

TimeCoder Pro v5.2: Creating a “1 Day / 1 Disk” DepoView DVD

To create a single DepoView DVD from an entire day of testimony, Double Layer DVD (DVD-R DL) media is required. Double Layer (DL) media is also known as DVD-9, and it holds twice as much data (8.5GB) as a regular DVD-R (DVD-5) disk.

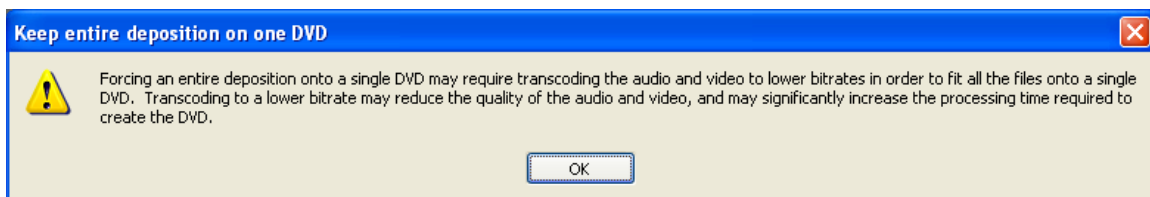
Most modern PCs and Macs now ship with DVD Multi-Recorder capabilities. These drives can burn Double Layer (DL) disks as well as DVD-R, DVD-RW, DVD+R and DVD+RW media. Look for the logo below to determine if your drive supports burning Double Layer (DL) media.



When you export to DepoView DVD, select the **Keep deposition on one DVD** option within the DepoView DVD Creator. If another disk type is mounted in the DVD burning device (ex. DVD-R, DVD-RW etc.) this option is disabled. Mount a Double Layer (DL) disk and click the **Refresh** button to detect the new media type to enable this option.

Keep deposition on one DVD.
(Requires Dual Layer (DL) media)

After you select this option, the following message appears:



As indicated, forcing an entire deposition onto a single DVD may require transcoding. If the multimedia streams to be used for the DepoView DVD are encoded using the recommended parameters below, you can fit about 4.5 hours of deposition footage onto a single Double Layer (DL) disk without transcoding.

MPEG-2 Video

- MPEG-2 Program Stream (Constant Bitrate)
- Video Size: 720 x 480
- Video Bitrate: 3000 Kbps
- Audio Type: PCM
- Audio Bitrate: 1536 Kbps (Default for PCM)

If the total duration of the source multimedia streams are too long (>4.5 hours) or encoded at too high of a bitrate, transcoding will occur during the DepoView DVD authoring process.