

### **How It Works:**

Step 1: Get in touch with someone from Bruckner Designs via BrucknerDesigns.com or BrucknerDesigns@gmail.com

#### Step 2: Check the labels on your media.

The files on your flash drive(s) will be named exactly how they appear on your Tapes, Discs, or SD Card's label. Arrange for Bruckner Designs to obtain your media

**Step 3:** Wait in excitement for your memories to be readily available to watch on your computer or Smart TV, whenever you'd like!

Step 4: Final Payment

Step 5: Receive your tapes, discs, and/or cards back along with your Flash Drive(s)

# **Pricing (Transfer to Flashdrive):**

**VHS:** \$10 VHS-C: \$8 VHS Repair: \$10 **Mini DV: \$8** 8mm & Hi-8: \$8 **DVD/Mini DVD: \$8 Blu-ray:** \$10

SD & Micro SD: \$5

\*Please note that price is per tape/disc/card. We can not transfer Betamax Tapes at this time

Flash Drive: \$15 for 1 (Required), \$10 for each additional \*A Flash Drive is required for your transfer. We **Do Not** transfer to DVD's. All of your transfers will fit on a single flash drive. \*\*It is recommended that you backup your flash drive to a computer or another flash drive when you receive it, whether you buy additional copies or not.

## **Frequently Asked Questions:**

Q: Why is transferring old tapes to digital a good idea?

A: Although the VHS life expectancy varies from one VHS tape to the next, VHS tapes have been found to deteriorate 10 to 20 percent over the course of 10 to 25 years. This will give you some wavy gray lines and distorted audio. Eventually, the tape will become black again.

Q: Why does it cost so much to transfer a tape to Digital?

A: Tapes and film are analog. Because of this, the transferring of analog to digital is done in real time. For example, if a tape is 2 hours long, it will take 2 hours to transfer. Transfer times are even greater when tapes have to be rewound before starting the process.

Q: What will the files be named as on my flash drive?

A: The files on your flash drive will be named exactly how they appear on your Tape, Disc, or SD Card's label. File names can easily be changed on your home computer later on. If a tape has nothing written on it's label, it will be given a sticky note starting with "Unknown 1" written on it, and so on.

Q: Can a damaged taped be repaired?

A: If the tape has become gummy and sticky, the tape is beyond repair. If the tape has come off of it's spools or is cut, there is a possibility that it can be repaired (\$10 per repair) and transferred to digital.

Q: Can I ship my tapes to you?

A: Shipping is not recommended and can become very costly. The whole purpose of this process is to preserve memories, and the last thing we want is for the tapes to be lost in the mail. We can always arrange for pick-up/ drop-off. If this is not possible, places like Costco can transfer your tapes for around \$20 a tape.

Q: What kind of quality and resolution should I expect from a VHS? A: The quality of your digital transfer will be the exact quality of your original media. A typical VHS tape will have the occasional wavy line or audio distortion, purely because of the physical deterioration of the tape over time.

Need something done that you don't see? Just ask!

Q: Will I receive my Tapes, Discs, and/or SD Cards back?

A: Absolutely! While we do offer a free eco friendly recycling option, it is highly recommended that you take back your Tapes, Discs, and/or SD Cards in the unlikely event that a transfer was not to your liking.



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Standard VHS Size: 7 3/8" x 4 1/8"



**Betamax** Size: 6 1/8" x 3 3/4" \*Can not be transferred by Bruckner Designs at this time

Micro SD Card

Size: 5/8" x 7/16"



VHS-C

Size: 3 5/8" x 2 1/4"

8mm & Hi-8 Size: 3 3/4" x 2 3/8"



Mini DV

Size: 2 5/8" x 1 7/8"

**DVD & Mini DVD** Size: 4.7" or 3.1'



SD Card Size: 1" x 1 1/4"



Size: 4.7"

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