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# Panasonic Omnivision VHS

### Video Cassette Recorder

# MODEL PV-8662

# **Operating** Instructions



As an ENERGY STAR<sup>®</sup> Partner, Matsushita Electric Corporation of America has determined that this product or product model meets the ENERGY STAR<sup>®</sup> guidelines for energy efficiency.

Please read these instructions carefully before attempting to connect, operate or adjust this product. Please save this manual.

Spanish Quick Use Guide is included. (Guía para rápida consulta en español está incluida.)

Quick Use Guide is on the back cover.

Connections

P24 ~ P40 More You Can Do

# Things You Should Know

### Congratulations

on your purchase of one of the most sophisticated and reliable products on the market today. Used properly, it will bring you and your family years of enjoyment. Please fill in the information at right. The serial number is on the tag located on the back of your VCR.

# Safety Precautions

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	sed From	
Dealer Address	S	
Dealer Phone	No	
Model No	PV-8662	
Serial No		

Warning: To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose this equipment to rain or moisture. This video recorder, equipped with the HQ (High Quality) System, is compatible with existing VHS equipment. Only use those tapes with the **WHS** mark. It is recommended that only cassette tapes that have been tested and inspected for use in 2, 4, 6, and 8 hour VCR machines be used.

FCC Warning: Any unauthorized changes or modifications to this equipment would void the user's authority to operate.



This symbol warns the user that uninsulated voltage within the unit may have sufficient magnitude to cause electric shock. Therefore, it is dangerous to make any kind of contact with any inside part of this unit.

This symbol alerts the user that important literature concerning the operation and maintenance of this unit has been included. Therefore, it should be read carefully in order to avoid any problems.

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# An Important Safeguards and Precautions

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FOR YOUR SAFETY, READ AND RETAIN ALL SAFETY AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS. HEED ALL WARNINGS IN THE MANUAL AND ON THE UNIT

#### INSTALLATION

#### 1 POWER SOURCE CAUTION

Operate only from a power source indicated on the unit or in this manual. If necessary, have your Electric Utility Service Company or Video Products Dealer verify the power source in your home.

#### 2 POLARIZED OR GROUNDING PLUG

As a safety feature, this Video product comes with either a polarized power cord plug (one blade is wider than the other), or a three-wire grounding type plug.

#### POLARIZED PLUG CAUTION:

This plug will only fit into an outlet one way. If you cannot fully insert the plug, try reversing it. If it still will not fit, have an electrician install the proper wall outlet. Do not defeat the safety feature by tampering with the plug.

#### **GROUNDING PLUG CAUTION:**

This plug will only fit into a three-hole grounding outlet. If necessary, have an electrician install the proper outlet. Do not defeat the safety feature by tampering with the plug.

#### 3 POWER CORD

Make sure power cords are routed so that they are not likely to have anything rest on them, roll over them, or be in the way of walking traffic.

If an extension cord is used, make sure it also has either a polarized or grounded plug and that the cords can be securely connected.

Frayed cords, damaged plugs, and damaged or cracked wire insulation are hazardous and should be replaced by a qualified service technician.

Overloaded outlets and extension cords are fire hazards and should be avoided.

#### 4 DO NOT BLOCK VENTILATION HOLES

Ventilation openings in the cabinet release heat generated during operation. If they are blocked, heat build-up inside the unit can cause failures that may result in a fire hazard or heat damage to cassettes. For protection, follow these rules:

- Never cover ventilation slots or the unit while in use, or operate the unit when placed on a bed, sofa, rug, or other soft surface.
- Avoid built-in installation, such as a book case or rack, unless proper ventilation is provided.

#### 5 AVOID EXTREMELY HOT LOCATIONS OR SUDDEN TEMPERATURE CHANGES

Do not place the unit over or near any kind of heater or regulator, in direct sunlight, inside a closed vehicle, etc.. Do not move the unit suddenly between areas of extreme temperature variation. If the unit is suddenly moved from a cold place to a warm place, moisture may condense in the unit and on the tape.

#### 6 TO AVOID PERSONAL INJURY

- Do not place unsecured equipment on a sloping surface.
- Do not place this unit on any support that is not firm, level, and adequately strong. The unit could fall causing serious injury to a child or adult and damage to the unit.



- An appliance and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force, and uneven surfaces may cause the appliance and cart combination to overturn.
- Carefully follow all operating instructions and use the manufacturer's recommended accessories when operating this unit or connecting it to any other equipment.

OUTDOOR ANTENNA INSTALLATION SAFE ANTENNA AND CABLE CONNECTION If an outside antenna or cable system NEC - NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE is connected to the equipment, ANTERN be sure the antenna or cable system is arounded so as to provide some CROUND protection against built up static charges and voltage surges. Section 810 of the National ELECTRIC Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA 70 CING CONDUCTORS (in Canada, part 1 of the Canadian Electrical Code) provides information with respect to proper grounding of the mast and supporting structure, grounding of the lead-in wire to an antenna discharge unit.

size of grounding conductors, location of antenna discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes and requirements for the grounding electrode.

#### 2 KEEP ANTENNA CLEAR OF HIGH VOLTAGE POWER LINES OR CIRCUITS

An outside antenna system should be located well away from power lines, electric light or power circuits and where it will never come into contact with these power sources if it should happen to fall. When installing an outside antenna, extreme care should be taken to avoid touching power lines, circuits or other power sources as this could be fatal. Because of the hazards involved, antenna installation should be left to a professional.

#### **USING THE VIDEO UNIT**

If the unit has been in storage or moved to a new location, refer first to the INSTALLATION section of these safeguards.

- 1 KEEP THIS VIDEO UNIT AWAY FROM WATER OR MOISTURE OF ANY KIND.
- 2 IF EQUIPMENT IS EXPOSED TO RAIN, MOISTURE, OR STRONG IMPACT, unplug the unit and have it inspected by a qualified service technician before use.

#### **3 DURING AN ELECTRICAL STORM**

During a lightning storm, whether indoors or outdoors, or before leaving the unit unused for extended periods of time, disconnect all equipment from the power source as well as the antenna and cable system.

#### 4 WHEN THE UNIT IS PLUGGED IN

- Never expose the unit to rain or water. DO NOT OPERATE if liquid has been spilled into the unit. Immediately unplug the unit, and have it inspected by a service technician. Fire and shock hazards can result from electrical shorts caused by liquid contact inside.
- Never drop or push any object through openings in the unit. Some internal parts carry hazardous voltages and contact can cause electric shock or fire hazard.
- Avoid placing the unit directly above or below your TV set as this may cause electrical interference. Keep all magnets away from electronic equipment.

#### **5 USING ACCESSORIES**

Use only accessories recommended by the manufacturer to avoid risk of fire, shock, or other hazards.

#### **6 CLEANING THE UNIT**

Unplug the unit. Then, use a clean, dry, chemically untreated cloth to gently remove dust or debris. DO NOT USE cleaning fluids, aerosols, or forced air that could over-spray, or seep into the unit and cause electrical shock. Any substance such as wax, adhesive tape, etc. may mar the cabinet surface. Exposure to greasy, humid, or dusty areas may adversely affect internal parts.

#### SERVICE

#### 1 DO NOT SERVICE THIS PRODUCT YOURSELF

If, after carefully following the detailed operating instructions, this Video product does not operate properly, do not attempt to open or remove covers, or make any adjustments not described in the manual. Unplug the unit and contact a qualified service technician.

#### 2 IF REPLACEMENT PARTS ARE REQUIRED

Make sure the service technician uses only parts specified by the manufacturer, or those having the same safety characteristics as the original parts. The use of unauthorized substitutes may result in fire, electric shock, or other hazards.

#### 3 HAVE THE SERVICE TECHNICIAN PERFORM A SAFETY CHECK

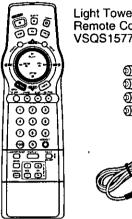
After any service or repairs to the unit, request the service technician to conduct a thorough safety check as described in the manufacture's service literature to insure that the video unit is in safe operating condition. . .

# **Unpacking Your VCR • Product Features**

# **Unpacking Your VCR**

The accessories below are provided to help you use or set up your VCR.

#### Accessories



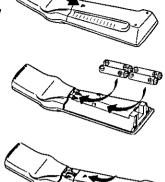
Light Tower™ Universal Remote Control VSQS1577



PF Coaxial Cable VJAS0196

### Loading the Batteries

- Press down on the IIImark and slide the Battery Compartment lid open.
- 2 Install four batteries as indicated inside the Battery Compartment.
- 3 Slide the Battery Compartment lid back into place.



#### Battery replacement caution

- · Do not mix old and new batteries.
- Do not mix alkaline with manganese batteries.

To order accessories, call toll free 1-800-211-PANA (7262).

# **Product Features**

All Channel Auto Set/ 181-CH TV/ CABLE Tuner	
Auto Clock Set	14 ~ 16
Auto Daylight Saving Time	
Auto Features for a Quality Picture	19
Auto Operation Functions (Auto Playback, Rewind, Tape Eject, Power off)	30
Auto Repeat Function	30
Cable Box Channel Control	13
Commercial Advance	24 ~26
Digital Auto Picture	19
Easy-to-Read English/ Spanish/ French On-Screen Displays	14 ~ 16, 22, 23
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Head Cleaner	5
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VHS Hi-Fi Stereo System	
VHS Index Search System (Direct Access Search, Program Index Search, Index Scan Search)	
Zero Search	



# **VCR and Cassette Information**

#### **Erase Protection (Record Tab)**

Cassettes have a record tab to ensure that recordings are not accidentally erased.

To prevent accidental erasure, break off the tab with a screwdriver.



To record again, cover the hole with <u>cellophane tape</u>.



#### Maximum Record/Playback Time

Only use tapes with the WHS mark in this unit.

Tape Speed	Type of Video Cassette		
Setting	T60	T120	T160
SP (Standard Play)	1 Hour	2 Hours	2 Hours 40 Minutes
LP (Long Play)	2 Hours	4 Hours	5 Hours 20 Minutes
SLP (Super Long Play)	3 Hours	6 Hours	8 Hours

#### **Build-in Head Cleaner**

A clean video head helps produce a clear picture. So, we have equipped your VCR with a built-in, non chemical head cleaning system that helps prevent clogging of the video heads. Cleaning is performed each time you load or unload a video cassette.

Note: This feature is preventative only. If your video heads are seriously clogged, consider the use of a chemical nonabrasive head cleaning kit or take your VCR to a Service Center.

#### **Head Cleaning**

Your VCR will not normally require head cleaning, however, the heads may become clogged when playing an old or damaged tape.

#### Video Heads Sensor System

If head cleaning becomes necessary, the VCR will display the screen shown to the right while playing back a Video Tape. To exit this screen, push PLAY on the remote control or VCR.

VIDEO HEADS.MAY NEED CLEANING PLEASE INSERT HEAD CLEANING CASSETTE OR REFER TO MANUAL END.PLAY KEY

- Use "dry" type head cleaning cassette\* only.
- Be sure to follow the cleaning tape instructions carefully.
- Excessive use of a cleaning cassette can shorten head life. If using a head cleaning cassette does not solve the problem, contact your nearest Factory Service Center or authorized Service Center. (See page 42.)
- \* Cleaning cassette part No. NV-TCL30PT is recommended.

#### **Reset all VCR Memory Functions**

Use when moving the VCR to a new location, or if a mistake was made in the One Time VCR Setup section. • Make sure a tape is not inserted in the VCR.

- 1) Turn VCR Power on.
- 2) Press and hold both PLAY and CHANNEL 
   on the VCR for more than 5 seconds.
   • The power will shut off.
- 3) Perform the One Time VCR Setup section on page 14.

#### D.S.T. (Daylight Saving Time)

Your VCR can be set to automatically adjust the clock for Daylight Saving Time. (Page 16.)

#### Spring (First Sunday in April)

When set to DST:ON, the VCR will automatically set the clock ahead one hour.

#### Autumn (Last Sunday in October)

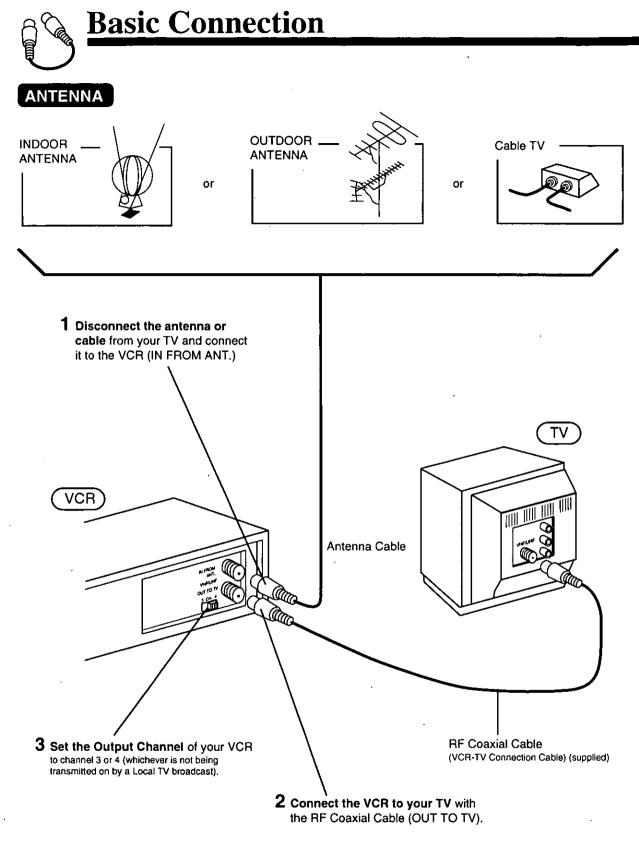
When set to DST:ON, the VCR will automatically set the clock back one hour.

- If your area does not observe Daylight Saving Time, select DST:OFF.
- Keep these time changes in mind when programming the VCR for timer recordings.

