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DVD Transfer

CaptionSync is an automated captioning service that allows you to submit your media content electronically and receive back standard captioning files very quickly (in minutes if you are able to provide a transcript). CaptionSync provides accurately timed captions in a fraction of the time, and at a fraction of the price of traditional captioning.

Using CaptionSync for captioning web, podcast, or DVD media is a breeze. CaptionSync also supports captioning for videotape, but you need to be able to encode your own videotapes in order to use the CaptionSync output... until now.

To enable users who want to caption videotape but who do not have their own tape encoders, AST is pleased to offer our DVD Transfer service: you simply send in your uncaptioned DVDs or VHS tapes (miniDV and Hi8 tapes also accepted) and we will take care of digitizing your tape, obtaining the caption files, and authoring the result to a DVD. You will receive back a labeled DVD with captions and subtitles available. It's that simple!

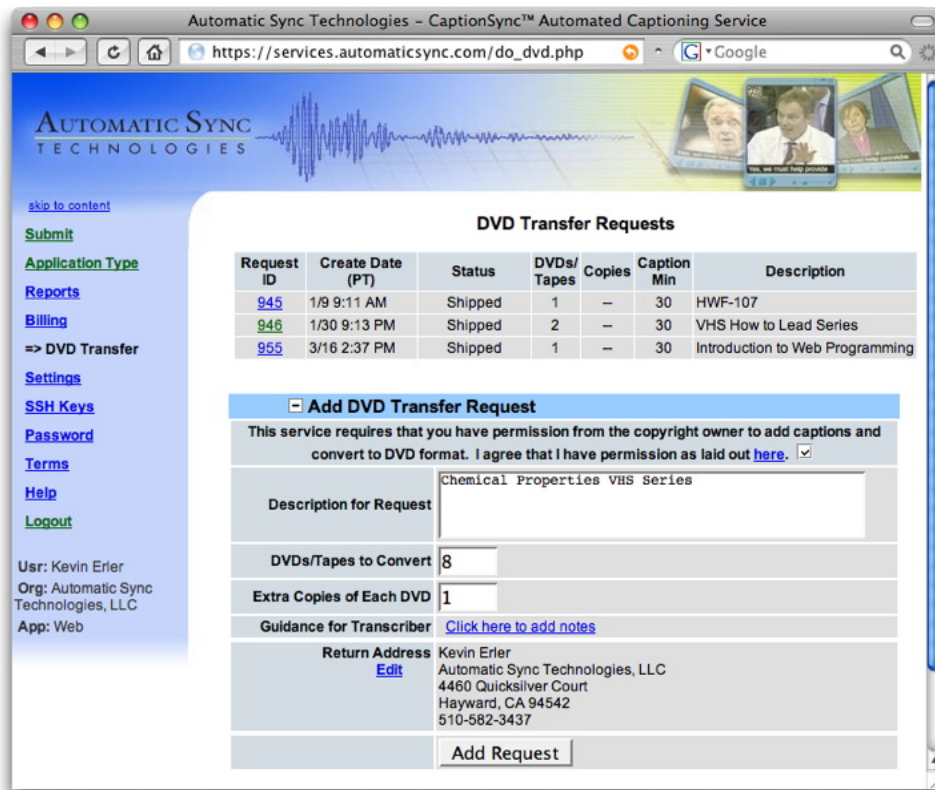
Benefits:

- **Cost:** CaptionSync and AST's DVD Transfer are a fraction of the cost of conventional captioning.
- **Convenience:** You can manage the submission of tapes for captioning through your AST web account, and track the progress every step of the way.
- **DVDs are better:** DVDs will preserve your video in a digital format that does not deteriorate with each play and doesn't suffer a generation loss in adding captions. VHS equipment will become increasingly difficult to obtain and service in the coming years; converting to the DVD format provides a simple solution.
- **Presentation:** Your new DVDs will be labeled and returned in their own case. Each DVD will have a simple menu allowing you to turn the subtitling on or off. The DVDs will also contain a line 21 caption track if you prefer to use closed captions. Your original tapes will be returned along with your new DVDs.
- **Additional Caption Formats:** Caption files for web or other media formats are available at no extra cost.



Simple to use:

Using AST's DVD Transfer is a very simple matter. You simply need to log on to your AST account, indicate the number of DVD or tapes you want transferred, print out a packing slip, and ship your DVDs or tapes to the address indicated on the packing slip. You can return to your AST account and track the job progress every step of the way.



Automatic Sync Technologies – CaptionSync™ Automated Captioning Service

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Usr: Kevin Erler
Org: Automatic Sync Technologies, LLC
App: Web

DVD Transfer Requests

Request ID	Create Date (PT)	Status	DVDs/Tapes	Copies	Caption Min	Description
945	1/9 9:11 AM	Shipped	1	--	30	HWF-107
946	1/30 9:13 PM	Shipped	2	--	30	VHS How to Lead Series
955	3/16 2:37 PM	Shipped	1	--	30	Introduction to Web Programming

Add DVD Transfer Request

This service requires that you have permission from the copyright owner to add captions and convert to DVD format. I agree that I have permission as laid out [here](#).

Description for Request:

DVDs/Tapes to Convert:

Extra Copies of Each DVD:

Guidance for Transcriber: [Click here to add notes](#)

Return Address [Edit](#): Kevin Erler
Automatic Sync Technologies, LLC
4460 Quicksilver Court
Hayward, CA 94542
510-582-3437

Things to Keep in Mind:

AST's DVD Transfer is a great way to get your DVDs or VHS library captioned and made available in a modern media format. However, it may not be suitable for all of your content; please consider the following points before you submit content to this service:

- If you require copyright permission before you caption your DVDs/tapes, or convert them to an alternate format, the responsibility of acquiring that permission rests with you.
- Placement of all captions is always at the bottom of the screen (or always at the top of the screen if you select); they are not manually adjusted to move when other information appears in the selected area.
- CaptionSync may not be able to produce caption results for tapes with poor quality audio or audio that is heavily sweetened (music, sound effects, noise, etc). In such a case, you will receive an uncaptioned DVD back along with a transcript file (if possible), and will be charged only the applicable portion of the fees.

Get Started Today!

Contact AST if you would like to add this capability to your AST account. If you do not yet have an AST account, let us know and we'll be happy to get you set up today.