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Instruction Manual

DVD-V540
DVD-V440
DVD-V340
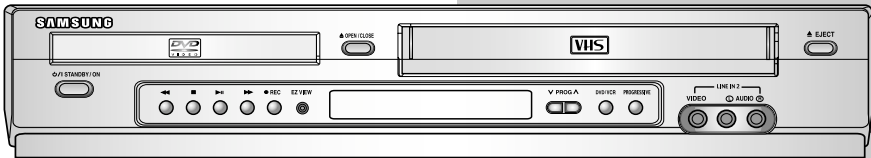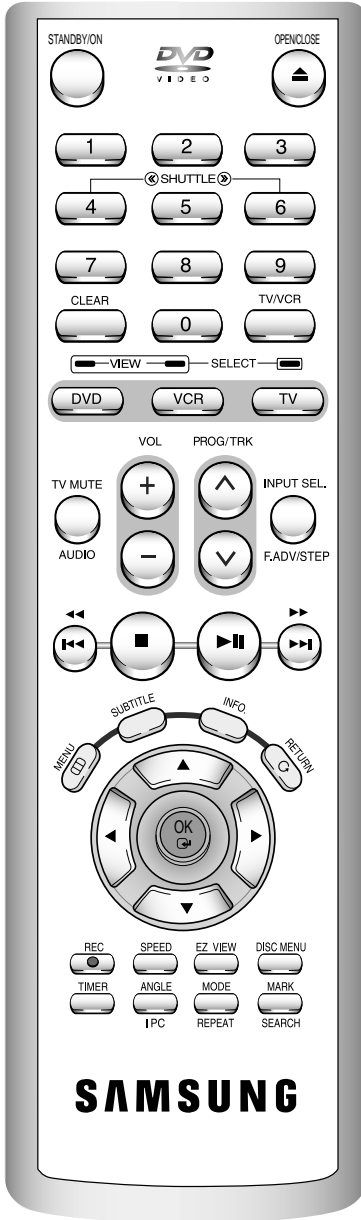
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Remote Control Overview

(DVD-V540)   **(DVD-V440/DVD-V340)**

Contents

Safety Instructions

The following illustrations represent precautions.

⚠ **The lightning bolt is a warning sign alerting you to dangerous voltage inside the product.**
DO NOT OPEN THE DVD-VCR. Refer to service personnel.
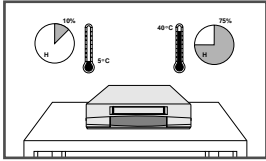
Do NOT expose the DVD-VCR to extreme temperature conditions (below 5°C and above 40°C) or to extreme humidity conditions (less than 10% and more than 75%).
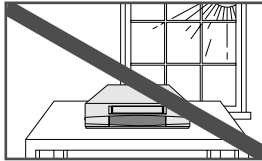
Do NOT expose the DVD-VCR to direct sunlight.
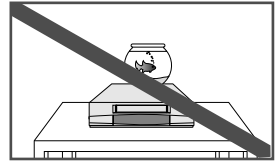
Do NOT expose the DVD-VCR to any liquids.
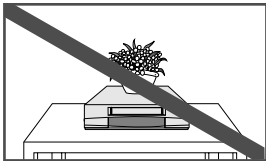
Do NOT place any objects on the DVD-VCR or remote control.
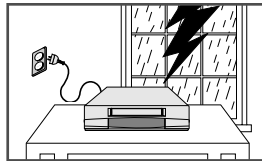
During a storm and/or lightning, unplug the DVD-VCR from the mains socket and aerial.
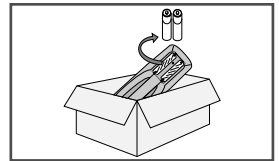
If the remote control is not used for a long period of time, remove the batteries and store it in a cool, dry place.

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THIS DEVICE IS NOT FOR USE IN INDUSTRIAL
                ENVIRONMENTS
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Disc Type and Characteristics

This DVD player is capable of playing the following types of discs with the corresponding logos :

Disc Types (Logos)	Recording Types	Disc Size	Max. Playing Time	Characteristics
DVD DVD VIDEO	Audio + Video	12 Cm	Single-sided 240 min. Double-sided 480 min.	• DVD contains excellent sound and video due to Dolby Digital and MPEG-2 system. • Various screen and audio functions can be easily selected through the on-screen menu.
		8 Cm	Single-sided 80 min. Double-sided 160 min.	
VIDEO-CD COMPACT disc DIGITAL VIDEO	Audio + Video	12 Cm	74 min.	• Video with CD sound, VHS quality & MPEG-1 compression technology.
		8 Cm	20 min.	
AUDIO-CD COMPACT disc DIGITAL AUDIO	Audio	12 Cm	74 min.	• An LP is recorded as an analog signal with more distortion. CD is recorded as a Digital Signal with better audio quality, less distortion and less deterioration of audio quality over time.
		8 Cm	20 min.	

* DO NOT play CD-ROM, CD-I and DVD-ROM in this player!
  (CDGs play audio only, not graphics.)
* It may not be to play CD-R,CD-RW and DVD-R in all cases due to the type of disc or condition of the recording.

Disc Markings

⊕ ~ ⑥	• Play Region Number
PAL	• PAL colour system in Australia, Newzealand, etc.
NTSC	• NTSC broadcast system in U.S.A, Canada, Korea, Japan, etc.
DOLBY DIGITAL	• Dolby Digital disc
STEREO	• Stereo disc
DIGITAL SOUND	• Digital Audio disc
dts	• DTS disc
DIVX VIDEO	• Disc contains a Divx software product

Play Region Number

Both the DVD player and the discs are coded by region. These regional codes must match in order for the disc to play. If the codes do not match, the disc will not play.
The Region Number for this player is described on the rear panel of the player.

Front View of the DVD-VCR

(DVD-V540)
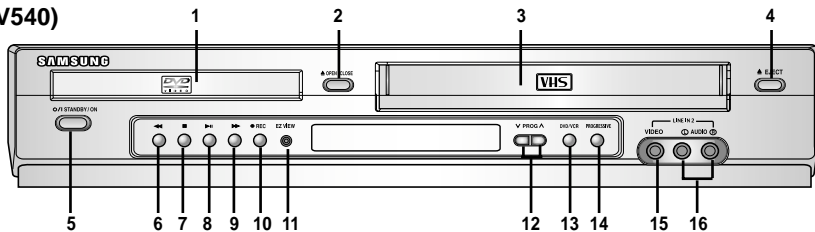
1 DVD DECK	**7** STOP BUTTON	**13** DVD / VCR SELECT BUTTON
2 OPEN/CLOSE BUTTON	**8** PLAY/STILL BUTTON	**14** PROGRESSIVE BUTTON
3 VIDEO CASSETE COMPARTMENT	**9** F.F / SKIP NEXT BUTTON	**15** LINE IN2 VIDEO INPUT JACK
4 EJECT BUTTON	**10** RECORD BUTTON	**16** LINE IN2 AUDIO L, R INPUT JACK
5 STANDBY/ON BUTTON	**11** EZ VIEW BUTTON	
6 REW/SKIP BACK BUTTON	**12** PROGRAME SELECTION BUTTON	

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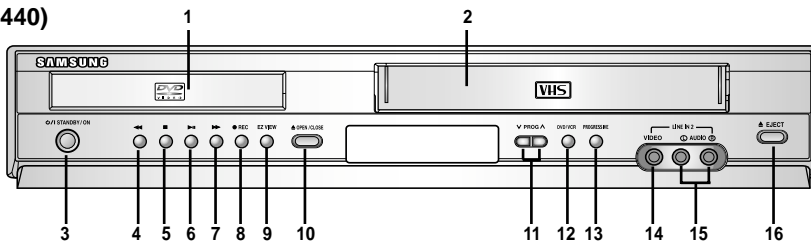
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4 REW/SKIP BACK BUTTON	**10** OPEN/CLOSE BUTTON	**16** EJECT BUTTON
5 STOP BUTTON	**11** PROGRAME SELECTION BUTTON	
6 PLAY/STILL BUTTON	**12** DVD / VCR SELECT BUTTON	

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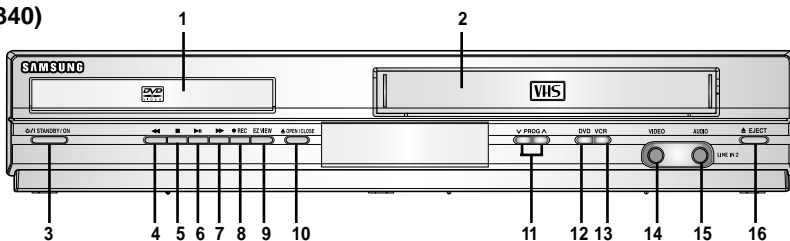
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Rear View of the DVD-VCR

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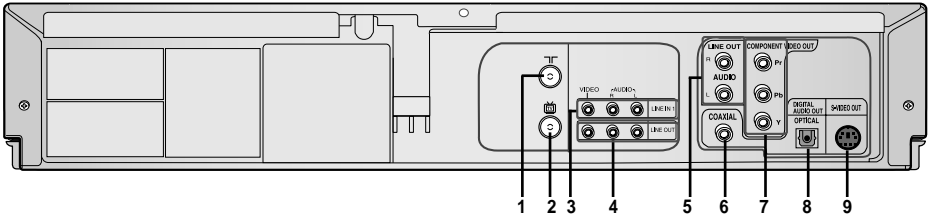
1 RF ANTENNA INPUT	**5** AUDIO LINE OUT TO TV	**7** COMPONENT VIDEO OUT
2 RF OUT TO TV	(S-VIDEO OR COMPONENT)	**8** DIGITAL AUDIO OUT SOCKET
3 LINE IN 1	**6** DIGITAL AUDIO OUT SOCKET	(OPTICAL)
4 LINE OUT TO TV (COMPOSITE)	(COAXIAL)	**9** S-VIDEO OUT JACK
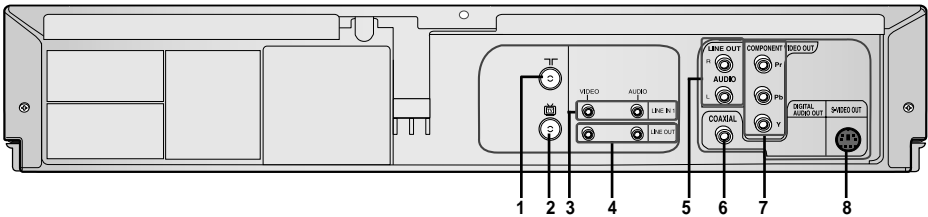
(DVD-V340)

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2 RF OUT TO TV	(S-VIDEO OR COMPONENT)	**8** S-VIDEO OUT JACK
3 LINE IN 1	**6** DIGITAL AUDIO OUT SOCKET	
4 LINE OUT TO TV (COMPOSITE)	(COAXIAL)	

Accessories

You have just purchased a SAMSUNG Video Cassette Recorder (DVD-VCR).
Together with your DVD-VCR, you will find the following accessories in the box.

REMOTE CONTROL & BATTERIES	AUDIO & VIDEO CABLE ★(DVD-540/SV-DVD440)	OWNER'S INSTRUCTIONS	COAXIAL CABLE
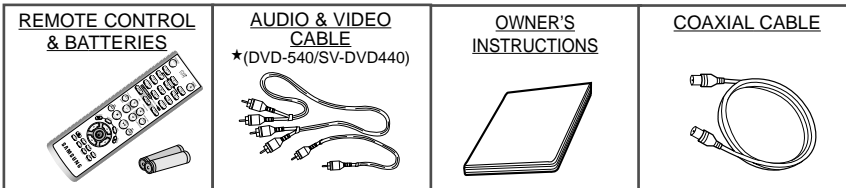
Display Indicators
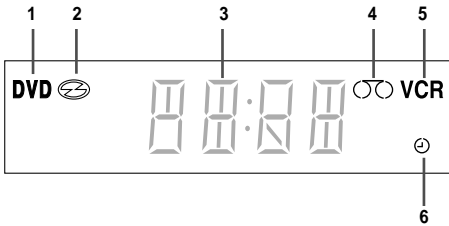
1 The DVD Deck is active
2 A DVD, CD, VCD, or SVCD is loaded
3 The time, counter position, time remaining or current deck status is displayed
4 VHS tape is inserted
5 The VCR Deck is active
6 A Timer Recording is programmed or in progress.

Inserting Batteries in the Remote Control

You must insert or replace the batteries in the remote control when you:

◆ *Purchase the DVD-VCR*
◆ *Find that the remote control is no longer working correctly*

1 Push the tab in the direction of the arrow to release the battery compartment cover on the rear of the remote control.

2 Insert two AAA, RO3 or equivalent batteries, taking care to respect the polarities:
◆ + on the battery with + on the remote control
◆ – on the battery with – on the remote control

3 Replace the cover by aligning it with the base of the remote control and pushing it back into place.
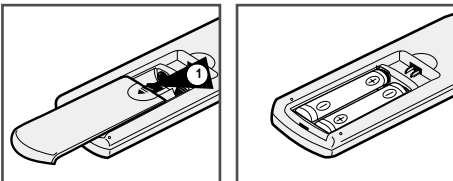
➢ *Do not mix different battery types (manganese and alkaline for example).*

Connecting DVD-VCR to the TV using the Coaxial Cable

To receive television programmes a signal must be received from one of the following sources:

◆ *An outdoor aerial*
◆ *An indoor aerial*
◆ *A cable television network*
◆ *A satellite receiver*

☞ *Make sure that both the television and the DVD-VCR are switched off before connecting the cables.*

1 Remove the aerial or network input cable from the television.

2 Connect this cable to the 75Ω coaxial socket marked ⊓⌐ on the rear of your DVD-VCR.

3 Plug the coaxial cable supplied into the [TV] socket on your DVD-VCR.

4 Plug the other end of the coaxial cable into the connector previously used for the aerial on the television.

5 To obtain better quality pictures and sound on your television, you can also connect your DVD-VCR to the television via the RCA cable (see next page) if your television is equipped with this type of connection.
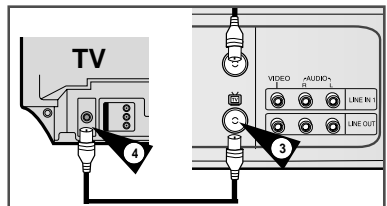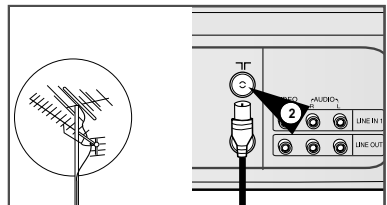
Connecting DVD-VCR to the TV using the RCA Cable

You can connect your DVD-VCR to the television using the RCA cable if the appropriate input is available on the television. You thus:

◆ *Obtain better quality sound and pictures*

◆ *Simplify the setting up procedure of your DVD-VCR*

☞ *Regardless of the type of connection chosen, you must always connect the coaxial cable supplied. Otherwise, no picture will be visible on the screen when the DVD-VCR is switched off.*

☞ *Make sure that both the television and the DVD-VCR are switched off before connecting the cables.*

1 Connect the coaxial cable as indicated on page 7.

2 Connect one end of the RCA Audio/Video cable to the Video output and Audio L, R output socket on the rear of the DVD-VCR.

