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Product Name		
Model		
Problem		
Error Message		
PC	Manufacturer	
	Model	<input type="checkbox"/> Desktop <input type="checkbox"/> Laptop
	CPU	
	OS	
	Memory	MB
	Available Hard Disk Space	MB

Please note that it may take some time to respond to your questions, depending on their subject matter. **JVC cannot answer questions regarding basic operation of your PC, or questions regarding specifications or performance of the OS, other applications or drivers.**

System Requirements

■ Windows®

The following requirements must be satisfied to connect a camcorder to a PC and to use Digital Photo Navigator.

- OS** : Windows® 98 (pre-installed),
Windows® 98 Second Edition (98SE) (pre-installed),
Windows® Millennium Edition (Me) (pre-installed),
Windows® 2000 Professional (2000) (pre-installed),
Windows® XP Home Edition (XP) (pre-installed),
or Windows® XP Professional (XP) (pre-installed)
- CPU** : Intel® MMX® Pentium®, at least 200 MHz
- RAM** : At least 64 MB
- Free hard disk space** : At least 10 MB for installation, at least 500 MB recommended
- Connector** : USB connector
- Display** : Must be capable of displaying 800 x 600 dots with 16-bit color
- Miscellaneous** : Internet Explorer 5.5 or later

For ImageMixer 2.0

In addition to the requirements on the previous page, the following requirements must be satisfied to use ImageMixer 2.0.

- OS** : The same as requirements on the previous page.
Windows® 98, Windows® 98SE cannot be used when you connect a camcorder to the PC with an IEEE1394 (DV) cable.
For capturing DV pictures with USB connection (USB 2.0), Windows® XP which is pre-installed or updated to Windows® XP Service Pack 1* and installing USB Video Class Driver** are necessary.
* To update to Windows® XP Service Pack 1, click [Start], and select [Windows Update] in [All programs]. For details, refer to the Windows® XP help or the Microsoft's web site: <http://www.microsoft.com/>
** The installation of USB Video Class driver is executed in the installing procedure of ImageMixer 2.0.
- CPU** : Intel® Pentium® III, at least 800 MHz
For creating DVD Video, Intel® Pentium® 4, at least 1.3 GHz recommended
- RAM** : At least 128 MB, at least 256 MB recommended
- Free hard disk space** : At least 350 MB for installation, at least 13 GB for capturing DV pictures for an hour
- Connector** : USB connector or IEEE1394 (i.LINK) connector
For capturing DV pictures with USB connection, Windows® XP equipped with USB 2.0 connector is necessary.
- Miscellaneous** : DirectX 9.0b or later

■ Macintosh

The following requirements must be satisfied to connect a camcorder to a PC.

- Hardware** : iMac, iBook, eMac, Power Mac G4, PowerBook G3 or G4 equipped with a USB connector
- OS** : Mac OS 9.0.4 to 9.2.2
Mac OS X (10.1.5, 10.2.1 to 10.2.8, 10.3.1)
- RAM** : At least 64 MB (Mac OS 9)
At least 128 MB (Mac OS X)

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- The system requirements information above is not a guarantee that the provided software will work on all personal computers meeting those requirements.
 - If your PC does not meet the system requirements above, you can use the optional USB reader/writer CU-VUSD70, the PC card adapter CU-VPD60 or the floppy disk adapter CU-VFSD50 to load the files in the memory card to the hard disk on your PC.
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Software Installation (Windows®)

Follow the procedure described below to install the software. From the [SETUP] screen in step **2**, you can install the following drivers or software. Quit any other software you are using. (Check that there are no other application icons on the status bar.)

USB Mass Storage Class driver

This driver allows your PC to read and write memory cards in the camcorder.

Windows® Me/2000/XP:

Since there is no need to install this driver, the item is not displayed. Simply connect the camcorder to the PC with a USB cable, and you can read and write memory cards in the camcorder.

Windows® 98/98SE:

Be sure NOT to connect the USB cable between the camcorder and the PC before installing the driver.

ImageMixer 2.0

This application is used to capture still images and video clips from a camcorder through a USB connector or IEEE1394 (i.LINK) connector, and is also used to manage and edit the still images and video clips, and to create Video CDs or DVD Videos.

Digital Photo Navigator 1.0

This application is used to organize still images and convert them into a variety of formats.

G.726 decoder

This is an audio decoder for video clips created by the camcorder (extension “.asf”).