#### Specifications

Power Source: Power Consumption: Video Signal: Video Recording System:	120V AC, 60 Hz Approx. 23 watts (Power on) Approx. 3.7 watts (Power off) EIA Standard NTSC color 4 rotary heads helical scanning system
Audio Track:	1 track (Normal) 2 channel (Hi-Fi Audio Sound)
Tuner: Broadcast Channels: CABLE Channels:	VHF 2-13, UHF 14~69 Midband A through I (14-22) Superband J through W (23~36) Hyperband AA-EEE (37~64) Lowband A-5-A-1 (95~99) Special CABLE channel 5A (01)
Operating Temperature: Operating Humidity: Weight: Dimensions:	Ultraband 65-94, 100-125 41°F~104°F (5°C~40°C) 10%~75% 7.7 lbs. (3.5 kg) 16-15/16" (W) x 7-13/16" (H) x 11-13/16" (D) 430 (W) x 98 (H) x 300 (D) mm

Note: Designs and specifications are subject to change without notice.



#### WARNING<sup>1</sup>

When using "Nut type" RF coaxial cables, tighten with fingers only. Overtightening may damage terminals.

#### **Case 1: Screw & Plug Type Terminal Case 1: Twin Lead Cable Only** TV To VCR Terminal VHF **UHF/VHF** Band Separator (not supplied) (Flat) Twin Lead 300-75 ohm Transformer 300 Ohm Cable (not supplied) UHF **RF** Coaxial Cable **Case 2: Screw Type Terminal** Case 2: Twin Lead & Coaxial Cables τv 75-300 ohm Transformer VHF (not supplied) ог UHF UHF/VHF uuu) **Band Mixer** ത്തി (not supplied) (Round) 75 Ohm coaxial Cable To VCR Terminal Case 3: Double Screw Type Terminal т٧ VHF **UHF/VHF Band** Separator (not supplied) Case 3: Two Twin Lead Cables mmUHF UHF/VHF Band Mixer (not supplied) **Case 4: Complex TV Terminal** 300-75 ohm Transformer TERMINALS ON BACK OF TV SET (not supplied) To VCR Terminal TV Split out -· If your TV has both post and plug-type VHF terminals, the post connection is recommended to minimize signal loss. ANT1 3

**Between VCR and TV** 

Between Antenna and VCR

 Connect to one of the ANT terminals and select the same antenna number on the TV.

ANT2

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# **Other Connections**

#### **CABLE Connections**

All connections on these pages are made with 75 Ohm coaxial cables.

IN FROM

CABLE

Cable TV

IN FROM

A/B Switch

CABLE

Converter Box

VCR

IN FROM ANT.

OUT TO TV

IN FROM ANT

VCF

VHF/UHF

OUT TO TV

JN 

IN FROM ANT.

VHF/UHF

TV

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OUT TO TV

#### Without a Converter/Descrambler Box

You can:

- 1) Use your VCR Remote Control to select channels.
- Program one or more unscrambled channels for 2) unattended recording.

You cannot:

record or view scrambled channels with this connection.

#### With a (CABLE to VCR) Converter/Descrambler Box

#### You can:

- Record and view any channel including scrambled channels; channel selection must be made at the Cable TV Converter Box.
- 2) Program one channel for unattended recording.

#### You cannot:

- select channels from VCR or TV.
- watch one station while recording another.
- place channels in memory other than the Cable box output channel.

VHF/UHF

OUT

#### With a (VCR to TV) Converter/Descrambler Box

#### You can:

- 1) Use your VCR Remote Control to select channels.
- Program unattended recordings of more than 2) one unscrambled channel.

You cannot:

If you want to record and

view a combination of

unscrambled channels,

you will need additional

This connection requires two converter boxes, an

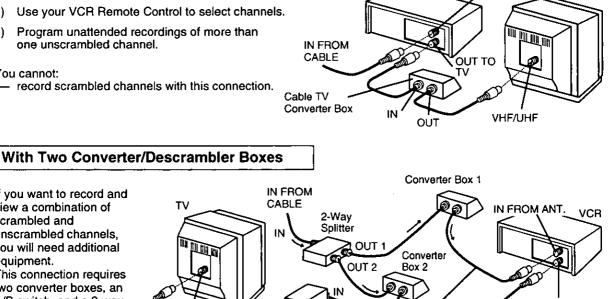
A/B switch, and a 2-way

splitter as shown here.

scrambled and

equipment.

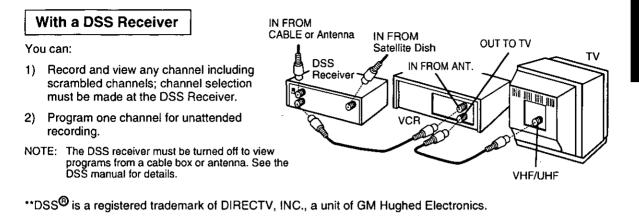
record scrambled channels with this connection.



75ohm <sup>•</sup>

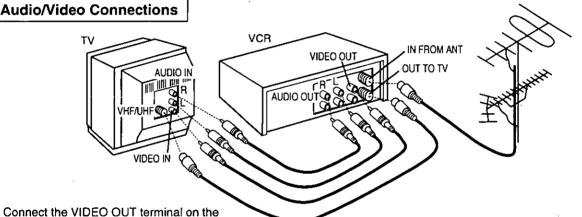
**Coaxial Cable** 

VCR



#### **Audio/Video Connections**

If your TV has AUDIO IN and VIDEO IN terminals, you can connect your VCR to them to receive a higher quality picture and sound. If your TV is not stereo, you can connect a stereo amplifier to the VCR to enjoy stereo sound.

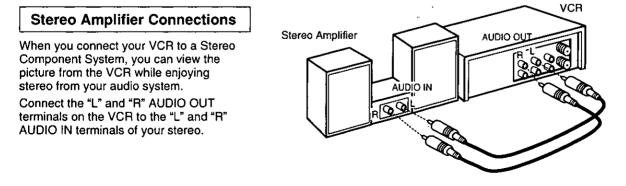


 Connect the VIDEO OUT terminal on the VCR to the VIDEO IN terminal of your TV.

2 Connect the "L" and "R" AUDIO OUT terminals on the VCR to the "L" and "R" AUDIO IN terminals of your TV.

3 Set the VIDEO/TV selector of your TV (Monitor/Receiver) to "VIDEO."

NOTE: To use your TV as a VCR monitor, set the VIDEO/TV selector on the TV (Monitor/Receiver) to "VIDEO." Use the L Audio In jack for proper sound reproduction when connecting to a monaural TV.

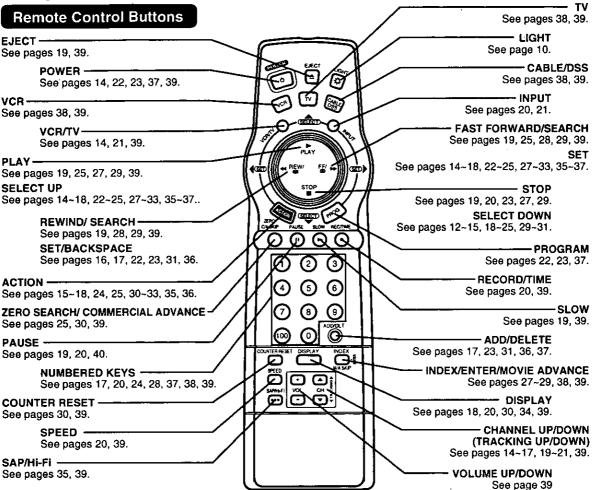


Note to CABLE system installer:

This reminder is provided to call the CABLE system installer's attention to Article 820-40 of the NEC in USA (and to the Canadian Electrical Code in Canada) that provides guidelines for proper grounding and, in particular, specifies that the cable ground shall be connected to the grounding system of the building, as close to the point of cable entry as practical.

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# **Location of Controls**

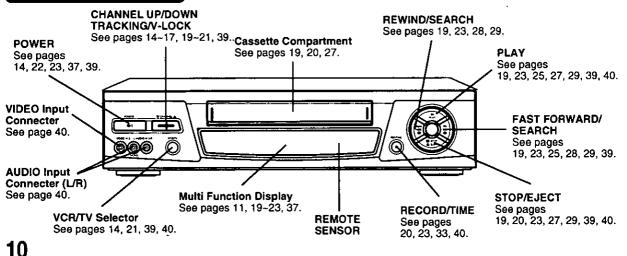


#### Light Tower Universal Remote Control

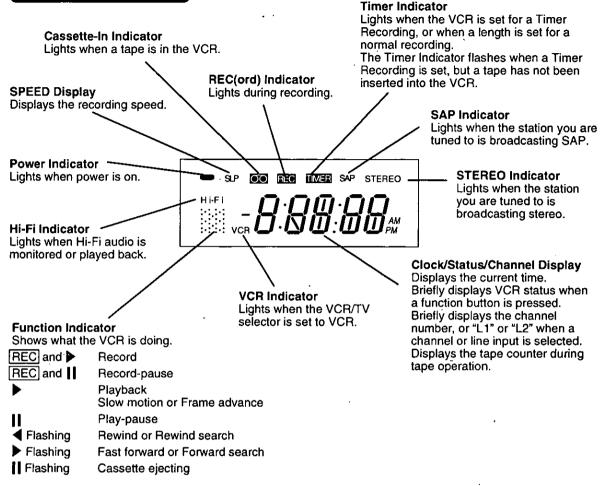
Light button: When the LIGHT button is pressed, the buttons which can be activated in the selected mode will light and the selected mode button (TV/VCR or CABLE DSS) will flash for 5 seconds. If no buttons are pressed within 5 seconds, the light will turn off in order to converse battery power. Also, while holding down the buttons, the selected mode button will flash so you will be able to see, in the dark, which mode has been selected. EJECT button: When EJECT is pressed, the tape is ejected from Cassette Compartment.

If EJECT is pressed during recording, the VCR will not respond to the command.

#### Front View of the VCR

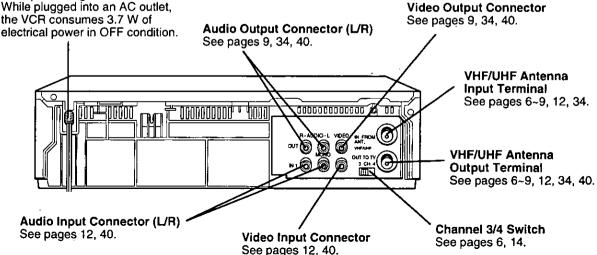


#### Multi Function Display



#### Rear View of the VCR

#### **AC Power Plug**





# <u>One Time VCR Setup</u>

# The setup on pages 14 through 16 is vital for proper VCR operation. Please read the instructions carefully and in the order presented.

NOTE: These first two pages contain reference material needed for setup on pages 14 ~16. Please look over the information before you begin setup procedure.

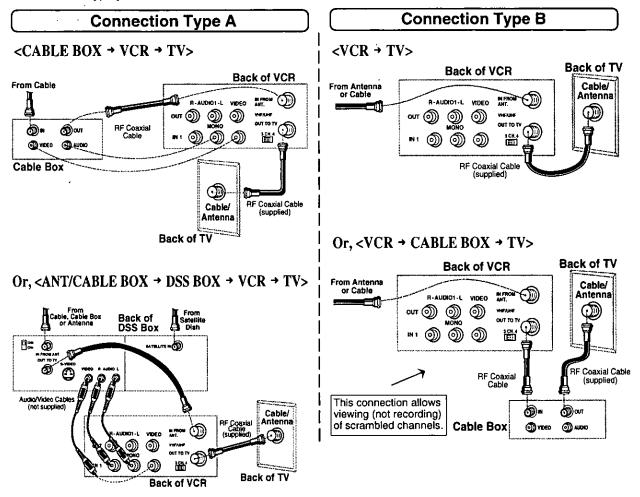
#### Setup Overview

You will be performing the following tasks:

- · Setting the language you want on-screen displays to appear in (English, Spanish, French).
- · Telling the VCR what kind of equipment you are using to receive channels and how it is connected.
- Entering pertinent cable box or DSS receiver information if used.
- . Entering a local PBS channel so that the VCR can receive auto clock set data. (Not available in all areas.)
- · Placing channels in memory and setting the clock.

#### Please Note Which Connection Type You are Using.

Make sure all equipment is hooked up as described on pages 6~9. The diagrams below illustrate some of the basic connection types. Confirm which type you used for later reference.



#### ONE TIME SETUP IMPORTANT NOTES:

· For detailed DSS receiver connection instruction, please see your DSS operating manual.

- The DSS receiver must be turned off to view programs from the cable box or antenna.
- · If you use a DSS receiver, it must be turned off for auto clock set.
- If your cable box is not remote controllable, it must be tuned to your PBS channel.
- If you use Audio/Video Jack connection between the VCR and cable box or DSS receiver, you must also
  connect the RF coaxial cable in order to use the auto clock set and channel auto set features.

#### Cable Box/ DSS Receiver Code Number List

If your cable box or DSS receiver is remote controllable, refer to this list during setup on page 14.

