

Quick Start Guide



Your Home Movies On DVD – Easy As 1...2...3



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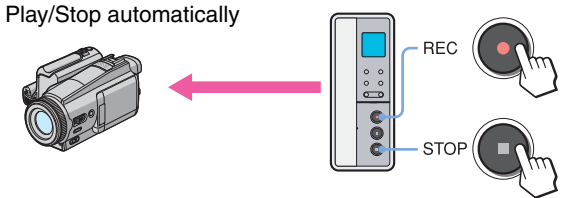
Let's make a DVD using DVD Direct !

The differences between Synchronized Recording and Manual Recording.

Synchronized Recording

– DV (i.LINK) Cable Connection

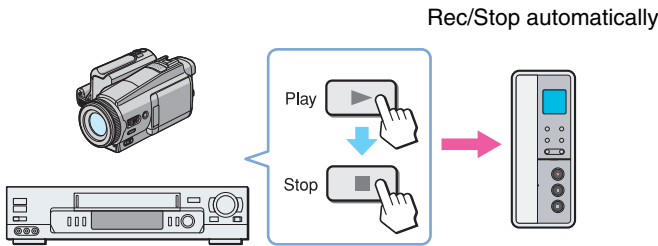
The digital video camera will play/stop automatically carried out with the REC/STOP buttons on the drive.



– AV Cable Connection

The drive will start/stop recording automatically when you start/stop playback on the video device.

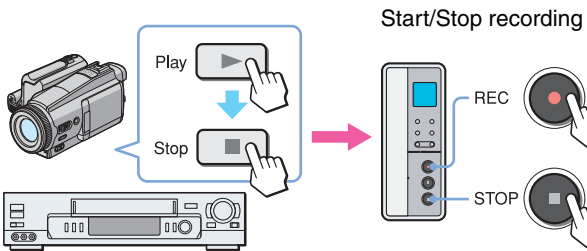
The drive starts/stops recording when it detects signals from the video device.



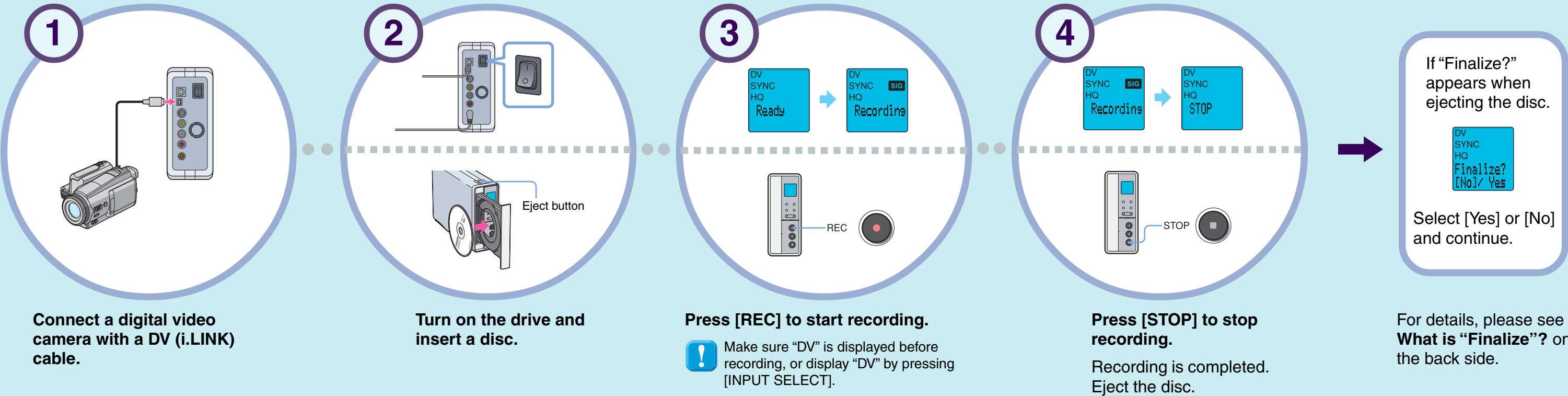
Manual Recording

You can start/stop recording manually by operating the drive and the connected device (Video camera/VCR etc.) respectively.

