Digital Betacam Family

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Digital Betacam was the first recording format to bring the benefits of digital production to the wider programme making community. Since its introduction, Digital Betacam has become the established favourite for standard definition programme production where only the ultimate picture and sound quality will suffice. The high quality performance of Digital Betacam, combined with its simplicity of operation is just one reason why many broadcasters around the world have chosen Digital Betacam as their "inhouse" production format. Add to that a comprehensive line-up of camcorders, portable and studio VTRs, and the built-in capability to replay analogue Betacam and Betacam SP cassettes, and you have a format that is ideally placed to help you fully integrate your existing operations into a fully digital environment.



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The DVW-790WSP, DVW-709WSP and DVW-707P camcorders are the result of working closely over the years with world-leading cinematographers and programme producers. Employing Power HAD CCDs, they allow total freedom of picture content and enable shooting in low lighting conditions. Menu-driven setup allows camera operators to customise camera settings so that they precisely suit production requirements - from ENG to Digital Cinematography.

Common features

- 3-chip 2/3-inch CCD
- Stunning colour accuracy
- Power HAD sensors reduce vertical smear
- High sensitivity and outstanding signal to noise ratio
- Stylish and ergonomic design
- 12-bit Advanced Digital Signal Processing (ADSP)
- TruEye[™] processing reproduces far more natural colour than conventional analogue camcorders
- Optional SDI output board
- Optional picture cache memory board provides up to 8 seconds of loop recording
- Turbo gain up to 48 db
- Auto Trace White (ATW) system
- Dial in colour temperature
- Built-in film gamma curve
- Multi matrix feature
- Cameraman-programmable menu system
- SDI output option

DVW-790WSP

- 16:9/4:3 switchable FIT CCD
- Smear level of -140 dB
- Sensitivity of F9.0 at 2000 lux
- Two optical filter wheels
- 2.0-inch viewfinder

DVW-709WSP

- 16:9/4:3 switchable IT CCD
- Smear level of -120 dB
- Sensitivity of F9.0 at 2000 lux
- Two optical filter wheels
- 2.0-inch viewfinder

DVW-707P

- 4:3 IT CCD
- Smear level of -125 dB
- Sensitivity of F10.0 at 2000 lux
- One optical filter wheel • 1.5-inch viewfinder

• PRODUCT LINE-UP | ACQUISITION

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES









CA-701 Camcorder Adapter

CA-702P Camcorder Adapter

CA-755P Camcorder Adapter





A-8262-537-A A-8262-538-A Viewfinder Eye-piece (High magnification) Viewfinder Eye-piece (Low magnification)

BP-IL75

Lithium-ion Battery

A-8262-538-A A-8267-737-A Viewfinder Eye-piece (Low magnification) Viewfinder Eye-piece (Standard magnification with special compensation for aberrations)

BC-M150

Battery Charger

BSC-1 Pack Setup Card

Battery Charger



AC-DN1/AC-DN2B AC Adapter

BKDW-701 Servo Filter Unit



BKW-401 Viewfinder Rotation Bracket



VCT-14 Tripod Adapter



CCU-550DP Camera Control Unit (For CA-755P)



BVF-55CE 5-inch B/W Viewfinder (For CA-701/702P/755P)



BKDW-703 Picture Cache Option





RM-B750 Remote Control Unit



Remote Control Unit



WRR-862B* Wireless Receiver



WRT-8B* + ECM-88BC Wireless Transmitter & Lavalier Mic



DVW-A500P

Digital Video Cassette Recorder with Betacam and Betacam SP playback



The DVW-A500P is a Digital Betacam editing VTR with Betacam and Betacam SP playback. It combines superb picture quality with excellent multi-generation editing capability, and has an ease of operation that will be familiar to Betacam VTR users. The DVW-A500P provides 4 channels of 20 bit digital audio, and powerful editing features such as Pre-read, Dynamic Tracking (DT) and insert/assemble editing to zero frame accuracy. Many broadcasters are using the DVW-A500P for playout of content from Flexicart and Library Management Systems (LMS) where the requirement for rugged, reliable 24 hour-per day operation is mandatory.

