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**Excel - VBA - How to Save File & Automatically Overwrite Old File**

**SCENARIO**

*I love the macro with the exception of one part:* ***I don't want to be prompted to overwrite the file if it already exists****. How can I change this macro so that, when pressed, it overwrites the file without prompting the user and waiting for their answer?*

**SOLUTION**

Application.DisplayAlerts = False

Set back to ***True*** after file is saved.

**EXAMPLE**

Sub SaveIt()

Dim strFirst As String, strLast As String

ChDir "C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Desktop\"

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Application.DisplayAlerts = False

'\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

With Worksheets(1)

strFirst = .Range("C4")

strLast = .Range("C6")

End With

ThisWorkbook.SaveAs \_

"C:\Documents and Settings\All Users\Desktop\" & \_

strFirst & " -TNT- " & strLast, xlWorkbookNormal

'\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Application.DisplayAlerts = True

'\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

End Sub