#### Cable Box

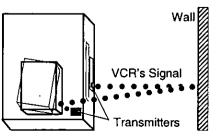
Brand	Code Numbers
Archer	<u>Code Numbers</u> 
Cabletenna	01, 44, 63
Cableview	04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63
Century	44, 51, 59, 75
Citizen	04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63
	08, 09, 53, 61
Diamond	01, 44, 63
	13, 20, 22, 26, 40, 58, 62
Eastern	
GC Brand	28 04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63
Gemini	
General Electric	01, 57
General Instruments	
01, 02, 03,	04, 34, 55, 83, 65, 67, 68
Hamlin 14,	15, 28, 41, 102, 103, 104
Jasco	
Jerrold 01, 02, 03,	04, 34, 55, 83, 65, 67, 68
Macom	
Magnavox	
Matsushita	16, 17
	32, 39, 42, 44
	32, 38, 40
	32, 38, 40
Oak	11, 46, 101
Oak Sigma	11, 46, 101
Panasonic	16, 17
Philips	07, 13, 20, 23, 24, 50
Pioneer	05, 06
Pulsar	04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63
Quest	05, 06
	N 44, 51, 59, 75
Realistic	44, 51, 59, 75

	<u> </u>
Brand	Code Numbers
Regal 14, 15, 28, 4	1, 102, 103, 104
Regency	
Regency 01, 29, 32	2, 39, 42, 44, 63
Samsung 0!	5, 06, 32, 40, 42
Scientific Atlantic	. 08. 09. 61. 53
Sheritech	27
Signal	26
Signal	2 43 44 52 63
Spucer	16 17
Standard	32 39 42 44
Spucer	1 42 44 52 63
Svlvania	10
Sylvania Telecaption	
Teknika	
Teleview	
Texscan	1 33 34 42 66
Toshiba	1, 00, 04, 42, 00
Toshiba Unika	01 44 63
Universal 42	
Viewstar 13, 20, 22	2, 43, 44, 52, 03
Viewstai	
Vidtek	
Videoway	
Zenith	
Zenitri	
DSS (Digital Satellite Systematics)	am Rocaivar)
Hitachi	93
Hughes	
Magnavox 1/ Uniden 1	
Magnavox 2/ Uniden 2	
Panasonic	
RCA	
Sony	
Toshiba	92

Note: During setup you will be instructed to enter your brand code number. As some brands have multiple codes, it may be necessary to try different codes to attain the proper results. These codes are for Cable box or DSS Box setup for Auto Clock and VCR Plus+ recording only. For TV/Cable Box Multi-Brand Control operation, please see page 38.

#### Positioning Your Cable Box or DSS Receiver

If your cable box or DSS receiver is remote controllable, place it on or near the VCR as shown in the example below. The VCR transmits an infrared signal from two locations. Be sure not to cover the transmitter windows.



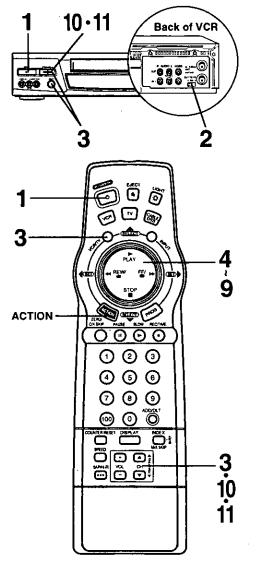


# <u> One Time VCR Setup</u>

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

When the VCR is turned on for the first time, it automatically enters the setup mode. Setup includes the following:

- Choose the language for on-screen menus and messages.
- Tell the VCR how your equipment is hooked up (pages 6-9) so the VCR can correctly place channels into memory.
- Get the VCR ready for clock set.



#### Using $\blacksquare \blacksquare \blacksquare \blacksquare$ keys

When a menu screen is displayed, the PLAY, STOP, REWIND, and FF buttons on the remote control function as **AVI** only. Use the buttons on the VCR for play, stop, rewind, and fast forward functions. When a program screen is displayed, the REC, FF, REW, and PLAY buttons on the remote control and the VCR function as **AVI** only. (See Timer Recording Using VCR Buttons on page 23.)

# To Set the Language, Cable/DSS Receiver, Channels and Auto Clock

 ${f 1}\,$  Turn the TV and VCR on.\*

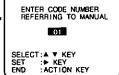
2 Tune your TV to the VCR output channel (the same one you set on the back of the VCR: CH3 or CH4).

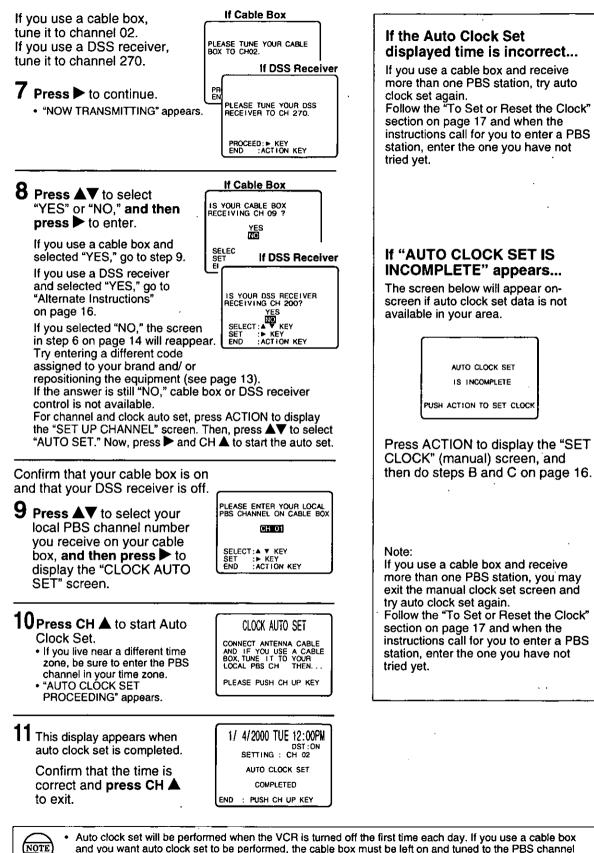
• If you used audio/video jack connection, tune the TV to its video input.

**3** Press CH  $\blacktriangle$  for English on-screen displays. SELECT LANGUAGE PUSH VCR CH A: ENGLISH Or, press CH V for Spanish OPRIMIR VCR CH V: ESPAÑOL on-screen displays. APP. VCR/TV : FRANCALS Or, press VCR/TV for French on-screen displays. You can also set the language using the buttons on the VCR. • If the wrong language is set, see the "Reset all VCR Memory Functions" section on page 5. · The VCR should be connected to an antenna or cable box (page 6~9). **4** Press  $\blacktriangle \nabla$  to select your hookup, SELECT HOOKUP GABLE/DSS BOX-VCR-TV VCR-CABLE/DSS BOX-TV VCR-TV and then press b to set. If you selected "CABLE/DSS BOX ►VCR. TV," continue with step 5. If not, go to SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET :► KEY END :ACTION KEY "Alternate Instructions on page 16. If you are using the CABLE/DSS BOXD VCR TV connection method, only the cable box output channel will be placed in memory. 5 Press ▲▼ to select your cable SELECT HOOKUP CABLE/DSS BOXEVCRETV box or DSS receiver output channel number, and then CABLE/DSS BOX OUTPUT CH press b to enter. SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET : ◄ ► KEY END : ACTION KEY · If necessary, refer to your cable box manual. · If both a cable box and DSS receiver are used, set the output channel of the DSS receiver. If you are using Audio/Video jack connections to your cable box, select and set "VIDEO OUT" as the output channel. 6 Press ▲▼ to select your cable ENTER CODE NUMBER REFERRING TO MANUAL box or DSS receiver code number, and then press b to enter.

(Refer to the list on page 13.)

- If your cable box or DSS receiver doesn't have a remote control, select "NO REMOTE." Then, go to Alternate Instructions on page 16.
- This determines whether the VCR will control your cable box or DSS receiver.





Auto clock set will be performed when the VCR is turned off the first time each day. If you use a cable box and you want auto clock set to be performed, the cable box must be left on and tuned to the PBS channel before the VCR power is turned off.

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# **One Time VCR Setup**

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

CHANNEL/CLOCK AUTO SET

CONNECT ANTENNA CABLE . AND IF YOU USE A CABLE BOX, TUNE IT TO YOUR LOCAL PBS CH THEN...

PLEASE PUSH CH UP KEY

1/ 4/2000 TUE 12:00PM

COMPLETED

: PUSH CH UP KEY

AUTO CLOCK SET

IS INCOMPLETE

PUSH ACTION TO SET CLOCK

++/-- SET CLOCK -----

SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET :► KEY END :ACTION KEY

DST:ON

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SELECT MONTH

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END

DST:ON SETTING : CH 02 AUTO CLOCK SET

### Alternate Instructions

Complete the following steps if, any of the following applies:

- You selected connection type 2 (VCR▶CABLE/ DSS
- BOX TV or VCR TV) in step 4 on page 14.
  You selected "NO REMOTE" in step 6 on page 14 (your cable box or DSS receiver is not remote controllable).
- You use a DSS receiver and selected "YES" in step 8 on page 15.

# Turn on the cable box and set it to the local PBS channel.

- If you live near a different time zone, make sure to set the channel in your time zone.
- If you use a DSS receiver, it must be turned off.

### 2 Press CH ▲\* to start Channel Auto Set and Auto Clock Set. • The following messages appear.

"CH AUTO SET PROCEEDING" "AUTO CLOCK SET PROCEEDING"

This screen appears to confirm that auto clock set is completed.

# 3 Confirm that the time is correct and **press CH** ▲ to exit.

If this screen appears, auto clock set is not available in your area. Please set the clock manually as described below.

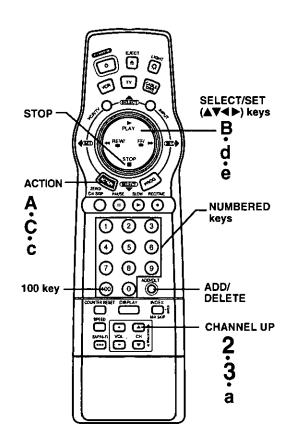
- A Press ACTION to display the SET CLOCK screen.
- B Press ▲▼ and ◀► to select and set the month, date, year, time, and DST. (Daylight Saving Time).

#### To Make Corrections,

repeatedly press **I** to move the cursor to the incorrect entry and make the correction.

C Press ACTION twice to <u>start</u> <u>the clock</u> and exit this mode.





# If the displayed time and DST. are not correct...

If you happen to live close to two time zones, the VCR may have recognized the PBS channel (setting channel) in the wrong time zone. Please do the following to correct the situation.

- a Make a note of the SETTING:CH number shown on screen and press CH ▲ to exit.
- **b** Delete the setting channel from the VCR channel memory. (See the "To Add or Delete a Channel" section on page 17.)
- c Press ACTION to display the menu.
- d Press ▲▼ to select "SET CLOCK," and then press ► to display the "SET CLOCK" screen.
- e Press ▲▼ and ► to select and set "AUTO CLOCK SET."
- f Follow the One Time VCR Setup instructions on pages 14~16.
  - If you use a cable box and have multiple PBS stations, tune the cable box to a different PBS station and try auto clock set using the menu.

#### To Change On-Screen Display Language

- 1 Press ACTION to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select the language. English: LANGUAGE Spanish: IDIOMA French: LANGUE



3 Press > repeatedly to change the language.

4 Press ACTION to exit this mode.

#### To Add or Delete a Channel

1 Select a channel using the NUMBERED keys to add or CH  $\blacktriangle$ /  $\bigtriangledown$  to delete.



----- MENU -----

SET UP FEATURE SET UP FEATURE SET UP CHANNEL 3D10MA/LANGUE:ENGLISH

----- SET CLOCK -----

AUTO CLOCK SET

ACTION KEY

1/ 4/2000 TUE 12:00PM

SET UP VCR SET UP FEAT

SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET :► KEY

END

SELECT HOUR SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET :◀ ► KEY END :ACTION KEY

- 2 Press ADD/DLT to add or delete the channel. To select a channel
  - once it's deleted, use the NUMBERED keys on the remote control.

#### To Set or Reset the Clock

In case the clock is wrong, or a power failure occurred.

- 1 Press ACTION to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select "SET CLOCK," and then press to display the "SET CLOCK" screen
- 3 Press ▲▼ to select "MANUAL," and then press b to display the SET CLOCK screen.
- 4 Press  $\blacktriangle \forall$  and  $\blacktriangleleft \triangleright$  to select and set the date, time and DST. (Daylight Saving Time).
- 5 Press ACTION twice to start the clock and exit this mode.
- For Auto Clock Set, select "AUTO CLOCK SET," and then follow the One Time VCR Setup instructions on pages 14~16.

#### To Replace Channels in Memory

In case you have cable installed, etc.

- 1 Press ACTION to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select "SET UP CHANNEL," and then press b to display the "SET UP CHANNEL" screen.
- 3 Press ▲▼ to select "ANTENNA," and then press b to set your antenna system (TV or CABLE).
- 4 Press ▲▼ to select "AUTO" SET," and then press to display the "CHANNEL/ CLOCK AUTO SET" screen.
- 5 Follow the One Time VCR Setup instructions on page 14~16.
  - Clock Auto Set will be performed when channels are replaced in memory. To cancel, press STOP when "AUTO CLOCK SET PROCEEDING" appears on-screen.

--- MENU ------SET UP VCR SET UP FEATURE SET CLOCK SET UP CHANNE IDIOMALANGUE: ENGLISH SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY ENO : ACTION KEY

---- SET UP CHANNEL ----ANTIENNA : CABLE AUTO SET AUTO SET CHANNEL CAPTION CABLE/DSS BOX SET UP VCR PNS+ CH-SET UP SELECT:▲▼ KEY SET :● KEY END :ACTION KEY

### CHANNEL/CLOCK AUTO SET CONNECT ANTENNA CABLE AND IF YOU USE A CABLE BOX, TUNE IT TO YOUR LOCAL PBS CH THEN...

PLEASE PUSH CH UP KEY

#### To Setup the VCR in Case a Cable Box or DSS Receiver was Installed or Replaced

- 1 Press ACTION to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select "SET UP CHANNEL," and then press b to display the "SET UP CHANNEL" screen.
- 3 Press ▲▼ to select "CABLE/ DSS BOX SET UP," and then press be to display the "SELECT HOOKUP" screen.
  - · To exit this mode, press ACTION three times.
- 4 Press  $\blacktriangle \nabla$  and  $\triangleright$  to select and set "CABLE/DSS BOX ► VCR ► TV," and then continue with steps 5~8 on pages 14, 15.



---- SET UP CHANNEL ----ANTENNA ; CABLE AUTO SET CHANNEL CAPTION GABLEYOSS BOX SET UP VCR Plus+ CH SET UP SELECT:A V KEY SET :=> KEY END :ACTION KEY

SELECT HOOKUP CABLE/DSS BOX-VCR-TV VCR-CABLE/DSS BOX-TV VCR-TV VCRETV SELECT: ▲ ▼ KEY SET : ► KEY END : ACTION KEY

If these steps are completed, the "SET UP CHANNEL" screen will appear.