Features

- 4:2:2 component digital VTR
- 625/50 operation
- 4 channels of 20 bit 48 kHz digital audio
- Superb multi-generation editing performance
- ±0 frame accurate assemble and insert editing
- Pre-read editing capability
- Broadcast quality variable speed playback from -1 to +2 times
- Betacam/Betacam SP playback capability with variable speed from -1 to +2 times
- DMC (Dynamic Motion Control) function
- Long record and playback time: 124 minutes using an L cassette and 40 minutes using an S cassette
- Component analogue and SDI inputs as standard
- Composite analogue input (option using BKDW-506)
- Composite analogue, component analogue and SDI outputs as standard
- 4 analogue and AES/EBU audio inputs and outputs

Also available: DVW-A500

A 525/60 Digital Betacam recorder is also available with CE marking for the Europe, Africa and Middle East market. Please contact your Sony Sales Centre for details.

Tapes



BCT-D34L/D64L/D94L/D124L Digital Video Cassettes (Large Cassette) BCT-D6/D12/D22/D32/D40

BCT-D6/D12/D22/D32/D40 Digital Video Cassettes (Small Cassette)



BCT-D12L/BCT-5CLN Cleaning Cassette

DVW-500P

Digital Video Cassette Recorder



The DVW-500P offers the same features as the DVW-A500P but without Betacam and Betacam SP playback.

Features

- 4:2:2 component digital VTR
- 625/50 operation
- 4 channels of 20 bit 48 kHz digital audio
- Superb multi-generation editing performance
- ±0 frame accurate assemble and insert editing
- Pre-read editing capability
- Broadcast quality variable speed playback from -1 to +2 times
- DMC (Dynamic Motion Control) function
- Long record and playback time: 124 minutes using an L cassette and 40 minutes using an S cassette
- Component analogue and SDI inputs as standard
- Composite analogue input (option using BKDW-506)
- Composite analogue, component analogue and SDI outputs as standard
- 4 analogue and AES/EBU audio inputs and outputs

OPTIONS FOR STUDIO RECORDERS



BKDW-514 Control Panel

Supplied as standard with the DVW-500P, but it is available as an additional accessory for even greater flexibility.



BKDW-511

Control Panel Case for the DVW-A500P and DVW-500P. The BKDW-511 is for use with the BKDW-514 Control Panel only. It is not for use with the BKDW-515 Control Panel.



BKDW-515 Control Panel

The BKDW-515 is an advanced control panel for the DVW-A500P and DVW-500P Digital Betacam VTRs. It employs a menu-based Electro-luminescent display for VTR operation and set up. A Multi CUE menu is provided for applications such as live and sports programming, where rapid CUE up to selected material is a critical requirement. An IC memory card system is also used for storage of CUE points and VTR menus. This can be used for rapid configuration of a number of VTRs prior to an editing session.

- Electro-luminescent (EL) display for menu-based VTR operation
- Multi CUE menu for storage and rapid cue up to 100 edit points
- IC Memory Card for storage of VTR set-up menus, and CUE points
- Numeric keypad for entry of CUE point and TC data
- Programmable PF keys for quick access to frequently used operational menus



BKDW-510 Control Panel Extension Kit for the DVW-A500P and DVW-500P.



BKDW-509 Parallel (50 pin) Interface Kit for the DVW-A500P and DVW-500P.

BKDW-506

Analogue Composite Decoder Board for DVW-A500P and DVW-500P. BKDW-507

Audio Programme Play Board for DVW-A500P and DVW-500P.

RMM-110 Rack Mount Kit PRODUCT LINE-UP | PORTABLE VTR | COMPACT PLAYERS

DVW-250P Portable Digital Video Cassette Recorder



The DVW-250P is a portable Digital Betacam recorder designed specifically for outside production. The DVW-250P records Digital Betacam video and 4 channels of 20 bit digital audio onto both S and L cassettes, for up to 124 minutes of continuous recording. Full colour video and audio REC confidence playback is provided to enable material to be monitored during recording. The DVW-250P combines rugged, reliable operation with lightweight construction and can be operated using battery power for operation in the remotest of locations.

Features

- 4:2:2 component digital portable recorder
- 625/50 operation
- 4 channels of 20 bit 48 kHz digital audio
- Accepts both S and L cassettes
- Compact and lightweight at approx. 7.7kg, including battery and S cassette
- 26 W power consumption in REC mode, with CONFI off
- Automatic switching between external and internal batteries
- Full colour video and audio confidence playback
- LCD panel for audio and video level metering,
- channel condition and menu settingsAccurate back space editing
- 9 pin remote control from an optional BVR-3 remote controller
- Colour freeze frame capability
- SDI input and output
- 26 pin camera interface for both analogue and digital signals
- Analogue composite input and output
- Analogue audio inputs and outputs

