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## COPYING HOME VIDEOS TO DVD

### Copying home videos is a smart choice:

- It preserves your memories (Videotape has a “shelf life” of about 10-20 years!)
- It allows you to share your special moments with others
- It makes viewing more convenient with “standard” formats

### Getting it done by Access Video is smart as well:

- All work is done “in-house”. We directly control the quality.
- We use professional equipment to for the best possible transfer quality.
- Custom printed labels help organize your videos and provide a “clean” look
- We treat your precious memories with the care they deserve
- For details on our video transfer process please see our [Video Transfer Details](#) page.

Access Video can make VHS or DVD copies from most US\* consumer video formats:

VHS	VHS-C	S-VHS	S-VHS-C	Video8	Hi8	Digital8	MiniDV	miniDVD	Betamax
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\* The physical formats listed are supported for NTSC-standard video (used in North America, Japan, etc.) For tapes recorded to other international standards such as PAL and SECAM, see our [Foreign Conversions](#) section.

### Copy to DVD format for the best quality, convenience and durability

- Higher resolution and color accuracy ensure a virtually identical copy
- Easier to “navigate” to find scenes within your video
- Smaller size takes up less shelf space
- New digital format is more versatile for computer-based editing and sharing

### If you choose to copy to DVD format

- Standard pricing includes DVD-R disk, custom label, slim case or movie box w/custom insert (see below)
- DVD-R disks play in the vast majority of existing DVD players  
(Please see [DVD Compatibility FAQs](#))
- Typical turnaround time is 1 to 2 business days for small quantities
- Up to 120 minutes can be copied to DVD in “Standard Play” DVD quality
- Shorter tapes may be combined on a DVD (see pricing chart)
- Each tape is accessible on the DVD directly from the main menu
- Chapter points are inserted within longer segments for easy navigation
- Custom menu designs and custom chapter markers are optionally available
- Additional (identical) DVD copies are available at a special low price.
- See charts below for pricing. For large quantities see our [DVD Duplication Pricing](#) page.

Still have questions? Check out our [FAQs page](#).

### VIDEO TAPE TO DVD PRICING

Length of tape to be transferred (up to)	Price to Copy to DVD (Slim Poly Case)	Price to Copy to DVD (Full- Size Movie Box)	"Combo" Price: More than one tape on the same DVD*	Typical Data Rate / Quality (Based on total minutes for all tapes transferred to a single DVD)
10 min.	\$21.95	25.95	16.95	HQ: 9Mbps / Highest
30 min	\$23.95	27.95	18.95	HQ: 9Mbps / Highest
60 min	\$26.95	30.95	21.95	HQ: 9Mbps / Highest
120 min	\$31.95	35.95	26.95	SP: 5Mbps / Standard DVD
150 min.	\$34.95	38.95	Call	SP+: 4Mbps / reduced quality
>150 min.	Call	Call	Call	EP/SLP: Not Recommended

\* Note: Combined length should not exceed two hours to maintain quality.

### VIDEO TAPE TO DVD OPTIONS PRICING

Option Description	Price
Additional DVD Copies in Slim Case (Identical, at time of transfer)	\$6.00/disc (or less)
Additional DVD Copies in Movie Box (Identical, at time of transfer)	\$7.50/disc (or less)
Custom start or stop (very rough editing)	\$6.00 minimum
Customize DVD – menus, chapters, cut editing	\$60.00/labor hour
Print customer-provided photo image to DVD box insert	\$7.50
Remove top menu (DVD usually just plays when inserted)	\$15.00
Make DVD looping (continuous repeat when played)	\$20.00

#### Special Wedding Video Packages:

In addition to our standard videotape to DVD transfers, Access Video offers special premium transfer packages for wedding videotapes (for which you own the copyrights)\* to DVD. These special packages are great for anniversary gifts or just to preserve those once-in-a-lifetime memories in a fitting package. See package pricing on the [Wedding Videos](#) page.