#### When Using the 100 key

When selecting CABLE channels 100 to 125 with the NUMBERED keys, first press the 100 key and then enter the remaining two digits. For example, to select channel 125: Press NUMBERED keys 100, then 2, then 5.

- NOTES
- This VCR will accurately maintain its calendar up to Dec. 31, 2096, 11:59PM. Normal TV or Cable channels are automatically selected and placed in memory depending on how your VCR
- is hooked up. If you change your Cable Box or DSS Receiver, please perform the "To Set or Auto Clock Set" section above.

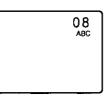
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# **On-Screen Displays (OSD)**

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

#### **Function & Channel Display**

When a function button is pressed, e.g. PLAY, or you change channels, a 4 second display appears first in large and then small characters. (Some Station names may also appear if Channel Caption is set. See page 31.)



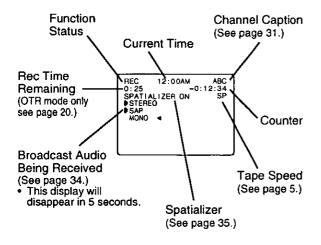
---- MENU -----

#### Menu Screen

- **1 Press ACTION\*** to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲♥ and ► to make your selection.
  - To get the most from each feature, please read the Operating Manual before attempting any operation.

#### VCR Status & Clock Display

**Press DISPLAY** to display or remove the overlay shown below.



#### Blank Tape/ No Video Signal Indication

Whenever a blank section of a tape comes up in Play mode, or when the selected channel has no broadcast signal with the Blue Back ON/OFF Feature (page 32) set to ON, the TV screen will turn solid blue.

#### Warning and Instruction Displays

These displays will alert you of a missed operation or provide further instructions.

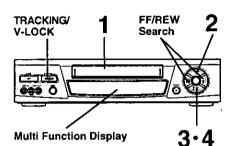
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If no active channels are found for CHANNEL MEMORY (See page 16.)	NO CH FOUND PLEASE CHECK ANTENNA CABLE CONNECTION THEN PUSH VCR CH UP KEY AGAIN
If you attempt to set or review a Timer Recording and the Clock is not set (See page 22.)	PLEASE SET CLOCK BEFORE PROGRAMMING
After a Timer Program has been set (See page 22.)	TURN VCR OFF FOR TIMER RECORDING AND LEAVE CABLE BOX POWER ON
If you press REC on the remote control or VCR, and a cassette is inserted with no record tab (See page 20.)	CHECK CASSETTE RECORD TAB
If you press PLAY, FF, REW, or REC on the remote control or VCR without a cassette inserted (See pages 19, 20.)	NO CASSETTE PLEASE INSERT A CASSETTE
If you press POWER or STOP during a Timer Recording (visible in VCR mode only) (See page 23.)	TO CANCEL TIMER REC PUSH POWER THEN STOP KEY
If head cleaning becomes necessary while playing back a tape (See page 5.)	VIDEO HEADS MAY NEED CLEANING PLEASE INSERT HEAD CLEANING CASSETTE OR REFER TO MANUAL END: PLAY KEY
If you press a function button other than STOP/EJECT or POWER on the VCR, or STOP or EJECT or POWER on the remote control while the VCR is in VCR Lock mode (See page 33.)	VCR LOCK ACTIVATED
If you press POWER, ACTION or PROG on the remote while in TV or CABLE/DSS mode (See pages 38, 39.)	NOW TV/CABLE/DSS MODE PLEASE PUSH VCR KEY ON REMOTE

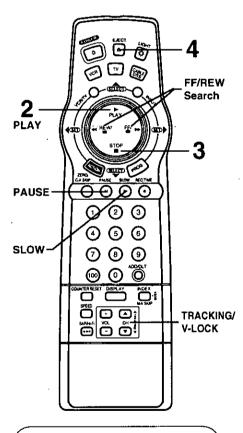


# **Playback a Tape**

Check list before you begin.

- All connections are made.
- (See pages 6~9.)
- TV and VCR are plugged in.
- TV is turned on and set to the VCR channel (CH 3 or 4).





#### Caution:

Please inspect your cassette tapes and remove any loose or peeling labels to prevent them from becoming jammed in your unit.



#### 1 Insert a cassette.

VCR power comes on automatically.



Press PLAY on the remote or VCR to <u>start playback</u>.
Playback begins automatically if cassette has no record tab.

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# Press STOP on the remote or VCR to <u>stop playback.</u> To rewind the tape, press REW.

# 4 Press EJECT on the remote or VCR to eject the cassette.

• You may eject a cassette with power on or off.

#### To Find a Particular Scene During Playback

#### Press REW or FF during playback to search for a scene.

- Search speed for SP mode tapes is 7 times and SLP mode tapes is 21 times the normal speed.
- · Some noise bars will appear during search.

#### Special Effects During Playback

These features work best in SP or SLP mode. The sound will be muted.

#### Slow Motion Playback

Press SLOW to start slow motion playback during playback. Press PLAY or SLOW to release.

#### Still (Freeze) Frame Picture

- Press PAUSE to freeze and release the picture.
- To reduce picture noise, first press SLOW. Then, use CH (TRACKING) ▲/♥ to clear up the picture. Now, press PAUSE.

#### Frame by Frame Advance

In Still mode, hold down SLOW to advance the still picture one frame at a time. Press PAUSE to release.

#### Features for a Quality Picture

#### **Digital Auto Picture**

This feature automatically controls the video output signal for less noise depending on the tape condition.

#### **Digital Auto Tracking**

This feature continuously analyzes the signal and adjusts for optimum picture quality.

#### Manual Tracking Control (to reduce picture noise)

Use during Playback and Slow Motion mode to reduce picture noise. Press CH (TRACKING)  $\blacktriangle \nabla$  during playback until the picture clears up. To return to Auto Tracking mode, press POWER off and then on again.

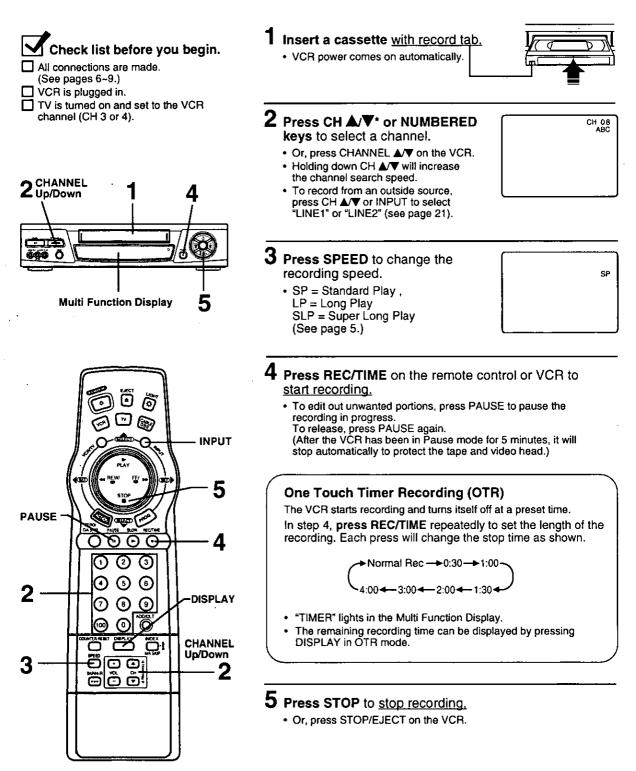
#### V-Lock Control (to reduce picture jitter)

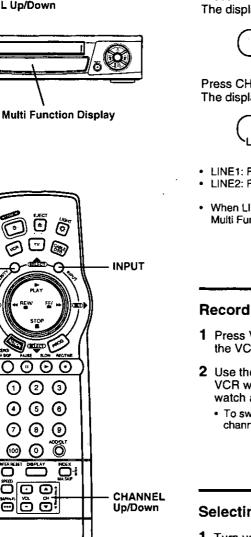
In Still mode, CH (TRACKING) A/V operate as a V-Lock control. Press A/V until the picture is stabilized.



 After the VCR is in Still or Slow mode for 3 minutes, it will switch to the Stop mode automatically to protect the tape and the video head. <u>Record On a Tape</u>

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.





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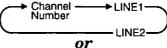
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VCR/TV

#### Selecting the Input Mode

Press INPUT.

The display will change in the order below.



#### Press CH A/V.

The display will change in the order below.

$$(CABLE) (TV)$$

$$(LINE2 \leftarrow LINE1 \leftarrow 125 \text{ or } 69 \leftarrow 125 \text{$$

- LINE1: For rear audio/video connection.
- LINE2: For front audio/video connection.
- · When LINE is selected, "L1" or "L2" is displayed in the Multi Function Display for about 4 seconds.

#### **Record One Program While Watching Another**

- 1 Press VCR/TV while recording is in progress to turn off the VCR indicator in the Multi Function Display.
- 2 Use the TV channel controls to select a program. The VCR will continue to record your program while you watch any channel you choose.
  - To switch back and forth between the recording and viewing channel, press VCR/TV.

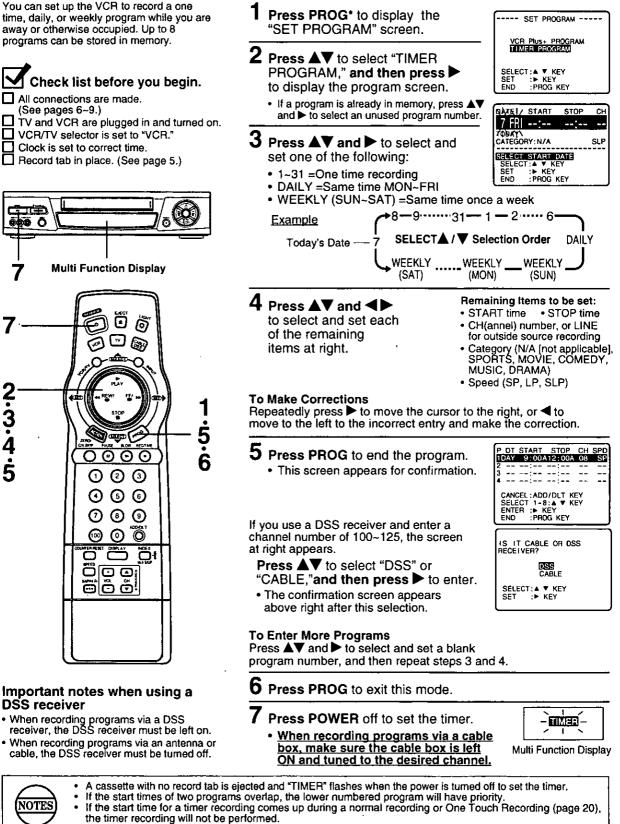
#### Selecting Channels at the VCR

- Turn your TV and VCR on.
  - · VCR Indicator lights on the Multi Function Display. If indicator doesn't light, press VCR/TV to turn it on.
- **2** Use CH  $\blacktriangle$  on the remote control or VCR to select channels.
  - To switch back to TV channel selection, press VCR/TV to turn VCR indicator off, or simply turn the VCR power off.



# **Timer Recording**

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.



If there is a power interruption of more than one minute, the recording will not be performed or continue.

#### Cancel a Timer Recording: (Recording is in progress)

Press POWER and then STOP within 10 seconds to cancel the timer recording.

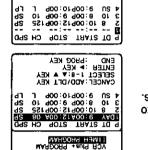
The TIMER indicator goes out in the Multi Function Display.

#### Replace Program Contents: (Recording is not in progress)

- Press PROG to display the "SET PROGRAM" screen.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select "TIMER PROGRAM," and then press ► to display all currently set programs.
- 3 Press ▲▼ and ► to select and set a program number. (See page 22.)
- Press AV and A to select and set replacement timer information.
- 5 Press PROG twice to exit this mode.

#### Review or Clear Program Contents: (Recording is not in progress)

- T Press PROG to display the "SET PROGRAM" screen.
- Z Press ▲▼ to select "TIMER PROGRAM," and then press ▶ to display all currently set programs.
- 3 Press ▲▼ to select a program number.
- Press ADD/DLT if you want to clear the program.
- 5 Press PROG to exit this mode.



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--- SET PROGRAM ----

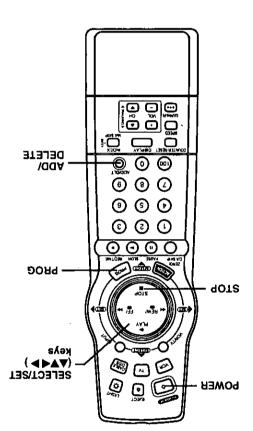
 END : LHOG KEA ENLEB :► KEA SELECT 1 - 8: ▲ ▼ KEA

# Timer Recording Using VCR Buttons

(Make sure a cassette tape is not inserted in the VCR.)

- 1 Hold down STOP/EJECT and press REW to enter the Program mode.
- 2 Press FF or REC/TIME repeatedly or hold down to make selections.
- 3 Press PLAY to set the item and move on.

   To make corrections, repeatedly press PLAY to move the cursor to the right,
   To make the corrections, repeatedly press PLAY to move the cursor to the right.
- Press STOP/EJECT and REW together to display program contents after all items have been entered.
- You cannot clear programs with the VCR buttons.
- **5** Hold down STOP/EJECT and press REW, (release REW first, and then release STOP/EJECT) to exit this mode.
- 6 Insert a cassette with record tab and press POWER off to set the timer.