Accessories

- BVR-3 Remote control unit
- CCZ-A Series 26-pin cables

J-3/A and J-3/SDI Compact Players



The J-3/A and J-3/SDI are the smallest ever players of Betacam family cassettes. The design concept of the J-Series was for affordable, compact office viewers to be used by producers, journalists and production staff. The J-3/A and J-3/SDI can replay Betacam, Betacam SP, Betacam SX, MPEG IMX and Digital Betacam S-cassettes and L-cassettes. At the same time, they also have all the features required for viewing and logging, and - although not designed for editing applications, or on-air use - are ideal for source feeding to servers or non-linear editing systems. The J-3/A provides composite and component analogue video outputs, while the J-3/SDI provides a composite analogue and SDI output. The J-3/A and J-3/SDI have a jog/shuttle dial, 525/625 versatility, simple remote control capability via RS-422A and audio meters - all packed into their compact size.

Features

- Extremely compact: 307 x 100 x 397 mm (12 $^{1}\!\!/_8$ x 4 x 15 $^{3}\!\!/_4$ inches) in size and just 7 kg in weight
- J-3/A has composite analogue and component analogue video outputs
- J-3/SDI has composite analogue and SDI video outputs
- Playback of Betacam, Betacam SP, Betacam SX, MPEG IMX and Digital Betacam cassettes
- Playback of S-cassettes and L-cassettes
- Jog/Shuttle dial with x20 maximum search speed for Digital Betacam cassettes
- 525/625 switchable for international operation
- Monitor output of 2 audio channels (selectable on front panel)
- Audio meters for display of the selected 2 channels of audio
- Equipped with industry-standard RS-422A control interface for remote feeding into servers and non-linear edit systems
- 4 channels of digital output via SDI output on J-3/SDI
- Good Shot Mark handling when used with Betacam SX and MPEG IMX cassettes

• SPECIFICATIONS | CAMCORDERS

	DVW-707P	DVW-707P DVW-709WSP DVW-790WSP	DVW-709WSP		1		
		16:9 MODE	4:3 MODE	16:9 MODE	4:3 MODE		
GENERAL							
Mass	Approx. 5 kg (11 lb. 1 oz)	Approx. 5 kg (11 lb. 1	Approx. 5 kg (11 lb. 1 oz)		Approx. 5 kg (11 lb. 1 oz)		
Operating weight	Approx. 7 kg (15 lb. 7 oz)	Approx. 7 kg (15 lb. 7	Approx. 7 kg (15 lb. 7 oz)		Approx. 7 kg (15 lb. 7 oz)		
Power requirements	DC 12 V +5.0 V / -1.0 V	DC 12 V +5.0 V / -1.0	DC 12 V +5.0 V / -1.0 V		DC 12 V +5.0 V / -1.0 V		
Power consumption	29 W	31.5 W	31.5 W		32 W		
Operating temperature	0 °C to +40 °C (+32 °F to +104 °F)	0 °C to +40 °C (+32 °	0 °C to +40 °C (+32 °F to +104 °F)		0 °C to +40 °C (+32 °F to +104 °F)		
Storage temperature	-20 °C to +60 °C (-4 °F to + 140 °F)	-20 °C to +60 °C (-4	-20 °C to +60 °C (-4 °F to + 140 °F)		-20 °C to +60 °C (-4 °F to + 140 °F)		
Humidity	25 % to 85 % (relative humidity)	25 % to 85 % (relativ	25 % to 85 % (relative humidity)		25 % to 85 % (relative humidity) 25 % to 85 % (relative humidity)		ve humidity)
Continuous operating time	Approx.135 min. (With BP-IL75)	Approx.125 min. (With BP-IL75)		Approx.125 min. (With BP-IL75) Approx.120 min. (With BP-IL75)			

SIGNAL INPUTS

Genlock video	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω
Time code input	BNC type (x1), 0.5 to 18 Vp-p, 10 kΩ	BNC type (x1), 0.5 to 18 Vp-p, 10 kΩ	BNC type (x1), 0.5 to 18 Vp-p, 10 kΩ
Audio (CH-1/2)	XLR-3-31 type (x2), -60 dBm / +4 dBm	XLR-3-31 type (x2), -60 dBm / +4 dBm	XLR-3-31 type (x2), -60 dBm / +4 dBm
	selectable, high impedance, balanced	selectable, high impedance, balanced	selectable, high impedance, balanced
Mic input	XLR-3-31 type (x2), -60 dBm / +4 dBm	XLR-3-31 type (x2), -60 dBm / +4 dBm	XLR-3-31 type (x2), -60 dBm / +4 dBm
	selectable, high impedance, balanced	selectable, high impedance, balanced	selectable, high impedance, balanced