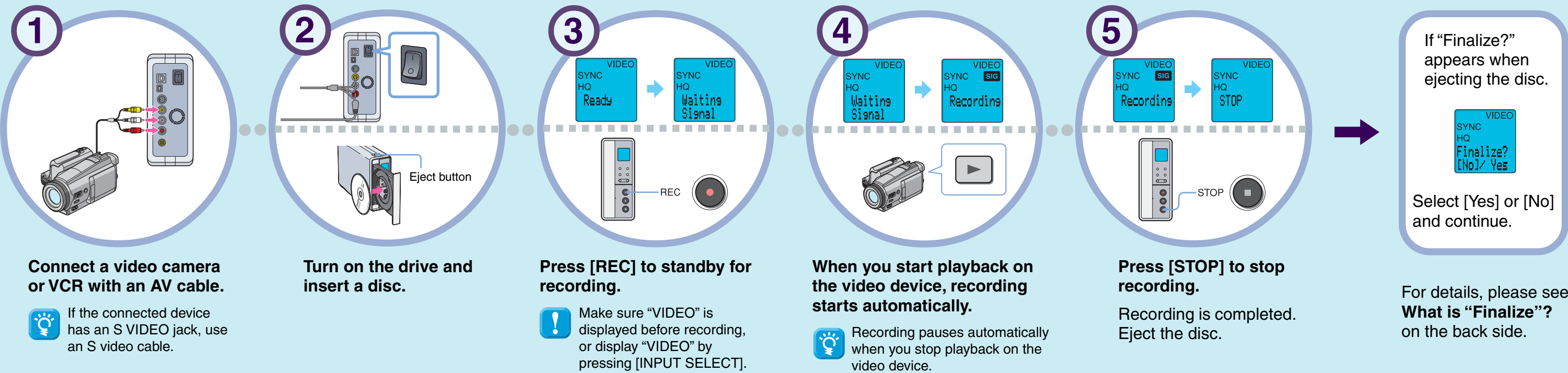
Need to operate manually both the drive and the connected devices.



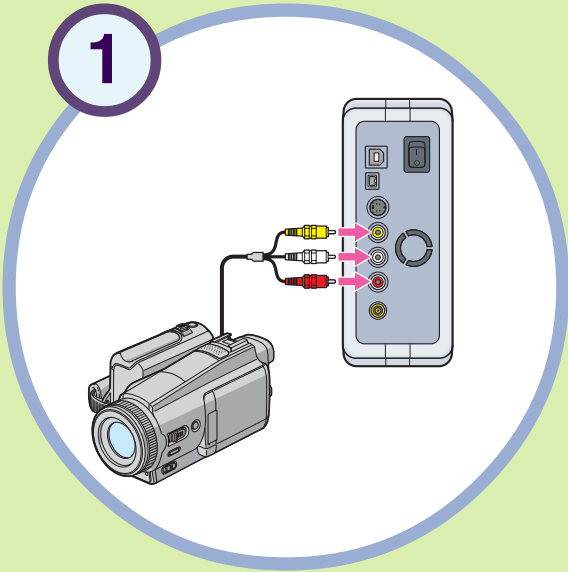
Synchronized Recording – DV (i.LINK) Cable Connection