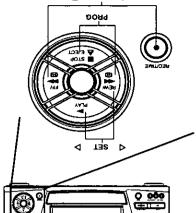


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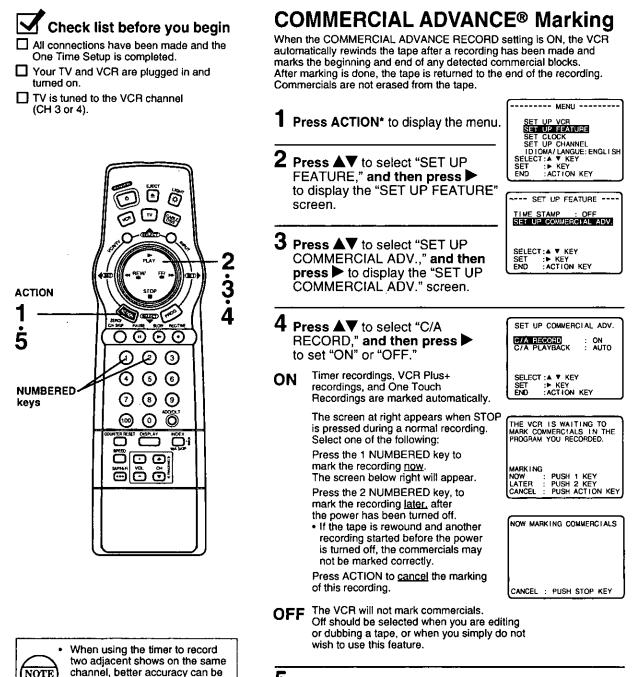


**Fape Operation** 

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

# **COMMERCIAL ADVANCE®**

COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® detects and marks the beginning and end points of commercials on your tape for recordings over 15 minutes in length. When the COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® marked tape is played back, the VCR automatically advances through the commercial segments at high speed. You can also set this feature to Manual so as to have more control over the advance process. The effectiveness of this system can vary due to differences in the way television stations broadcast. See page 26 for answers to the most commonly asked questions about this feature.



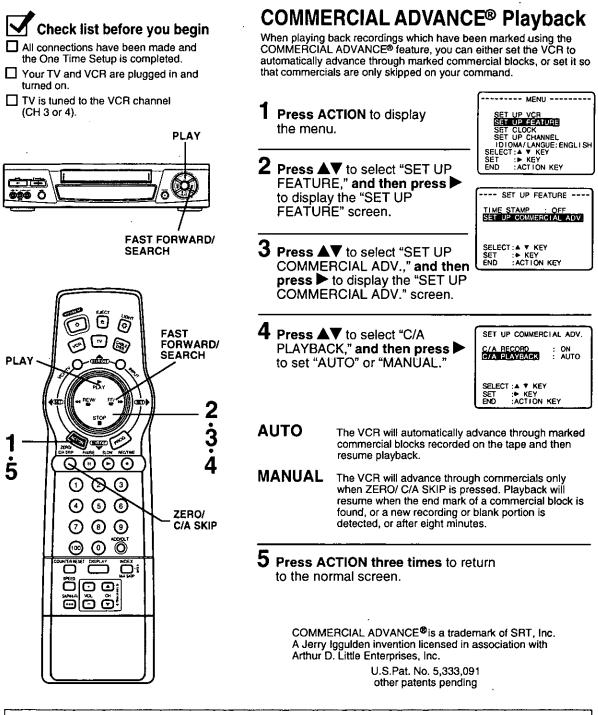
Press ACTION three times to return to the normal screen.

obtained by programming each

show separately.

# **COMMERCIAL ADVANCE®**

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• The selection made in step 4 remains set unless there is a power outage in which case the original factory setting will be restored.

A commercial may not be skipped if playback is started in the middle of a commercial, only a single isolated commercial is shown, or an individual commercial is longer than one minute. Press FAST FORWARD/ SEARCH to quickly advance through the commercial.

Part of a recorded program may be skipped over if the program portion between commercials is less than one minute, or there are frequent dark and quiet scenes. Rewind the tape to the beginning of the skipped portion and press PLAY.

The most commonly asked questions about COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® are answered below.

Question	Answer
How fast does the VCR advance through commercials?	The VCR advances through a 3-minute commercial block in about 8 to 12 seconds if the tape speed is SLP. In SP, it takes about 25 to 35 seconds.
Are commercials advanced through only when I playback a recording?	Yes. The commercials are not marked until after the recording is finished.
Are commercials still recorded on the tape in case I choose to view them sometime?	Yes. By setting the C/A PLAYBACK to MANUAL, see page 25, you can view or advance through commercials as desired.
Does COMMERCIAL ADVANCE®work in all recording speeds?	Yes. COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® works in SP, LP, and SLP.
Does the VCR advance through commercials each time I playback tapes which were recorded using COMMERCIAL ADVANCE®?	Yes. As long as C/A PLAYBACK is set to AUTO, see page 25, the VCR should advance through commercials each time the tape is played back.
After marking commercials, does the VCR stop at the end of the tape, or rewind to the beginning?	The tape stops at the end of the recording so that any additional timer recordings can be performed.
Can I play my COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® recordings in non-COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® VCRs?	Yes. COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® marked recordings will play in non-COMMERCIAL ADVANCE® VCRs, but commercials will not be advanced through.
Does the marking process interfere with other programmed recordings?	No. If the interval between 2 or more timer programs is not sufficient to mark the recording, marking will be done after all recordings are complete and the power goes off.
What happens if I cancel the marking in progress so I can use the VCR?	Marking will be resumed when the VCR's power is turned off as long as the tape has not been ejected.
What if part of my program is advanced through along with the commercials?	Rewind the tape to where the program should have started, and press PLAY to view the program.
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Additional Notes:

• Because of the various ways in which commercials are broadcast, the VCR may not be able to recognize all commercials.

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• If a timer recording is scheduled for the middle of the night, please be aware that the VCR will make some noise as it rewinds and fast forwards the tape while marking commercials.

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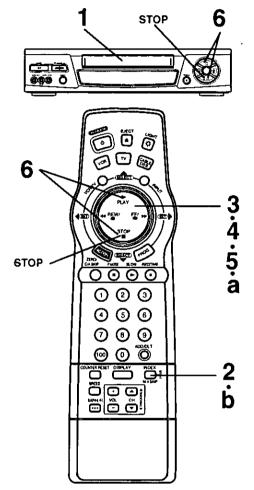
U.S.Pat. No. 5,333,091 other patents pending \*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.



#### Check list before you begin

All connections have been made and the One Time Setup is completed.

- Vour TV and VCR are plugged in and turned on.
- TV is tuned to the VCR channel (CH 3 or 4).



#### **To Search for Preview**

a In step 4 at right, select "GO TO PREVIEW," and then press ▶ to start the preview searching.
 If you want to playback, press PLAY.

When a preview is detected, the VCR will start playback...

### D Press INDEX/ M/A SKIP to start

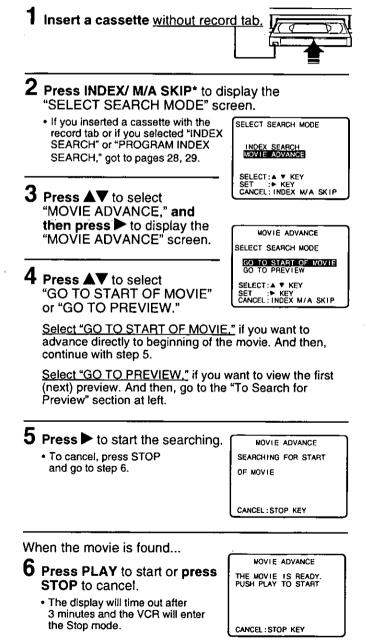
the next preview searching: • To cancel, press STOP.

# **MOVIE ADVANCE**

MOVIE ADVANCE helps you locate certain parts of prerecorded movies (rented or purchased).

- The feature works in two ways:
- you can go to the beginning of the movie.
- you can skip from one preview to the next.

MOVIE ADVANCE works only on cassette recorded in the SP speed with the record tab removed.



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# Tape Operation (continued)

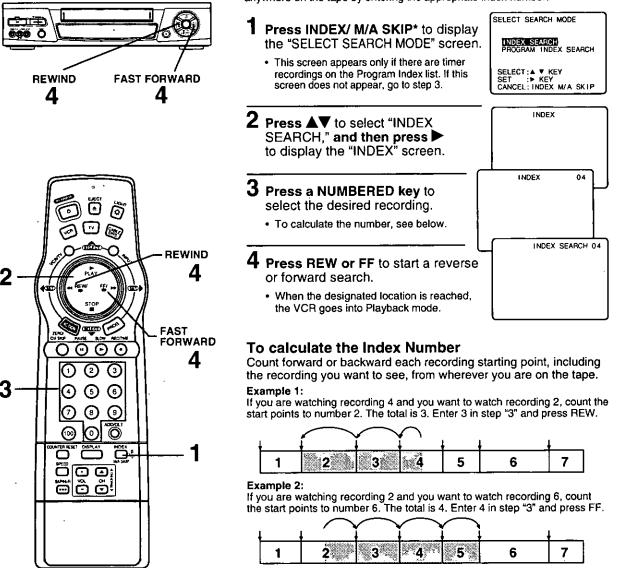
\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

# VHS Index Search System

Each time you start a recording, an invisible index mark is placed on the tape. When timer recordings are made, program index and program information (see "Time Stamp Feature" on page 32) are also included. You can then use these index marks to access or scan your recordings.

#### **Direct Access** (For normal and/or timer recordings)

This feature allows you to go directly to the recording you want from anywhere on the tape by entering the appropriate index number.



NOTE: Vindicates start points of each recording.

- Make each entry within 10 seconds, or the Index Search mode will be canceled.
- Index marks will be placed for Timer recordings as well.
- If any of the VHS Index Search System are initiated extremely close to an index mark, the index mark may not be counted in the search.
- In the Program Index Search mode, this VCR can memorize a total of 8 programs in order of recording.
   If you memorize more than 8 programs, the first program will be deleted and the new program will be listed.

NOTE

Important for Program Index Search: Timer recordings must be recorded back to back in order for them to be placed on the Program Index list. If a timer recording is followed by a function, such as REW or PLAY, the data is lost.

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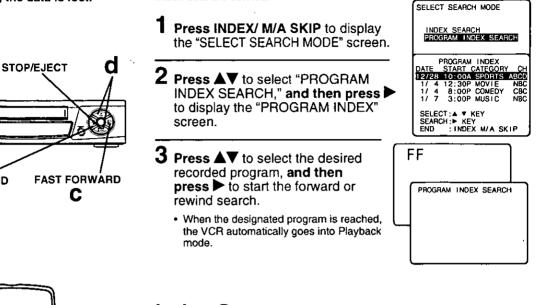
REWIND

FAST

# **Program Index Search**

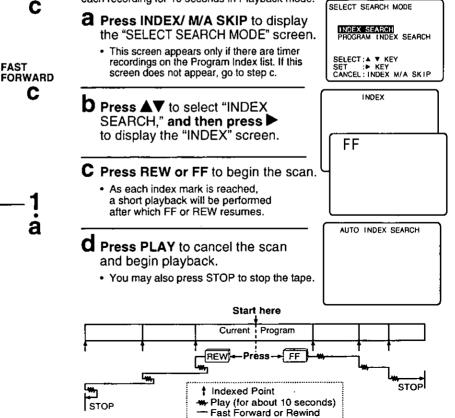
#### (For timer recordings only)

This feature allows you to choose a timer recorded program from a Program Index list and then start a search for that program. Once the tape is ejected or normal recording is started, all program Index data are deleted.



#### **Index Scan** (For normal and/or timer recordings)

This feature allows you to scan (forward or reverse) each recording for 10 seconds in Playback mode.



\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

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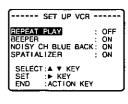
**Repeat Play** 

The VCR will play your recording over and over.

Your VCR is equipped with several time saving features as well as convenient automatic functions making tape operation easier than ever.

- **7** Press ACTION\* to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select "SET UP VCR," and then press ► to display the "SET UP VCR" screen.
  - 3 Press ▲▼ to select "REPEAT PLAY," and then press ► to select "ON" or "OFF."
    - When "ON" is selected, the VCR plays the tape to its end or until a blank portion of over 30 seconds is detected (erased portions are not considered blank). The tape is then rewound and played again and again until Repeat Play is turned off.

4 Press ACTION twice to return to the



MENU

SET UP VGH SET UP FEATURE SET UP FEATURE SET UP CHANNEL ID IOMA/LANGUE:ENGLISH SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY END : ACTION KEY

#### **Auto Operation Functions**

#### Auto Playback

When a tape is inserted, the power turns on (Auto). If the record tab\* is removed, playback begins (Auto).

#### **Auto Rewind**

When a tape reaches its end during playback, fast forward or manual record, the VCR will rewind and go into Stop mode.

#### Playback Auto Eject

(Repeat Play is "OFF.") When a tape without a record tab\* is played to its end, the VCR will rewind and then eject the tape.

#### **Memory Rewind Off**

When the POWER button is pressed during rewind, the VCR will turn off after rewind is complete.

\* For record tab information, see page 5.

### Zero Search

normal screen.

To quickly return to a specific tape location.

a Press DISPLAY to display the Time Counter overlay during playback.

"0:00:00" at the desired position.

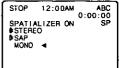
STOP 12:00AM ABC 0:00:30 SPATIALIZER ON SP INTERO INTERO

# C Continue playback, rewind, or fast forward.

to reset the Time Counter to

D Press COUNTER RESET

- **C** Press ZERO/ C/A SKIP in Stop mode when you want to return to "0:00:00."
  - The VCR will go into FF or REW mode and stop at the last point the Time Counter was set to 0:00:00.

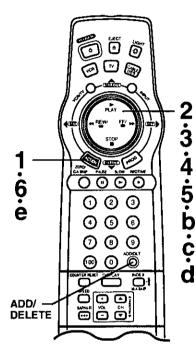


**Special VCR Features** 

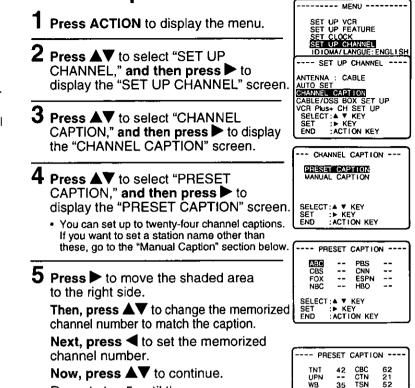
### **Channel Caption**

You can set channel names. i.e. ABC, CBS, so that when selected. the channel name and number appear on-screen for easy identification. You can go with preset names (up to 24), or manually create your own (up to 10).