3 Plug the other end into the appropriate connector on the television.
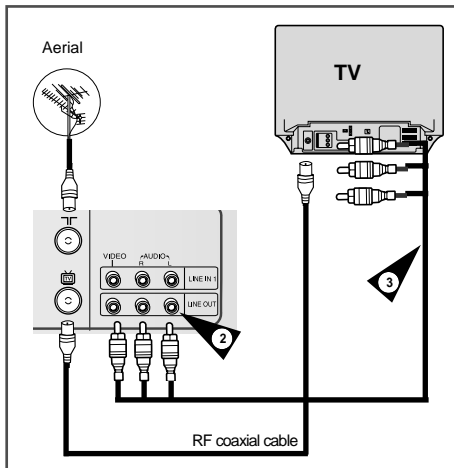
Connecting DVD-VCR to a Satellite Receiver or Other Equipment

You can connect other audio and/or video equipment to your DVD-VCR in different ways. The following illustrations give a few examples of the connection possibilities.

➢ *The RCA input/output connectors on the rear of the DVD-VCR are used for equipment, such as camcorders, VCRs or sound systems.*
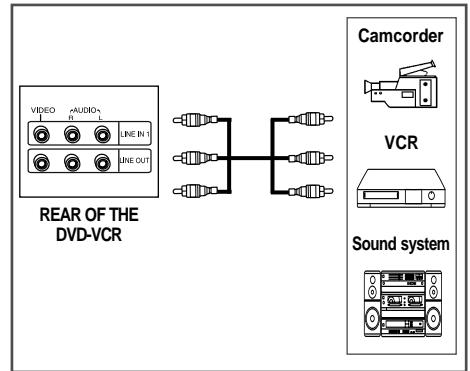
Plug & Auto Set up

Your DVD-VCR will automatically set itself up when it is plugged into the mains for the first time. TV stations will be stored in memory. The process takes a few minutes. Your DVD-VCR will then be ready for use.

1 Connect the coaxial cable as indicated on page 7. (Connecting Your DVD-VCR to the TV Using the Coaxial Cable)

2 Plug the DVD-VCR into the mains.
Result: The **Language Set** menu is displayed.

3 Select the required language by pressing the ▲ or ▼ buttons.

4 Press OK to store the language selected.
Result: A message appears.

5 Press OK button.

6 Press OK to start the auto scanning.

◆ The number of stations automatically stored by theVCR depends on the number of stations that it has found.

Plug & Auto Set up

```
                              Auto setup


        Please wait
                              00 %
        I - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - I




                              RETURN     MENU
```

```
                              Clock Set


        Time       Date       Year

        12 : 00    1/JAN      2004  THU



             OK        RETURN     MENU
```
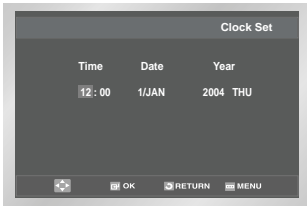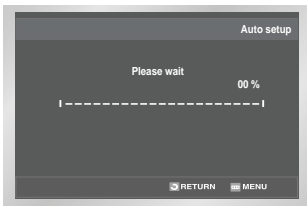
➢ *Auto preset can be performed by pressing ■ on the VCR continuously for 5 seconds or more with no tape inserted.*

Tuning Your Television for the DVD-VCR

You must tune your television for the DVD-VCR only if you are not using a RCA cable

➢ *To view pictures from your DVD-VCR when a RCA cable is used, the television must be set to the audio/video mode (AV).*

1 Switch on the television.

2 Switch on the DVD-VCR by pressing STANDBY/ON on the front of the DVD-VCR or STANDBY/ON on the remote control.

3 Select a programme position on the television to be reserved for use with your DVD-VCR.

4 Insert the video cassette in the DVD-VCR. Check that the DVD-VCR starts reading the cassette; if not, press ►❙❙ button.

5 Start a scan on your television or set the television to UHF channel 36 (Australia:UHF 38 CH).

6 Fine tune the television until the pictures and sound are obtained clearly.

7 If you cannot find the pictures and sound, or there is interference from nearby channels, it may be necessary to change the setting of the DVD-VCR output channel (see Setting the DVD-VCR Output Channel on page 14 and Problems and Solutions on page 47).

8 When the picture and sound are perfectly clear, store this channel at the desired programme position on the television.
Result: That programme is now reserved for use with your DVD-VCR.

Deck Control Keys

The DVD-VCR uses one set of controls to operate both decks. The following keys are helpful in successfully controlling each deck.

1 Standby/on Button
Press the STANDBY/ON button on the remote control or front panel to turn on the DVD-VCR.

2 DVD Button
Press the DVD button on the remote control when you want to control the DVD deck.
◆ The DVD indicator will light on the Front Panel Display to show that the DVD deck is selected.

3 VCR Button
Press the VCR button on remote control when you want to control the VCR deck.
◆ The VCR indicator will light on the Front Panel Display to show that VHS deck is selected.

4 INPUT SEL. BUTTON
Press the INPUT SEL. button repeatedly to cycle through all of your input sources, including the Tuner (PR##), Line 1 (rear AV input), and Line 2 (front AV input).
• Input select is only available when the VCR deck is selected.

➢ *Before using the VCR operation of 10~28 pages, press the VCR button on the remote control to select VCR mode.*

Before using the DVD operation of 29~45 pages, press the DVD button on the remote control to select and watch DVD.

Setting the Date and Time

Your DVD-VCR contains a 24-hour clock and calendar used to:

◆ *Automatically stop programme recording*
◆ *Preset your DVD-VCR to record a programme automatically*

You must set the date and time when:

◆ *You purchase the DVD-VCR*

☞ ◆ *Do not forget to reset the time when you change clocks from winter to summer time and vice versa.*

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

```
                                    Setup
  SETUP    Language        : English    ▶
  DVD      Clock                        ▶
           Install                      ▶
  VCR      User Set                     ▶
           Auto Power Off  : Off        ▶
  PROG     Screen Messages : On         ▶
  FUNC
           ◼ OK    ◼ RETURN   ◼ MENU
```

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **Clock** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
Result: The **Clock Set** menu is displayed.

```
                                  Clock Set
  SETUP    Time      Date       Year
           12 : 00   1 / JAN /  2004   THU
  DVD
  VCR
  PROG
  FUNC
           ◼ OK    ◼ RETURN   ◼ MENU
```

4 Press ◀ or ▶ to select the hour, minutes, day, month and year.
Result: The option selected highlight.

5 Press the ◀ or ▶ buttons to increase or decrease the value.
Result: The day of the week is displayed automatically.

➢ You can hold the ▲,▼ buttons down to scroll more quickly through the values.

6 On completion, press RETURN to exit the menu.

Setting the Menu Language

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

```
                                    Setup
  SETUP    Language        : English    ▶
  DVD      Clock                        ▶
           Install                      ▶
  VCR      User Set                     ▶
           Auto Power Off  : Off        ▶
  PROG     Screen Messages : On         ▶
  FUNC
           ◼ OK    ◼ RETURN   ◼ MENU
```

2 Use the ▲ , ▼ buttons to highlight **Language**, then press the OK or ▶.

3 Place the selection arrow next to your desired Language, then press the OK button.

```
                               Language Set
           ▶ English
             Français
             Deutsch
             Español
             Italiano
             Nederlands
             Русский
           ◼ OK    ◼ RETURN   ◼ MENU
```

4 On completion, press RETURN to exit the menu.

☞ *You do not need to preset the stations if you have already set them automatically (see Plug & Auto Set Up on page 9).*

Your DVD-VCR contains a built-in tuner used to receive television broadcasts.

You must preset the stations received through the tuner. This can be done:

◆ *Plug & Auto Set up (see page 9)*
◆ *Automatically*
◆ *Manually (see page 12)*

You can store up to 80 stations.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.
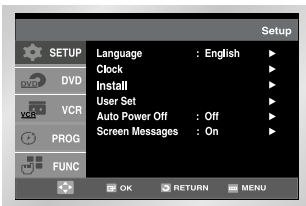
```
                                   Setup
  SETUP    Language      : English    ▶
           Clock                      ▶
  DVD      Install                    ▶
           User Set                   ▶
  VCR      Auto Power Off : Off       ▶
           Screen Messages : On       ▶
  PROG

  FUNC
           ▣ OK      ↻ RETURN     ▦ MENU
```

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **Install** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
Result: The **Install** menu is displayed.

```
                                   Install
  SETUP    Auto Setup                 ▶
           Manual Setup               ▶
  DVD      VCR Output CH   : CH 38    ▶

  VCR
                                            Australia
  PROG                                       Model

  FUNC
           ▣ OK      ↻ RETURN     ▦ MENU
```

```
                                   Install
  SETUP    Auto Setup                 ▶
           Manual Setup               ▶
  DVD      TV System       : G        ▶
           VCR Output CH   : CH 36    ▶
  VCR
                                            Newzealand
  PROG                                        Model

  FUNC
           ▣ OK      ↻ RETURN     ▦ MENU
```
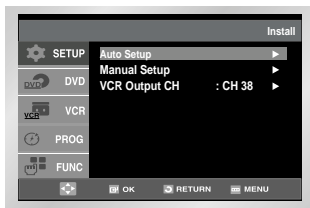
4 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons, until the **Auto Setup** is selected.
And then press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
Result: A message appears, indicating that any channels already preset on your DVD-VCR will be deleted.

5 Press OK to start the auto scanning.

```
                                Auto Setup

          Your data will be lost

          Press  OK   to continue
                 Menu to exit


          ▣ OK      ↻ RETURN     ▦ MENU
```

```
                                Auto Setup


               Please Wait
                                       15%
          I▶▶▶----------------------I


                    ↻ RETURN     ▦ MENU
```

Result: ◆ The **Please Wait** indication highlight on the television screen.
◆ The first frequency band is scanned and the first station found is displayed and stored.
◆ The DVD-VCR then searches for the second station and so on.
◆ When the automatic scanning procedure has finished, the DVD-VCR switches automatically to programme 1.

➢ The number of stations automatically stored by the DVD-VCR depends on the number of stations that it has found.

6 If you wish to cancel the auto scanning before the end, press the MENU button to exit the menu.

➢ *Once the auto scanning procedure has finished, some stations may have been stored more than once; select the stations with the best reception and delete the ones no longer required . (See page 13)*

Presetting the Stations Manually

☞ *You do not need to preset the stations manually if you have already set them automatically.*

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **Install** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
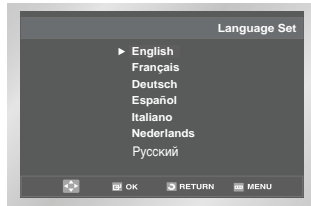Result: The **Install** menu is displayed.

```
                                          Install
   SETUP   Auto Setup                    ▶
           Manual Setup                  ▶
   DVD     VCR Output CH    : CH 38      ▶          Australia
                                                     Model
   VCR
   PROG
   FUNC
            OK        RETURN      MENU
```

```
                                          Install
   SETUP   Auto Setup                    ▶
           Manual Setup                  ▶
   DVD     TV System         : G         ▶          Newzealand
           VCR Output CH     : CH 36     ▶            Model
   VCR
   PROG
   FUNC
            OK        RETURN      MENU
```

4 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons, until the **Manual Setup** option is selected.

5 Press the OK or ▶ to select a **Manual Setup** option.
Result: The **TV STATION TABLE** menu is displayed.

```
   ★ ★       TV STATION TABLE       ★ ★
   PR        CH           NAME
   1
   2
   3
   4
   5
   ▲▼ ▶                    SWAPPING : OK
   DELETE : CLEAR                 RETURN
```
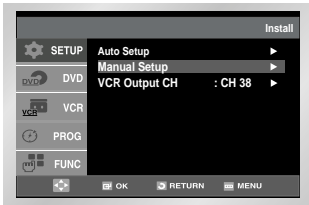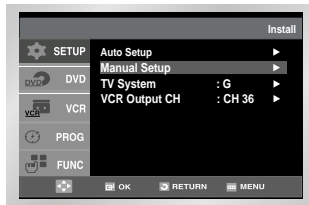
6 Press the ▲ , ▼ buttons to select a programme number as required.

7 Press the ▶ button to preset the station.
Result: The **MANUAL TUNING** menu is displayed.

```
   ★ ★      MANUAL TUNING      ★ ★
   PR             :
   CH             : --
   MFT            : -
   NAME           : - - - -

   ▲▼  ◀▶                  MEMORY : OK
                              RETURN
```

8 Press the ◀ or ▶ buttons to start scanning the channels.
Result: The frequency band is scanned and the first station found is displayed.

9 Press the ▲ , ▼ buttons until the **NAME** is selected. The station name is set automatically from the broadcast signal.

10 To change the programme's name, press the ▶ button.
Result: The first letter of the name flashes.

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To...	Then...
Select a character in the name	Press the ▲ , ▼ button until the required character is displayed (letters, numbers or "-" character).
Move to the next or previous character	Press the ◀ or ▶ buttons respectively.

12

If you...	Then...
Wish to store the station displayed	◆ Press the ▲ , ▼ buttons until the **MFT** is selected. ◆ Press the ◀ , ▶ buttons to adjust the picture, if necessary. ◆ Press OK to store the station
Do not wish to store the station displayed	◆ Press the ▲ , ▼ buttons until the **CH** is selected. ◆ Press the ◀ , ▶ buttons to go on scanning the frequency band and display the next station ◆ Go back to the beginning of Step 14

13 Repeat this procedure from Step 6 onwards, until all the required stations have been stored.

14 On completion, press the RETURN button three times to exit the menu.

Clearing a Preset Station

☞ *If you have stored a TV station:*

  ◆ *That you do not require*
  ◆ *At the wrong programme position you can cancel it.*

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

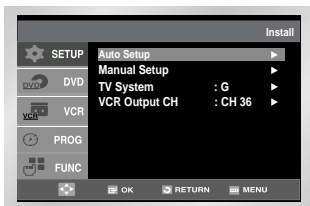**2** Press the corresponding ▲ ,▼ buttons to select the **Install** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
Result: The **Install** menu is displayed.