Synchronized Recording – AV Cable Connection

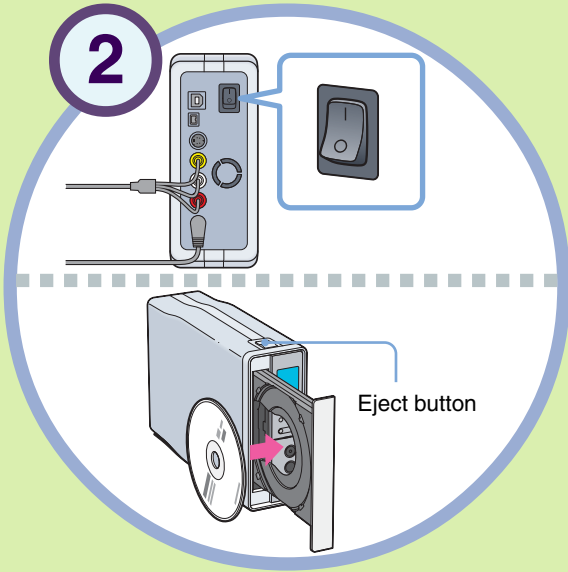


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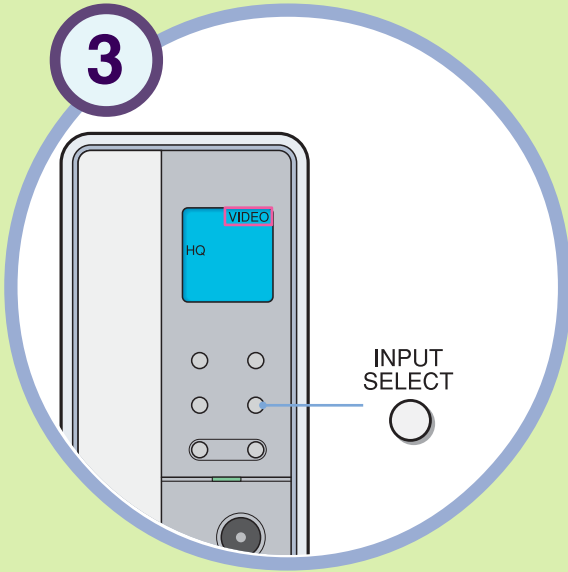


Connect a video camera or VCR.

If the connected device has an S VIDEO or DV jack, use an S video or i.LINK cable.

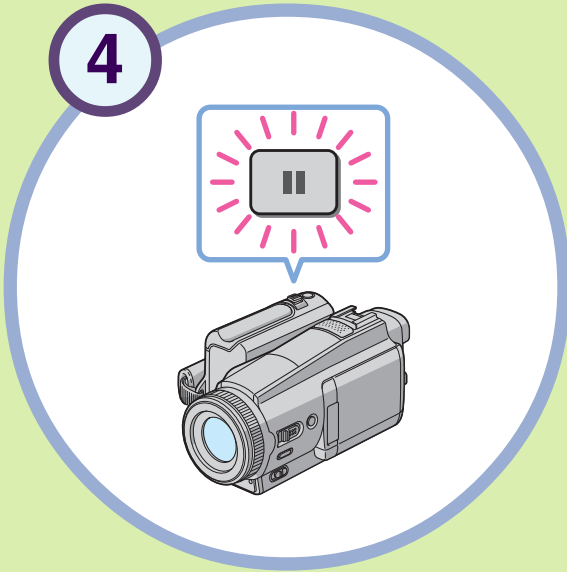


Turn on the drive and insert a disc.

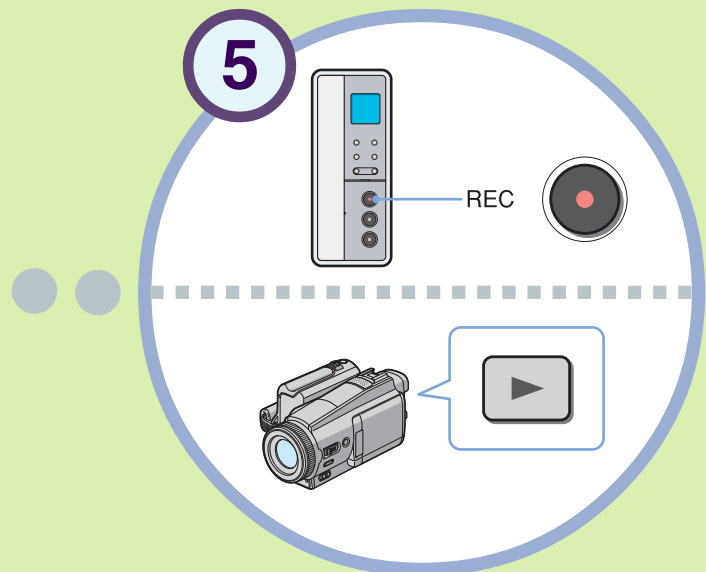


Press [INPUT SELECT] to display "VIDEO."