Note: You will need a list of channels received in your area and the channel numbers you receive them on.



### **Preset Caption**



To Make Corrections

Repeat step 5 until the

Caption List is complete.

Press  $\mathbf{AV}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  to select the memorized channel number. Then, press ▲▼ to change, or ADD/DLT to delete the channel number.

6 Press ACTION four times to exit this mode and return to the normal screen.

### Manual Caption

**a** Follow steps 1~3 in the above section.

-- CHANNEL CAPTION ---

PRESET CAPTION MANUAL CAPTION

SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET :► KEY END :ACTION KEY

CH NUMBER

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SET

SELECT: A ¥ KEY

--- MANUAL CAPTION ---

:► KEY ACTION KEY

CAPTION

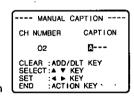
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D In step 4, press ▲▼ to select "MANUAL CAPTION," and then press b to display the "MANUAL CAPTION" screen.

C Press ▲▼ to select "CH NUMBER," and then press > to move the shaded area to the right.

- · Channels already set in the "Preset Caption" section and channels deleted from Channel Memory are not displayed.
- · You can set a total of ten channel captions with up to four characters each.

**d** Press ▲▼ to select, and then press b to enter each character of the caption.



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SET

END

CLEAR ADD/DLT KEY

ACTION KEY

TSN 52 GLOB

· Characters will change in the following order.

+A→B→C·····+Z→BLANK→ — → & ---9+----2+1+-0+/+!+

Now, press < repeatedly to move the cursor back to CH NUMBER. Repeat steps "c" and "d" as desired.

To Make Corrections, repeatedly press ► to move the cursor to the right, or I to move to the left to the incorrect entry and make the correction. To Clear the Caption, press ADD/DLT.

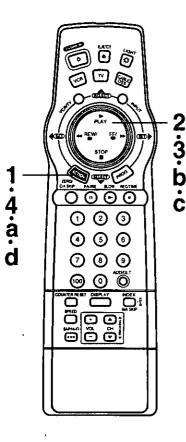
**e** Press ACTION four times to exit this mode and return to the normal screen.

# Special VCR Features (continued)

#### \*Important:

If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG. CHA/V. INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

Check list before you begin. Clock is set to correct time.



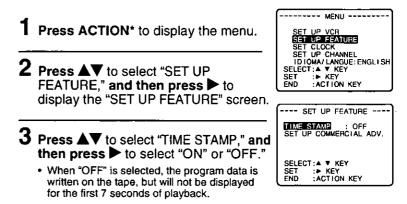


background.

 When the VCR is connected to a Combination VCR which has a Blue Back feature, even if the VCR Blue Back is set to "OFF" on the VCR, the screen will go to a blue

### Time Stamp Feature

For about the first 10 seconds of each recording, the VCR automatically writes the following program data on the tape: Date, Start time, Scheduled stop time (for Timer Rec. only), Channel No. and Category (for Timer Rec. only). Then, if playback is started at the starting point of the recording, this information will be displayed about 7 seconds after playback begins for a few seconds.



### 4 Press ACTION twice to exit.

#### <Time Stamp Example>

Normal/

One Touch Recording Timer Recording When Clock is not set... 12/28/1998 MON 12:00PM CH 08 ABC 12/28/1998 MON 12:00PM — 1:00PM CH 08 ABC SPORTS --/--/---CH 08 ABC

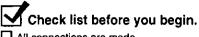
If the tape speed is changed immediately after recording begins, ٠ the display may be incorrect.

### Blue Back ON/OFF Feature

You may choose whether or not you want the VCR to display a solid blue screen when the broadcast signal is very weak or nonexistent.

<b>a</b> Press ACTION to display the menu.	SET UP VCR SET UP FEATURE
<b>b</b> Press ▲▼ to select "SET UP VCR," and then press ► to display the "SET UP VCR" screen.	SET CLOCK SET UP CHANNEL ID IOMA/LANGUE:ENGL∤SH SELECT:A ¥ KEY SET :► KEY END :ACTION KEY
<ul> <li>C Press ▲▼ to select "NOISY CH BLUE BACK," and then press ► to select "ON" or "OFF."</li> <li>When "ON" is selected, a solid blue screen appears whenever the signal is weak or nonexistent. When "OFF" is selected, the pictu is displayed regardless of the signal condition.</li> </ul>	

- The picture can not always be seen clearly when "OFF" is selected.
- d Press ACTION twice to exit.



All connections are made.

(See pages 6~9.) VCR is plugged in.

TV is turned on and set to the VCR channel (CH 3 or 4).

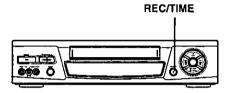
### VCR Lock Feature

When activated, this feature prohibits all operations except for timer recording and tape eject. This feature may be used to keep young children from operating the VCR.



• "NO CASSETTE PLEASE INSERT A <u>CASSETTE</u>" is displayed when REC/TIME is pressed. Please disregard this warning and continue to hold down REC/TIME for 7 seconds.

VCR LOCK ACTIVATED



#### To Cancel the VCR Lock feature.

with or without a cassette inserted, hold down **REC/TIME** on the VCR for 7 seconds again while in Stop mode.

VCR LOCK OFF

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SET UP VCB SET UP FEATURE SET UP FEATURE SET UP CHANNEL IDIOMA/LANGUE:ENGLISH SELECT:A ▼ KEY SET : ► KEY END : ACTION KEY

----- SET UP VCR ------

NOISY CH BLUE BACK

SELECT: A V KEY SET : KEY END : ACTION KEY

REPEAT PLAY

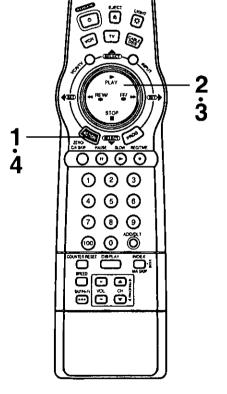
SPATIALIZER

VCR Lock mode is cancelled automatically after about 24 hours as long as the clock is set.

### Warning Beeper Feature

When you select BEEPER ON, a short warning will sound each time an invalid entry or incomplete operation is made.

- Press ACTION to display the menu.
- 2 Press ▲▼ to select "SET UP VCR," and then press b to display the "SET UP VCR" screen.
- 3 Press ▲▼ to select "BEEPER," and then press b to select "ON" or "OFF."
- Press ACTION twice to exit this screen.



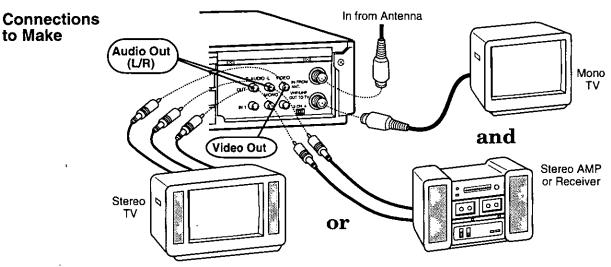
OFF



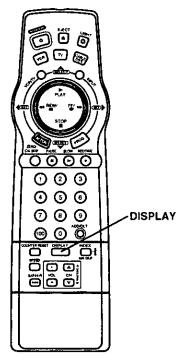
# **MTS Broadcast/ VHS Hi-Fi Stereo System**

#### 🗹 Check list before you begin.

☐ The VCR is connected to a stereo TV, or a mono TV and an external stereo amp or receiver with speakers. ☐ The VCR and other components are plugged in and turned on.



When recording, you may monitor in stereo, by connecting the VCR to either a stereo TV, or a mono sound TV with an external stereo amp and speakers.



Equipped with **dbx**<sup>•</sup> -TV Noise Reduction for true MTS reproduction. **dbx**<sup>•</sup> -TV Noise Reduction is required for good stereo separation and audio fidelity. **dbx**<sup>•</sup> is a registered trademark, and is licensed by **dbx**<sup>•</sup> Technology Licensing.

### **Receivable Broadcast Types**

The following are possible audio broadcast types and on-screen displays. The signal being received is indicated with an "(r," mark while the selected audio mode is indicated with an arrow.

**Press DISPLAY** to display the broadcast signal currently being received.

#### MTS Stereo and SAP broadcast

Multi-channel Television Sound Stereo (main language) and Secondary Audio Program (sub language) broadcasts are being received simultaneously. Select STEREO or SAP audio mode.

#### <u>MTS Stereo broadcast</u>

Multi-channel Television Sound Stereo broadcast. Select STEREO audio mode.

 If a stereo broadcast is weak and the display flickers, you may want to select the MONO audio mode for better results.

#### SAP broadcast

Secondary Audio Program (sub language) broadcast. Select SAP audio mode for the sub language.

#### <u>MONO broadcast</u>

Normal monaural sound broadcast.

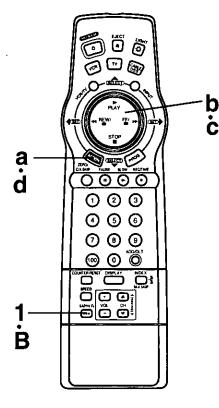
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STOP	12:00AM	ABC
SPATIA STERE SAP MONO	LIZER ON	0:00:00 SP
STOP	12:00AM	ABC 0:00:00
SPATIA STERE ISAP MONO	LIZER ON O -	SP
1	12:00AM	ABC 0:00:00
SPATIA STERE SAP MONO	-	SP

#### \*Important:

If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH $\blacktriangle$ / $\bigtriangledown$ , iNDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

# With the proper audio mode setting, your VCR can:

- record and playback an MTS stereo broadcast (main language) in stereo Hi-Fi.
- record and playback a monaural broadcast (main language) or Secondary Audio Program (sub language) on the Hi-Fi tracks for better quality monaural sound.
- 3) playback non Hi-Fi tapes in monaural.
- When recording, the selected broadcast sound is always recorded on the left and right Hi-Fi tracks as well as the normal monaural track. This means your tapes can be played back on Hi-Fi as well as non-Hi-Fi VCRs.

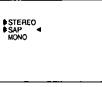


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### Audio Mode for Recording

- **1** Press SAP/Hi-Fi repeatedly (each press within 5 seconds) to select the desired audio mode (STEREO, SAP, or MONO).
  - Please refer to the "Receivable Broadcast Types" section on page 34.



 The arrow indicates your selection.

### **2** Do a recording.

See the "Record On a Tape" section on page 20.

### Audio Mode for Playback

#### A Playback the tape.

See the "Playback a Tape" section on page 19.

#### B Press SAP/Hi-Fi repeatedly (each press within 5 seconds) to select the desired audio mode (HIFI or NORMAL).

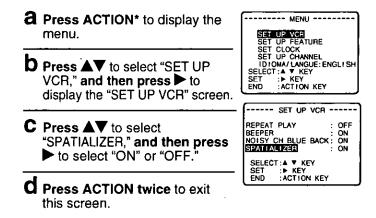
HIFI < NORMAL
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- Select "HIFI" to listen to your stereo recordings with stereo sound, or "NORMAL" for monaural sound.
- The arrow indicates your selection.

### **Spatializer Feature**

This feature allows you enhance the stereo sound so that it seems to surround you.

Note: Your VCR needs to be hooked up to a stereo TV or stereo amp/receiver with speakers (see page 34). For playback, tapes must be recorded in Hi-Fi stereo. For TV viewing, programs must be broadcast in stereo.



When purchasing or renting prerecorded tapes, remember that only those recorded in Hi-Fi stereo will play back with true stereo sound. Standard stereo tapes will play back with monaural sound.
In order to listen to Hi-Fi stereo playback, the VCR AUDIO (L/R) jacks must be connected to a stereo TV or an external stereo amp and speakers. (See page 34.)

- When adjusting the tracking during playback, the Hi-Fi audio sound may revert to normal audio sound. This is normal.
- There may be a difference in audio level between Hi-Fi and normal audio playback.

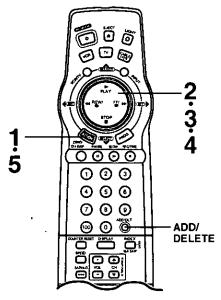
More You Can Do



# VCR Plus+ Setup

\*Important: If the remote control POWER, ACTION, PROG, CH▲/▼, INDEX/ M/A SKIP or ADD/DLT button does not work when pressed, press the VCR button on the remote and try the button again.

In order for the VCR to read the VCR Plus+ code, some set up is required. A Guide (VCR Plus+) channel number is assigned to each local broadcast and cable station. Because this number sometimes differs from the channel your TV receives the station on, it is necessary to program the VCR with local channel information.



#### **Channel Setup Preparations**

NOTE: Complete the steps on this page if your cable box can be controlled with the VCR, or your VCR hook-up resembles "B" on page 12.

Prepare a list like the example below. This list will belo you smoothly enter the infor

This list will help you smoothly enter the information needed in step "4" at right.

You will need the following to complete the list:

- A line up of normal and/or cable stations you receive along with the channel numbers your TV receives them on. A cable channel line-up chart is supplied by your cable company.
- A list of Guide (VCR Plus+) channel numbers assigned to the stations you receive. This list is available in TV Guide and the TV listings found in selected newspapers.
- 1 Make a chart with 3 columns like the example below. In the left column, fill in the name or call letters of the stations you receive.
- 2 In the middle column, fill in each station's assigned Guide (VCR Plus+) number found in TV Guide, newspapers, etc.
- 3 In the right column, fill in the channel number that your TV receives the station on from your channel line-up.

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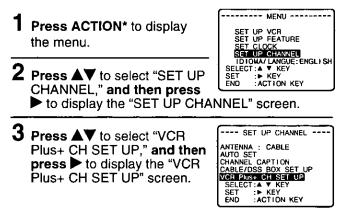
Broadcast or Cable Station Name	Assigned Guide (VCR Plus+) channel no.	Channel no. your TV receives th <del>e</del> station on
HBO	33	15
Nickelodeon	38	20
CBS	04	04
FOX	11	
		$\sim$

#### VCR Plus+ Channel Setup Complete this page only if Type B connection method (pg. 12) is used.

Before you begin, complete the Channel Setup
Preparations below left.