		Install	
⚙ **SETUP**	Auto Setup	▶	
📀 **DVD**	Manual Setup	▶	**Australia Model**
📼 **VCR**	VCR Output CH : CH 38	▶	
⊙ **PROG**			
📟 **FUNC**			
	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU		

		Install	
⚙ **SETUP**	Auto Setup	▶	
📀 **DVD**	Manual Setup	▶	**Newzealand Model**
📼 **VCR**	TV System : G	▶	
⊙ **PROG**	VCR Output CH : CH 36	▶	
📟 **FUNC**			
	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU		

4 Press the corresponding ▲ ,▼ buttons, until the **Manual Setup** option is selected.
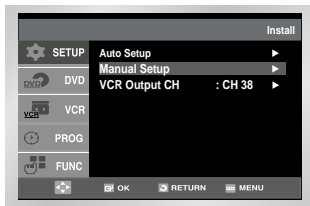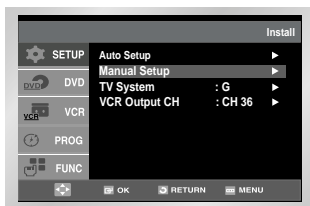
5 Press the OK or ▶ to select a **Manual Setup** option.
Result: The **TV STATION TABLE** menu is displayed.

★ ★ TV STATION TABLE ★ ★		
PR	CH	NAME
1	21	
2		
3		
4		
5		
▲▼ ▶		SWAPPING : OK
DELETE : CLEAR		RETURN
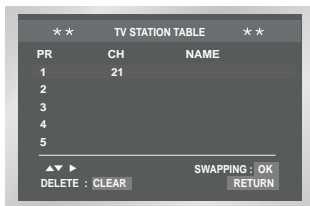
6 Press the corresponding ▲ ,▼ buttons, until the required preset TV station (PR) is selected.

7 Press the CLEAR button.

8 Repeat the same procedure from Step 6 onwards until all the required stations have been cleared.

9 On completion, press the RETURN button four times to exit the menu.

Changing the Preset Station Table

You can rearrange the Station Table and give different programme numbers to the stations listed according to your own preferences.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲ ,▼ buttons to select the **Install** option.
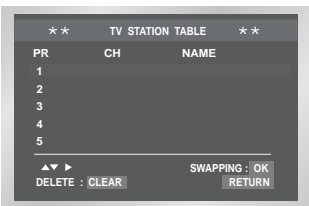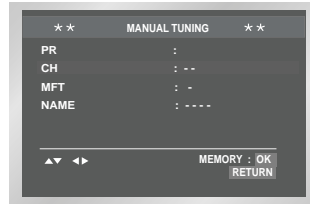
3 Press the OK or ▶ buttons to select this option.
Result: The **Install** menu is displayed.

		Install	
⚙ **SETUP**	Auto Setup	▶	
📀 **DVD**	Manual Setup	▶	**Australia Model**
📼 **VCR**	VCR Output CH : CH 38	▶	
⊙ **PROG**			
📟 **FUNC**			
	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU		

		Install	
⚙ **SETUP**	Auto Setup	▶	
📀 **DVD**	Manual Setup	▶	**Newzealand Model**
📼 **VCR**	TV System : G	▶	
⊙ **PROG**	VCR Output CH : CH 36	▶	
📟 **FUNC**			
	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU		

4 Press the corresponding ▲ ,▼ buttons, until the **Manual Setup** option is selected.
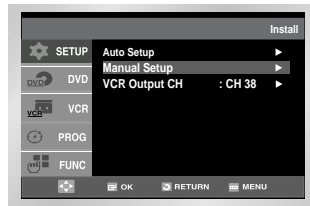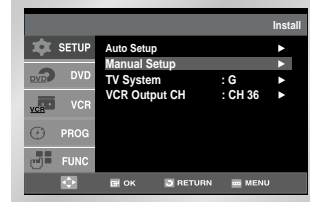
5 Press the OK or ▶ button to select this option.
Result: The **TV STATION TABLE** menu is displayed.

★ ★ TV STATION TABLE ★ ★		
PR	CH	NAME
1	21	- - - -
2		
3		
4		
5		
▲▼ ▶		SWAPPING : OK
DELETE : CLEAR		RETURN

★ ★ TV STATION TABLE ★ ★		
PR	CH	NAME
1		
2		
3	21	- - - -
4		
5		
▲▼ ▶		SWAPPING : OK
DELETE : CLEAR		RETURN

6 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons, until the required preset TV programme is selected.
Result: The selected station is displayed at the same time on the television screen.

7 To change the programme number assigned to a station press the OK button on the remote control. (For example, To move a TV station in programme 1 to programme 3)

8 Press the ▲ , ▼ buttons to select required position. And then press OK again to swap the position.

9 On completion, press the RETURN button four times to exit the menu.

Selecting the RF OUT Sound Mode (B/G-D/K) (Newzealand Model only)

You can choose the sound mode (B/G or D/K) according to the TV set connected to your VCR.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **Install** option.

3 Press the OK button to select this option.
Result: The **Install** menu is displayed.

4 Press the OK or ▶ buttons, until the **TV System** option is selected.
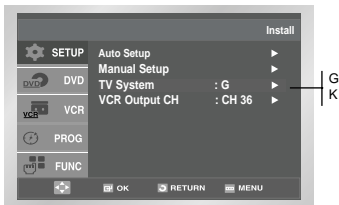
```
                                    Install
 SETUP    Auto Setup              ▶
          Manual Setup            ▶         G
 DVD      TV System      : G      ▶         K
          VCR Output CH  : CH 36  ▶
 VCR
 PROG
 FUNC
          OK    RETURN    MENU
```

5 Press the OK or ▶ button to select G or K.

6 On completion, press RETURN to exit the menu.

Setting the DVD-VCR Output Channel

Your DVD-VCR output channel may need to be changed if the pictures suffer from interference or if your TV cannot find the pictures.
Also, you can change the DVD-VCR output channel to adjust the frequency in which information is displayed on the screen.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **Install** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
Result: The **Install** menu is displayed.

```
 Australia Model
```

```
                                    Install
 SETUP    Auto Setup              ▶          CH:28
          Manual Setup            ▶           :
 DVD      VCR Output CH  : CH 38  ▶          CH:38
                                              :
 VCR                                         CH:69
 PROG
 FUNC
          OK    RETURN    MENU
```

```
 Newzealand Model
```

```
                                    Install
 SETUP    Auto Setup              ▶          CH:21
          Manual Setup            ▶           :
 DVD      TV System      : G                 CH:36
          VCR Output CH  : CH 36  ▶           :
 VCR                                         CH:69
 PROG
 FUNC
          OK    RETURN    MENU
```
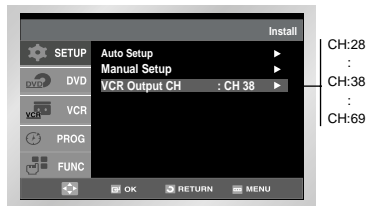
4 Press the ▲ , ▼ buttons, until the **VCR Output CH** option is selected.

5 Select the required output channel (CH21 ~ CH69) by pressing the OK or ▶ buttons, and ◀ buttons. (Australia:CH28 ~ CH69).

(Australia Model)
→ CH28 ↔ .. CH38 ↔ .. CH69 ←
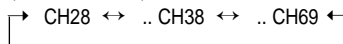
(Newzealand Model)
→ CH21 ↔ .. CH36 ↔ .. CH69 ←

6 On completion, press RETURN to exit the menu. Then tune your television again (see page 9).

Selecting the Colour Mode

Before recording or playing back a cassette, you can select the required system standard.

➢ *When you playback an NTSC-recorded tape on this DVD-VCR make a setting on the colour system according to your TV. If your TV is a PAL system only TV, set NTPB.*
If your TV is Multi System TV (NTSC 4.43 compatible), set NT4.43 and you can record NT4.43.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **User Set** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
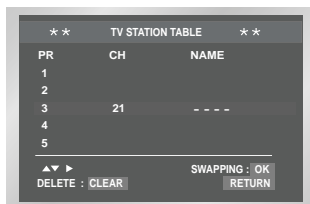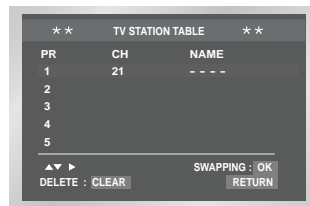Result: The **User Set** menu is displayed.

Australia Model
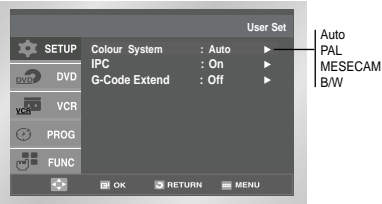
Newzealand Model
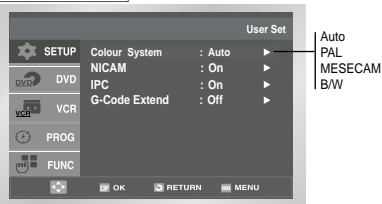
4 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons, until the **Colour System** option is selected.

5 Press the OK or ▶ button to select
Auto → PAL→ MESECAM → B/W.

B/W	Black and White

6 On completion, press RETURN three time to exit the menu.

NICAM (Newzealand Model only)
★**(DVD-V540/DVD-V440)**

NICAM programmes are divided into 3 types. NICAM Stereo, NICAM Mono and Bilingual (transmission in another language). NICAM programmes are always accompanied by a standard mono sound broadcast and you can select the desired sound.
Please refer to page 23.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the **User Set** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ to select this option.
Result: The **User Set** menu is displayed.
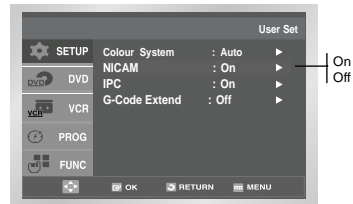
4 Press the corresponding ▲ , ▼ buttons, until the **NICAM** option is selected.

5 To...	Press OK or ▶, until...
Mono mode	Off is displayed. Off: Only set at this position to record the standard mono sound during a NICAM broadcast if the stereo sound is distorted due to inferior reception conditions.
NICAM mode	**On** is displayed. On: Normally set at this position.

6 On completion, press RETURN three times to exit the menu.

Intelligent Picture Control

The Intelligent Picture Control Feature allows you to adjust the sharpness of the image automatically, according to your own preferences.

1 During playback, press the MENU button on the remote control.

2 Press the OK or ▶.
Result: The Setup menu is displayed.

3 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons to select the **User Set** option.

4 Press the OK or ▶ buttons to select this option.
Result: The **User Set** menu is displayed.

Australia Model

```
                                        User Set
  SETUP   Colour System    : Auto    ▶
  DVD     IPC              : On      ▶      On
  DVD     G-Code Extend    : Off     ▶      Off
  VCR
  PROG
  FUNC
         ▣ OK    ▨ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```

Newzealand Model

```
                                        User Set
  SETUP   Colour System    : Auto    ▶
          NICAM            : On      ▶
  DVD     IPC              : On      ▶      On
          G-Code Extend    : Off     ▶      Off
  VCR
  PROG
  FUNC
         ▣ OK    ▨ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```
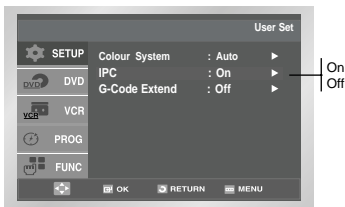
5 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **IPC** option is selected.

6 Press the OK or ▶ buttons to select the IPC (intelligent picture control) option.
➢ When intelligent picture control mode is **ON**, the sharpness of the image is adjusted automatically.

7 To adjust the sharpness manually, press the ▼ button to turn the IPC mode **OFF**.

8 Press the ◀ or ▶ buttons until the picture is displayed according to your preferences.
➢ If you do not press a button within ten seconds, the **PICTURE** menu disappears automatically.

9 On completion, press the RETURN button.

G-CODE Extend ★ (DVD-V540 Only)

To prevent delays or over-runs the VCR has a function called G-CODE EXTEND allowing you to extend the recording time by up to 60 minutes.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.

2 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons to select the **User Set** option.