HDD Recording Plug-in (provided only for camcorder equipped with Network Function)

This plug-in allows you to record audio and video streamed with Network Function on your PC's hard disk. For more details, refer to instructions of Network Function (Wireless LAN).

1 Load the provided CD-ROM into the PC.

After a moment, the [SETUP] screen appears.

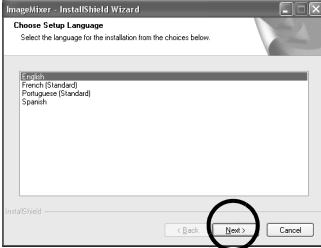
- From the [SETUP] screen, you can install the desired driver or software.
- If the [SETUP] screen does not appear, double-click the CD-ROM icon in the [My Computer] window.

2 Click [Install] on the right side of the desired software and follow the on screen instructions to complete the installation.

The installation of the selected driver or software starts. The procedure differs depending on the driver or the software.

Following steps are the example of ImageMixer 2.0.

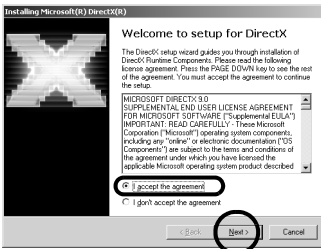
- 3** Click [Install] on the right side of [ImageMixer 2.0] on the [SETUP] screen. [Choose Setup Language] screen appears.
- 4** Select the desired language and click [Next]. Then, [ImageMixer Setup] screen on step 5 appears.



- If DirectX 9.0b or later is not installed in your PC, the following screen appears.



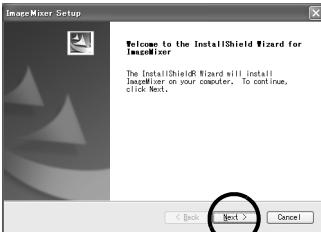
Click [OK] so that [DirectX] setup screen appears.



Install "DirectX" by following the instructions which appear on the screen.

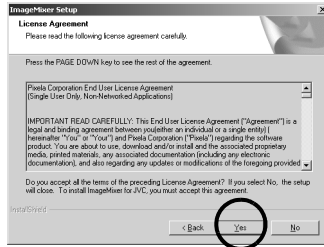
The PC restarts when the installation is finished. Double-click the CD-ROM icon in the [My Computer] window. [SETUP] screen appears and repeat the above procedure from step 3 to 4.

- 5** Click [Next].



[License Agreement] screen appears.

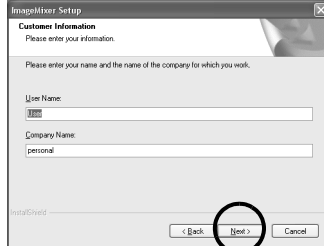
- 6** Click [Yes].



[Customer Information] screen appears.

- 7** Confirm your information and click [Next].

It is possible to change the information.



Then, [Choose Destination Location] screen appears.

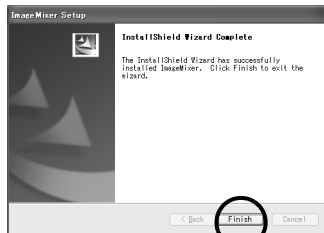
- 8** Click [Next].

Then, [Start Copying Files] screen appears.

- 9** Click [Next].

[Setup Status] screen appears. Wait for a moment until the installation is finished. When the installation is finished, [Readme.txt] appears. Confirm the contents and click the close button on the upper right of the window to close it. Then [InstallShield Wizard Complete] screen appears.

- 10** Click [Finish].




- **Windows® 98/98SE/Me:** [InstallShield Wizard Complete] screen appears. Skip to step **14**.
- **Windows® 2000/XP:** [MicroStaff WINASPI Setup] screen appears. Go to step **11**.



11 Install “MicroStaff WINASPI” by following the instructions which appear on the screen.



When the installation is finished, the message asking whether it is okay to restart the PC appears.

- **Windows® 2000:** Click [OK] and [InstallShield Wizard Complete] screen appears. (PC does not restart.) Skip to step **14**.
- **Windows® XP:** Click [OK] and [Windows XP KB830363 Setup Wizard] screen appears. (PC does not restart.) Go to step **12**. If “WINASPI” folder is displayed, click the  button to close it.

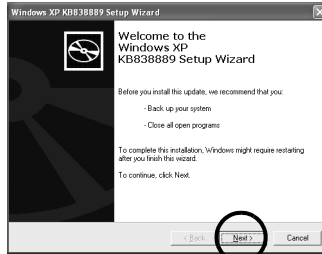
12 Install “Windows XP KB830363” by following the instructions which appear on the screen.