#### Important Note:

If your VCR connection type changes from type A to B, perform "To Setup the VCR in Case a Cable Box or DSS Receiver was Installed or Replaced" section on page 17 before proceeding with these steps.



#### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

For step "4," use the list you prepared. You may leave lines blank if you don't receive that station, or if the GUIDE CH number and the CABLE (or TV) CH numbers are the same.

GUIDE CH CABLE CH

ACTION KEY

VCR Plus+ CH SET UP

GUIDE CH CABLE CH

ACTION KEY

► 01 02

▶ 01 02

END

END

SELECT:▲ ▼ KEY SET :► KEY

4 Press ► to move the shaded area to the right side.

Then, press ▲▼ to change CABLE or TV CH number.

Next, press 4 to set the number.

Now, press **AV** to continue.

Repeat this operation until the list is complete.

#### To Enter More Programs

Press  $\blacktriangle V$  and  $\blacktriangleright$  to select the incorrect CABLE or TV CH number. Then, press  $\blacktriangle V$  to change, or ADD/DLT to delete the channel.

# 5 Press ACTION three times to exit the VCR Plus+ CH SET UP mode.

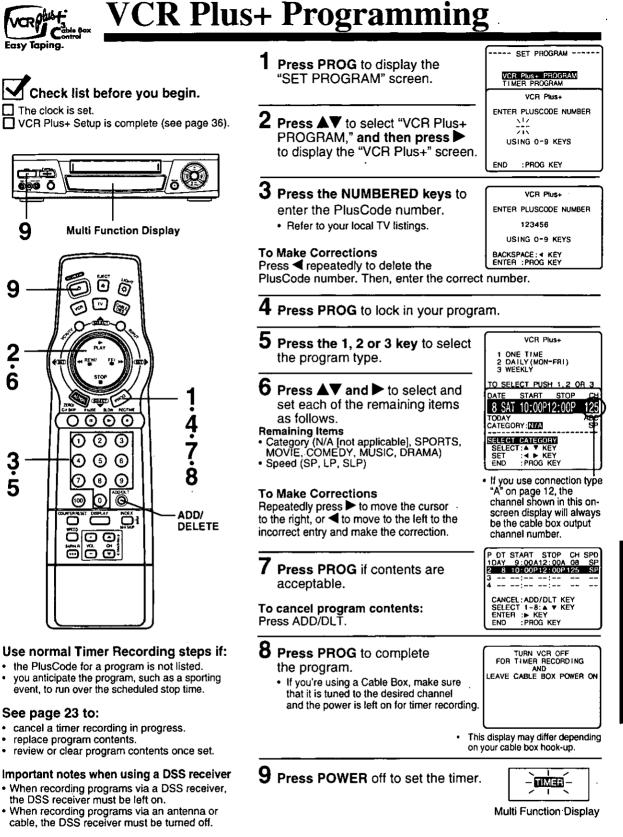


Make each entry within 5 minutes or the VCR will leave this mode.



Once local channels have been programmed, they will stay in memory, even in the case of a power failure.

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You can obtain unlisted PlusCode numbers by calling 1 - 900 - 454 - 7587. Call costs approximately \$.95 per minute.
 VCR PlusCodes can not be used to program the VCR to record DSS channels.

- Avoid overlapping program times.
- An on-screen display will indicate if an invalid PlusCode number has been entered or when all timer programs are full.



# **Multi-Brand Control Feature**

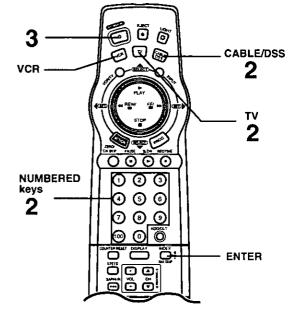
The Remote Control may be set up to control some of the functions on your TV or Cable Box.

#### **TV Brand Code Numbers**

Panasonic	01, 02
Quasar	03
RCA	03
GE	03
Zenith	04
Magnavox	05
Sylvania	05
Sharp	06, 07
Sony	

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Cable Box Brand Code Numbers
Archer 01, 29, 44, 88, 91
Cableview 04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63, 85, 88
Citizen 04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63, 85, 88
Curtis
Diamond 01, 29, 44, 88, 91
Drake 37, 67, 71
Eagle 13, 20, 22, 26, 40, 58, 62, 98
Eastern
GC Brand 04, 30, 42, 44, 52, 63, 85, 88
Gemini
General Electric
01, 02, 03, 04, 34, 55, 83, 85, 91, 93, 95
Hamlin
Hitachi
Jerrold
01, 02, 03, 04, 34, 55, 83, 85, 91, 93, 95
Macom
Magnavox
Matsushita 16, 17, 101
Movietime 29, 32, 38, 39, 40, 42, 44, 88
NSC
Oak 10, 11, 46, 99
Panasonic 16, 17, 101
Philips 13, 20, 23, 24, 96
Pioneer
Pulsar
RCA
Realistic
Regal
Regency
Rembran
Salora 68. 72
Samsung
Scientific Atlanta 08, 09, 56, 61, 87, 90
Sheritech 27
SL Marx
Spucer 16, 17, 101
Stargate
04, 30, 32, 40, 42, 44, 52, 63, 78, 85, 88, 94
Sylvania
Teknika
Telecaption
Teleview
Tocom 01, 33, 34, 42, 48, 49, 91
Toshiba
Uniden Satellite
Unika 01, 29, 44, 88, 91
Universal
Viewstar 13, 20, 22, 26, 40, 58, 62, 98
Videoway 07, 23, 50
Vid Tech
Vidter 64
Zenith07, 23, 50

# DSS Brand Code Numbers Toshiba 103 Hitachi/ Hughes 104 Magnavox/ Uniden 1 105 Magnavox/ Uniden 2 106 Sony 107 RCA 108 Panasonic 109



# **Multi-Brand Control Setup**

- Find your TV or Cable Box or DSS Box Brand Code Number from one of the charts on this page.
- 2 Hold down TV or CABLE/DSS. Use the NUMBERED keys to enter your TV or Cable Box Brand code number.
  - For code numbers 100 or greater, first press the 100 key. Then, enter the remaining digit. E.g. for 102, press 100, then press 2.
  - To confirm that the correct code was entered, press POWER to turn your TV or Cable Box or DSS Box On/Off.

## **4** Try each of the functions listed on page 39.

- Due to changes in infra-red commands used by some manufacturers, more than one code may be listed for some TV or Cable Box brands. If your TV or Cable Box does not respond to the first code, please try entering the next code.
  - Please repeat the TV/Cable Box Set Up procedure when you replace the remote's batteries.



The remote control is designed to control the brands listed. However, it will not operate all TVs, Cable Boxes or DSS Boxes made by these manufacturers. If you get no results, your particular product brand cannot be controlled by this remote control.

# **Using the Multi-Brand Control**

Once the remote control has been properly set up, you can select VCR, TV, or CABLE/DSS mode depending on which functions you wish to control.

**Press VCR or TV or CABLE/DSS** on the remote control to select the desired mode. (See below for the controllable functions of each mode.)

#### NOTE:

In TV or CABLE/DSS mode, it may be necessary to press ENTER after pressing NUMBERED keys for channel selection.

### VCR Mode

In VCR mode, the following buttons are available. <u>VCR</u> All function buttons. <u>TV</u> VOL UP/DOWN

#### TV Mode

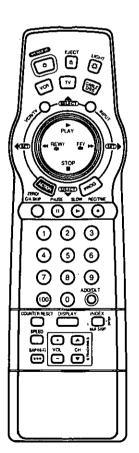
RESET, DISPLAY

In TV mode, the following buttons are available.  $\underline{TV}$ 

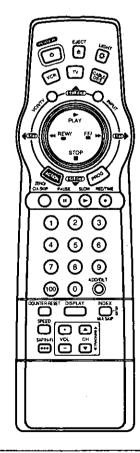
POWER, INPUT, NUMBERED keys, ENTER, CH UP/DOWN, VOL UP/DOWN <u>VCR</u> EJECT, LIGHT, VCR/TV, PLAY, STOP, FF, REW, PAUSE, ZERO/ C/A SKIP, SLOW, REC, SAP/Hi-Fi, SPEED, COUNTER

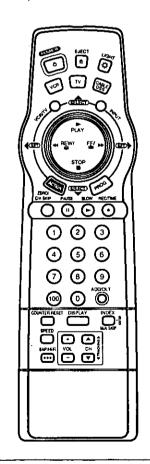
## CABLE/DSS Mode

In CABLE/DSS mode, the following buttons are available. <u>CABLE/DSS</u> POWER, NUMBERED keys, ENTER, CH UP/DOWN <u>IV</u> VOL UP/DOWN <u>VCR</u> EJECT, LIGHT, VCR/TV, PLAY, STOP, FF, REW, PAUSE, ZERO/ C/A SKIP, SLOW, REC, SAP/HI-Fi, SPEED, COUNTER RESET, DISPLAY



NOTES





Some TV, Cable Box and DSS Box brands require you to turn on the power manually.
Not all functions listed may be controlled by this remote control.

# **Copying Your Tapes** (Dubbing)

#### Connections you'll need to make. (Choose front or rear connection.)

· When connecting to a normal VCR, use the L Audio In jack for proper sound reproduction.

Playing (Source) VCR Recording (Editing) VCR TV for Monitoring Video Out Audio Out (L) CH3 or 4 Front View <u>س</u> ک کې Audio In (L) 00. Ĉ 90 Audio In (R) Video In Audio Out (R) Video In Audio In (L/R) 4 Press PLAY on the Playing VCR. Insert a pre-recorded Press PAUSE at the desired starting point. tape into the Playing (Source) VCR. 5 Press REC on the Recording VCR, and then press PAUSE immediately thereafter. 2 Insert a blank tape with record tab into the Recording (Editing) VCR. 6 Press PAUSE on both VCRs at the same time, to begin copying. Select "LINE" Input mode on the To Edit Out Unwanted Parts Recording (Editing) VCR. (See "Selecting Press PAUSE on the recording VCR while copying is the Input Mode" on page 21.) in progress. Press PAUSE again to resume copying. 7 Press STOP on both VCRs to stop copying.

#### To Monitor Dubbing on Your TV

- 1 Turn your TV on and tune to the Recording VCR channel (CH3 or CH4).
- 2 Set the VCR/TV Selector on the Recording VCR to "VCR."

#### Caution:

Unauthorized exchanging and/or copying of copyrighted recordings may be copyright infringement.



# **Before Requesting Service**

Check the following points once again if you are having trouble with your VCR.

Power	Correction
No power	<ul> <li>Completely insert the Power Plug into an AC outlet.</li> <li>Set the POWER button to ON.</li> </ul>
Recording & Playback	Correction
TV program cannot be recorded	<ul> <li>Check connections between VCR, external antenna, and your TV.</li> <li>Make sure your antenna system (CABLE or TV) is correctly set. (To Replace Channels in Memory [P.17])</li> <li>Make sure that the record tab is intact on the cassette. (P.5)</li> </ul>
Timer recording cannot be performed	<ul> <li>Set the recording start/stop times correctly. (P.22)</li> <li>Make sure that the POWER button is set to OFF. (P.22)</li> <li>Timer recording may not be performed or continued if a power interruption of more than 1 minute occurs before, or during, a Timer Recording, even after power is restored.</li> </ul>
There is no playback picture, or the playback picture is noisy or contains streaks	<ul> <li>Select channel 3 or 4 on the TV to match the Channel 3/4 switch located on the rear panel of the VCR. (P.6)</li> <li>Set the VCR/TV selector to "VCR."</li> <li>Check that channel 3 or 4 of the TV is properly tuned in.</li> <li>Adjust the TRACKING control in either direction. (P.19)</li> </ul>
Special effects playback, picture may contain some vertical jitter when using a TV with an Automatic Vertical Hold Control	Set the TV's Vertical Hold Control to "MANUAL" and then adjust it.
VCR cannot be controlled	Make sure that VCR LOCK is set to off. (P.33)
Remote Control	Correction
VCR cannot be remote controlled	<ul> <li>Aim the Remote Control directly at the remote sensor on the VCR.(P.10)</li> <li>Avoid all obstacles which may interfere with the signal path.</li> <li>Inspect the remote batteries for possible replacement. (P.4)</li> <li>Make sure that VCR LOCK is set to off. (P.33)</li> <li>Exposing the VCR remote sensor to direct fluorescent or outdoor light may cause signal interference.</li> </ul>
ACTION and PROG buttons cannot be used	Press the VCR button to select VCR mode. (P.39)
Miscellaneous	Correction
Programs cannot be viewed on TV	Set the VCR/TV selector to "TV." (P.21)
Video cassette cannot be inserted	Insert the cassette with window side up; record tab facing you.
Video cassette cannot be removed	Completely insert the Power Plug into an AC wall outlet.
Video cassette ejects when a recording is started or the power is turned off for timer recording	<ul> <li>Make sure the record tab is intact on the cassette. (P.5)</li> </ul>
In Stop mode, the motor (CYLINDER) continues to rotate	<ul> <li>To enable the quick play mechanism, the cylinder will rotate for about 5 minutes. This reduces response time from Stop to Play mode from Play to Rewind Search mode.</li> </ul>
The top of the playback picture waves back and forth excessively	<ul> <li>Because the VCR playback signal is not as stable as an off-the-air TV signal, the top of your TV screen may be bent or unstable during playback. Slowly turn the horizontal hold control on your TV to correct the wavy picture. If your TV does not have a horizontal hold control or adjusting the control does not help, please contact your local TV service center.</li> </ul>

If you cannot resolve the problem, please call the Customer Satisfaction Center for product assistance at 201-348-9090.

To locate an authorized servicenter, please call toll free 1-800-211-PANA (7262).