3 Press the OK or ▶ buttons to select this option.
Result: The **User Set** menu is displayed.

Australia Model

```
                                        User Set
  SETUP   Colour System    : Auto    ▶       Off
  DVD     IPC              : On      ▶       10
  DVD     G-Code Extend    : Off     ▶       20
  VCR                                        30
  PROG                                       40
  FUNC                                       50
         ▣ OK    ▨ RETURN    ▦ MENU          60
```

Newzealand Model

```
                                        User Set
  SETUP   Colour System    : Auto    ▶       Off
          NICAM            : On      ▶       10
  DVD     IPC              : On      ▶       20
          G-Code Extend    : Off     ▶       30
  VCR                                        40
  PROG                                       50
  FUNC                                       60
         ▣ OK    ▨ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```
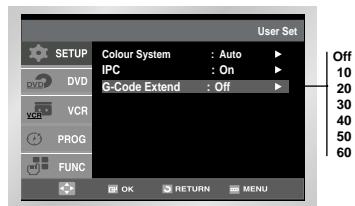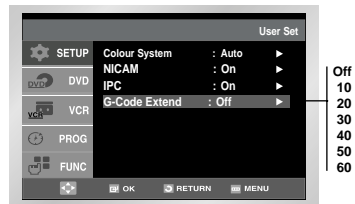
4 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **G-Code Extend** option is selected.

5 Press the OK or ▶ buttons to set the **G-Code Extend** time by increments of 10 minutes.

6 To turn off, press OK or ▶ buttons repeatedly until **Off** shows.

Auto Power off

The Auto Power Off feature automatically turns off your DVD-VCR if no signal is received and you do not press any button for the selected time.

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
<u>Result:</u> The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **Auto Power Off** option is selected.

		Setup
⚙ SETUP	Language	: English ▶
📀 DVD	Clock	▶
	Install	▶
📼 VCR	User Set	▶
	Auto Power Off	: Off ▶
🕐 PROG	Screen Messages	: On ▶
🎛 FUNC		
✦	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU	

Off
1Hour
2Hour
3Hour
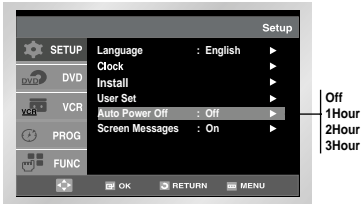
3 Press the OK or ▶ buttons, until you select the time of Auto Power Off interval.

→ Off → 1Hour → 2Hour → 3Hour ┐

4 On completion, press return twice to exit the menu.

Screen Messages

Your DVD-VCR displays most information both on the DVD-VCR and the television.
You can choose to display or hide this information on the television screen (except for the SEARCH, Programming MENU and Timer functions, which cannot be hidden).

1 After pressing the MENU, press the OK or ▶.
<u>Result:</u> The Setup menu is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **Screen Messages** option is selected.

		Setup
⚙ SETUP	Language	: English ▶
📀 DVD	Clock	▶
	Install	▶
📼 VCR	User Set	▶
	Auto Power Off	: Off ▶
🕐 PROG	Screen Messages	: On ▶
🎛 FUNC		
✦	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU	

On
Off
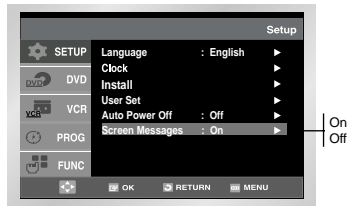
3

To...	Press OK or ▶, until...
Display on-screen information	On is displayed.
Hide on-screen information	Off is displayed.

4 On completion, press RETURN twice to exit the menu.

Selecting the Cassette Type

If you wish to use the tape counter to display the time remaining on a cassette, you must indicate the type of cassette inserted.

1 After pressing the MENU press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons to select the **VCR** option.

2 Press the OK or ▶ buttons to select this option.
<u>Result:</u> The **VCR Setup** menu is displayed.

3 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **Tape Select** option is selected.

4 Press the OK or ▶ buttons as many times as required, until the correct cassette length is displayed.
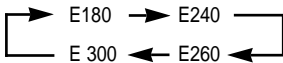
5 Press RETURN twice to exit the menu.

Repeat Play

You can set repeat play to repeat the tape continuously from beginning to end.

To...	Press OK or ▶, until...
Repeat play	**On** is displayed.
Do not wish to repeat play	**Off** is displayed.

Selecting the Recording Speed

You can record a cassette at two different speeds:
- ◆ *SP (Standard Play)*
- ◆ *LP (Long Play)*

In Long Play modes:
- ◆ *Each cassette lasts twice as long*
- ◆ *The recording is of a slightly lower quality*

To record a cassette...	Press the SPEED button on the remote control, until...
In standard play mode	**SP** is displayed.
In long play mode	**LP** is displayed.

Type	Recording Time (in SP)
E-180	**180 mins. or 3 hours**
E-240	**240 mins. or 4 hours**
E-260	**260 mins. or 4 hours and 20 mins.**
E-300	**300 mins. or 5 hours**

S-VHS Play

The DVD-VCR allows you to playback high quality S-VHS tapes.

To...	Press OK or ▶, until...
S-VHS play	**On** is displayed.
Do not wish to S-VHS play	**Off** is displayed.

Recording a Programme Immediately

Before recording a programme, you must have preset the corresponding station (unless you are recording via an external video source). If you have not done so, refer to pages 11 and 12.

1 Switch on the television.

2 To monitor the programme being recorded, select the television channel reserved for use with your DVD-VCR (or the AV input if used).

3 Insert the cassette on which the programme is to be recorded, with the window visible and the safety tab intact or the opening covered with adhesive tape.
Result: The DVD-VCR is switched on automatically.

4 Select:
  ◆ The station to be recorded using the PROG (∧ or ∨) buttons
    or
  ◆ The LINE1, LINE2 source using the INPUT SEL. button for a satellite tuner or external video source
  Result: The station number is displayed and the programme can be seen on the television.

5 Select the recording speed by pressing the SPEED button as many times as required (see page 18).

6 Hold REC (●) down for a while to start recording.
  Result: The record indicator appears on the television and DVD-VCR display. An index is recorded on the tape (see page 25).

7 To stop recording, press ■ once.

➢ ◆ If your DVD-VCR ejects the cassette when you start recording, check to make sure that the cassette's safety tab is intact or that the opening (created by a broken safety tab) is covered with adhesive tape.

  ◆ If you reach the end of the tape while recording, the cassette rewinds automatically.

Protecting a Recorded Cassette

Video cassettes have a safety tab to prevent accidental erasure. When this tab has been removed, you cannot record on the tape.

1 If you wish to protect a cassette, break off the tab using a small screwdriver.

2 To re-record over a protected cassette (safety tab broken), cover the hole with adhesive tape.
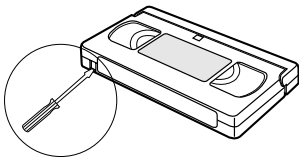
Recording a Programme with Automatic Stop

This function enables you to record up to nine hours (LP) of programmes.
Your DVD-VCR stops automatically after the requested length of time.

1 Switch on the television.

2 To monitor the programme being recorded, select the television channel reserved for use with your DVD-VCR (or the AV input if used).

3 Insert the cassette on which the programme is to be recorded, with the window visible and the safety tab intact or the opening covered with adhesive tape.
Result: The DVD-VCR is switched on automatically.

4 Select:
  ◆ The station to be recorded using the PROG (∧ or ∨) buttons
    or
  ◆ The LINE1, LINE2 source using the INPUT SEL. button for a satellite tuner or external video source
  Result: The channel number is displayed and the programme can be seen on the television.

5 Select the recording speed by pressing the SPEED button as many times as required.

6 Hold the REC button (●) down for a while to start recording.
  Result: The record indicator appears on the television screen and DVD-VCR display. An index is recorded on the tape

7 Press the REC button (●) several times to increase the recording time in:
  ◆ 30-minute intervals up to four hours
  ◆ 1-hour intervals up to nine hours
  Result: The length is displayed on the television displays. The selected programme is recorded for the length of time requested. At the end of that time, the DVD-VCR stops recording automatically and power off.

8 If you wish to cancel the recording before the end, press STANDBY/ON.

☞ If the end of the tape is reached while recording:
  ◆ The recording stops and power off.

```
        LENGTH 2:30

SET LENGTH :
        PRESS  REC ●
```
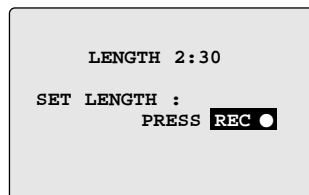
Before presetting your DVD-VCR:
- ◆ *Switch on both the television and your DVD-VCR*
- ◆ *Check that the date and time are correct*
- ◆ *Insert the cassette on which the programme is to be recorded (safety tab intact)*

Up to six programmes can be preset.

1 Press the TIMER button.
Result: The **TIMER METHOD** is displayed.

2 Press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **G-Code** option is selected.

		Timer Method
⚙ SETUP	Standard	▶
📀 DVD	**G-Code**	▶
📼 VCR		
⏱ PROG		
🔧 FUNC		
	OK RETURN MENU	

3 Press the ▶ button to select **G-Code**.
Result: A message is displayed to allow you to enter the G-Code code.

☞ If all six programmes have been set, the message **Timer is Full** is displayed. Refer to page 36 if you wish to cancel a preset recording.

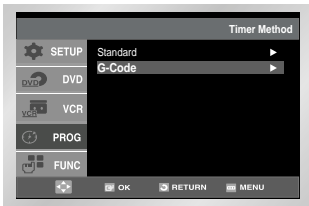|	G-Code
⚙ SETUP	
📀 DVD	Code ▮ – – – – – – – –
📼 VCR	Code : 0 - 9
⏱ PROG	Correct : ◀
🔧 FUNC	
	OK RETURN MENU
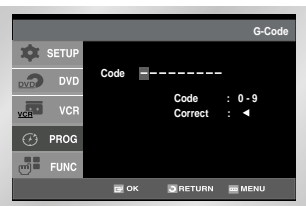
4 Press the numeric buttons to enter the code opposite the programme that you wish to record in your television magazine.

➢ If you wish to correct the G-Code code that you are entering:
- ◆ Press the ◀ button until the digit to be corrected is cleared
- ◆ Enter the correct digit

5 Press the OK button.
Result: The information concerning the programme is displayed.

☞ When using the G-Code function for the first time with stored stations, the programme number flashes. This one time, you must enter the station number manually by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons. Refer to the following page if:

PR	Day	Start	Stop	Speed
1	WE 1	19 : 00	19 : 30	SP
––	–– ––	––:––	––:––	––
––	–– ––	––:––	––:––	––
––	–– ––	––:––	––:––	––
––	–– ––	––:––	––:––	––
––	–– ––	––:––	––:––	––
	OK RETURN MENU			

- ◆ The programme number or times flash
- ◆ You wish to modify the programme

6 If the programme and times are correct, press the RETURN button.

7 Press the STANDBY/ON button to activate the timer.

8 Refer to page 22~23 if you wish to:

- ◆ Check that your VCR has been programmed correctly
- ◆ Cancel a preset recording

☞ The numbers next to each TV programme listing are G-CODE code numbers, which allow you to programme your videorecorder instantly with the remote control. Tap in the G-CODE code for the programme you wish to record.

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If you wish to correct the programme displayed or modify certain elements, such as the recording speed, you can do so before you press MENU a second time to confirm.

If you wish to...	Then...
Select an input source other than the tuner (LINE IN 1 or LINE IN 2)	◆ Press the ◄ or ► buttons, until the **PR** selection flashes. ◆ Press the INPUT SEL. button one or more times to change the input source selection. Result: The programme number is replaced by: • The LINE IN 1 or LINE IN 2 source using the INPUT SEL. button for a satellite tuner or external video source ➢ The input source must be selected before changing any other value.
Record a programme every day (Monday to Sunday) at the same time	◆ Press the ◄ or ► buttons, until the **DAY** selection flashes. ◆ Press the ▲ or ▼ buttons, until the **DLY** (Daily) value is displayed.
Record a programme every week on the same day and at the same time	◆ Press the ◄ or ► buttons, until the **DAY** selection flashes. ◆ Press the ▲ or ▼ buttons, until the **W-** (Week) value is displayed, followed by the required day. Example: **W-SA** (Weekly Saturday)
Extend the recording time	◆ Press the ◄ or ► buttons, until the **STOP** selection flashes. ◆ Press the ▲ or ▼ buttons to increase or decrease the stop time.

Select the recording speed	◆ Press the ◄ or ► buttons, until the recording speed selection flashes.
	◆ Press the ▲ or ▼ buttons until the correct indication is displayed:
	    • **AUTO** (Auto Tape Speed Select) : see page 23
	    • **SP** (Standard Play)
	    • **LP** (Long Play)

Using the Timer Programming Feature

The Timer Programming feature allows you to preset the DVD-VCR to record a programme up to one month before that programme is to be broadcast. Up to six programmes can be preset.

☞ *Before presetting a recording, check that the date and time are correct.*

1 Insert the cassette and press TIMER on the remote control.
Result: The **TIMER METHOD** menu is displayed.

	Timer Method
⚙ SETUP	Standard ▶
DVD DVD	G-Code ▶
VCR VCR	
⊙ PROG	
FUNC	
	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU
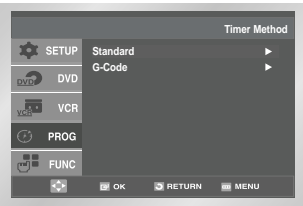
2 Press ▶ to select the input source.

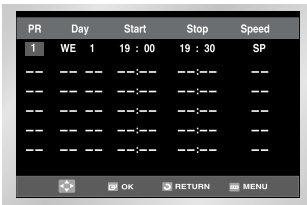| PR	Day	Start	Stop	Speed
1	WE 1	19 : 00	19 : 30	SP
--	-- --	--:--	--:--	--
--	-- --	--:--	--:--	--
--	-- --	--:--	--:--	--
--	-- --	--:--	--:--	--
--	-- --	--:--	--:--	--
	🔲 OK 🔲 RETURN 🔲 MENU			

3 Select the required station by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons or INPUT SEL. to select the LINE1, LINE2 input sources.

4 Press ▶ to select the recording day.

5 Select the required day by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons.

6 Press ▶ to select the recording start time.

7 Select the required hour value by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons.

8 Press ▶ to select the minutes.

9 Select the required minute value by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons.

10 Press ▶ to select the recording stop time.

11 Select the required recording stop time by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons, following the same procedure as when selecting the recording start time.

12 Press ▶ to select the recording speed.

13 Press the ▲, ▼ buttons to select the **SP** (Standard Play), **LP** (Long Play), **Auto** (Auto Tape speed Select) recording speeds.

14 When you have finished, press the RETURN button.

15 Press the STANDBY/ON button to activate the timer.
Result: Before starting recording, the DVD-VCR compares the timer duration with the remaining time on the cassette.

➤ *Auto Tape Speed select. The DVD-VCR's "Auto Tape Speed select" function compares the duration of the timer recording to the actual recording time remaining on the tape loaded. If there is insufficient tape to complete a timer recording in AUTO mode, the DVD-VCR automatically switches to LP mode to record the whole programme.*

Checking a Preset Recording

You can check your preset recordings:
◆ *When you have finished presetting the DVD-VCR*
◆ *If you have forgotten which programmes will be recorded*

1 Press TIMER on the remote control.
Result: The timer selection is displayed.

2 Press the OK button to select **Standard** option.
Result: The **TIMER PROGRAMMING** menu is displayed.

3 Press the ▲, ▼ buttons to select the required programme.

4 Press the ◀ or ▶ buttons to select and change any values as required. For more details, refer to the previous page.

5 On completion, press RETURN twice.

Cancelling a Preset Recording

You can cancel any programmes that are:
◆ *Incorrect*
◆ *No longer required*

1 Press TIMER on the remote control.
Result: The timer selection is displayed.

2 Press the OK button to select **Standard** option.
Result: The **TIMER PROGRAMMING** menu is displayed.

3 Select the programme to be cancelled by pressing the ▲, ▼ buttons.

4 Press the CLEAR button to cancel the selected programme.
Result: All the recording information is deleted and the broadcast will not be recorded.

5 On completion, press RETURN twice.

Playing a Cassette

This function allows you to play back any pre-recorded cassette.

1 Switch on both the television and your DVD-VCR.

2 Insert the video cassette to be played. If the safety tab on the cassette is intact, press ►II.
Otherwise, the cassette is played automatically.

➢ When a cassette is loaded, the tape position is optimized automatically to reduce disturbance (Digital Auto Tracking).
When playing a cassette, if the end of the tape is reached, the cassette is rewound automatically.
NTSC tapes can be played back but cannot be recorded with this DVD-VCR.

3

To...	Then press...
Stop the playback	■ (STOP).
Eject the cassette	▲ (EJECT).

Adjusting Picture Alignment Manually

The Picture Adjustment feature allows you to adjust the alignment manually to obtain the best possible picture.

When noise bars or streaks appear during playback, adjust alignment manually by pressing the TRK buttons until the picture is clear and stable.

Result: ◆ The tracking bar appears.
◆ The image is adjusted.
◆ The tracking bar disappears when you release the button.

Selecting the Audio Output Mode
★ **(DVD-V540/DVD-V440)**

You can select the mode in which the sound is reproduced on the loudspeakers and AV outputs. The following options are available.

Option	Description
L	Used to listen to the sound on the left Hi-Fi channel.
R	Used to listen to the sound on the right Hi-Fi channel.
MIX	Used to listen to the mixed sound of the Hi-Fi and normal channels.
MONO	Used to listen to the sound on the normal mono channel.
L R	Used to listen to Hi-Fi stereo sound on the left and right channels. ➢ When playing back tapes recorded in Hi-Fi, the sound switches to Hi-Fi after five seconds of Mono.

To select the sound mode, simply press the AUDIO button on the remote control until the required option is displayed.