SIGNAL OUTPUTS

Video output	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω
Video test output	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω
Time code output	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω	BNC type (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω
Earphone	Minijack	Minijack	Minijack
Audio output (CH-1/2)	XLR-5-pin male (stereo)	XLR-5-pin male (stereo)	XLR-5-pin male (stereo)

OTHERS

OTTIENO			
Lens	12-pin	12-pin	12-pin
Remote	8-pin	8-pin	8-pin
Light	2-pin, DC 12 V, max. 50 W	2-pin, DC 12 V, max. 50 W	2-pin, DC 12 V, max. 50 W
DC input	XLR-4-pin (for the optional AC-550CE)	XLR-4-pin (for the optional AC-550CE)	XLR-4-pin (for the optional AC-550CE)
DC output	4-pin (for wireless microphone receiver),	4-pin (for wireless microphone receiver),	4-pin (for wireless microphone receiver),
	DC 12 V	DC 12 V	DC 12 V
Camcorder adapter	40-pin	40-pin	40-pin

VTR SECTION

GENERAL			
Recording format	Digital Betacam	Digital Betacam	Digital Betacam
Tape speed	96.7 mm/s	96.7 mm/s	96.7 mm/s
Playback/Recording time	Max. 40 min. with BCT-D40 cassette	Max. 40 min. with BCT-D40 cassette	Max. 40 min. with BCT-D40 cassette
Fast forward time	Less than 6 min. with BCT-D40 cassette	Less than 6 min. with BCT-D40 cassette	Less than 6 min. with BCT-D40 cassette
Rewind time	Less than 5 min. with BCT-D40 cassette	Less than 5 min. with BCT-D40 cassette	Less than 5 min. with BCT-D40 cassette
Recommended tape	Sony Digital Betacam S cassette,	Sony Digital Betacam S cassette,	Sony Digital Betacam S cassette,
	BCT-D6/D12/D22/D32/D40 Series	BCT-D6/D12/D22/D32/D40 Series	BCT-D6/D12/D22/D32/D40 Series
Sampling frequency	Y: 13.5 MHz, R-Y/B-Y: 6.75 MHz	Y: 13.5 MHz, R-Y/B-Y: 6.75 MHz	Y: 13.5 MHz, R-Y/B-Y: 6.75 MHz
Quantization	10 bits / sample	10 bits / sample	10 bits / sample
Error correction	Reed-Solomon code	Reed-Solomon code	Reed-Solomon code
Error concealment	Adaptive three dimensional	Adaptive three dimensional	Adaptive three dimensional

DIGITAL VIDEO PERFORMANCE

Band width	Y: 5.75 MHz ±0.5 dB,	Y: 5.75 MHz ±0.5 dB,	Y: 5.75 MHz ±0.5 dB,
	R-Y/B-Y: 2.75 MHz ±0.5 dB	R-Y/B-Y: 2.75 MHz ±0.5 dB	R-Y/B-Y: 2.75 MHz ±0.5 dB
S/N ratio	More than 62 dB	More than 62 dB	More than 62 dB
K-factor (2T pulse)	Less than 1 %	Less than 1 %	Less than 1 %
Linearity	Less than 2 %	Less than 2 %	Less than 2 %
Y/R-Y/B-Y delay	Less than 15 ns	Less than 15 ns	Less than 15 ns

DIGITAL AUDIO PERFORMANCE

Sampling frequency	48 kHz (synchronised with video)	48 kHz (synchronised with video)	48 kHz (synchronised with video)
Quantization	20 bits / sample	20 bits / sample	20 bits / sample
A/D and D/A quantization	16 bits / sample	16 bits / sample	16 bits / sample
Frequency response	20 Hz to 20 kHz, +0.5 dB/-0.8 dB	20 Hz to 20 kHz, +0.5 dB/-0.8 dB	20 Hz to 20 kHz, +0.5 dB/-0.8 dB
Dynamic range	More than 85 dB (emphasis ON)	More than 85 dB (emphasis ON)	More than 85 dB (emphasis ON)
Distortion (at 1 kHz, emphasis ON,	Less than 0.08 %	Less than 0.08 %	Less than 0.08 %
reference level)			
Cross talk (at 1 kHz, reference level)	Less than -70 dB	Less than -70 dB	Less than -70 dB
Wow & flutter	Below measurable limit	Below measurable limit	Below measurable limit
Head room	20 dB (ex-factory setting)	20 dB (ex-factory setting)	20 dB (ex-factory setting)
Emphasis (ON/OFF selectable)	T1 = 50 μs, T2 = 15 μs	T1 = 50 μs, T2 = 15 μs	T1 = 50 μs, T2 = 15 μs