When the installation is finished, [Windows XP KB838889* Setup Wizard] screen appears.

- * In this step, the number other than “KB838889” may appear. This is not a malfunction, so continue the installation.
- If KB830363 or later version is already installed, “Setup Error” appears. Click [OK] and go to step **13**.

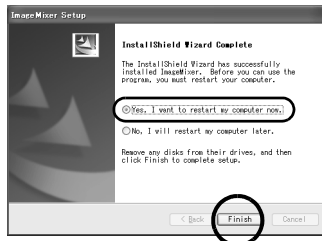
13 Install “Windows XP KB838889” by following the instructions which appear on the screen.**



When the installation is finished, [InstallShield Wizard Complete] screen appears. (PC does not restart.)

- **In this step, the number other than “KB838889” may appear. This is not a malfunction, so continue the installation.

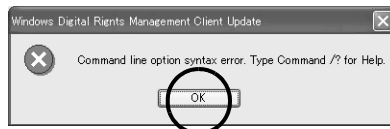
14 Click [Finish].



The PC restarts.

Installing [ImageMixer 2.0]

When the error message below may appear while installing ImageMixer, click [OK] to complete installation.



Install all of the desired software in the same way.

To display [SETUP] screen, double-click the CD-ROM icon in the [My Computer] window.

NOTES:

- The software instruction manual is included on the CD-ROM in PDF format. Double-click the [Docs] folder. Open the “Start.pdf” file and click the button of the desired language. Note that Adobe® Acrobat® Reader™ or Adobe® Reader® must be installed to read PDF files.
- Adobe® Acrobat® Reader™ or Adobe® Reader® can be loaded from Adobe’s web site: <http://www.adobe.com/>
- For details on how to use **Windows® Messenger** (Windows® XP only), refer to “VIDEO CONFERENCE OVER THE INTERNET” in the software instruction manual on the CD-ROM.
- If you perform installation of a software that is already installed, uninstallation will start. In this case, perform the installation again after uninstallation is finished.
- DirectX is necessary so that ImageMixer 2.0 works properly.

Updating [Device Manager] (Windows® 98/98SE only)

If the camcorder is connected to the PC with the USB cable before installing [USB Mass Storage Class driver], the installation might not be performed properly.

In this case, follow the procedure described below to update the [Device Manager] and install [USB Mass Storage Class driver] properly.

NOTE:

Disconnect any other USB audio devices from PC before performing the following procedure.

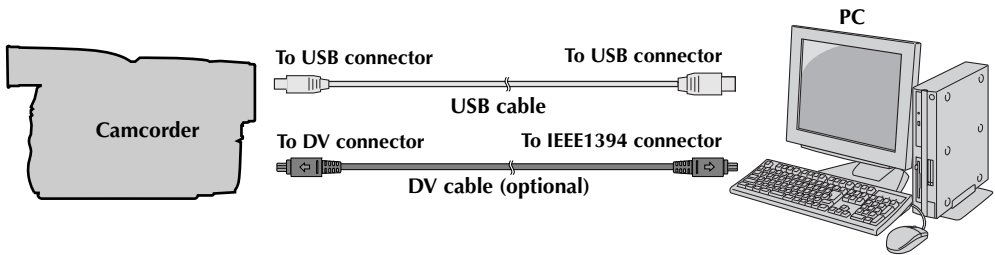
Installing [USB Mass Storage Class driver]

- 1** Use the USB cable to connect the camcorder to the PC. (☞ pg. 9)
- 2** Click [Start], go to [Settings], and then click [Control Panel]. Double click the [System] icon.
- 3** Select the [Device Manager] tab.
- 4** Delete [GR-DZ7*] in [Other devices].
* The model name depends on the connected camcorder.
- 5** Disconnect the USB cable from the camcorder. Restart the PC.
- 6** Load the provided CD-ROM into the PC. Install [USB Mass Storage Class driver]. (☞ pg. 5)
- 7** Use the USB cable to connect the camcorder to the PC.
Device driver is installed.
- 8** Confirm the [Removable Disk] icon is displayed in [My Computer].

Connections (Windows®)

Connecting the USB cable

Connect the USB cable to copy still image and video clip files in a memory card to the PC or to use ImageMixer in capturing video.