```
  ┌──→ L ──→ R ──→ MIX ─┐
  └── L R ←── MONO ←─────┘
```
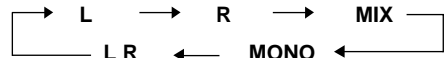
Playing a Cassette in Slow Motion

You can play a cassette in slow motion.

➢ *No sound is heard when playing back a cassette in slow motion.*

1 Press:
   ◆ ►II to start playing the cassette.
   ◆ ►II button one more time to make still mode.
   ◆ ►► to start SLOW mode.
   ◆ ◄◄ or ►► button as many times as required to decrease or increase the speed respectively.
   ◆ To return to the normal speed, press the ►II button twice.

2 When playing back in slow motion, picture interference may occur.
   Press the TRK buttons to minimize this effect.

   ☞ When you have been using the Slow Motion function for more than about two minutes, the DVD-VCR will automatically play to protect the:
     ◆ Cassette
     ◆ Video heads

Playing a Sequence Frame by Frame

You can

◆ *Stop the cassette at a given frame (image)*
◆ *Advance one frame at a time*

   ➢ *No sound is heard when playing back frame by frame.*

1 Press:
   ◆ ►II to start playing the cassette
   ◆ ►II button one more time to make still mode.
   ◆ F.ADV/STEP to advance frame by frame

2 To return to normal playback, press ►II.

   ➢ *Vertical stability: When playing back frame by frame, interference may be seen on the screen. Press the TRK buttons to minimize this effect.*

Playing a Sequence at Variable Speeds

You can vary the playback speed using the Shuttle function (up to nine times the normal speed).

Example: *You wish to analyse a sportsperson's technique, movement by movement.*

The Shuttle function is available on the Remote control

   ➢ *No sound is heard when playing a sequence at variable speeds.*

1 Press:
   ◆ ►II during playback
   ◆ SHUTTLE (<<) to play the cassette backwards
   ◆ SHUTTLE (>>) to play the cassette forwards

2 Each time you press a SHUTTLE button, the speed is changed as shown in the following illustration.

REVERSE PLAY X9	REVERSE PLAY X5	REVERSE PLAY X3	STILL	SLOW MOTION X1/10	SLOW MOTION X1/5	PLAY	PLAY X3	PLAY X5	PLAY X9

Each time you record a cassette on this DVD-VCR, an "index" is automatically marked on the tape when recording starts.

The Search function allows you to fast-forward or rewind to a specific index and start playback from that point. Depending on the direction selected, the indexes are numbered as follows:

	Prev Seq.	**Seq. being played**	**Next Seq.**	
etc.				*etc.*
	2	*1*	*1*	*2*
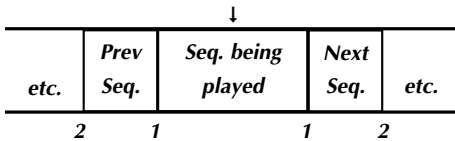
➢ *This DVD-VCR uses a standard indexing system (VISS). As a result, it will recognize any indexes marked by other VCRs using the same system and vice versa.*

Go To [0:00:00] Stop

Use this feature when you want to search for the 0:00:00 counter position on a cassette. Press the CLEAR button at the point on the tape where you want to set the counter to 0:00:00.
The VCR will rewind or fast forward, searching for the 0:00:00 counter position, and then automatically stop at that position.

1 After pressing the SEARCH, press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the Go To [0:00:00] option is selected.

```
                                    VCR Function
  SETUP     Go To [ 0 : 00 : 00 ]
  DVD       End Search
            Intro Scan
  VCR
  PROG
  FUNC
            OK      RETURN      MENU
```
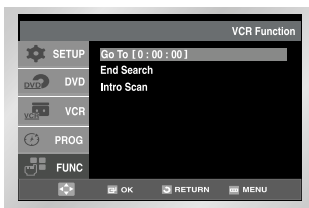
2 Press the OK or ▶.

End Search

Use this feature when you want to search for a blank position to record a program on a cassette.
The VCR will fast forward, searching for a blank position, and then automatically stop at that position.If the VCR reaches the end of the tape during end search, the tape will be ejected.

Intro Scan

1 After pressing the SEARCH, press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **Intro Scan** option is selected.

2 Press the OK or ▶.

3 Press the ◀◀ or ▶▶ buttons depending on the direction where your desired programme is located.

4 When an Index mark is found the DVD-VCR will playback the tape for 5 seconds, after which it will continue searching for the next Index mark.

5 If you want to watch the tape from a particular Index, simply press ▶II twice.

```
        INTRO SCAN:   ◀◀ ▶▶
```
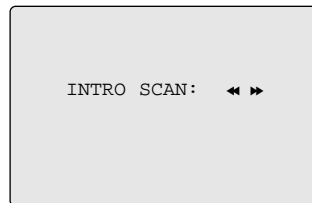
Searching for a Specific Sequence

Index Skip Search

This feature will enable you to fast forward/rewind to a specific point on a tape: E.g. if you have recorded 3 different programmes on a tape and you have rewound the tape to the beginning, by using this feature you can go directly to the start of programme 2 simply by pressing the SEARCH button.

1 After pressing the SEARCH, press the corresponding ▲, ▼ buttons, until the **Intro Scan** option is selected.

2 Press the OK or ▶.

3 Press the ◀◀ or ▶▶ buttons twice more.
This will take you directly to the start of the desired programme is located.

4 These Index searches can be made forwards: (press ▶▶) or backwards: (press ◀◀).
(◀◀ -20 **. .** 0 **. .** +20 ▶▶)

5 To cancel an Index search simply press the ▶II or ■ button.

```
  INDEX SEARCH :  ◀◀ – 6
```

Using the Tape Counter

The tape counter:

◆ *Indicates the elapsed time in the play and record modes (hours, minutes and seconds)*

◆ *Is reset when a cassette is inserted in the DVD-VCR*

◆ *Allows you to find the beginning of a sequence easily*

☞ *If the remaining time is to be calculated correctly, you must indicate the type of cassette being used.*

1 Insert a cassette in your DVD-VCR.

2 To set the tape counter to zero at the beginning of a sequence:

◆ Press INFO. twice to display the counter
◆ Press CLEAR when you want to set the tape counter to zero

```
                              0:00:00
```

3 When you are ready,
◆ Start playback or Recording.
◆ Press the ■ button.
◆ To fast-froward or rewind to the sequence at which the counter was set to zero, press ◀◀ or ▶▶.

➢ Some DVD-VCR information, such as the counter, can be displayed on the television screen (unless you have deactivated the Screen messages mode; refer to page 17).

Press INFO.:
◆ Once to display the current function, programme number, recording speed, date, time and counter
◆ Twice to display the counter only
◆ Three times to display the time remaining on the cassette
◆ Four times to clear the display

Connecting an RCA Audio/Video Input Cable

You can connect other audio/video equipment to your DVD-VCR using audio/video cables if the appropriate outputs are available on the equipment chosen.

Examples: ◆ *You wish to copy a video cassette with the help of a second VCR.*

◆ *You wish to play back and/or copy pictures taken with a camcorder .*

☛ *Make sure that both the television and the DVD-VCR are switched off before connecting the cables.*

1 Connect one end of the RCA audio/video cable into the VIDEO INPUT socket on the front of the DVD-VCR.

2 Plug the other end of the audio/video cable into the appropriate output connector on the other system (VCR or camcorder).

3 Connect one end of the RCA audio cable supplied into the AUDIO INPUT sockets on the front of the DVD-VCR.

➢ Take care to respect the colour coding of the left and right channels.

4 Plug the other end of the audio cable into the appropriate output connectors on the other system (VCR, camcorder or Hi-Fi sound system).

(DVD-V540/DVD-V440)
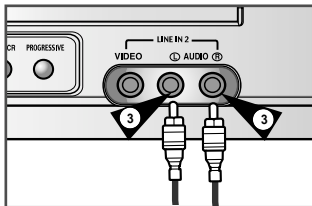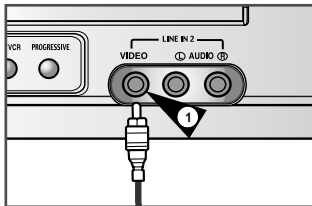
(DVD-V340)
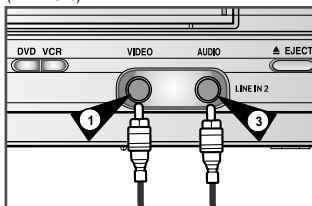
Using the Assemble Edit Function

This function allows you to start a new recording at a specific position on the cassette while maintaining a very smooth scene change.

1 Insert the cassette to be edited in your DVD-VCR.

2 Press the ►II button to start playback.

3 When you reach the position from which you wish to start the new recording, press the ►II button.

4 Press the F.ADV/STEP button again as often as necessary to advance frame by frame, until the exact recording position is located.

5 While the DVD-VCR is in still mode, hold the REC button (●) down for a while to activate the Assemble Edit function.

6 Select the source from which you wish to record by pressing:
   ◆ The PROG buttons for television channels
   ◆ The INPUT SEL. button for the LINE input sources

7 Press the ►II button to start recording.

8 When you have finished recording, press ■ .

Recording from Another VCR or Camcorder

You can copy a cassette to your DVD-VCR from another video source, such as another VCR or a camcorder.

☛ *It is an infringement of copyright laws to copy prerecorded cassettes or to re-record them in any form without the permission of the owners of the corresponding copyright.*

1 Connect the DVD-VCR, from which the cassette is to be copied, to the appropriate RCA audio and video input connectors on the rear of your DVD-VCR, as indicated on page 8.

2 Insert a blank cassette in your DVD-VCR.

3 Insert the pre-recorded cassette in the other video source (VCR or camcorder).

4 Press the INPUT SEL. button to select the appropriate input on your DVD-VCR: LINE IN for the RCA input.

5 Start playing back the cassette to be copied.

6 Hold REC (●) down for a while to start recording on your DVD-VCR.

7 When you have finished recording, press ■ on both VCR and DVD-VCR.

➢ If you wish to view the cassette being copied:

◆ Your DVD-VCR must be connected as usual to the television (see page 7~8 for further details)

Using the TV Buttons on the Remote Control ★ (DVD-V540 Only)

Your DVD-VCR remote control will work with Samsung televisions and compatible brands.

To determine whether your television is compatible, follow the instructions below.

1 Switch your television on.

2 Point the remote control towards the television.

3 Hold down the TV button and enter the two-figure code corresponding to the brand of your television, by pressing the appropriate numeric buttons.

Brand	Codes	Brand	Codes
SAMSUNG	01 to 06	PHILIPS	02, 20, 22
AKAI	09, 23	SABA	13, 14, 22 to 24
GRUNDIG	09, 17, 21	SONY	15, 16
LOEWE	02	THOMSON	13, 14, 24
PANASONIC	08, 23 to 27	TOSHIBA	07, 16 to 19, 21

<u>Result:</u> If your television is compatible with the remote control, it will switch off. It is now programmed to operate with the remote control.

, ➢ If several codes are indicated for your television brand, try each one in turn until you find one that works.

☛ When you change the batteries in the remote control, you must reprogramme the code, following the same procedure.

You can then control the television using the following buttons.

Button	Function
STANDBY/ON	Used to switch the television and DVD-VCR on and off.
TV or VCR	Used to switch between the TV and VCR modes.
INPUT SEL.	Used to select an external source.
VOL + or –	Used to adjust the volume of the television.
PROG/TRK (∧ or ∨)	Used to select the required programme.
TV MUTE	Used to mute the volume of the television.

➢ The various functions will not necessarily work on all televisions. If you encounter problems, operate the television directly.

Choosing a Connection

The following show examples of connections commonly used to connect the DVD -VCR player with a TV and other components. It is only available for DVD. The VCR out can not watch by this connection.

Connection to an Audio System

Connection to a Television
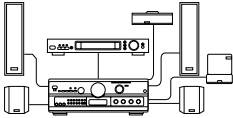
Television

**Dolby Digital Decoder
Digital Audio Input Jack**

COAXIAL   OPTICAL

or

DIGITAL AUDIO OUT

OPTICAL

COAXIAL

★ DVD-V540
/DVD-V440

S-VIDEO OUT

Digital Audio out Jack   **S-Video Jack**

Setting Up the Language Features

If you set the player menu, disc menu, audio and subtitle language in advance, they will come up automatically every time you watch a movie.

Using the Disc Menu Language

1   With the unit in Stop mode, press the MENU button.

2   Select **DVD** using ▲,▼ buttons, then OK or ▶ button

DVD Setup

SETUP   Language Setup   ▶
             Audio Setup   ▶
DVD   Display Setup   ▶
             Parental Setup   :   ▶
VCR   DIVX(R) Registration ▶

PROG

FUNC

        OK   RETURN   MENU

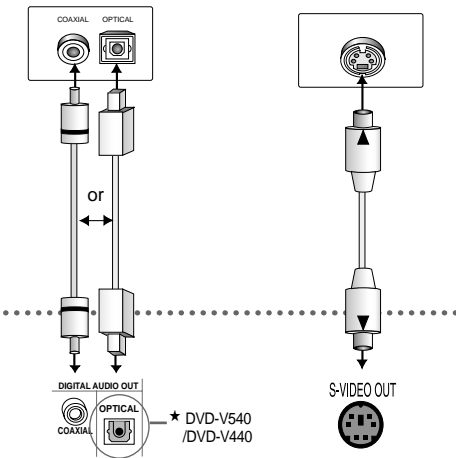3   Select **Language Setup** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

Language Setup

Disc Menu   : English   ▶
Audio   : English   ▶
Subtitle   : Automatic   ▶

        OK   RETURN   MENU

4   Select **Disc Menu** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

5   Use the ▲,▼ buttons to select '**English**'.
    - Select "Others" if the language you want is not listed.

Disc Menu Language

                     ▶English
                     Français
                     Deutsch
Disc Menu   Español
                     Italiano
                     Nederlands
                     Others

        OK   RETURN   MENU

6   Press the OK button.
    - English is selected and the screen returns to **Language Setup** menu.
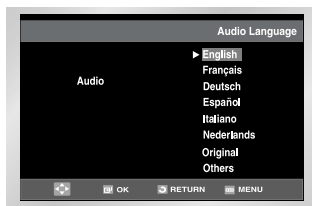
Setting Up the Language Features

Using the Audio Language

1 With the unit in Stop mode, press the MENU button.

2 Select **DVD** using ▲,▼ buttons, then OK or ▶ button.

3 Select **Language Setup** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

