

Key Features

- Full HD 1080/60p,24p True Cinema Video Output over HDMI™ ¹
- Dolby TrueHD and DTS-HD bitstream out over HDMI™ (v1.3)
- BD/DVD/CD Playback and AVC-HD with x.v.Color output
- DVD Upscaling to 1080p Through HDMI™ ⁵
- Bravia Theater Sync™ (HDMI-CEC)
- Uncompressed Multi Channel Linear PCM Output
- BD-Java Interactive Capability™ ²



Key Technologies

BD-ROM Playback⁴ Rival your local movie theater with the power of Blu-ray Disc technology in your Home Theater. You can enjoy movies from Hollywood's biggest studios, and enjoy all of the great features, sights and sounds that Blu-ray Disc technology has to offer. Blu-ray Disc technology delivers Full 1080P picture quality and up to 7.1 channels of surround sound. Movie Night will never be the same!

DVD Upscaling to 1080p⁵ via HDMI™ Get the most out of your existing DVD collection by having them upscaled to 1080p quality. Your DVD's will look and sound better than ever when you play them back on your new Sony Blu-ray Disc Player.

BRAVIA® Theatre Sync™ (HDMI-CEC)³ Sony® created BRAVIA® Theatre Sync™ technology to go beyond basic digital audio and video transmission. Based on the HDMI-CEC function, the BRAVIA® Theatre Sync™ feature will be included on select BRAVIA® Theatre home A/V systems and components. This useful function reduces the hassle and time consuming job of powering up, routing signals, etc. to the simple push of one button.³ Want to play your Blu-ray Disc Player on your Sony® A/V system— Easy, just push PLAY on the BRAVIA® HDTV remote and everything is taken care of for you. Even when the system is off! Want to power down everything once you've finished enjoying it— Push one button and the TV and A/V system powers down. BRAVIA® Theatre Sync™ helps make things a whole lot easier to operate.

BD/DVD/CD playback⁴ and AVC-HD with x.v.Color output Play back all your favorite Blu-ray Disc Movies, DVD's, Audio CD's, and AVC-HD (delivers digital picture and sound quality comparable to that of High Definition, but on a DVD) discs with all of our Sony Blu-ray Disc Players.

Full HD 1080/60p and 24p True Cinema Video Output¹ Most of all Hollywood movies are shot at 24 frames per second, and Blu-ray Disc movies are mastered at 24 frame per second, so it is only fitting that the Sony BDP-S500 can output your films at 1080/24p for a true film-like experience at home. Of course, The Sony BDP-S500 can also output at 1080/60p for more traditional HDTV sets on the market. Either way Sony has you covered for the best picture possible in Full 1080p!

Video Codec Format : MPEG2/MPEG4-AVC/VC-1 Blu-ray Disc technology is compatible with many different types of video codec for recording your favorite films onto the disc. So regardless of the High Definition recording process used by the studio making the movie, Sony's Blu-ray Disc Players are ready for them all, in glorious Full 1080p HD.¹

Cinema Tuned Picture Presets What do you get when the world's best filmmakers and the best makers of Home Theater products get together— Answer: Exclusive Cinema Tuned Picture Presets on your Sony Blu-ray Player! , we made getting a "best picture" for your movies even easier. Whether you view your movies in a dark theater, or in a bright room, we got you covered with picture settings all carefully selected by the same engineers that make Sony's movies in Hollywood.

Features

Video

Screen Saver: Yes
 DVD+R Read Compatibility: Yes
 DVD+RW Read Compatibility: Yes
 DVD-R Read Compatibility: Yes (Video Mode Only)
 DVD-RW Read Compatibility: Yes (Video Mode Only)
 High Definition: Full HD 1080/24p and 60p¹
 BD-ROM: Yes
 BD-R/RE Read Compatibility: Yes (BDMV format)
 JPEG Playback: Yes (Content must be in DVD+R/+RW/-R/-RW format.)
 x.v.Color™ : Yes (AVC-HD Media Compatibility)

Audio

Dolby® Digital: Yes (Decoding); Yes (HDMI™ bitstream out)
 dts® Output: No
 dts® Decoding: Yes (HDMI™ bitstream out)
 Dolby® Digital plus Decoding: Yes (HDMI™ bitstream out)
 MP3 Playback: Yes (Content must be in DVD+R/+RW/-R/-RW format.)
 Dolby® TrueHD Decoding: Yes (HDMI™ bitstream out)
 LPCM: Yes (multi channel decoding); Yes (HDMI™ bitstream out)

Specifications

Audio

Analog-to-Digital Converter: 192KHz/24bit

Convenience

Menu Options: No
 Remote Control Functions: Multi Brand TV Remote Control

Inputs and Outputs

HDMI™ Connection Output(s): 1 (Rear)
 Component Video (Y/Pb/Pr) Output(s): 1 (Rear)
 S-Video Output(s): 1 (Rear)
 Optical Audio Output(s): 1 (Rear)
 Coaxial Audio Digital Output(s): 1 (Rear)
 Analog Audio Output(s): 2 Channel; 1 (Rear)
 IR Input(s): No
 Composite Video Output(s): 1 (Rear)
 PCM Output(s): Linear PCM Decoding; Linear PCM out via HDMI™ bitstream
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Hardware

Remote Control: Multi Brand TV Remote Control

Service and Warranty Information

Limited Warranty: 1 Year Parts / 1 Year Labor

Dimensions

Measurements: 16 15/16 x 3 15/16 x 14 1/4" (430 x 99.2 x 361mm)

Weight: 10 lbs 9 oz (4.8Kg)

Supplied Accessories

Video cord (phono plug x1)(1)
 Stereo audio cord (phono plug x2)(1)
 Power cord (1)
 Remote commander (1)
 Size AA (R6) batteries (2)

UPC Code: 027242723788

1. 1080p playback requires HDMI-compatible HDTV, and 24p True Cinema requires 24p-capable HDTV.
2. Requires HDMI compatible HDTV with equivalent display capability. Upscaled image quality will vary depending on source.
3. Requires BRAVIA Theatre Sync or HDMI-CEC feature on each component. Feature available on select BRAVIA LCD HDTVs and other Sony audio/video components. Please refer to owner's manual for non-Sony products regarding compatibility.
4. Certain circumstances may limit/prevent Blu-ray Disc, CD or DVD playback.
5. Requires HDMI compatible HDTV with equivalent display capability and HDMI connector (sold separately). Upscaled image quality will vary depending on source. DVD media/formats are not universally compatible.

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