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Time is money. And since you can't re-capture time, the CitiDISK™ HD is a highly effective tool, eliminating the time consuming process of re-capturing Panasonic DVCPRO HD®, DVCPRO50® and DV footage from HD camcorder tapes into non-linear editing (NLE) systems.

CitiDISK™ HD is powerful, lightweight, portable and, with its internal rechargeable battery, connects directly to camcorders and captures footage to its miniature high-capacity hard drive and to tape simultaneously – directly from the camera's FireWire port into MXF files. When done shooting, set your camcorder to VCR mode to "QPLAY" the last scenes on the viewfinder or simply plug it into your computer's FireWire port and edit/play directly on the digitized video at anytime.

Optimized For Panasonic DVCPRO HD®, DVCPRO50® & DV Video Professionals

With its small form-factor, high-capacity and rugged design, CitiDISK™ HD is ideally suited for broadcast and video professionals in the field. Typical applications include event video, corporate video, weddings, ceremonies and other similar events.

Camera-Controlled Recording With Or Without Tape

Records DV streams via camera's REC button with tape, or by CitiDISK™ HD's REC button without tape.

MXF (Panasonic P2) File Format Only

Since Panasonic DVCPRO HD® cameras are new to the market, to be compatible with Panasonic's existing P2 card file system, CitiDisk™ HD stores the DV streams into MXF (Panasonic P2) file format.

Quick Play Last Captured Scene Or Loop Play Previous Captured Scenes

"QPLAY" last captured DV streams on viewfinder when setting camera to VCR mode. Navigating history clips is also possible by press and holding the QPLAY button for 3 seconds.

Archive DV Tape Content

Archives taped DV streams by pressing CitiDISK™ HD's REC button with camera in VCR mode. Video clips are stored as MXF (Panasonic P2) file format in pre-formatted FAT32 hard drive folders.

Multiple DVCPRO HD®, DVCPRO50® & DV Formats And Audio Sampling Rate Detection

CitiDISK™ HD automatically detects incoming MiniDV/DVCam/DVCPRO® (DV or DV25), DVCPRO50® or DVCPRO HD® (DV100) stream formats and 2-ch-16bit-48KHz/2-ch-16bit-44.1KHz/4-ch-12bit-32kHz audio sampling rates, and provides record/playback in either format.

Pre-Scene Loop Recording

DV stream is buffered in internal memory and instantly recorded to the unit's hard drive when the REC button is pressed or REC command is selected. This function helps avoiding the loss of important scenes.

Non-Stop Shooting Through Combination Of Batteries

CitiDISK™ HD embeds a 90-minute rechargeable Lithium Polymer battery that automatically kicks in when the 3-hour external battery runs low. This seamless battery power changeover ensures non-stop shooting capability no need to shut down the unit.

Plug 'n Play Instant HD/DV Editing

CitiDISK™ HDV appears as an external FireWire hard drive on the PC or Mac desktop. Video clips are immediately editable/playable by most NLE software packages.

Compact, Lightweight And Shock-Resistant

CitiDISK™ HD is compact, lightweight (only 10 ounces) and embeds a high-capacity laptop computer-grade hard drive (available in 80GB, 100GB or 120GB capacities) with internal shock absorption cushioning (all around) for maximum hard drive protection (150G non-operational tested).

Flexibility Multiple Shooting Methods

CitiDISK™ HD includes a belt clip-configured pouch to conveniently "shoot from the hip", with newly designed pouch pocket for multiple external battery pack types. Optional mounting pocket bracketed with V-Mount or Gold-Mount fits at rear end of broadcast camera - accompanies one D-Tap connector to CitiDISK™ HD power cable converter.

Quick Erase Button And Utility Programs

Convenient one touch "Quick Erase" button provides instant file folder clean up to re-claim hard disk space. Utility programs included (PC and Mac-compatible).



Package Contents:

Cable	One 6-pin-4-pin IEEE1394A (FireWire) cable included
Power	One External DC +12V wall mount power adapter Optional external battery pack - 3-hour capacity
Pouch	One belt-configured carrying pouch
Unit	Dimensions -- Width: 3" (77 mm); Height: 1" (25mm); Length: 5 and 5/8" (136 mm) Weight -- 10 ounces (280 grams)
Documentation	One quick usage guide, warranty card and programs, full manual on CD



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