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Digital Update – DTT How do I record now?

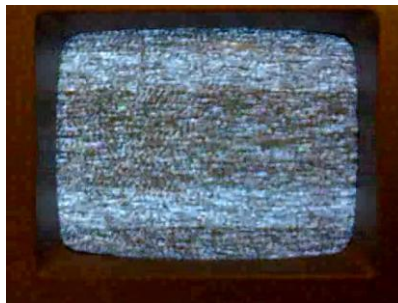
Many homes have traded their old CRT televisions for the latest Plasma or LCD flat panel and are enjoying the benefits of HD on TV1,2,3 .However what do you do about recording your favorite program?



This is the way we used to record our favorite programmes back in the 80's and 90's our trusty CRT television and VHS video cassette recorder. Well times have certainly changed and with the digital revolution well under way many have or are thinking of throwing the old CRT TV /VCR along with the old VHF aerial which has been part of most of our roofs since 1964 into the inorganic collection.

Starting next year the old analog television transmitters will be turned off throughout the country and by December 2013 this is all you'll get on the old VHF/ UHF networks.

Snow which ever channel you select Snow



The 2011 equivalent of the above



All DTT transmissions will be broadcast on the UHF broadcast spectrum to major centers. Most if not all Plasma or LCD Flat panel Televisions have built in digital circuitry which will decode the digital signals received on the UHF Aerial featured above.

Digital ready televisions take the digital signal and decode it internally .This means your trusty old VCR is not able to decode the new digital signal .The result is you cannot record your favorite programmes any longer.**JX Satellite and Communications has the solution to recording.**

Simply add a DTT receiver with external HDD.It connects between your UHF Aerial and your new digital plasma or LCD flat panel television. The output is HDMI which provides the highest quality picture and audio.

Using this method you can watch one channel and record another at the same time and unlike video tapes the recording is done at the press of a finger .There are levels of sophistication with the add on terrestrial receivers and the cost reflects whether the set top box has dual tuners, built in HDD and Free Views proprietary Electronic Programming Guide “EPG”.

For most people the most cost effective solution is the addition of a simple DTT set top box with external 500 GB hard drive. The unit below provides full PVR functionality and when integrated with the television allows the viewer to watch a specific channel on the TV and record that or any other channel that is broadcast on the DTT terrestrial network.



DTT receiver with external recording \$250.00

<http://www.jayx.co.nz/receivers.html>

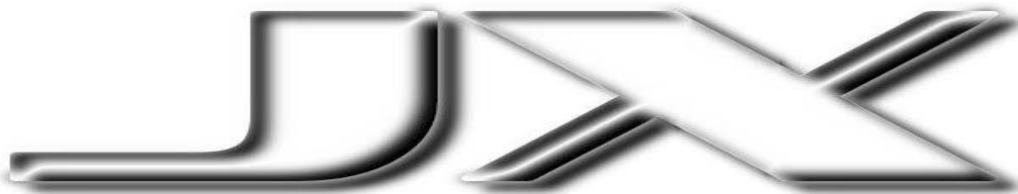


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Replaced with hard and pen drives

* Pen is for size comparison only and is not included



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