```
                              Language Setup
Disc Menu                : English        ▶
Audio                    : English        ▶
Subtitle                 : Automatic      ▶



        ✛      ⏎ OK     ⏎ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```

4 Select **Audio** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

5 Press the ▲,▼ buttons to select **English**.
- Select "Original" if you want the default soundtrack language to be the original language the disc is recorded in.
- Select "Others" if the language you want is not listed.

```
                              Audio Language
                         ▶ English
                           Français
        Audio               Deutsch
                           Español
                           Italiano
                           Nederlands
                           Original
                           Others
        ✛      ⏎ OK     ⏎ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```

6 Press the OK button.
- English is selected and the screen returns to **Language Setup** menu.

Using the Subtitle Language

1 With the unit in Stop mode, press the MENU button.

2 Select **DVD** using ▲,▼ buttons, then OK or ▶ button.

3 Select **Language Setup** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

```
                              Language Setup
Disc Menu                : English        ▶
Audio                    : English        ▶
Subtitle                 : Automatic      ▶



        ✛      ⏎ OK     ⏎ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```
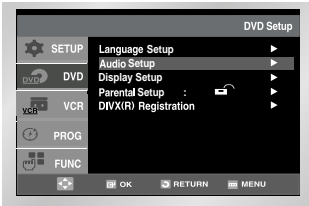
4 Select **Subtitle** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

5 Use the ▲,▼ buttons to select **English**.

- Select "Automatic" if you want the subtitle language to be the same as the language selected as the audio preference.

```
                              Subtitle Language
                         ▶ Automatic
                           English
                           Français
        Subtitle           Deutsch
                           Español
                           Italiano
                           Nederlands
                           Others
        ✛      ⏎ OK     ⏎ RETURN    ▦ MENU
```
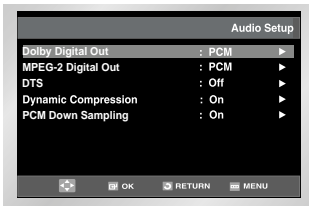
- Select "Others" if the language you want is not listed. Some discs may not contain the language you select as your initial language; in that case the disc will use its original language setting.

6 Press the OK button.
- English is selected and the screen returns to **Language Setup** menu.

Setting Up the Audio Options

1 With the unit in Stop mode, press the MENU button.

2 Select **DVD** using ▲,▼ buttons, then OK or ▶ button.

```
                                    DVD Setup
  SETUP    Language Setup           ▶
           Audio Setup
  DVD      Display Setup            ▶
           Parental Setup    :      ▶
  VCR      DIVX(R) Registration     ▶

  PROG

  FUNC
           ▣ OK    ▣ RETURN    ▣ MENU
```

3 Select **Audio Setup** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

4 Use the ▲,▼ buttons to select the desired item. Then press the OK or ▶ button.

```
                                   Audio Setup
  Dolby Digital Out        : PCM
  MPEG-2 Digital Out       : PCM        ▶
  DTS                      : Off        ▶
  Dynamic Compression      : On         ▶
  PCM Down Sampling        : On         ▶



           ▣ OK      ▣ RETURN      ▣ MENU
```

■ Dolby Digital Out

1. PCM :   Converts to PCM(2CH) audio.
             Select PCM when using the Analog
             Audio Outputs.
2. Bitstream : Converts to Dolby Digital Bitstream
             (5.1CH). Select Bitstream when using
             the Digital Audio Output.

➢ Be sure to select the correct Digital Output or no audio will be heard.

■ MPEG-2 Digital Out

1. PCM :   Converts to PCM(2CH) audio.
             Select PCM when using the Analog
             Audio Outputs.
2. Bitstream : Converts to MPEG-2 Digital Bitstream
             (5.1CH or 7.1CH).Select Bitstream
             when using the Digital Audio Output.

■ DTS

1. Off :   Doesn't output digital signal.
2. On :   Outputs DTS Bitstream via digital
             output only. Select DTS when
             connecting to a DTS Decoder.

■ Dynamic Compression

1. On :   To select dynamic compression.
2. Off :   To select the standard range.

■ PCM Down Sampling

1. On :   Select this when the amplifier
             connected to the player is not 96KHz
             compatible.
             In this case, the 96KHz signals will be
             down converted to 48KHZ.

2. Off :   Select this when the amplifier
             connected to the player is 96KHz
             compatible.
             In this case, all signals will be output
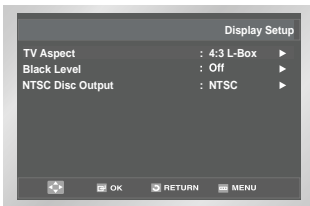   without any changes.

➢ • How to make the SETUP menu disappear or
      return to menu screen during set up; Press
      RETURN or ◀ button.

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     trademarks of Dolby Laboratories.

   • "DTS" and "DTS Digital Out" are trademarks of
     Digital Theater Systems, Inc.

Setting Up the Display Options

1 With the unit in Stop mode, press the MENU button.

2 Select **DVD** using ▲,▼ buttons, then OK or ▶ button.

```
                               DVD Setup
 SETUP    Language Setup                    ▶
          Audio Setup                       ▶
 DVD      Display Setup                      ▶
          Parental Setup    :      🔓        ▶
 VCR      DIVX(R) Registration               ▶

 PROG

 FUNC
           OK      RETURN      MENU
```

3 Select **Display Setup** using ▲,▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

4 Use the ▲,▼ buttons to select the desired item. Then press the OK or ▶ button.

```
                               Display Setup
 TV Aspect                  : 4:3 L-Box     ▶
 Black Level                : Off           ▶
 NTSC Disc Output           : NTSC          ▶




           OK      RETURN      MENU
```

```
                               TV Aspect

 ▶ 4 : 3  Letter Box               ◉

   4 : 3 Pan Scan                  ◉

   16 : 9 Wide                     ◉

           OK      RETURN      MENU
```

■ **TV Aspect**

Depending on the type of television you have, you may want to adjust the screen setting (aspect ratio).

1. 4:3 Letter Box : Select when you want to see the total 16:9 ratio screen DVD supplies, even though you have a TV with a 4:3 ratio screen. Black bars will appear at the top and bottom of the screen.

2. 4:3 Pan Scan : Select this for conventional size TVs when you want to see the central portion of the 16:9 screen. (Extreme left and right side of movie picture will be cut off.)

3. 16:9 Wide : You can view the full 16:9 picture on your widescreen TV.

■ **Black Level**

Adjusts the brightness of the screen.(On/Off)

■ **NTSC Disc Output**

"NTSC" if the screen only has one NTSC-video entrance. If this is not the case, you can choose to leave " PAL 60" as is.

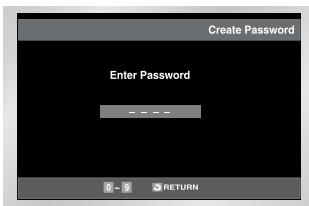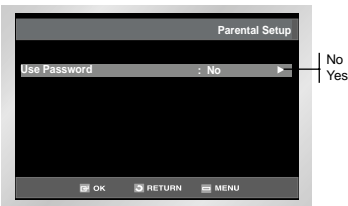# Setting Up the Parental Control

The Parental Control function works in conjunction with DVDs that have been assigned a rating - which helps you control the types of DVDs that your family watches.
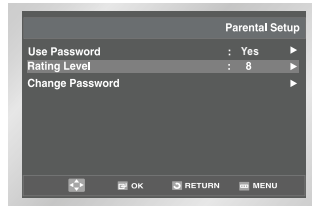*There are up to 8 rating levels on a disc.*

1 With the unit in Stop mode, press the MENU button.

2 Select **DVD** using ▲, ▼ buttons, then OK or ▶ button.

3 Select **Parental Setup** using ▲, ▼ buttons, then press the OK or ▶ button.

	DVD Setup
SETUP	Language Setup ▶
DVD	Audio Setup ▶
	Display Setup ▶
VCR	Parental Setup : 🔒 ▶
	DIVX(R) Registration ▶
PROG.	
FUNC.	
⬚ OK	⟳ RETURN ☰ MENU

4 Use OK or ▶ to select **Yes** if you want to use a password. The **Enter Password** screen appears.

Parental Setup	
Use Password : No ▶	No / Yes
⬚ OK ⟳ RETURN ☰ MENU	

Create Password
Enter Password
_ _ _ _
0 ~ 9 ⟳ RETURN

5 Enter your password. The **Re-Enter Password** screen appears to confirm the password. Enter your password again. The Parental Control screen appears.

Parental Setup	
Use Password : Yes ▶	
Rating Level : 8 ▶	
Change Password ▶	
⬚ OK ⟳ RETURN ☰ MENU	

Rating Level
Level 8 Adult
Level 7
Level 6
Level 5
Level 4
Level 3
Level 2
Level 1 Kids Safe
⬚ OK ⟳ RETURN ☰ MENU

■ **About the Rating Level ;**

The Rating Level will work only when **Use Password** is set to Yes. To unlock the player, use ▶ or OK to select No. Use ▲, ▼ to select **Rating Level**. Press OK.

- Use ▲, ▼ to select the level(e.g. Level 6) and press OK. Discs that contain Level 7 will now not play.

- To cancel the rating level, use ▶ or OK to select No in Use Password.

■ **About the Change Password ;**

- Use ▲, ▼ to select Change Password. Press OK. The Change Password screen appears.

- Enter your new password. Re-ok the new password again.

➤ • How to make the SETUP menu disappear or return to menu screen during set up; Press RETURN or ◀ button.

• If you have forgotten your password, see Forget Password in the Troubleshooting Guide.
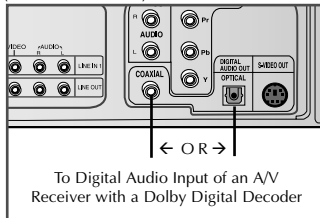
A/V Receiver Connections

To take full advantage of the movie theater experience that DVD offers, you may want to connect your DVD-VCR to a complete Surround Sound system, including an A/V Receiver and six Surround Sound speakers.
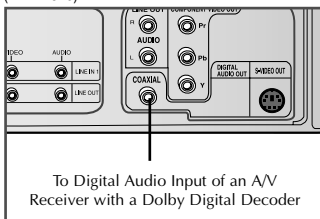
Before You Begin...

- *If your A/V receiver is equipped with a Dolby Digital Decoder, you have the option to bypass the DVD-VCR's built-in Dolby Digital Decoder. Use the Digital Audio Out connection below.*

(DVD-V540/DVD-V440)

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To Digital Audio Input of an A/V
Receiver with a Dolby Digital Decoder

(DVD-V340)

To Digital Audio Input of an A/V
Receiver with a Dolby Digital Decoder

1   Digital Audio Out

Connect EITHER an optical cable OR a digital coaxial cable from the Digital Audio Out jacks on the back panel of the DVD-VCR to their corresponding Digital Audio Input jacks on your A/V Receiver:

- Optical ★ (SV-DVD540/SV-DVD440)
- Coaxial
- Use whichever connection is available on your A/V Receiver.

Special Playback Features

During DVD/CD playback you can select from the following special playback options. To resume normal playback, press the ▶❚❚ button.

1   Still

Press the ▶❚❚ button on the remote control during playback.
- The picture will still and the audio will mute.
- To resume playback, press the ▶❚❚ button.
- If the player is left in Still mode for 5 minutes, it will stop automatically.

2   Frame Advance (Step)

While in playback mode, press the F.ADV/STEP button on the remote control to advance one frame at a time.
- Audio is muted during Frame Advance mode.
- Press ▶❚❚ to resume normal playback.
NOTE: Frame Advance operates only in the forward direction.

3   Skip Forward/Back

While a CD or DVD disc is in Play mode, press the Skip ❚◀◀ / ▶▶❚ buttons on the remote control or front panel to jump forward and backward through disc chapters/tracks.
- Skip Forward will jump to the next chapter/track.
- Skip Back will jump to the beginning of the current chapter/track.
- Press Skip Back again to jump to the beginning of the previous chapter/track.

Search Forward/Back

While a disc is in Play mode, press and hold the ◀◀ / ▶▶ buttons on the remote control or front panel to visually search forward/backward at 2X - 4X - 8X - 16X - 32X - 128X speed. Press ▶❚❚ button to resume normal speed.

4   Slow Motion

During playback, press the ▶❚❚ button to Still the image. Then use the Search ▶▶ to play in slow motion at variable speeds.
- Each press increases the slow motion speed playback to 1/8, 1/4 or 1/2 normal speed.
- Audio is muted during slow motion playback.

5   Stop/Resume
- Press the Stop button once to stop playback. To resume the DVD/CD from the point where the disc stopped, press the ▶❚❚ button.
- Press the ■ button twice to completely stop playback. The next time you press ▶❚❚, the disc will start over from the beginning.
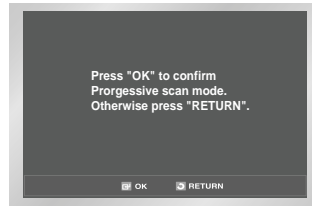
Component video output is available only for DVD playback. RF and Line input are available for Tuner and VCR playback.
If your TV set supports Progressive Scan, it can transmit Pr, Pb, and Y signals separately, so you can enjoy sharp and clear picture.