For Product Information, Operating Assistance, Literature Request, Dealer Locations, and all Customer Service inquiries please contact:

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VCR	ONE (1) YEAR	NINETY (90) DAYS
A/V MIXER	ONE (1) YEAR	NINETY (90) DAYS
MONITOR-VCR	ONE (1) YEAR, EXCEPT CRT CRT - TWO (2) YEARS	NINETY (90) DAYS CRT - NINETY (90) DAYS CUSTOMER PAYS ALL LABOR CHARGES AFTER 90 DAYS

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## Para ajustar el lenguaje, el sintonizador de cable/DSS, los canales y el reloj automático

Encienda el televisor y la videograbadora.

2 Sintonice el televisor al canal de salida de la videograbadora (el mismo canal que ha fijado en la parte trasera de la videograbadora; canal 3 o 4).

 Si esta usando los terminales de audio/video para su conexión, fije el televisor al modo de entrada de video.

3 Oprimir CH ▲ para elegir el idioma de la pantalla en inglés.

	SELECT LANGUAGE
	PUSH VCR CH A: ENGLISH
	OPRIMIR VCR CH ▼: ESPAÑO
i	APP. VCR/TV : FRANÇAT

Oprimir CH ▼ para elegir el idioma de la pantalla en español.

Oprimir VCR/TV para elegir el idioma de la pantalla en francés.

- Ud. podrá fijar también usando los mismos botones que están ubicados en la videograbadora.
- La videograbadora debe conectarse a una antena o caja de TV por cable.
- 4 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir, y luego oprimir 🕨 para fijar su conexión.



- Si ud, ha elegido CABLE/DSS VCR TV, continue al paso 5. FIJAR : M TERMINAR: ACTION De lo contrario, vaya a la sección "Instrucciones alternativas" en la página 16.
- Si está usando el método de conexión CABLE/DSS BOX ► VCR ► TV, sólo el canal de salida del cable será memorizado.

5 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir el canal de salida de la caja de TV por cable o el receptor DSS, y luego oprimir 🕨 para fijar.



- Si es necesario, consulte su manual de la caja de TV por cable.
- Si ud. está usando los terminales de audio/video para la conexión de la caja de TV por cable, elija y fije a "SALIDA DE VIDEO" para el canal de salida.

6 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir el número de código de la caja de TV por cable o el receptor DSS, y luego oprimir 🕨 para fijar. (Consulte su lista de la página 13.)

INTRODUCIA NUMERO/CODIO REFERIENDO AL MANUAL	c	
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- Si su caja de TV por cable o su receptor DSS no tiene. un control remoto, elija "SIN CONTROL REMOTO."
- · Luego, vaya a la sección "Instrucciones alternativas" en la página 45.
- De esta manera se determina si el videograbador va a controlar el sintonizador de cable o DSS.

Si ud. usa una caja de TV por cable, sintonice al canal 2. Si usa un receptor DSS, sintonice al canal 270.

Caja de TV

#### Oprimir **>** para continuar.

 "ESTA TRANSMITIENDO" aparece.

POR FAVOR SINTONICE SU CAJA DE TV POR CABLE AL CANAL 02. Receptor DSS POR FAVOR SINTONICE SU RECEPTOR DSS AL CANAL270 PROCEDER: N TERMINAR: ACTION Caja de TV

8 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir "SI" o "NO," y luego oprimir 🕨 para fijar.

Si ud. usa una caja de TV por cable y ha elegido "SI," siga al paso 9.

Si ud. usa un receptor DSS v ha elegido "SI," siga las instrucciones alternativas de la página 45.



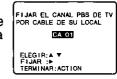
Si ha elegido "NO," aparecerá de nuevo la pantalla del paso 6.

Intente fijar un código diferente para su marca y/o cambie la conexión de su equipo.

Si su respuesta es todavía "NO," el control de la caja de TV por cable o el receptor DSS no es disponible.

Verifique que su caja de TV por cable esté encendido y su receptor DSS esté apagado.

9 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir el canal PBS de su local que está recibiendo en su caja de TV por cable, y luego oprimir 🕨 para que aparezca la pantalla



"FIJACION ÁUTO. (RELOJ)."

10 Oprimir CH 🛦 para iniciar la fijación automática del reloi.



CONECTE EL CABLE DE LA ANTENA Y SI ESTA USANDO UNA CAJA DE TV POR CABLE SINTONICE AL CANAL PBS DE SU LOCAL LUEGO... POR FAVOR OPRIMIR CH UP

- Si ud. vive cerca de una zona con diferente hora, fije el canal de su zona.
- "FIJACION AUTOMATICA DE RELOJ EN PROCESO" aparece.
- 11 Esta pantalla aparece cuando la fijación automática del reloi es completo.

Comprobar si la hora está fijada correctamente y luego oprimir 🛦 CH para terminar la fijación.



#### Si la hora fijada automáticamente es incorrecto

Si ud. usa una caja de TV por cable y recibe emisiones de más de un canal PBS, intente fijar automáticamente otravez. Siga la "Para fijar o fijar de nuevo el reloj" en la página 46 y cuando las instrucciones de la pantalla requiere la fijación del canal PBS, fije un canal que no ha intentado anteriormente.

#### Si aparece en la pantalla FIJACION DEL RELOJ INCOMPLETO

La pantalla a la derecha aparecerá si no es disponible en su zona la fijación automática de la hora.



Presione ACTION para exhibir la pantalla "FIJAR RELOJ" (manual), y luego realice los pasos B y C en la página 45.

#### Notas:

Si ud. usa una caja de TV por cable y recibe emisiones de más de un canal PBS, ud. debe salir desde la pantalla de la fijación del reloj manual e intente fijar automáticamente otravez. Siga la "Para fijar o fijar de nuevo el reloj" en la página 46 y cuando las instrucciones de la pantalla requiere la fijación del canal PBS, fije un canal que no ha intentado anteriormente.



 La fijación automática de la hora se efectuará cada día al apagar la videograbadora por primera vez. Si ud. usa una caja de TV por cable y desea efectuar la fijación automática de la hora, la caja de TV por cable debe permanecer encendido y sintonizado al canal PBS cuando la videograbadora se apaga.

## Instrucciones alternativas

Complete los siguientes pasos si ha efectuado una de las siguientes explicaciones.

- Ud. ha elegido la segunda conexión (VCR ► CABLE/ DSS ► TV o VCR ► TV) en el paso 4 de la página 44.
- Ud. ha elegido "SIN CONTROL REMOTO" en el paso 6 de la página 44 (su caja de TV por cable o receptor DSS no tiene un control remoto).
- Ud. está usando un receptor DSS y ha.elegido "SI" en el paso 8 de la página 44.
- Encienda la caja de TV por cable y fije la caja de TV por cable al canal PBS de su local.

estar apagado.



- Si ud. vive cerca de una zona con diferente hora, asegúrese de fijar el canal de su zona.
  Si ud. usa un receptor DSS, éste debe
- 2 Oprimir CH ▲ para iniciar la fijación automática de los canales y la fijacion de la hora.
  - Aparace las siguientes informaciones: "AUTOPROGRAMACION EN PROCESO" "FIJACION AUTOMATICA DEL RELOJ EN PROCESO"

Esta pantalla aparece para informarle que la fijación automática de la hora es incompleto.

3 Comprobar si la hora está fijada correctamente y luego oprimir CH ▲ para terminar la fijación.

Si aparece esta pantalla, la fijación automática no es disponible en su zona. Ajuste el reloj a mano tal como se describe a continuación.



OPRIMIR ACTION PARA FIJAR EL RELOJ

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ELEGIR MES

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FIJAR :► TERMINAR:ACTION

-----FIJAR RELOJ-----

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FIJACION ES COMPLETO

FIJAR : . .

VERAN

- A Oprimir ACTION para que aparezca la pantalla de la fijación del reloj.
- B Oprimir ▲▼ y ◀► para elegir y fijar el mes, la fecha, el año, la hora y la hora veraniega.

Para hacer correcciones Oprimir ◀► sucesivamente para avanzar o para retroceder hasta el paso que desea corregir.

C Oprimir ACTION dos veces para iniciar a funcionar el reloj y salir desde este modo.

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Si la hora y la hora veraniega es incorrecta, Raras veces, en caso de que ud. vive cerca de dos zonas con hora diferente, el aparato puede elegir un canal PBS con diferente hora de su zona. En este caso, haga los siguientes pasos:

- a Tome nota del canat que está fijado en la pantalla y salga desde este modo oprimiendo el botón CH ▲.
- b Anule este canal desde los canales memorizados en la combinación de VCR/TV.
- c Oprimir el botón ACTION para que aparezca la pantalla del ACTION.
- d Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir "FIJAR RELOJ" y luego oprimir ▶ para que aparezca la pantalla de "FIJAR RELOJ."
- e Oprimir ▲♥ y para elegir y fijar "FIJACION AUTOMATICA".
- f Siga las instruccions en la páginas 44 y 45.
- Si ud. esta usando una caja de TV por cable y tiene muchos canales PBS, sintonize la caja de TV por cable a un canal PBS diferente e intente la fijación automática otravez.

## Para fijar o fijar de nuevo el reloj

En caso de que el reloj es incorrecto o ha ocurrido un corte eléctrico.

- 1 Oprimir ACTION para que aparezca la pantalla del menú.
- 2 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir "FIJAR RELOJ" y luego oprimir ► para que aparezca la pantalla de "FIJAR RELOJ."
- 3 Oprimir ▲▼ para elegir "MANUAL," y luego oprimir ▶ para que aparezca la pantalla de la fijacion del reloj.
- 4 Oprimir ▲▼ y ◀► para elegir y fijar la hora y la fecha.
- 5 Oprimir ACTION dos veces para <u>iniciar a funcionar el reloj</u> y salir desde este modo.



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 Para ajustar el reloj automático, seleccione "FIJACION AUTOMATICA" y luego siga las instrucciones de ajuste de una vez del videograbador en las páginas 44 y 45.

#### Operaciones básicas para la reproducción

Introducir una cinta
 Esta indicación aparece en la pantalla multifuncional.

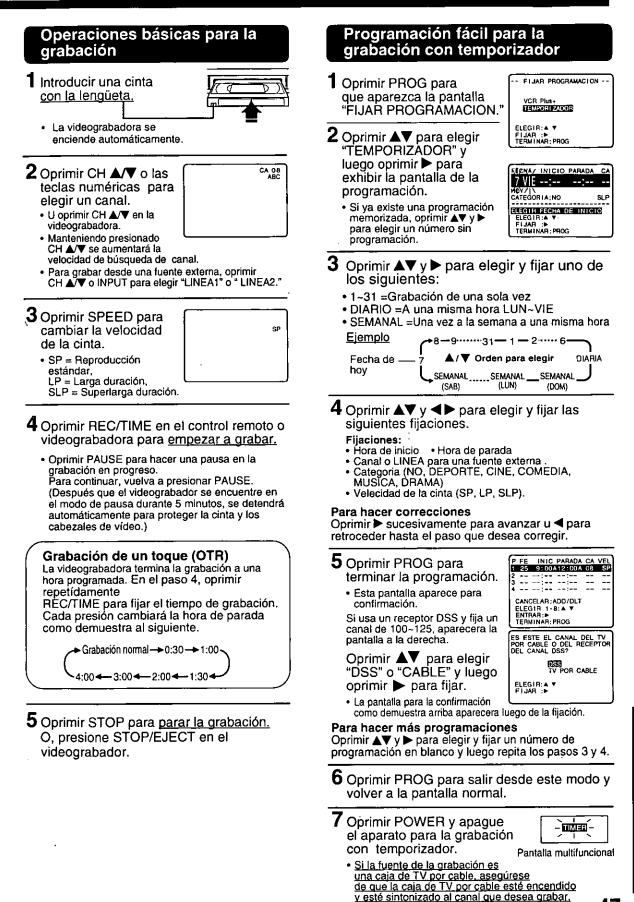


- 2 Oprimir PLAY en el control remoto o en la videograbadora para comenzar a reproducir.
  - Si la cinta no tiene la lengüeta para evitar el borrado la videograbadora comienza a reproducir automáticamente.
- 3 Oprimir STOP en el control remoto o en la videograbadora para parar la reproducción.
- 4 Oprimir EJECT en el control remoto o en la videograbadora para expulsar la cinta.
  - Usted puede expulsar la cinta cuando el aparato está encendido o apagado.

#### Para buscar una escena en particular durante la reproducción

Oprimir REW o FF durante la reproducción para buscar una escena.

- La velocidad de búsqueda es a 7 veces más rápida que la velocidad normal para el modo SP y 21 veces más rápida para el mode SLP.
- · Durante la búsqueda aparece alguna barras de ruido.

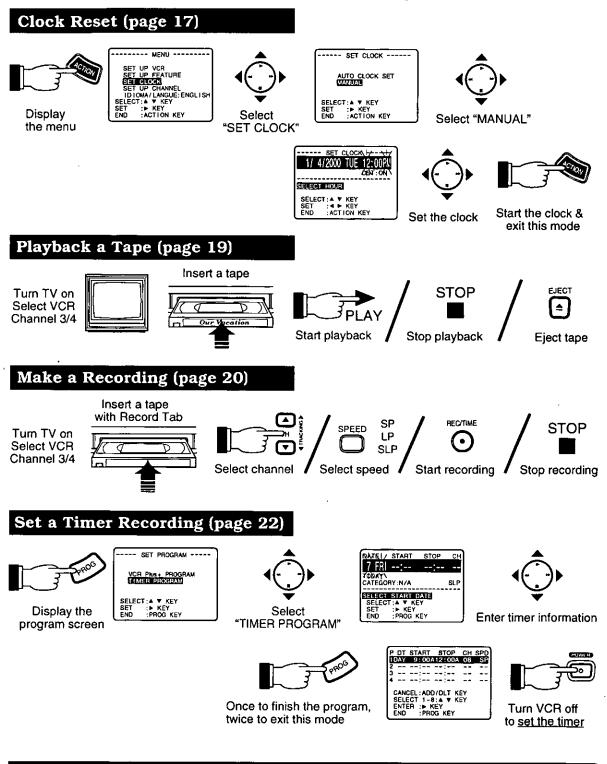


Other Information

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This guide should only be used once you are familiar with the operations inside this manual. If you have any problems or need more information, please refer to the page listed.



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