



Using Skype on Ubuntu Linux

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Installation



a) Add the following line to `/etc/apt/sources.lst`: -

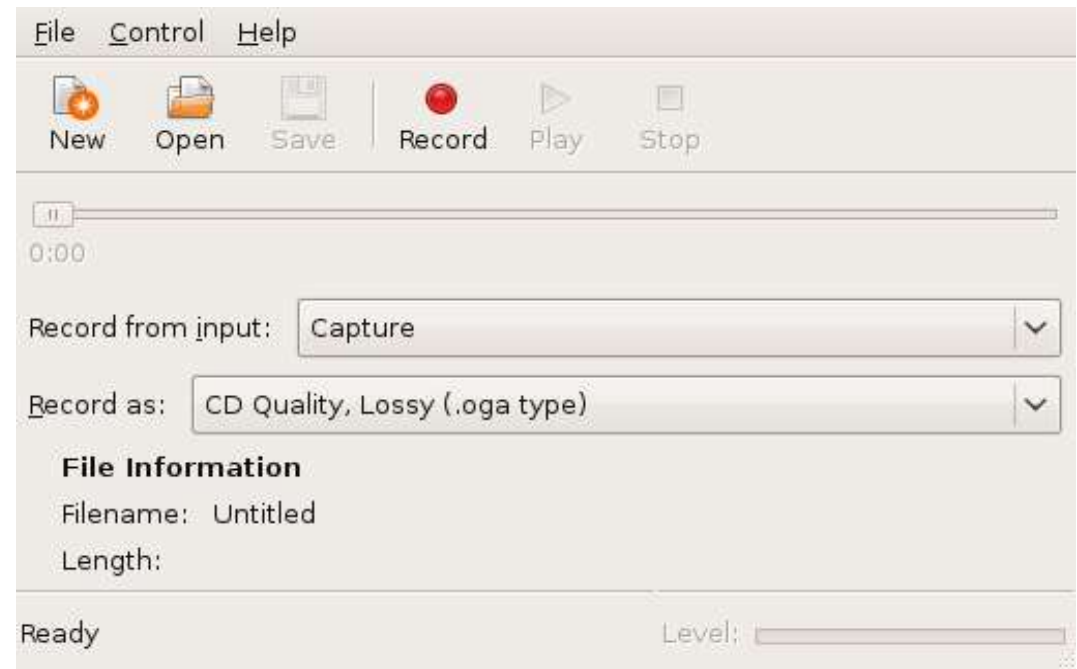
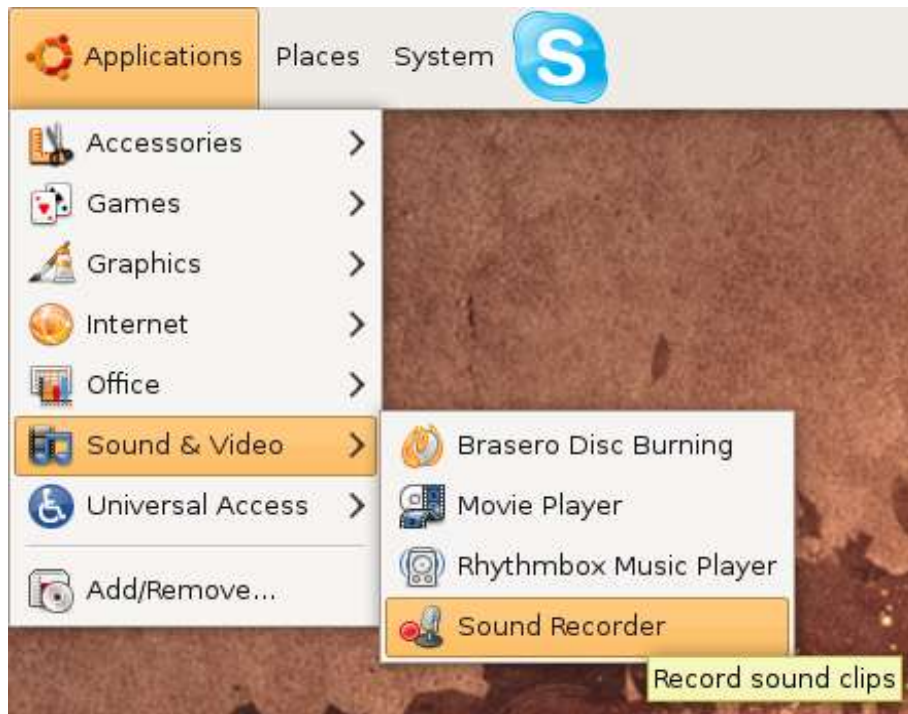
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deb http://download.skype.com/linux/repos/debian/ stable non-free
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b) Use the command `sudo apt-get install skype` to install Skype – for me, I get version 2.0.0.72 (as at 2 January 2009)

Sound Configuration



- a) Start Sound Recorder
- b) Record a sound clip and check that the microphone works OK



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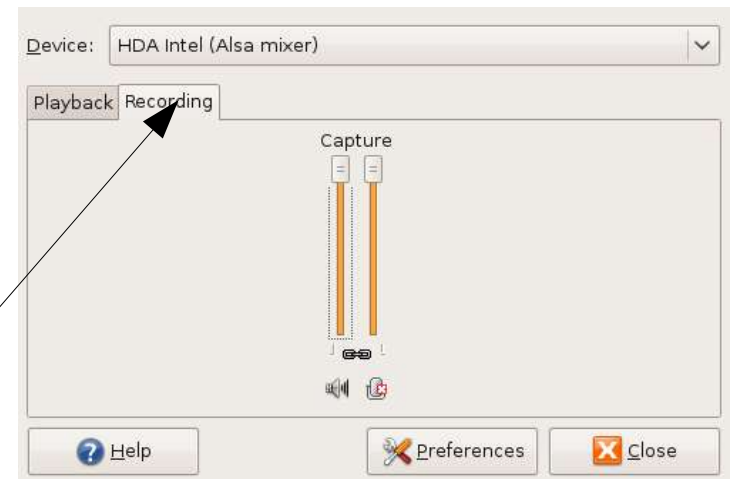
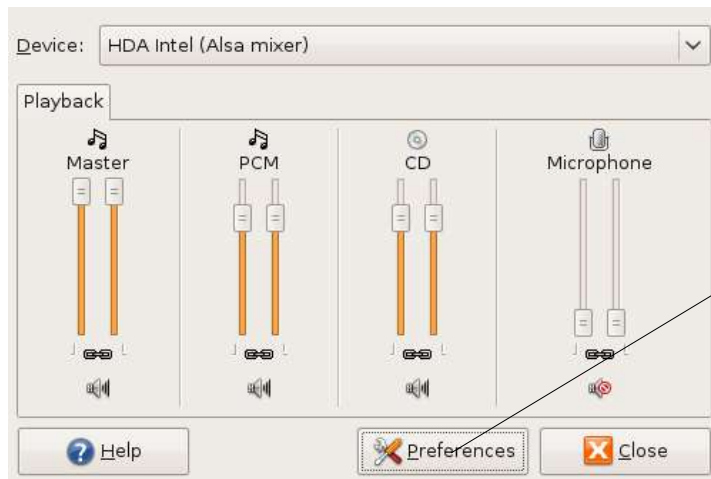


a) If needed, choose File > Open Volume Control

b) Choose Preferences

c) Check Capture

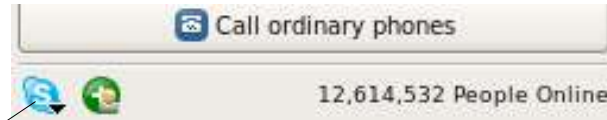
d) Verify that the Capture input is set high enough on the Recording tab



Configuration



- Start Skype
- Choose Options
- Choose Sound Devices
- Set Sound In and Sound Out to HDA Intel (hw:Intel,0)
- Click Make a test sound and Make a test call to validate



The screenshot shows the Skype Options dialog box with the 'Sound Devices' tab selected. The 'Options' menu is open, and the 'Sound Devices' option is highlighted. The 'Sound Devices' tab is active, showing the following settings:

- Sound In: HDA Intel (hw:Intel,0)
- Sound Out: HDA Intel (hw:Intel,0)
- Ringing: Default device (default)
- Buttons: Make a test sound, Make a test call
- Checkbox: Allow Skype to automatically adjust my mixer levels

At the bottom of the dialog box, there are three buttons: Apply, Reset, and Close.