ANALOGUE AUDIO PERFORMANCE (CUE TRACK)

	,		
Frequency response	100 Hz to 12 kHz, ±3 dB	100 Hz to 12 kHz, ±3 dB	100 Hz to 12 kHz, ±3 dB
S/N ratio	More than 50 dB, at 3 % distortion level	More than 50 dB, at 3 % distortion level	More than 50 dB, at 3 % distortion level
Distortion	Less than 1.5 %	Less than 1.5 %	Less than 1.5 %
	(T.H.D at 1 kHz, reference level)	(T.H.D at 1 kHz, reference level)	(T.H.D at 1 kHz, reference level)
Wow & flutter	Less than 0.2 %	Less than 0.2 %	Less than 0.2 %

• **SPECIFICATIONS** | CAMCORDERS

	DVW-707P	DVW-709WSP		DVW-790WSP	DVW-790WSP	
		16:9 MODE	4:3 MODE	16:9 MODE	4:3 MODE	
CAMERA SECTION						
CAMERA						
Pickup device	3-chip 2/3-inch	3-chip 2/3-inch 16:9/4:	3 Widescreen	3-chip 2/3-inch 16:9/4	4:3	
	Power HAD IT CCD	Power HAD IT CCD		Widescreen Power H/	AD FIT CCD	
Picture elements	795 (H) x 596 (V)	1038 (H) x 594 (V)		1038 (H) x 594 (V)		
Optical system	F 1.4 prism system	F 1.4 prism system		F 1.4 prism system		
Built-in filters	1: Clear, 2: 5600 K +1/8 ND,	1: Clear, 2: 1/4 ND, 3:	1/16 ND, 4: 1/64 ND, A:	Cross, B: 3200 K, C: 43	800 K, D: 6300 K	
	3: 5600K, 4: 5600 K+1/64 ND					
Shutter speed	1/60, 1/125, 1/250, 1/500, 1/1000, 1/2000 (s)	1/60, 1/125, 1/250, 1/5	i00, 1/1000, 1/2000 (s)	1/60, 1/125, 1/250, 1/500, 1/1000, 1/2000 (s)		
Lens mount	Special bayonet mount	Special bayonet mount		Special bayonet mount		
Sensitivity (2000 lx, 89.9 % reflectance)	F10.0 (Typical) Equivalent to ISO 600 or more	F9.0 (Typical) Equivaler	nt to ISO 500 or more			
Minimum illumination	Approx. 0.15 lx(F1.4 lens, +48 dB Turbo Gain)	Approx. 0.2 lx (F1.4 ler	ns, +48 dB Turbo Gain)			
Smear level	-125 dB	-120 dB		-140 dB		
S/N ratio	63 dB (typical)	63 dB (typical)		63 dB (typical)		
Vertical resolution	(Without EVS) 400 TV lines	s, (With EVS) 450 TV line	s	(Without Super EVS) 400 TV lines,		
				(With Super EVS) 450	TV lines	
Registration	0.05 % (All zones, without lens)	0.05 % (All zones, with	iout lens)	0.05 % (All zones, wit	hout lens)	
Geometric distortion	Below measurable level (Without lens)	Below measurable leve	el (Without lens)	Below measurable lev	vel (Without lens)	
Warm-up time	2 sec.	2 sec.		2 sec.		
Modulation depth at 5 MHz	More than 55 %	More than 65 %	More than 55 %	More than 65 %	More than 55 %	

VIEWFINDER

CRT	1.5-inch monochrome	2.0-inch monochrome	2.0-inch monochrome		
Controls	BRIGHT control, CONTRAST control, PEAKING control, TALLY, ZEBRA, DISPLAY switches				
Horizontal resolution	600 TV lines	450 TV lines (16:9)	450 TV lines (16:9)		
Microphone	Ultra-directional (Detachable)	Ultra-directional (Detachable)	Ultra-directional (Detachable)		

SUPPLIED ACCESSORIES

Maintenance Manual (x1), Operation Manual (x1), Lens cap (x1), Shoulder belt (x1), Microphone (x1), XLR cap (x4)

RECOMMENDED WIRELESS SYSTEMS



	WRR-862B Receiver	WRR-855B Receiver	WRT-8B Transmitter*	ECM-88BC Lavalier Mic
UHF operating	Dependent on	Dependent on	Dependent on	no
frequency	version / region	version / region	version / region	
Frequency response	40 Hz – 18 kHz	100 Hz – 15 kHz	40Hz – 20 kHz	40Hz – 20 kHz
Signal to noise	>60 dB A-weighted	>60 dB A-weighted	60 dB or more	
RF Power output	N/A		10/50 mW Switchable	
Current consumption	230 mA	200 mA	6 hours @ 50 mW	
Battery life	5 hours		13 hours @ 10 mW	
Max SPL	N/A			120 dB
Weight	400 g	280 g	140 g incl	1.5 g Capsule
			batteries	
Dimensions	89 x 120 x 29.5	88 x 118 x 31	63 x 83 x 17	3.5 x 3.5 x 12.5
W x H x D (mm)				Capsule
Mounting/adaptor	A8278-057A	CA-WR855, BTA-801		
brackets required		or A8278-057A		
Cable Length	N/A			2.5 m

* Or use WRT-847B Handheld Transmitter with either CU-F780, CU-G780, CU-E700, CU-E672 or CU-F117 Capsule

• SPECIFICATIONS | STUDIO RECORDERS

	DVW-A500P	DVW-500P
GENERAL		
Power requirements	AC 90 V to 265 V	, 48 Hz to 64 Hz
Power consumption	175	W
Operating temperature	+5 to +40 °C (4	1°F to 104 °F)
Storage temperature	-20 to +60 °C	(-4 to 140°F)
Humidity	25 to 80 % (rela	ative humidity)
Mass	35 kg (77 lb)	33 kg (73 lb)
Dimensions (W x H x D)	427 x 237 x 520 mm (16 7/	'8 x 9 3/8 x 20 1/2 inches)
Recording format	Digital B	etacam
Tape speed	e speed Digital Betacam: 96.7 mm/s	
	Betacam playback: 101.5 mm/s	_
Digital Record/playback time	Max. 124 minutes with	BCT-D124L cassette
	Max. 40 minutes with	n BCT-D40 cassette
Analogue Record/playback time	Max. 110 minutes with BCT-90MLA cassette	_
Fast forward/rewind time	Approx. 3 minutes with	BCT-D124L cassette
Search speed range (shuttle mode)	Still to approx. ± 50 times	normal playback speed
Dynamic Tracking range (variable mode)	-1 to +3 times norm	al playback speed
Servo lock time	0.5 s or less (from standby on)	
Load/unload time	6.0 s o	r less

INPUT/OUTPUT SIGNAL

VIDEO		
Input	SDI	BNC (x1) with active through out, ITU-R BT.656, 270 Mbits/s
	Analogue component	BNC (x1, Y/R-Y/B-Y), Y: 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω , R-Y/B-Y: 0.7 Vp-p, 75 Ω
	Analogue composite (option)	BNC (x 1) with loop-through, 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω ,(with use of optional BKDW-506)
	Reference	BNC (x 1) with loop-through, 0.3 Vp-p, 75 Ω
Output	SDI	BNC (x4), ITU-R BT.656, 270 Mbits/s (including 1 character out)
	Analogue component	BNC (x1, Y/R-Y/B-Y), Y: 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω , R-Y/B-Y: 0.7 Vp-p, 75 Ω
	Analogue composite	BNC (x3), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω (including 1 character out)
AUDIO		
Input	Digital	XLR 3-pin (CH 1/2, 3/4), AES/EBU format, stereo mode, balanced,
		BNC (SDI, video and audio), ITU-R BT.656, 270 Mbits/s
	Analogue	XLR 3-pin (CH 1,2,3,4, Cue), LOW OFF: -60 dBu, high impedance, balanced, HIGH OFF: +4 dBU,
		high impedance, balanced, HIGH ON: +4 dBm, 600 Ω termination, balanced
Output	Digital	XLR 3-pin (CH 1/2, 3/4), AES/EBU format, stereo mode, balanced, BNC (SDI, video and audio),
		ITU-R BT.656, 270 Mbits/s
	Analogue	XLR 3-pin (CH 1,2,3,4, Cue), +4 dBm at 600 Ω load, low impedance, balanced
	Monitor L/R	XLR-3-pin , +4 dBm at 600 Ω load, low impedance, balanced
	Headphones	JM-60 Stereo phone jack , ∞ to -12 dBu at 8 Ω load, unbalanced
Time code	Time code input	XLR-3-pin , 0.5 to 18 Vp-p,10 k Ω , balanced
	Time code output	XLR-3-pin , 2.2 Vp-p, low impedance, balanced
Remote	Remote 1 In	D-sub 9-pin, RS-422A interface
	Remote 1 Out	D-sub 9-pin, RS-422A interface
	RS-232C	D-sub 25-pin, RS-232C interface
	Remote 2 Parallel I/O	D-sub 50-pin, (with optional BKDW-509 Parallel (50P) interface kit)
	Video control	D-sub 15-pin, (for optional BVR-50P Remote Controller)
	Control panel	15-pin, (for optional BKDW-510 Control Panel Extension Kit)

