

## *Step-by-Step*


# Making a Space Movie With Starry Night Backyard

Using Starry Night Backyard, you can see things in space that otherwise you might never see. When you find a scenario that is particularly interesting, you can save it as a movie to be played back later. You might even consider incorporating the movie into an AppleWorks presentation or a Web site.

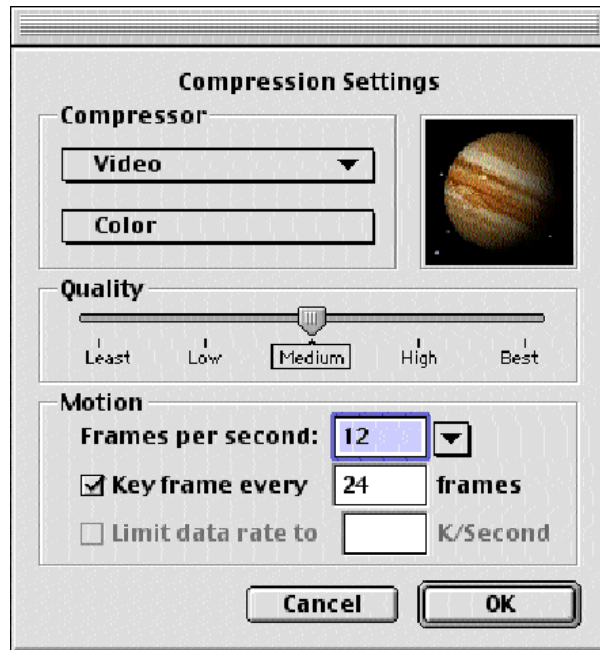
### **Opening Starry Night Backyard**

- 1** Open the Starry Night Backyard application.
- 2** Set the time and location to find the situation that you want to record.

### **Recording the movie**

- 1** Set the time interval  using the pop-up menu at the top of the screen. This is the time interval that will be used as the movie is recorded.
- 2** Using the hand tool, drag the elements that you are most interested in recording so that they are centered in the main screen. The camera records a square that encloses only part of the screen, and focuses on the center of the image.
- 3** Choose Make Movie from the File menu.
- 4** In the dialog box that appears, select a location where you want to save your movie and name your clip. Click Save.
- 5** Choose the quality settings for your movie. The higher the quality, the larger the resulting movie file will be. If you intend to publish this movie on the Internet, consider lowering the quality to Medium to decrease the file size.
- 6** Choose the number of frames to record per second. Keep in mind that the greater you set this number, the larger the resulting file will be.

- 7 Click OK to begin recording your movie.



- 8 To end the recording, click the stop button  in the lower-left corner of the movie screen.