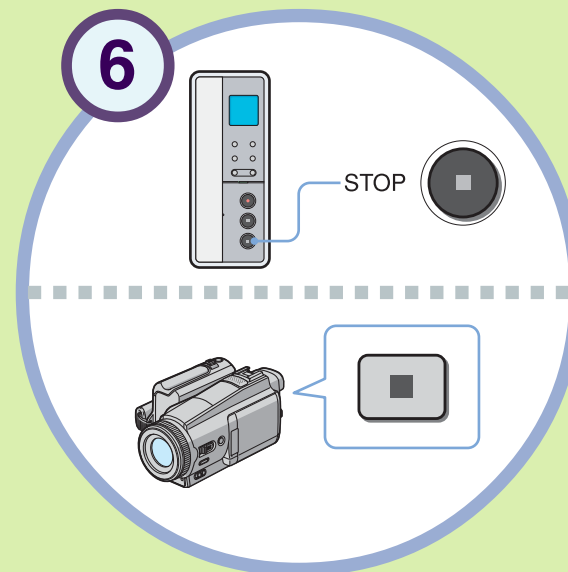
If the device is connected to S-VIDEO or DV jack, select "S-VIDEO" or "DV".



Set the video device to the playback pause mode.



Start playback on the video device, and press [REC] to start recording.



Press [STOP] to stop recording, and stop playback on the video device.

Recording is completed. Eject the disc.

If "Finalize?" appears when ejecting the disc.

Select [Yes] or [No] and continue.

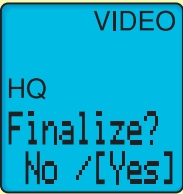
For details, please see What is "Finalize"? .

What is "Finalize"?

It means to make the created disc compatible with other DVD devices, so that the disc can be played back on them.

Finalizing the disc

[Finalize?] appears when ejecting the disc* after recording.



Press [SELECT] to select "Yes" and press [FUNCTION/ENTER].

* DVD+R, DVD-R, DVD-RW discs



Press [SELECT] again to select "Yes" and press [FUNCTION/ENTER] to start finalizing of the disc.



- To record more on the disc, select [No].
- You cannot play back the disc on other DVD devices until the disc is finalized.



- Finalizing of the disc may take about some minutes.
- Finalized disc cannot be incrementally written.

QUICK REFERENCE

SYNC	INPUT	Start Recording	Stop Recording
ON	DV IN	Press "REC" → recording starts.	Press "STOP"
ON	VIDEO S-VIDEO	Press "REC" to standby for incoming signal → start the source. When signal is detected recording starts.	If DVD+R, DVD-R and DVD-RW are used, DVDDirect will ask "Finalize?" when ejecting ⑤ to select [Yes] → ⑥
OFF	(ANY)	Press "REC" → start the source (VCR etc.)	

FUNCTION	Operation	Note
Finalize disc	Press ⑥ until "Finalize?" → ⑤ to select [Yes] → ⑥ → ⑤ to select [Yes] → ⑥	Finalize disc makes it compatible with DVD players. See What is "Finalize?".
Erase All	Press ⑥ until "Erase All?" → ⑤ to select [Yes] → ⑥ → ⑤ to select [Yes] → ⑥	Erase all contents of a disc. This function works with DVD+RW and DVD-RW.
Auto Play	Press ⑥ until "Auto Play?" → ⑤ to select [Yes] → ⑥	Resulting disc starts the playback upon insertion to a DVD player.
Auto Chaptering	Press ⑥ until "Auto Chp" → ⑤ to select desired time → ⑥	Writes in chapter breaks at set time interval (5, 10, 15min, none)
Stop Timer	Press ⑥ until "Stop Timer" → ⑤ to select desired time → ⑥	Recording will stop automatically after the preset time.

Legend

- ⑥ FUNCTION/ENTER button
- ⑤ SELECT button

Note

Refer to Operating Instructions for more information.