- 1 To assure safety, make sure all units are turned off before making any connections.**
- 2 Use the USB cable to connect the camcorder to the PC.**

To get video of higher picture quality or to create DVD Video when using ImageMixer:

- **For Windows® 2000/Me/XP:** Use a DV cable instead of a USB cable to capture video from a tape.
- **For Windows® XP:** In addition, you can capture DV pictures from a tape with USB connection (USB 2.0) even if the PC has no IEEE1394 connector. (The USB 1.1 connector on the PC cannot be used.) For more details, refer to the help. (☞ “Help” in the software instruction manual on the CD-ROM)

NOTES:

- **It is recommended to use the AC Adapter as the power supply instead of the battery pack.**
- When the USB cable or DV cable is connected, turning on or off the camcorder or switching the VIDEO/MEMORY (DSC) mode on the camcorder causes malfunctions of the PC.
- If you connect the camcorder to the PC through a USB hub, compatibility issues between the hub and the PC may result in instability in the operation of the PC. If this happens, connect the camcorder directly to the PC, not through the hub.
- Do not use an extension USB cable.
- When connecting the camcorder to a PC using a DV cable, make sure to follow the procedure below. Connecting the cable incorrectly may cause malfunctions to the camcorder and/or the PC.
 - Connect the DV cable first to the PC, and then to the camcorder.
 - Connect the DV cable (plugs) correctly according to the shape of the DV connector.

Viewing the Contents of a Memory Card (Windows®)

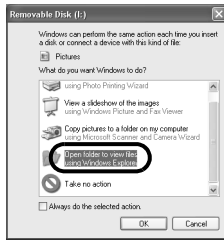
- 1 Install [USB Mass Storage Class driver]. (Windows® 98/98SE only) (☞ pg. 5)**
- 2 Make sure that there is a memory card in the camcorder.**
- 3 Set the camcorder's VIDEO/MEMORY Switch to “MEMORY”.**
- 4 Set the camcorder's Power Switch to “PLAY” while pressing down the Lock Button located on the switch.**

The camcorder turns on.
- 5 Connect the camcorder to the PC with a USB cable. (See above)**

On the camcorder's LCD monitor [USB MODE] appears.

6 When using Windows® XP:

The [Removable Disk] window appears on the PC's screen after a moment. Select [Open folders to view files using Windows Explorer] and click [OK].



NOTE:

If the [Removable Disk] window does not appear, confirm the connection (☞ pg. 9) or perform the steps ① and ② in the right.

When using Windows® 98/98SE/Me/2000:

① Double-click the [My Computer] icon on the desktop.



The [Removable Disk] icon which represents the memory card in the camcorder appears in the [My Computer] window.

② Double-click the [Removable Disk] icon.

● **Windows® 98/98SE:** [Removable Disk] icon does not appear if USB Mass Storage Class driver is not installed properly. In this case, refer to "Updating [Device Manager] (Windows® 98/98SE only)" (☞ pg. 8).

7 The folders in the memory card appear.

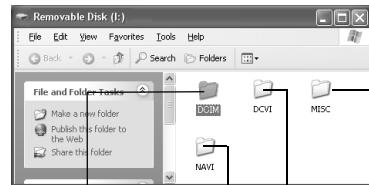
Different file types are stored in different folders.

[DCIM]: Contains folders with still images (extension ".jpg")

[DCVI]: Contains folders with video clips (extension ".asf")

[MISC]: Contains folders with DPOF setting data

[NAVI]: Contains folders with navigation data



Still images Video clips
Navigation data DPOF setting data

NOTES:

- Saving the wrong kinds of files in a memory card or deleting files or folders from a memory card can cause problems with the operation of the camcorder. When it is necessary to delete a file from a memory card, delete it through the camcorder.
- Never disconnect the USB cable while the message [ACCESSING FILES] is displayed on the camcorder's LCD monitor.
- If you are using a brand new memory card, you need to initialize the memory card with the camcorder first. You may not be able to copy files from the memory card to the PC without doing so.
- The file extension may not appear depending on the setting.

Copying Files to the PC (Windows®)

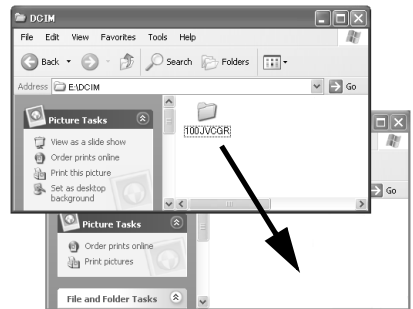
Still image and video clip files that are stored in a memory card can be copied to the PC and played back on the PC.

