

RE: Copying VHS Tapes

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I am lost, whatever are talking about? what is impossible? I have been making DVD for some time and I just bought a inexpensive device to let be copy my Macrovision protected VHS tapes. I have NO clue to what you are referring to. My software is just fine and has been doing a superb job. The Macrovision was triggering my graphics card to giving me a blank screen and saying unable to copy protected VHS. Are you saying that utility would eliminate the Macrovision and give me a stable video output with no variations in the Contrast?

It was the Graphics card that was halting the process NOT the software, so I am confused how software would prevent the Graphics card from stopping the process. The VCR is hooked directly to the graphics card and NOT the software. Please advise, I tried everything prior to getting this device and made my post only to relay on to others what works. I have used it and it works great.

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I Have forgotten so much of what I once knew.
"A Stranger is a Friend you haven't met yet."

"Andrew E." wrote:

Thats really quite impossible to have that happen with normal software running. Pitch the software youre using, so long as youre video card has up to date drivers or youre tv capture card has the drivers for it. Download the WM encoder 9 series, get the utilitys also, all but adobe, unless you use that. The encoder + WMCAP utility will let you view and record anything youre line-in is playing. Actually it has no policy for protected video, only cds and dvds played thru youre computer.

"Craig A." wrote:

I had posted a question about how to copy Macrovision Protected VHS tapes to DVD.

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My VCR is hooked up to the Graphics and Audio card of my computer and I do have Capture software, I was JUST having a problem with Copy Protected Tapes, even though I owned them, I was unable to copy them. One poster said I did not have the RIGHTS, on the contrary, under the Freedom of Use Law, I do have the Rights. Anyways, other posters sent me searching for a product and I found one and I will share with you what I found. I am in no way connected to this company, but their product worked