PROCESSOR ADJUSTMENT RANGE

Video level	±3 dB/-∞to +3	dB, selectable
Chroma level	±3 dB/-∞to +4	dB, selectable
Black level	±210) mV
Chroma phase/hue	±3	0°
System sync phase	±15	i μs
System SC phase	±200 ns	
Y/C delay	±100 ns	_

SPECIFICATIONS | PORTABLE VTR AND COMPACT PLAYERS

DVW-250P

GENERAL	
Power requirements	DC 12V +5/-1V
Power consumption	Approx. 26 W (REC. Mode, CONFI. Off)
Operating temperature	0°C to 40°C (32°F to 104°F)
Storage temperature	-20°C to 60°C (-4°F to 140°F)
Humidity	25% than 80% (relative humidity)
Weight	Approx. 6.6kg (14 lb 9 oz)
Operating weight	Approx. 7.7kg (16 lb 16 oz) (including battery and cassette)
Recording format	Digital Betacam
Tape speed	96.7mm/sec.
Record/playback time	Max. 124 min (BCT-D124L), Max. 40 min (BCT-D40)
Fast forward/rewind time	420 s or less (BCT-D124L), 160 s or less (BCT-D40)
Fast forward/rewind speed	Max. 24 times (with colour picture)
Search speed	Max. 8 times (2/5/8 selectable) (with colour picture)
Servo lock time	0.5 s or less (from Pause Mode)
Load/unload time	4.5 s or less
Battery	BP-L90A, BP-IL75
Recommended cassettes	BCT-D6/D12/D22/D32/D40, BCT-D34L/D64L/D94L/D124L

DIGITAL VIDEO PERFORMANCE

Sampling frequency	Y: 13.5 MHz, R-Y/B-Y: 6.75 MHz
Quantization	10 bits/sample
Error correction	Reed-Solomon code
Error concealement	Adaptive three dimensional

DIGITAL INPUT TO ANALOGUE COMPONENT OUTPUT

(playback with standard playback machine)	
Bandwidth	Y: 0 to 5.75 MHz +-0.5 dB, R-Y/B-Y: 0 to 2.75 MHz \pm 0.5 dB
S/N ratio	62 dB or more
K-factor (2T pulse)	1% or less

ANALOGUE COMPONENT INPUT TO ANALOGUE COMPONENT OUTPUT

(playback with standard playb	back machine)
Input A/D quantization	10 bits/sample
Bandwidth	Y: 0 to 5.75 MHz +0.5/-0.7 dB, R-Y/B-Y: 0 to 2.75 MHz + 0.5/-0.7 dB
S/N ratio	60 dB or more
K-factor (2T pulse)	1% or less
LF non-linearity	2% or less

ANALOGUE COMPOSITE INPUT TO ANALOGUE COMPOSITE OUTPUT

Input A/D quantization	10 bits/sample
Bandwidth	0 to 5.5 MHz ± 0.7 dB
S/N ratio	56 dB or more
Differential gain	2% or less
Differential phase	2° or less
Y/C delay	15 ns or less
K-factor (2T pulse)	1% or less

DIGITAL AUDIO PERFORMANCE

(playback on standard playback machine with 20 bits D/A)

Sampling frequency	48 kHz (Synchronised with video)
Quantization	20 bits/sample
Input A/D quantization	20 bits/sample
Frequency response	20 Hz to 20 kHz ± 0.5 dB
Dynamic range	100 dB or more (at 1kHz, emphasis ON)
Distortion	0.03% or less (at 1 kHz, emphasis ON)
Cross talk	-80 dB or less (at 1 kHz, reference level)
Wow & flutter	Below measurable level
Headroom	20 dB (or 18 dB selectable)
Emphasis	T1=50 µs, T2=15 µs (ON/OFF selectable)

INPUT/OUTPUT SIGNAL

SDI (Serial digital interface)	Serial digital component with embedded audio
	4 channels, SMPTE-259M/ ITU-R BT.656
SDI input	BNC x 1
SDI output	BNC x 1
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26-pin camera connector x 1	
Analogue component input	Y: 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω (sync negative)
	R-Y/B-Y: 0.7 Vp-p, 75Ω
SDI input	Serial digital component embedded audio 4 channels
Analogue audio input	-60 dBu/-20dBu/+4dBu, high impedance, balanced

