



SOFTWARE INFORMATION

DVD-V7200 – Upload/Download Program

Purpose

The Upload/Download program saves command stacks, blackboard graphics and Weekly Timer settings created on the DVD-V7200 to a single file. The file loads to the player's non-volatile memory for later playback.

Requirements

The recommended equipment to run this program is charted below.

Computer: Pentium class processor or greater RS-232 serial connection and cable – PC: Pioneer Cable P/N CC12 or CC13 – Macintosh: Pioneer Cable P/N CC04/1	DVD-V7200: firmware level 2.01 or above
	TV/Monitor: appropriate cables

Note: A barcode database created for a DVD-V7200 player with Firmware 2.01 is not compatible to a player with firmware version 2.20 and visa versa. Be sure to check the firmware level of the DVD-V7200 before attempting to upload a barcode database created on another player.

Structure

The program offers four buttons, two that can create a file and two that are able to transfer a file to the player. The buttons are listed below with a short description of their functions.

- **Memory to File:** commands created on the player are copied from the non-volatile memory to a file
- **File to Memory:** commands previously created on the player and saved to a file are transferred to the non-volatile memory of the player
- **Weekly Timer to File:** timed play commands programmed on the player are saved to a file
- **File to Weekly Timer:** timed play commands are transferred from the file to the player's non-volatile memory

Note: The Weekly Timer must be set to ON during all phases of programming and playback.

The Menu bar contains standard Windows options as listed below.

- **File:** Quit
- **Edit:** Undo, Cut, Copy, Paste, Clear
- **Ports:** COM1, COM2, COM3, COM4
- **Help:** Help with Upload/Download, About Upload/Download

Note: An Edit command applied to characters within the data window have no affect on uploads and downloads. The data window acts strictly as a progress mechanism.

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Procedure

A feature of the Upload/Download program is the ability to auto-sense the player's baud rate and make any necessary adjustments. Once all equipment is turned ON, launching the software triggers the auto-sensing functions. Changes to the baud rate require that the program be shut down and re-started before proceeding.

The first time you run the program on a particular computer, the application requires 20 or 40 seconds to launch (dependant upon the baud rate). The system displays a dialog box stating "Please Wait While Initializing...". This launch delay happens each time the application is installed on a new computer or the program detects a DVD-V7200 with different firmware. A check between the file version and the player version causes this delay.

Note: It is unnecessary to re-launch the program when creating multiple files.

Memory to File:

If the Upload/Download program is already running, send all commands to the player before attempting to create a file from the player's non-volatile memory and skip to step 5..

1. Click on the Upload/Download program icon to launch the software
(baud rate adjusts automatically)
2. Click on Ports from the main menu bar
3. Select the appropriate Com port if running the program on a PC or select between Printer port and Modem port for a Macintosh system
4. Confirm that the player commands are set as required
(use the remote control or the front panel to check settings)
5. Click on the **Memory to File** button to save or **download** the commands to a file
(automatically selects and opens the directory where the file should be stored)
6. Type an appropriate name for the file
(the file extension is pre-programmed for you)
7. Click on the **Save** button

File to Memory:

Verify that all equipment is powered ON prior to starting program. Skip to step 4 if the program is already running.

1. Click on the Upload/Download program icon to launch the software
(baud rate adjusts automatically)
2. Click on Ports from the main menu bar
3. Select the appropriate Com port if running the program on a PC or select between Printer port and Modem port for a Macintosh system
4. Click on the **File to Memory** button
(automatically selects and opens the directory where files are stored)
5. Click on the appropriate file
6. Click on the **Open** button to begin the transfer or **upload** the file to the player's non-volatile memory

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Weekly Timer to File:

If the Upload/Download program is already running, send all commands to the player before attempting to create a file from the player's non-volatile memory and skip to step 6..

1. Verify that the player's Weekly Timer is set to ON
2. Click on the Upload/Download program icon to launch the software
(baud rate adjusts automatically)
3. Click on Ports from the main menu bar
4. Select the appropriate Com port if running the program on a PC or select between Printer port and Modem port for a Macintosh system
5. Confirm that the player commands are set as required
(use the remote control or the front panel to check settings)
6. Click on the **Weekly Timer to File** button to save or **download** the commands to a file
(automatically selects and opens the directory where the file should be stored)
7. Type an appropriate name for the file
(the file extension is pre-programmed for you)
8. Click on the **Save** button

File to Weekly Timer:

Verify that all equipment is powered ON prior to starting program. If the program is already running, skip to step 5.

1. Verify that the player's Weekly Timer is set to ON
2. Click on the Upload/Download program icon to launch the software
(baud rate adjusts automatically)
3. Click on Ports from the main menu bar
4. Select the appropriate Com port if running the program on a PC or select between Printer port and Modem port for a Macintosh system
5. Click on the **File to Weekly Timer** button
(automatically selects and opens the directory where files are stored)
6. Click on the appropriate file
7. Click on the **Open** button to begin the transfer or **upload** the file to the player's non-volatile memory

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