☞ *What is Progressive Scan?*
It is a set of jacks that can provide sharp and clear picture quality by using twice the number of fields of lines than component output.

1 Connect the component output of the DVD player to your TV set.
Use the component cable to connect the component output on the back panel of the DVD-VCR to the component input of your TV.
◆ If you mix up the connections when connecting the component cable, the picture will appear reddish or bluish.

2 Set your TV to COMPONENT.
Select component input as your TV's AV input. At this point, even if the picture appears reddish, it is normal.

3 Press the Progressive button on the front panel.
If the Progressive button on the front panel of the DVD-aVCR is pressed, the following message will be displayed:
To activate Progressive Scan, press OK.
The following message will be displayed and then the picture will be played in Progressive Scan mode.

4 To deactivate Progressive Scan, press the Progressive button again.
If the Progressive button on the front panel of the DVD-VCR is pressed again, Progressive Scan mode will be canceled. Select another mode as your TV's AV input to view another output of the DVD-VCR.

➢ This is available only for a TV set that supports Progressive Scan.
◆ While Progressive Scan is active, video, S-video, and RCA output are not available.
◆ To activate Progressive Scan, the DVD-VCR must be in Stop mode.

➢ You can listen to audio sound through Rear audio output while watching Component or S-Video output.

Press "OK" to confirm
Progessive scan mode.
Otherwise press "RETURN".

◼ OK   ◼ RETURN

Please set your TV to component input. If your TV doesn't have Progressive scan mode, there will be no signal on the screen.

Adjusting the Aspect Ratio (EZ View)

To play back using aspect ratio (DVD)

1 Press the EZ VIEW button.
- The screen size changes when the button is pressed repeatedly.
- The screen zoom mode operates differently depending on the screen setting in the initial DVD menu.
- To ensure correct operation of the EZ VIEW button, you should set the correct aspect ratio in the initial setup.

If you are using a 16:9 TV

■ **For 16:9 aspect ratio discs**

- **Wide Screen**
  Displays the content of the DVD title in 16:9 aspect ratio.

- **Screen Fit**
  The top and bottom of the screen are cut off. When playing a 2.35:1 aspect ratio disc, the black bars at the top and bottom of the screen will disappear. The picture will look vertically stretched. (Depending on the type of disc, the black bars may not disappear completely.)

- **Zoom Fit**
  The top, bottom, left and right of the screen are cut off and the central portion of the screen is enlarged.

■ **For 4:3 aspect ratio discs**

- **Normal Wide**
  Displays the content of the DVD title in 16:9 aspect ratio. The picture will look horizontally stretched.

- **Screen Fit**
  The top and bottom of the screen are cut off and the full screen appears. The picture will look vertically stretched.

- **Zoom Fit**
  The top, bottom, left and right of the screen are cut off and the central portion of the screen is enlarged.

- **Vertical Fit**
  When a 4:3 DVD is viewed on a 16:9 TV, black bars will appear at the left and right of the screen in order to prevent the picture from looking horizontally stretched.

If you are using a 4:3 TV

■ **For 16:9 aspect ratio discs**

- **4:3 Letter Box**
  Displays the content of the DVD title in 16:9 aspect ratio.
  The black bars will appear at the top and bottom of the screen.

- **4:3 Pan Scan**
  The left and right of the screen are cut off and displays the central portion of the 16:9 screen.

- **Screen Fit**
  The top and bottom of the screen are cut off and the full screen appears. The picture will look vertically stretched.

- **Zoom Fit**
  When a 4:3 DVD is viewed on a 16:9 TV, black bars will appear at the left and right of the screen in order to prevent the picture from looking horizontally stretched.

■ **For 4:3 aspect ratio discs**

- **Normal Screen**
  Displays the content of the DVD title in 4:3 aspect ratio.

- **Screen Fit**
  The top and bottom of the screen are cut off and the full screen appears. The picture would look vertically stretched.

- **Zoom Fit**
  The top, bottom, left and right of the screen are cut off and the central portion of the screen is enlarged.

➢ This function may behave differently depending on the type of disc.

When Playing a DVD/VCD/CD

1   During play, press the INFO. button on the remote.

2   Use the ▲ , ▼ buttons to select the desired item.

3   Use the ◀, ▶ buttons to make the desired setup.
  • You may use the number buttons of the remote control to directly access a title, chapter or to start the playback from the desired time.
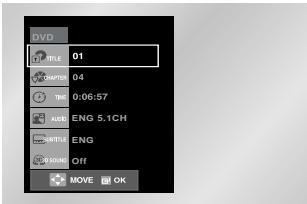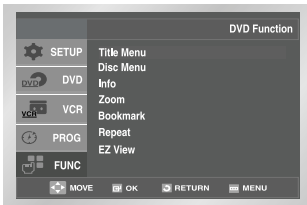
4   To make the screen disappear, press the INFO. button again.

➢ • *What is a Chapter?*
    Each Title on a DVD is usually divided into chapters (similar to tracks on an audio CD).

  • *What is a Title?*
    A DVD may contain several different titles. For example, if a disc contains four different movies, each might be considered a title.

To access the desired title when there is more than one in the disc. For example, if there is more than one movie on a DVD, each movie will be identified.

Most of DVD discs are recorded in chapters so that you can quickly find a specific passage.

Allows playback of the film from a desired time. You must ok the starting time as a reference.

Refers to the language of the film soundtrack. In the example, the soundtrack is played in English 5.1CH. A DVD disc can have up to eight different soundtracks.

Refers to the subtitle languages available in the disc. You will be able to choose the subtitles language or, if you prefer, turn them off from the screen. A DVD disc can have up to 32 different subtitles.

A surround sound effect is generated using only two front speakers.

* When in VCD 2.0 mode (MENU ON mode), this function does not work.

Changing the Camera Angle

Using the ANGLE button

When a DVD contains multiple angles of a particular scene, you can select the Angle function.

Press the ANGLE button to see if an ANGLE

(📹) mark is present at the upper Right hand corner of the screen.

1 When an ANGLE mark is shown, press the ANGLE button, then an ANGLE select icon will appear at the upper left hand corner of the screen.

2 Use the ◀, ▶ buttons to select the desired screen angle.

3 To turn off the display, press the ANGLE button again.

📹 **4/6 ◀ ▶**

Selecting the Subtitle Language

You can select a desired subtitle quickly and easily with the subtitle button.

Using the SUBTITLE button

1 Press the SUBTITLE button.

2 Use the ◀, ▶ buttons to select the desired subtitle language.

3 Use the ▲, ▼ buttons to determine whether or not the subtitle will be displayed.

• The subtitle languages are represented by abbreviations.

🗔 **ENG** 🔲 **On** 🔒

🗔 **ENG** 🔲 **Off** 🔒

➢ • This function depends on what languages are encoded on the disc and may not work with all DVDs.

• A DVD disc can contain up to 32 subtitle languages.

• How to have the same subtitle language come up wheneveryou play a DVD; Refer to "Setting Up the Language Features" on page 30.
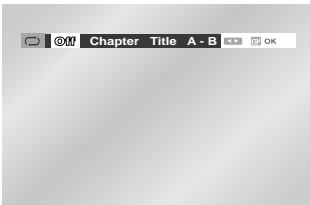
Repeat Play

*Repeat the current track, chapter, title, a chosen section (A-B), or all of the disc.*

When playing a DVD

1 Press the REPEAT button on the remote.
Repeat screen appears.

2 Select Chapter, Title or A-B using the ◀, ▶ buttons.

- Press the REPEAT button. Select A-B on screen with the ◀, ▶ buttons.
- Press OK at the point where you want the repeat play to start (A). The B is automatically highlighted.
- Press OK at the point where you want the repeat play to stop (B).
- To terminate the function, press the CLEAR button.
- A-B REPEAT does not allow you to set point (B) until at least 5 seconds has elapsed after point (A) has been set.

DVD

```
⬭ | ⊙ff | Chapter  Title  A - B | ▭▭ | ▤ OK
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VCD / CD

```
⬭ | ⊙ff | Track  Disc  A - B | ▭▭ | ▤ OK
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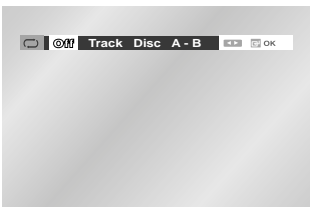
3 Press OK.

4 To return to normal play, press REPEAT again, then press the ◀, ▶ buttons to select Off and press OK.
- It is available to press CLEAR button on the remote controller in order to stop REPEAT play.

➢ • DVD repeats play by chapter or title, CD and VCD repeat play by disc or track.

• Depending on the disc, the Repeat function may not work.

• When in VCD 2.0 mode (MENU ON mode), this function does not work.

Selecting the Audio Language

You can select a desired language quickly and easily with the AUDIO button.

Using the Audio button

1 Press the AUDIO button.

2 Use the ◀, ▶ buttons to select the desired language on a DVD.
- The audio languages are represented by abbreviations.

3 Use the ◀, ▶ buttons to select Stereo, ◀ or ▶ (On VCD/CD)

DVD

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🎫 | ENG  DOLBY DIGITAL  5.1CH | ▭▭
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VCD / CD

```
◁)) | Stereo | ▭▭
```

➢ • This function depends on what languages are encoded on the disc and may not work with all DVDs.

• A DVD disc can contain up to 8 audio languages.

• How to have the same audio language come up whenever you play a DVD ; Refer to "Setting Up the Language Features" on page 30.

Using the Mark Function

MP3/WMA Play

This feature lets you mark sections of a DVD or VCD (MENU OFF mode) so you can quickly find them at a later time.

Using the Mark Function (DVD/VCD)

1 During play, press the MARK button on the remote. The Mark icons will be displayed.

2 Use the ◄, ► buttons to move to the desired Mark icon.

3 When you reach the scene you want to mark, press the OK button. The icon will change to a number (1, 2, or 3).

4 Press the MARK button to turn off the display.

Recalling a Marked Scene

1 During play, press the MARK button on the remote.

2 Use the ◄, ► buttons to select a marked scene.

3 Press the ►|| buttons to skip to the marked scene.

Clearing a Mark

1 During play, press the MARK button on the remote.

2 Use the ◄, ► buttons to select the mark number you want to delete.

3 Press the CLEAR button to delete a mark number. Press the MARK button to turn off the display.

➢ • Up to three scenes may be marked at a time.
  • When in VCD 2.0 mode (MENU ON mode), this function does not work.
  • Depending on the disc, the mark function may not work.

If you insert an MP3/WMA Disc into the DVD player, you can see the folder directory.

• *Select the desired folder in the root directory.*
• *Use the OK or ►|| button to select the desired folder.*

MP3/WMA Play Function

1 Press the OK or ►|| button, the selected music file will be played back.
Up to 8 music folders can be displayed at a time. If you have more than 8 folders on a disc, press the ▼ button to display them on the screen.
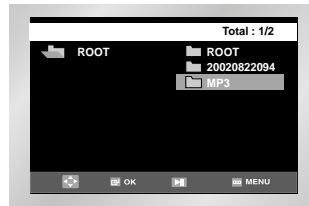
2 Use the ▲, ▼ buttons to select the desired music folder, then press OK.
Press the ▲, ▼ buttons again to select a music file. Press the OK button to begin playback of a music file.
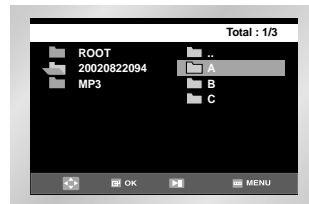
Program/Random playback

1 Press the MODE button in STOP mode to switch between the RANDOM and PROGRAM modes.

```
PROGRAM  ◀ ▶  RANDOM



                    OK        RETURN
```

➢ • Press the REPEAT button in PLAY mode to hear only music continuously and press it once again to release.

CD-R MP3/WMA discs

When playing CD-R/MP3 or WMA discs, please follow all the recommendations for CD-R above, plus the comments below:

■ **Your MP3 or WMA files should be ISO 9660 or JOLIET format.**

ISO 9660 format and Joliet MP3 or WMA files are compatible with Microsoft's DOS and Windows, and with Apple's Mac. These two formats are the most widely used.

■ **When naming your MP3 or WMA files do not exceed 8 characters, and place ".mp3, .wma" as the file extension.**

General name format of: Title.mp3. or Title.wma. When composing your title, make sure that you use 8 characters or less, have no spaces in the name, and avoid the use of special characters including: (.,/,\,=,+).

■ **Use a decompression transfer rate of at least 128Kbps when recording MP3 files.**

Sound quality with MP3 files basically depends on the rate of compression/decompression you choose. Getting audio CD quality sound requires an analog/digital sampling rate, that is conversion to MP3 format, of at least 128 Kbps and up to 160 Kbps. However, choosing higher rates, like 192 Kbps or more, only rarely give better sound quality. Conversely, files with decompression rates below 128 Kbps will not be played properly.

■ **Use a decompression transfer rate of at least 64Kbps when recording WMA files.**

Sound quality with WMA files basically depends on the rate of compression/decompression you choose. Getting audio CD quality sound requires an analog/digital sampling rate, that is conversion to WMA format, of at least 64Kbps and up to 192Kbps.Conversely, files with decompression rates below 64Kbps or over 192Kbps will not be played properly.

■ **Do not try recording copyright protected MP3 files.**

Certain "securized" files are encrypted and code protected to prevent illegal copying. These files are of the following types: Windows MediaTM (registered trade mark of Microsoft Inc) and SDMITM (registered trade mark of The SDMI Foundation). You cannot copy such files.

■ **Important :**

The above recommendations cannot be taken as a guarantee that the DVD player will play MP3 recordings, or as an assurance of sound quality.You should note that certain technologies and methods for MP3 file recording on CD-Rs preventoptimal playback of these files on your DVD player (degraded sound quality and in some cases, inability of the player to read the files).

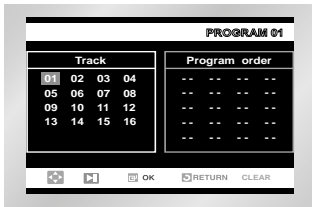■ This unit can play a maximum of 500 files and 300 folders per disc.