- 1 Perform the procedure in “Viewing the Contents of a Memory Card (Windows®)” (pg. 9).**
The folders in the memory card appear.
- 2 Create a new folder, enter the folder name, and then double-click it.**
 - For example, create a new folder in the [My Pictures] folder.
- 3 Select the folder to be copied, and then drag and drop that folder in the destination folder.**
 - To copy still images: Copy the folder within the [DCIM] folder.
 - To copy video clips: Copy the folder within the [DCVI] folder.

The message [ACCESSING FILES] appears on the LCD monitor of the camcorder, and the folder is copied from the memory card to the PC.

NOTE:

Never disconnect the USB cable while the message [ACCESSING FILES] is displayed on the camcorder's LCD monitor.



Playing Back Files on the PC (Windows®)

Still images

Use an application that can handle the JPEG file format. To view a still image, double-click the still image file (extension “.jpg”).

Video clips

Use the Windows Media™ Player (version 6.4 or later). You can download the Windows Media™ Player from the Microsoft web site at:

<http://www.microsoft.com/>

If you cannot play back a video clip file (extension “.asf”) that you have opened with the Windows Media™ Player, connect to the Internet and then try opening the file. The software that is needed in order to play back the file will be downloaded automatically, and then the file will be played back.

If the video clip plays but without the audio, install the G.726 decoder from the CD-ROM.

Disconnecting the USB Cable (Windows®)

Before loading or unloading memory cards or turning off the PC, first disconnect the USB cable and turn off the camcorder.

When using Windows® 98/98SE

- 1 Confirm that the message [ACCESSING FILES] is not currently displayed on the LCD monitor of the camcorder.**
 - If the message [ACCESSING FILES] is currently displayed, wait until it disappears before proceeding.
- 2 Double-click the [My Computer] icon on the desktop.**

If the camcorder is connected to the PC correctly, the [Removable Disk] icon appears.
- 3 Right-click the [Removable Disk] icon in the [My Computer] window.**

A menu appears.
- 4 Click [Eject] in the menu.**

The [Removable Disk] icon disappears.

 - If the icon does not disappear, wait for a while, and then proceed to step 5.
- 5 Disconnect the USB cable.**
 - If any message appears, click [OK].
- 6 Set the camcorder's Power Switch to "OFF".**

The camcorder turns off.



When using Windows® 2000/Me/XP

- 1 Confirm that the message [ACCESSING FILES] is not currently displayed on the LCD monitor of the camcorder.**
 - If the message [ACCESSING FILES] is currently displayed, wait until it disappears before proceeding.
- 2 Double-click the [Safely Remove Hardware] or [Unplug or Eject Hardware] icon in the status bar.**

The [Safely Remove Hardware] or [Unplug or Eject Hardware] dialog box appears.

Windows® XP: If not, wait a while then go to step 5.
- 3 Select [USB Mass Storage Device] or [USB Disk], and then click [Stop].**
 - **Windows® 2000/XP**
 - **Windows® Me**



The [Stop a Hardware device] dialog box appears.

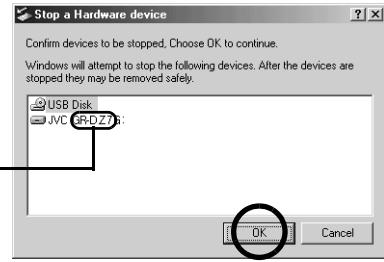
4 Click [OK].

Windows® 2000/Me: If a message indicating that the device can be safely removed appears, click [OK] and then click [Close].

• Windows® 2000/XP



• Windows® Me



The model name depends on the connected camcorder.

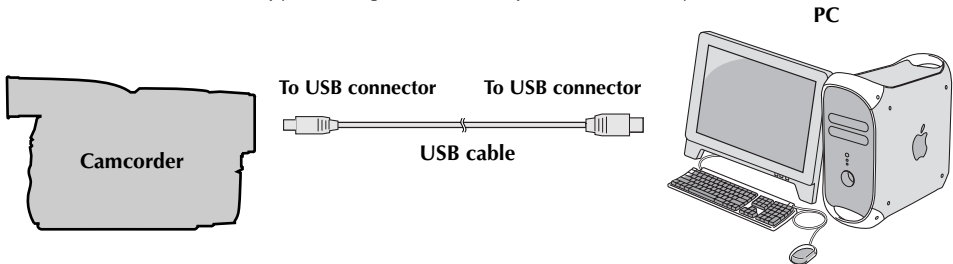
5 Disconnect the USB cable.

