

Quick Start Guide

SLV-D380P
SLV-D281P

Follow the three steps below to connect, setup and make recordings on your DVD-VCR.

step1 Hookup

step2 Setup

step3 Get started!

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B : Hookup for Playback and VCR Recording

Before hookup

Check your tuner

This DVD-VCR does not include a tuner.
To record TV programs on the DVD-VCR from a connected device, you need to connect the DVD-VCR to a tuner that has audio/video output jacks.

You have :

Cable Box With Video/Audio Output

– or –

Satellite Receiver With Video/Audio Output

▶ See below

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If you have been using your VCR connected to an antenna, connect this DVD-VCR to the VCR using an audio/video cord. This way, you can record TV programs.

If you have neither of the above tuners :

You have :

Cable Box/Satellite Receiver Without Video/Audio Output

➔ Please contact your cable service or satellite service company to ask cable box or satellite receiver with video/audio output.

Cable With No Cable Box

➔ Please contact your cable service to ask cable box with video/audio output.

Antenna Only (No Cable TV/No Satellite Receiver)

➔ You need to subscribe to a cable TV or satellite TV service and to get a cable box or satellite receiver with video/audio output.

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For any inquiry, please visit the Sony web site : <http://esupport.sony.com/>

step1 Hookup

Select a connection

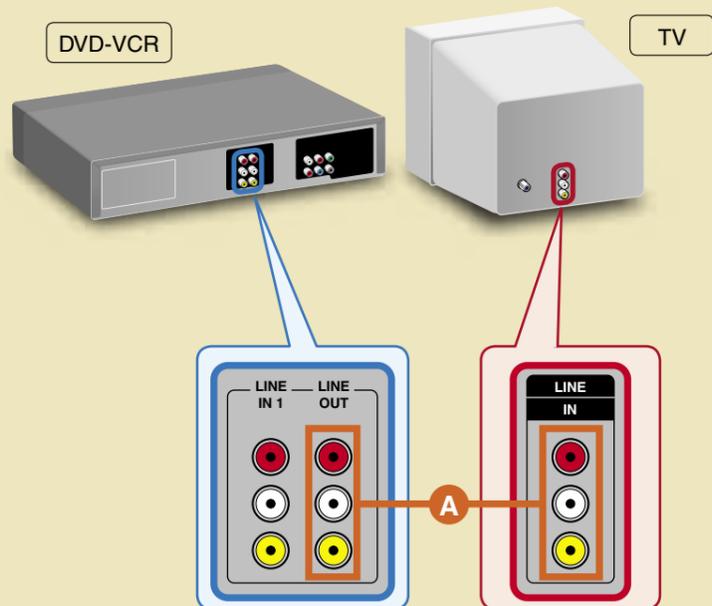
To enjoy DVD/VCR playback, select connection A. In addition, if you want to record TV programs from a connected tuner, make additional connections by referring to connection B.

A : Hookup for Playback

You will need:



(one audio/video cord is supplied)



Connect all power cords last!

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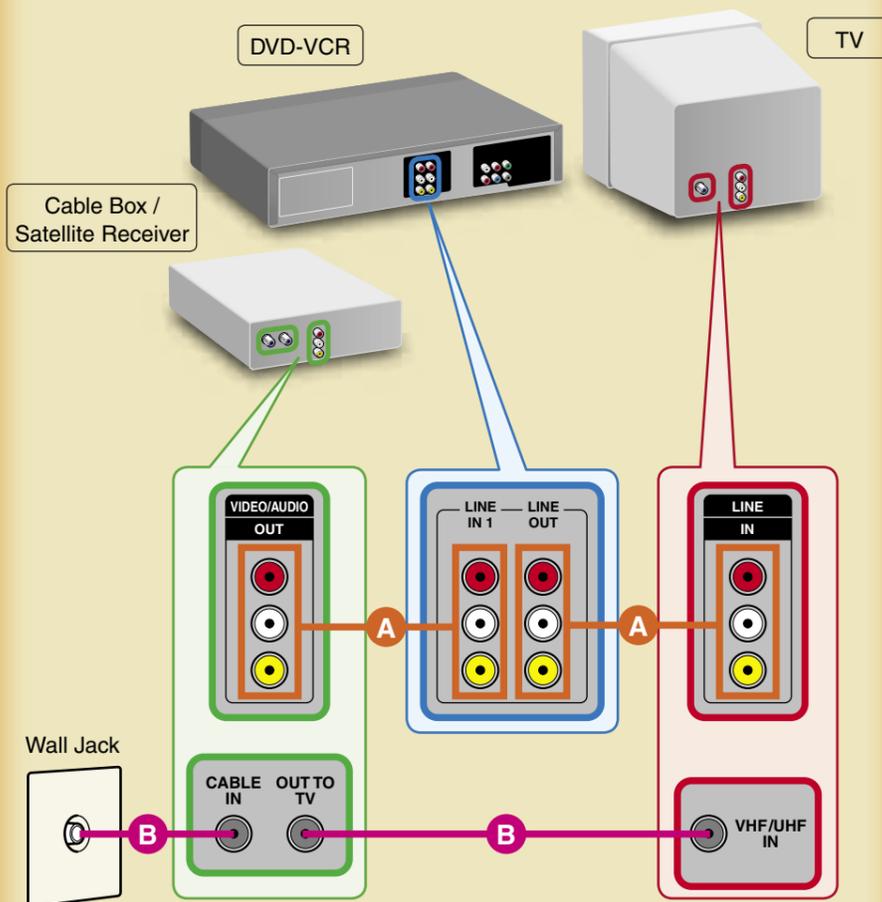
You will need:



(one audio/video cord is supplied)



(antenna cable: not supplied)



Connect all power cords last!

go to **step2 Setup**

step2 Setup

Plug the DVD-VCR power cord into an AC outlet.

Display pictures on the TV

- 1 Press I/O to turn on the DVD-VCR and turn on your TV.
- 2 Switch the TV input using the TV's remote (usually INPUT or TV/VIDEO) so that the signal from the DVD-VCR appears on the TV screen.

Clock set

The "Clock Set" setup allows you to make clock settings for the recorder.

- 1 Press SET UP, then press \uparrow/\downarrow to select OPTION and press ENTER.

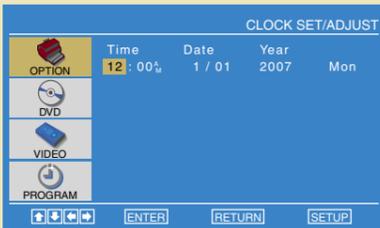


- 2 Press \uparrow/\downarrow to select "Clock Set/Adjust," and press ENTER.



- 3 Press \uparrow/\downarrow to set the time, and press \rightarrow . Set the date and year in sequence.

The day of the week is set automatically.



- 4 Press ENTER to start the clock.

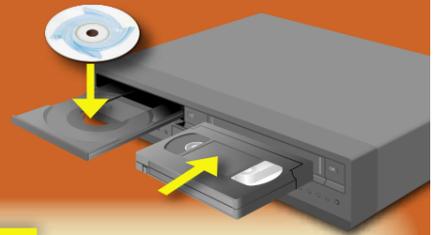
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Don't know which device you are operating?

If the remote does not seem to function, you may be operating your TV, not the DVD-VCR. Set the TV/DVD-VIDEO switch on the remote. Also, some buttons work only for the DVD player or the VCR. Be aware of the one you are controlling: check the "DVD" or "VIDEO" indicator in the display window and select by pressing SELECT DVD or SELECT VIDEO.



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Select DVD or VIDEO

Which do you want to use?

For operating the DVD player

Press SELECT DVD.
"DVD" is lit in the display window.



For operating the VCR

Press SELECT VIDEO.
"VIDEO" is lit in the display window.



Record a TV program from the connected device

- 1 Press SELECT VIDEO to control the VCR.
- 2 Insert a tape with its safety tab in place.
- 3 Press INPUT SELECT to select a input source.



- 4 Select a channel on your cable box or satellite receiver.

- 5 Press SP/EP to select the tape speed, SP (Standard Play) or EP (Extended Play).



- 6 Press \bullet REC.

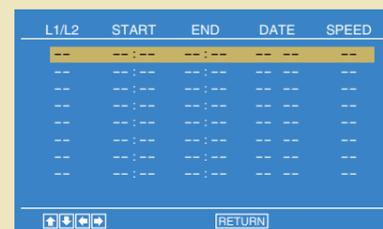


Keep the channel you want to record set on your cable box or satellite receiver, and leave it turned on.

To stop recording
Press \blacksquare STOP.

Record a TV program from the connected device using the timer

- 1 Press SELECT VIDEO to control the VCR.
- 2 Insert a tape with its safety tab in place.
- 3 Press TIMER.

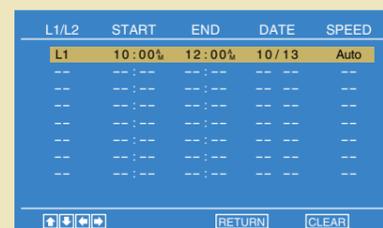


- 4 Set L1 or L2, start and stop times, date, and tape speed.

Press \leftarrow/\rightarrow to select each item, and \uparrow/\downarrow to set it.

- 5 Select a channel on your cable box or satellite receiver.

- 6 Press \rightarrow to confirm the setting.



- 7 Press \circlearrowleft RETURN to exit the menu.

The \ominus indicator appears in the display window and the VCR stands by for recording.

Timer recording will operate properly regardless if the DVD-VCR is turned on or off.

- 8 Keep the channel you want to record set on your cable box or satellite receiver, and leave it turned on.

To cancel the setting
Press CLEAR in STEP 4.

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Why is the \ominus indicator flashing in the display window?

The \ominus indicator flashes when a timer setting is set with no tape to record on. Insert a tape with its safety tab in place.