

VCR2PC Supported Video Formats

Can my VCR2PC read both PAL and NTSC formatted tapes?

Different countries use different formats for VHS tapes (NTSC, PAL or SEACAM). The VCRs that we all grew up with, including the VCR2PC, are built to work with one format or another; they can't be switched between formats. Each VCR is designed to read the format which is most commonly used in the country in which it is sold. For example, a VCR2PC sold in the U.S. will only read NTSC formatted cassettes. A VCR2PC sold in the U.K. will only read PAL formatted cassettes.

The EZ VHS Converter software which included with the VCR2PC can be used with any VCR2PC. Because the same software is included with all units regardless of the country, the customer simply chooses their native format in the settings screen, matching the type of tapes used in their country. While the included software can accommodate different types of VCRs (i.e. NTSC PAL or SEACAM), this doesn't give the VCR2PC the ability to read multiple formats of tapes.

Below is a map detailing which countries utilize which video format:

