

Quick Reference Card DVDR980/985/990 - DVDR1000MKII

Important

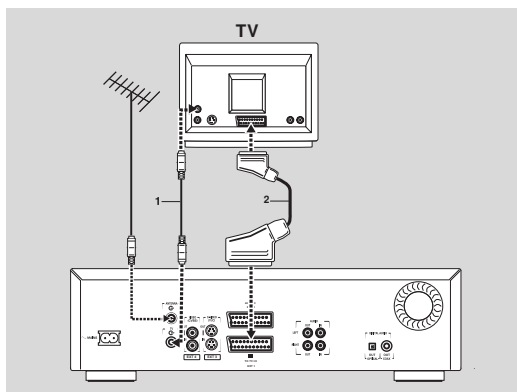
- Do not connect the power until all other connections are made.
- Until you have completed the on-screen installation procedure, the buttons on the front of the recorder will not work.

1 Connecting the antenna

- Remove the antenna (aerial) cable plug from your TV set and insert it into the antenna socket at the back of the DVD recorder.
- Plug one end of the antenna (aerial) cable supplied (1) into the TV socket on the DVD recorder and the other end into the antenna input socket on your TV set.

2 Connecting a TV set

- Connect at least the SCART, S-Video or CVBS output to the TV. Normally SCART (2) is the best connection.
- If your TV has EasyLink, connect the SCART first, before connecting the power. Connect the DVD Recorder to the TV's EasyLink connector. Check your TV manual for the appropriate SCART input.



- When connecting a second TV, preferably use the SCART, S-Video or CVBS output. In case you want to use an antenna cable, make use of a VCR or another external RF modulator.

Note:

16:9 widescreen TVs may show only part of the DVD recorder's menu in certain screen modes. Change the screen mode on the TV to see the full menu.

3 Connecting a VCR

- When connecting a VCR, the best order for the SCART connection is VCR - DVD Recorder - TV.

4 Connecting the power

- Make sure that all necessary connections are made before connecting the DVD recorder to the power supply.
- Plug the power cable supplied into the Power connector on the rear of the recorder.

Switching on

- Switch on the TV set and select the programme number of the DVD recorder (see operating manual for your TV set).
- Press **STANDBY/ON**.
 - ▶ The recorder display lights up, and the setup menu (virgin mode screen) appears. This only occurs the first time you start up the recorder.
- Select your preferred settings on the TV screen using **OK** and the cursor keys on the remote control.

Recording a TV programme

- 1 Press **MONITOR/TUNER** to view the channel or input that is currently selected.
- 2 Use the **CH+** or **CH-** keys to select the channel from which you wish to record.
- 3 Press **SELECT** to choose the record mode. Use SP for 2 hours, SP+ for 2,5 hours*, LP for 3 hours, EP for 4 hours or EP+ for 6 hours* of recording; the HQ mode is optimised for digital camcorders.
- 4 Press **RECORD** or **REC/OTR** to start recording.
- 5 Press **STOP** to stop recording.

Important:

Recordings on a DVD+RW disc are normally started from the position where the last recording was stopped. From there on earlier recordings may be overwritten without notice.

- To prevent overwriting, hold the **RECORD** key pressed until 'SAFE RECORD' appears on the display.

Recording from a camcorder or video recorder

- 1 Press **MONITOR/TUNER** to view the channel or input that is currently selected.
- 2 Use the **CH+** or **CH-** keys to select the front input (CAM1, CAM2 or CAM3 (DVDR985 only)) or rear input (EXT1, EXT2, EXT3 or EXT4) from which you want to record.
- 3 Press **SELECT** to choose the record mode (HQ, SP, SP+*, LP, EP or EP+*).
- 4 Press **RECORD** or **REC/OTR** to start recording.
- 5 Press **PAUSE** to pause recording or **STOP** to end the recording.

Notes:

- If the display shows 'NO SIGNAL' during recording from a VCR, the 'tracking control' on the VCR may need adjustment.
- The video signal of older analogue video tapes may cause short 'sync losses' that lead to brief video interruptions during the recording. The DVD Recorder will correct this with seamless connections.

* DVDR990 - DVDR1000 MKII only.

- To achieve maximum compatibility, make sure the disc contains at least 5 minutes recorded in HQ mode, 10 minutes in SP, 12 minutes in SP+*, 15 minutes in LP, 20 minutes in EP or 30 minutes in EP+ mode*. For more information about compatibility with DVD players refer to 'Troubleshooting' in the instructions for Use.

Timer programming

Timer programming with the VIDEO Plus+[®] system

- 1 Press **TIMER** on the remote control.
- 2 Select '**VIDEO Plus+ system**' with Δ (up cursor) or ∇ (down cursor).
- 3 Press \triangleright (right cursor).
- 4 Enter the entire PlusCode number.
If you made a mistake you can correct it with **CLEAR**.
- 5 Confirm with **OK**.
 \blacktriangleright The data will appear on the TV screen.
- 6 Confirm with **OK**.
 \blacktriangleright The data has been stored in a timer block.
- 7 To end, press **TIMER**.
- 8 Switch off with \odot **STANDBY/ON**, otherwise the timer recording cannot start.

Timer programming without the VIDEO Plus+ system

- 1 Press **TIMER** on the remote control.
- 2 Select '**Timer programming**' with Δ (up cursor) or ∇ (down cursor).
- 3 Press \triangleright (right cursor).
- 4 Enter the date with Δ (up cursor) or ∇ (down cursor), or with the digit keys **0-9**.
- 5 Press \triangleright (right cursor).
- 6 Enter the programme number from which you want to record.
- 7 Press \triangleright (right cursor).
- 8 Enter the Start time.
- 9 Press \triangleright (right cursor).
- 10 Enter the End time.
- 11 If you made a mistake, you can go back with \triangleleft (left cursor).
- 12 Confirm with **OK**.
 \blacktriangleright The data has been stored in a timer block.
- 13 To end, press **TIMER**.
- 14 Switch off with \odot **STANDBY/ON**, otherwise the timer recording cannot start.

Aborting a timer recording

- To stop a timer recording in progress, press \odot **STANDBY**.

Playing a DVD-Video disc

- When 'Autoresume' is set to 'On' playback starts automatically from the point where it was stopped last time, otherwise it will play from the start of the disc.
- The disc may invite you to select an item from a menu. If the selections are numbered, press the appropriate numerical key; if not, use the ∇ Δ (down up cursor) or \triangleleft \triangleright (left right cursor) keys to highlight your selection, and press **OK**.
- To stop playback at any time, press \blacksquare **STOP** or **DISC MENU**.

Playing a DVD+RW/+R disc

- If the inserted disc is write-protected, playback always starts automatically.
- When you press \blacktriangleright **PLAY**, playback starts automatically from the point where it was stopped the last time the disc was played or recorded. If you want to start playback from the beginning of the disc, you can do so via the Index Picture Screen.
- To stop playback at any time, press \blacksquare **STOP** or **DISC MENU**.

Handy shortcuts

On the Index Picture Screen

- To move to the last title, hold \blacktriangleright **NEXT** pressed.
- To move to the first title, hold \blacktriangleleft **PREVIOUS** pressed.

In monitor/tuner mode

- To change Record Mode, press **SELECT**.
- To select EXT1 in monitor/tuner mode, press **0**.

In text input mode

- To delete characters, press **CLEAR**.
- To toggle upper/lower case characters, press **SELECT**.

In edit mode (Favorite Scene Selection)

- To make chapters visible/hidden, press **SELECT**.