Program Play (CD/MP3/WMA)

1 Press the MODE button.

2 Use the ◀ , ▶ buttons to select PROGRAM.
Press the OK button.

```
PROGRAM ◀ ▶ RANDOM




                        OK        RETURN
```

3 Use the ▲ , ▼ / ◀ , ▶ buttons to select the first
track to add to the program.
Press the OK button. The selection numbers appear
in the Program Order box.

```
                                   PROGRAM 01

          Track              Program  order
     01  02  03  04          --  --  --  --
     05  06  07  08          --  --  --  --
     09  10  11  12          --  --  --  --
     13  14  15  16          --  --  --  --
                             --  --  --  --

                             OK     RETURN   CLEAR
```

4 Press the ▶‖ button.
The disc will be played in programmed order.

Random Play (CD/MP3/WMA)

1 Press the MODE button.

2 Use the ◀ , ▶ buttons to select RANDOM.
Press the OK button.
The disc will be played in random order.

```
PROGRAM ◀ ▶ RANDOM




                 RETURN        OK
```

➢ • Depending on the disc, the Program and Random
Play functions may not work.
• To resume normal play, press the CLEAR button.
• This unit can support a maximum of 99
programmed order.

1 Open the disc tray.

2 Load the disc on the tray.
Load the disc with the labeled side up.

3 Close the tray.
- The tray closes and you should get a screen that
looks like the one below.

• Use the ▲ , ▼ buttons on the remote   controller
to select the picture you want to view   and then
press the OK button.

• To see the next 6 pictures, press the ▶▶‖ button.

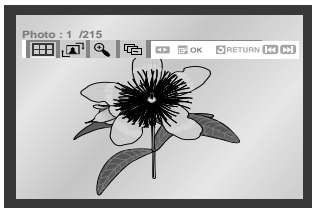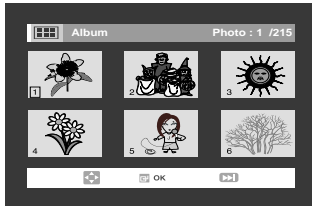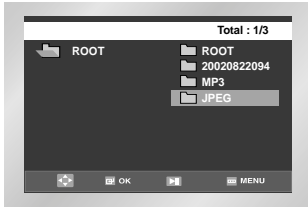• To see the previous 6 pictures, press the ‖◀◀ button.

• ▦ : Return to the Album Screen.

• ↱▣ : Each time the OK button is pressed, the
picture rotates 90 degrees clockwise.

• ⊕ : Each time the OK button is pressed, the
picture is enlarged up to 4X.
(Normal → 2X → 4X → Normal)

• ▤ : The unit enters slide show mode.

* Press the RETURN button to return to the album screen.
* Before the Slide Show can begin, the picture interval
must be set.

• ◓ : When this icon is selected and OK is
pressed, the pictures change automatically
with about an 6 second interval.

• ◔ : The pictures change automatically with about
an 12 second interval.

• ◷ : The pictures change automatically with about
an 18 second interval.

* Depending on the file size, each interval between
images may take longer or shorter than the manual
suggests.

Picture CD Playback

Total : 1/3

ROOT

ROOT
20020822094
MP3
JPEG

OK ▶| MENU

Album   **Photo : 1 /215**

1 2 3

4 5 6

OK ▶|

Photo : 1 /215

OK RETURN |◀◀ ▶▶|

Timer : OK RETURN

CD-R JPEG Discs

- Only files with the ".jpg" and ".JPG" extensions can be played.

- If the disc is not closed, it will take longer to start playing and not all of the recorded files may be played.

- Only CD-R discs with JPEG files in ISO 9660 or Joliet format can be played.

- The name of the JPEG file may not be longer than 8 characters and should contain no blank spaces or special characters (. / = +).

- Only a consecutively written multisession disc can be played. If there is a blank segment in the multisession disc, the disc can be played only up to the blank segment.

- A maximum of 500 images can be stored on a single CD.

- Only Kodak Picture CDs can be played.

- When playing a Kodak Picture CD, only the JPEG files in the pictures folder can be played.

- Picture discs other than Kodak Picture CD may take longer to start playing or may not play at all.

- If a number of files in 1 Disc is over 500, only 500 JPEG file can be played.

- If a number of folders in 1 Disc is over 300, only JPEG files in 300 folders can be played.

➢ • If no buttons on the remote control are pressed for 10 seconds, the menu will disappear.
   Press the DISC MENU button on the remote control to display the menu again.

DivX/XviD/MPEG4 Special Playback Features ★(DVD-V540 only)

During DivX/XviD/MPEG4 playback you can select
from the following special playback options. To resume
normal playback, press the ►II button.

1 Still
Press the ►II button on the remote control during
playback.
• The picture will still and the audio will mute.
• To resume playback, press the ►II button.
• If the player is left in Still mode for 5 minutes, it
  will stop automatically.

2 Frame Advance (Step)
While in playback mode, press the F.ADV/STEP
button on the remote control to advance one frame
at a time.
• Audio is muted during Frame Advance mode.
• Press ►II to resume normal playback.
NOTE: Frame Advance operates only in the forward
      direction.

3 Slow Motion
During playback, press the ►II button to Slow the
image. Then use the Search ►► to play in slow
motion at variable speeds.
• Each press increases the slow motion speed
  playback to 1/8, 1/4 or 1/2 normal speed.
• Audio is muted during slow motion playback.

4 Stop/Resume
• Press the Stop button once to stop playback.
  To resume the DivX/XviD/MPEG4 from the point
 where the disc stopped, press the ►II button.

5 Zoom
During play, press the MENU button on the remote.
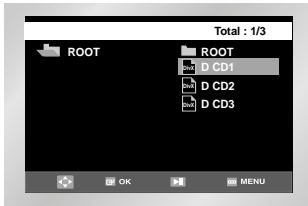Then press the corresponding ▲,▼ buttons to
select the FUNC option.

➢ Auto Saling : CIF(100kbps)~D1(784kbps)
   resolution.
   If the file resolution is small, it scales up to 2 times
   automatically. So you can see the more larger
   screen.

	DVD Function
⚙ SETUP	**Title Menu**
DVD	Disc Menu
VCR	Info
⏱ PROG	Zoom
	Bookmark
FUNC	Repeat
	EZ View
	OK RETURN MENU

1 When the disc is inserted, the file structure of the disc will be shown. Depending on the file format, a different icon will appear next to each file. The ![icon], ![icon], and ![icon] files will have been highlighted.
Use ▲ , ▼ to select the movie file, and then press OK or ►‖.
<u>Result</u> : When the 'Reading Index......' message is displayed, wait for a second or two. The movie will be played back.

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                              Total : 1/3
  📁 ROOT         📁 ROOT
                  🎬 D CD1
                  🎬 D CD2
                  🎬 D CD3

   ⊹          📋 OK      ▶‖        ▤ MENU
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If the "Codec. Not Supported" message is displayed, the selected file cannot be played back.

1 To navigate to a specific time while viewing the movie, press the INFO. key.
The file format of the current file (![icon] , ![icon] , or ![icon]) and time information will be displayed.

2 Use the numeric keys on the remote control to enter the time to jump to that time in the movie.

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  DivX
  ⏱ TIME  0:06:57
  🔊 AUDIO  ENG 5.1CH
  💬 SUBTITLE  ENG
  0 ~ 9    📋 OK
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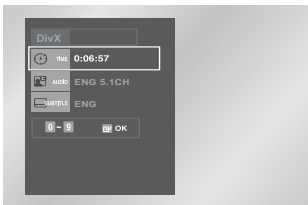
DivX/XviD/MPEG4 Feature Table

MPEG4 Supported

Avi files are used to contain the audio and video data; these must be stored on CD in the ISO 9660 format.

		SPEC
VIDEO Compatibility	DivX 3.11 upper	Up to the latest VERSION
	XviD	
	WMV(?)	WMV V1/V2/V3/V7
AUDIO Compatability	MP3	CBR : 80kbps~320kbps
	AC3	CBR : 128kbps~448kbps
	AAC(?)	
	WMA	CBR : 56kbps~160kbps

MPEGs containing DivX can be divided into Video and Audio.

• Video compatibility : All versions of DivX later than 3.11 (including the latest 5.1) are supported. In addition, XviD is supported. For WMV, V1, V2, V3, and V7 formats are possible.

• Audio compatibility : MP3s encoded at bitrates from 80kbps to 320kbps, AC3s from 128kbps to 448kbps, and WMAs from 56kbps to 160kbps are supported.

• In addition, for subtitles, Samsung will support Text format (SMI).

Technical Specifications

General	Rated voltage	AC 220 - 240V~, 50Hz
	Power consumption	19 Watts
	Weight	3.9 Kg
	Size	430mm X 282mm X 82mm
	Operating ambient temperature	+5°C ~ +35°C
	Installation conditions	Operation position : Horizontal, Relative humidity : Below 75%
Input	Video input (Rear)	RCA jack : 1.0Vp-p (unbalanced) 75Ω
	Audio input (Rear)	RCA jack : -8dBm, 47Kohm unbalanced
Output	RF out	UHF 21-69 (Initial CH36) : Newzealand model UHF 28-69 (Initial CH38) : Australia model
	Audio (DVD, VCR)	RCA jack
	Audio (DVD only)	Digital audio out (OPTICAL: DVD-V540/DVD-V440, COAXIAL)
	Video (DVD, VCR)	RCA jack
	Video (DVD only)	S-Video out COMPONENT out : RCA jack
VCR	Tape format	VHS type video tape,
	Color system	PAL, MESECAM, NTSC4.43, NTSC playback on PAL TV
	Tuning system	B/G, D/K : Newzealand model B/B : Australia model
	Video S/N	Above 43dB (standard recording)
	Resolution	Above 240 lines (standard recording)
	Audio S/N	Above 68dB (Hi-Fi), 39dB (Mono)
	Audio frequency characteristics	20Hz - 20KHz (Hi-Fi)
DVD	Disc	DVD, CD (12cm), CD (8cm), VIDEO-CD (12cm)
	Audio S/N	95dB
	Audio dynamic range	105dB

Problems and Solutions (VCR)

Before contacting the Samsung after-sales service, perform the following simple checks.

| Problem	Explanation/Solution
No power	◆ Check that the power plug is connected to a wall outlet. ◆ Have you pressed the STANDBY/ON button?
You cannot insert a video cassette	◆ A video cassette can only be inserted with the window side up and the safety tab facing you.
The television programme was not recorded	◆ Check the DVD-VCR aerial connections. ◆ Is the DVD-VCR tuner properly set? ◆ Check if the safety tab is intact on the cassette.
Timer recording was unsuccessful	◆ Was the STANDBY/ON button pressed to activate the timer? ◆ Re-check the recording start/stop time settings. ◆ If there was a power failure or interruption during timer recording, the recording will have been cancelled.
No playback picture or the picture is distorted	◆ Check to see if you are using a prerecorded tape.
You cannot see normal broadcasts	◆ Check the TUNER/EXTERNAL setting. It should be on TUNER. ◆ Check the TV/VCR aerial connections.
Noise bars or streaks on playback	◆ Press the TRK (∧ or ∨) buttons to minimize this effect.
When the ▶❚❚ button is pressed during playback, the still picture has severe "noise bars" streaks	◆ A still picture may have "noise bars", depending on the condition of the tape. Press the TRK (∧ or ∨) buttons during SLOW motion to minimize this effect.
Video Head Cleaning	◆ If poor pictures appear on a variety of cassettes, the video heads may need cleaning. This is not a common problem and unless it appears, the heads should not be cleaned. When cleaning the video heads, read all instructions provided with the head cleaning cassette. Incorrect head cleaning can permanently damage the video heads.
If when tuning in your TV to the DVD-VCR TV does not find the Screen or the pattern when found suffers from interference, it may be due to the DVD-VCR output channel clashing with the normal TV transmissions in your area. To prevent this you will need to change the DVD-VCR output channel in the following way	1. Remove the aerial input plug from the socket marked (aerial symbol) on the rear of the DVD-VCR. 2. Carry out the instructions "Tuning Your Television for the DVD-VCR" (see page 9). 3. Carry out the instructions "Setting the DVD-VCR output Channel" (see page 14), move the channel number several channels down from the original setting. (example: from 36 to 37). 4. Replace the aerial plug into the socket marked (aerial symbol) on the rear of the DVD-VCR. 5. Re-tune your TV to the DVD-VCR again by following instructions "Tuning Your Television for the DVD-VCR" (page 8). 6. If the problem still exists repeat steps 1 to 5 moving several more channels away from the original setting.

If you are unable to solve the problem after reading the above instructions, note:
- ◆ *The model and serial number on the rear of your DVD-VCR*
- ◆ *The warranty information*
- ◆ *A clear description of the problem*

Then contact your nearest SAMSUNG after-sales service.

Before requesting service (troubleshooting)

Problem	Action	Page
Disc does not play.	◆ Ensure that the disc is installed with the label side facing up. ◆ Check the region number of the DVD. ◆ This player cannot play CD-ROMs, DVD-ROMs, etc. Insert a DVD, a VIDEO-CD or a CD.	P4

5.1 channel sound is not being reproduced.	◆ 5.1 channel sound is reproduced only when the following conditions are met. :
	  1) The DVD-VCR player is connected with the proper amplifier
	  2) The disc is recorded with 5.1 channel sound.
	◆ Check whether the disc being played has the "Dolby 5.1 ch" mark on the outside.
	◆ Check if your audio system is connected and working properly.
		P30

The ⊘ icon appears on screen.	◆ The features or action cannot be completed at this time because:
	  1. The DVD's software restricts it.
	  2. The DVD's software doesn't support the feature (e.g., angles).
	  3. The feature is not available at the moment.
	  4. You've requested a title or chapter number or search time that is out of range.
		P33-41

Playback mode differs from the Setup Menu selection.	◆ Some of the functions selected in the Setup Menu may not work properly if the disc is not encoded with the corresponding function.	P28-32
The screen ratio cannot be changed.	◆ The Screen Ratio is fixed on your DVDs.	P31
No audio.	◆ Make sure you have selected the correct Digital Output in the Audio Options Menu.	P30
Forgot password	◆ Press power on from a cold start with no disc in the unit. Press the ◀◀ and ▶▶ buttons simultaneously on the front panel for five seconds. Switch off and on the DVD-VCR by pressing STANDBY/ON button. The Parental Mode is now unlocked as indicated on the display. You can now set your rating level and change your password to a new number.	
If you experience other problems.	◆ Go to the contents and find the section of the instruction book that contains the explanations regarding the current problem, and follow the procedure once again. ◆ If the problem still cannot be solved, please contact your nearest authorized service center.	

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