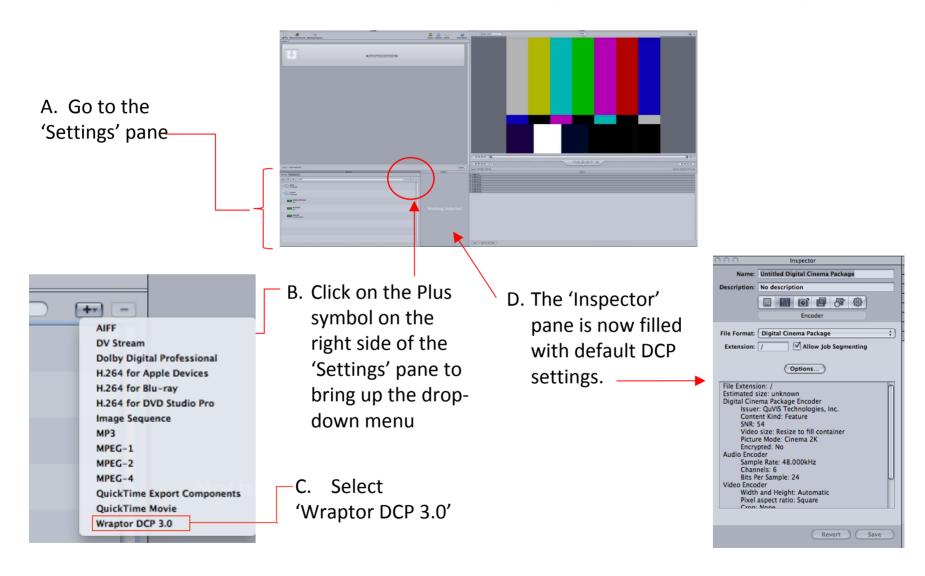
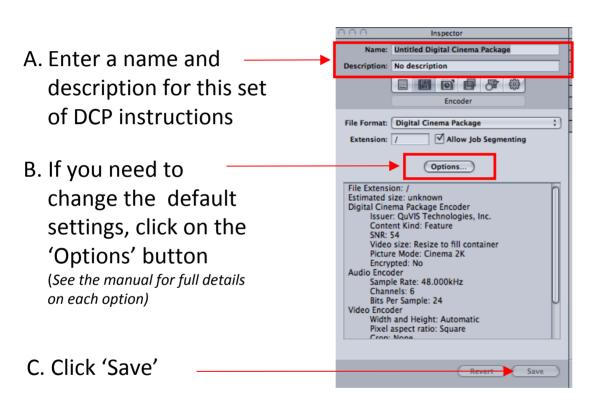
Step 1: Tell Compressor to make a 'Digital Cinema Package'

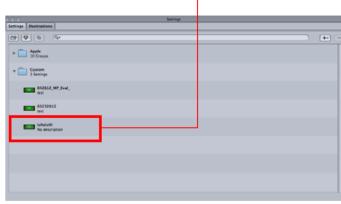


Step 2: Create and save instructions for your DCP

The 'Inspector' pane is automatically populated with the default packaging settings.

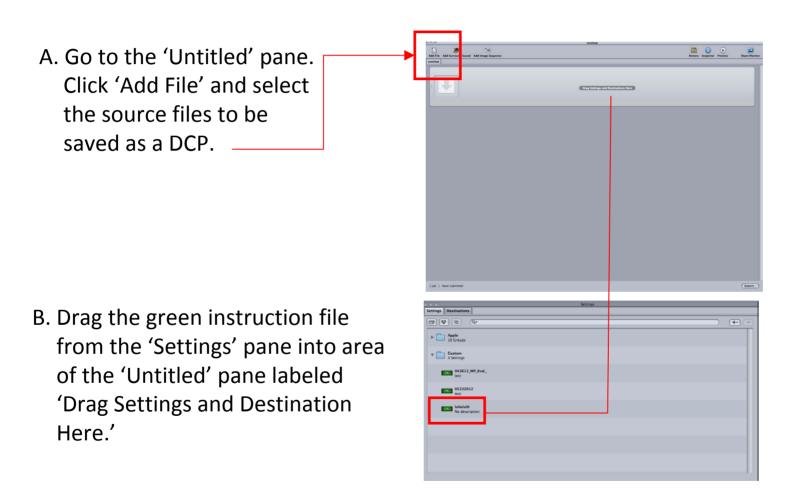


The set of instructions you just saved in 'Inspector' appears as a small green file in the 'Settings' pane.



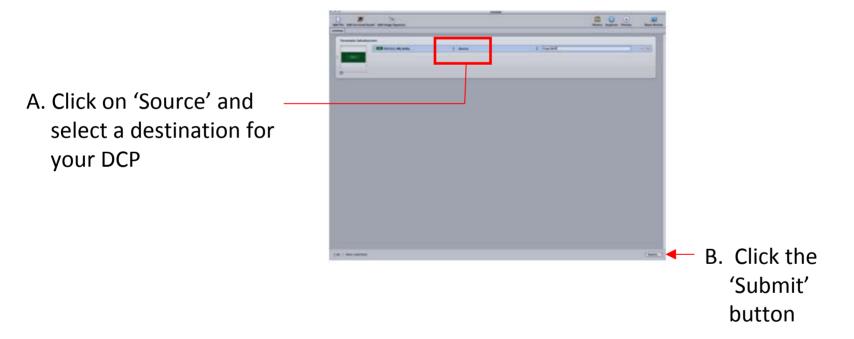
'Settings' pane

Step 3: Assign your DCP instructions to your source file



Step 4: Choose a Destination for Your DCP

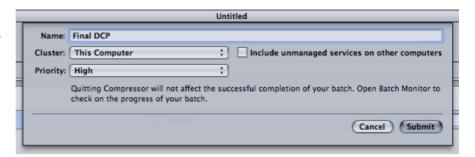
Once you drag the instructions file into the 'Untitled' pane, a blue box will appear



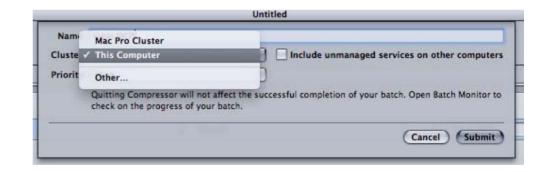
Step 5: Tell Compressor to process the source files to DCP

After you click 'Submit' a dialog box will open

A. Create a Name for the finished DCP.



B. Select 'This Computer' if processing will be done on single core, or select 'Cluster' to process on multiple cores. Cluster will be faster.



C. Click 'Submit' to process.

(Optional) Step 6: Track progress

- The time to create the DCP will depend on the size of the source files and the number of cores used to process the job.
- With a 12-core computer set to 'Cluster', processing takes about 90 seconds for every 60 seconds of source content.

The 'History' pane provides basic information on the progress of your job



Clicking on the 'Share Monitor' button on the 'Untitled' pane shows detailed progress information

