An example overhead including a sound

Here is some text and you click on this part to hear the sound.

Or with a button to click on:

Note that every sound to be played needs its own script to start since it doesn't seem to be possible to pass arguments to the program that is started.

Important: Security hole!

It is important to realize that any program can be run in this way For example, here is a link that opens an xterm. I hope the security issues involved in this are obvious to everyone! So when acroread asks you whether you want to launch an application, you should think twice about it if you haven't created the file yourself. But for your own document this naturally is no problem and e.g. before the beginning of your presentation you would presumably select "All" in that dialogue, to avoid the system asking you each time.