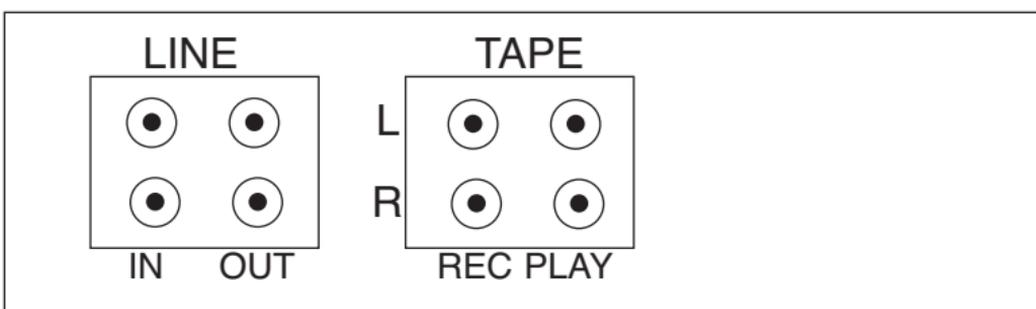


Yamaha GE-30 10 Band Graphic Equalizer



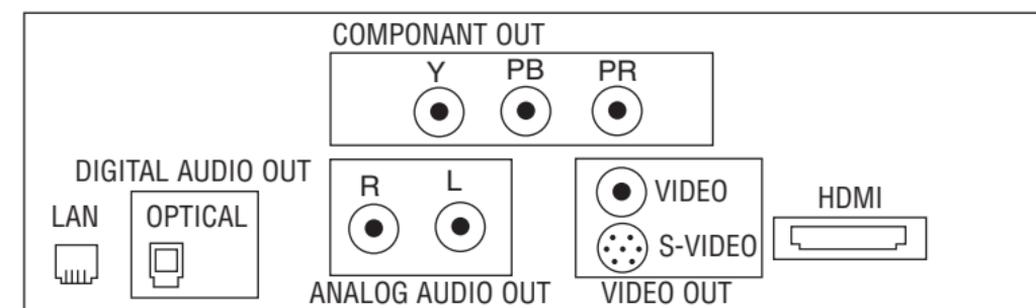
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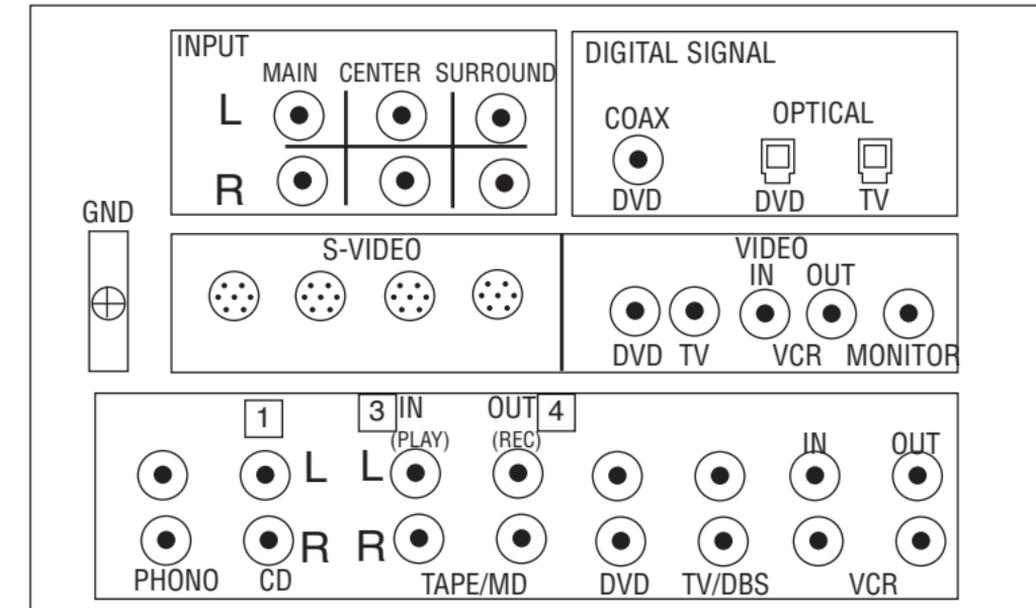
Yamaha K-142 DOUBLE CASSETTE DECK



TOSHIBA HD-A20KU HD/DVD PLAYER



Yamaha RX-V595a NATURAL SOUND AV RECEIVER



I will do my best to describe my problem. Please bear with me. Any help will be greatly, greatly appreciated...

My Audio Component setup has drastically changed in the last year. I've finally made the jump to hi-def purchasing a PS3, HD/DVD Player and HIDEF LCD TV. In the same time frame I've also removed a Dual Cassette Deck (Yamaha K-142) broken DVD player (Sony) and broken VCR (Mitsubishi).

My setup is as follows:

Yamaha GE-3010 Band Graphic Equalizer

Yamaha K-142 Double Cassette Deck

My setup has changed so much, not just with my components, but with technology today, I'm not sure if my components are compatible anymore.

Some of the units I'm operating are about 20 years old.

I've attached a diagram of the back of the components that are giving me fits trying to connect.

What it boils down to is this...

I've got a Yamaha GE-30 10 Band Graphic Equalizer (20 years old) which for years has given me equalized audio through all components; DVD, VCR, TV, CD player, etc.

Since I purchased and connected a HD/DVD player, and with the removal of the other three units, I can't receive equalized audio from anything but the CD player.

I know The Yamaha K-142 Double Cassette Deck and it's TapeMON/MD button had something to do with it, but the problem is, I don't use the tape player anymore. I'm trying to set my system up without it, since I don't even own a cassette any more. If the only way to receive equalized audio through all my units is to connect the tape player again, than I will do it.

The only problem is, I tried that and still do not receive equalized audio through anything but the CD player.

SO I must have something hooked up incorrectly.

Before I removed the other components, the system worked perfectly. The only new factor other than the removal/addition of units is the Connection via HDMI cable. The Yamaha RX-V595a Receiver DOES NOT have HDMI connection.

For example...

- HD/DVD player connected via HDMI to the Television with an optical cable connected to the "digital signal_OPTICAL" input on the receiver.
- CD Player Line out to EQ_Line in. EQ_Line out to Receiver CD_in.
- EQ-The Receiver TAPE/MD_OUT (rec) to EQ_Tape_rec and EQ_Tape_play to Receiver TAPE/MD_in (play).

I've actually tried connecting the tape player again and still only equalized audio from the CD Player. Again, with technology today, maybe I'm connecting something wrong. Is the Optical Cable conflicting with the HDMI cable? I also have a PS3 connected via HDMI (to tv) and Optical cable (to receiver) No equalized audio either.

Where does the whole Tape/MD button fit in? Can this even be done without the Tape player? Am I making any sense at all?

HELP!