VIDEO

Analogue composite input	BNC x 1, 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω
Analogue composite output	BNC x 2, 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω (x1: character ON/OFF selectable)

AUDIO

Analogue audio input	XLR x 4, -60 dBu/-20 dBu/-4 dBu, high impedance,
	balanced, +48 V power supply (ON/OFF selectable)
Analogue audio output	XLR x 4, +4 dBm (0dBm), low impedance, balanced
Headphones	Stereo standard jack, -17 dBu
Earphone	Stereo mini jack, -17 dBu

TIME CODE	
Time code input	BNC x 1, 0.5 V to 18 Vp-p, 10 kΩ
Time code output	BNC x 1, 1.2 Vp-p, 75 Ω , 2.2 Vp-p, 600 Ω
OTHERS	
Remote	D-sub 9-pin, Sony 9-pin serial or ISR (RS-232C)
DC input	XLR 4-pin x 1 (for AC-550CE)
DC output	Mini 4-pin (for BVR-3)
RFU modulator interface	Video out/ Audio out/ DC out

PROCESSOR ADJUSTMENT RANGE

System sync phase	±2 μs
level adjustable range	
Video input and output	±3 dB

J-3/A AND J-3/SDI

GENERAL

Power requirements	AC 100 V to 240 V, 50/60 Hz
Power consumption	50 W
Operating temperature	+5 °C to +40 °C (+41 °F to +104 °F)
Storage temperature	-20 °C to +60 °C (-4 °F to +140 °F)
Humidity	25% to 80% (relative humidity)
Mass	7 kg (15 lb 7 oz)
Dimensions (W x H x D)	307 x 100 x 397 mm (12 1/8 x 4 x 15 3/4 inches)

TAPE SPEED

Digital Betacam	96.7 mm/s
MPEG IMX	64.467 mm/s (525 mode), 53.776 mm/s (625 mode)
Betacam SX	59.515 mm/s (525 mode), 59.575 mm/s (625 mode)
Betacam/Betacam SP	118.6 mm/s (525 mode), 101.5 mm/s (625 mode)

PLAYBACK TIME

Digital Betacam	Max. 124 min. with BCT-D124L
MPEG IMX	Max.184 (525 mode)/220 (625 mode) min with BCT-184MXL cassette
Betacam SX	Max. 194 min with BCT-194SXLA cassette
Betacam/Betacam SP	Max. 90 (525 mode)/105 (625 mode) min with BCT-90MLA cassette

FAST FORWARD/REWIND TIME

Digital Betacam	Approx. 5 min with BCT-D124L
MPEG IMX	Approx. 5 min with BCT-184MXL cassette
Betacam SX	Approx. 5 min with BCT-194SXLA cassette
Betacam/Betacam SP	Approx. 5 min with BCT-90MLA cassette

SEARCH SPEED RANGE

Digital Betacam	±20 times normal playback speed
MPEG IMX	±32 times normal playback speed
Betacam SX	±35 times normal playback speed
Betacam/Betacam SP	±18 times normal playback speed
Servo lock time	0.5 s or less (from standby on)
Load/unload time	6 s or less

INPUT SIGNALS

Ext. sync	BNC (x1), Frame lock

OUTPUT SIGNALS	
Analogue composite output	BNC (x1), Pin Jack (x1), 1.0 Vp-p, 75 Ω
S-video output	Mini DIN 4-pin (x1),Y: 1.0 Vp-p, C.0.286 Vp-p burst, 75 Ω
Analogue component output (with J-3/A)	BNC (x3), Y: 1.0 Vp-p, R-Y/B-Y: 0.7 Vp-p, 75 Ω
SDI output (with J-3/SDI)	BNC (x1), SMPTE 259M, 270 Mb/s, 0.8 Vp-p, 75 Ω

REMOTE CONTROL

RS-422A	D-sub 9-pin (female) (x1), Sony 9-pin remote interface
RS-232C	D-sub 9-pin (female) (x1)
Monitor output L/R	Pin Jack (x1): -10 dBu at 47 k Ω load, unbalanced, XLR (male x2): +4 dBm, 600 Ω load, low impedance, balanced
Headphone output unbalanced	JM-60 Stereo Phone Jack, - ∞ to -12 dBu at 8 Ω load,

SUPPLIED ACCESSORIES

Operation manual (CD-ROM) (x1), Vertical stand (x2), Quick Operation Guide (x1)

Sony address/contact details/dealer stamp



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