6 Set the camcorder's Power Switch to "OFF".

The camcorder turns off.

Connections (Macintosh)

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Viewing the Contents of a Memory Card (Macintosh)

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- 2 Set the camcorder's VIDEO/MEMORY Switch to "MEMORY".
- 3 Set the camcorder's Power Switch to "PLAY" while pressing down the Lock Button located on the switch.
- 4 Connect the camcorder to the PC with a USB cable. (pg. 13)
On the camcorder's LCD monitor [USB MODE] appears. The memory card icon appears on the desktop.
 - The name of the memory card icon is "Untitled", "Unlabeled" or "No name". We recommend that you name the icon to tell it from the other removable disks or folders.
- 5 Double-click the memory card icon on the desktop.

The folders in the memory card appear.
Different file types are stored in different folders.

[DCIM]: Contains folders with still images
(extension ".jpg")

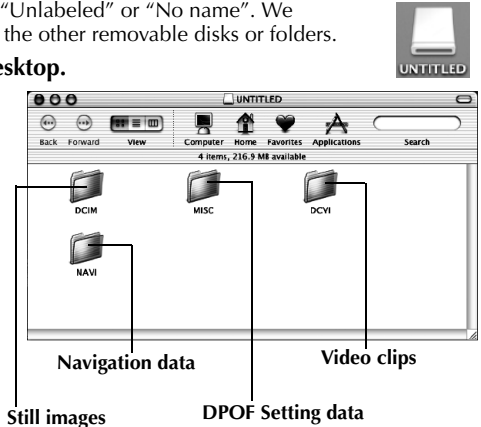
[DCVI]: Contains folders with video clips
(extension ".asf")

[MISC]: Contains folders with DPOF setting data

[NAVI]: Contains folders with navigation data

NOTES:

- Saving the wrong kinds of files in a memory card or deleting files or folders from a memory card can cause problems with the operation of the camcorder. When it is necessary to delete a file from a memory card, delete it through the camcorder.
- Never disconnect the USB cable while the message [ACCESSING FILES] is displayed on the camcorder's LCD monitor.
- If you are using a brand new memory card, you need to initialize the memory card with the camcorder first. You may not be able to copy files from the memory card to the PC without doing so.



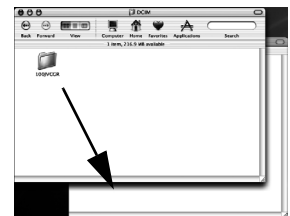
Copying Files to the PC (Macintosh)

Still image and video clip files that are stored in a memory card can be copied to the PC and played back on the PC.

- 1 Double-click the memory card icon on the desktop.
The folders in the memory card appear.
- 2 Create a new folder, enter the folder name, and then double-click it.
- 3 Select the folder to be copied, and then drag and drop that folder in the destination folder.
 - To copy still images: Copy the folder within the [DCIM] folder.
 - To copy video clips: Copy the folder within the [DCVI] folder.The message [ACCESSING FILES] appears on the LCD monitor of the camcorder, and the folder is copied from the memory card to the PC.

NOTE:

Never disconnect the USB cable while the message [ACCESSING FILES] is displayed on the camcorder's LCD monitor.



Playing Back Files on the PC (Macintosh)

Still images

Use an application that can handle the JPEG file format. To view a still image, either double-click the still image file (extension “.jpg”), or drag and drop the file on the application icon.

Video clips

Use the Windows Media™ Player for Mac (version 6.4 or later). You can download the Windows Media™ Player for Mac from the Microsoft web site at:

<http://www.microsoft.com/>

Disconnecting the USB cable (Macintosh)

Before loading or unloading memory cards or turning off the PC, first disconnect the USB cable and turn off the camcorder.

- 1 Drop the memory card icon on the desktop into the [Trash] icon.**
 - If the confirmation message appears, click [OK].
- 2 Confirm that the message [ACCESSING FILES] is not currently displayed on the LCD monitor of the camcorder.**
 - If the message [ACCESSING FILES] is currently displayed, wait until it disappears before proceeding.
- 3 Disconnect the USB cable.**
- 4 Set the camcorder's Power Switch to “OFF”.**

The camcorder turns off.



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