Sony BDP-S370

Sony BDP-S370 Blu-ray Disc Player Instruction Manual

Model: BDP-S370 | Brand: Sony

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your Sony BDP-S370 Blu-ray Disc Player. The BDP-S370 allows you to enjoy Blu-ray Disc movies in Full HD 1080p and enhances the quality of standard DVDs to near-HD resolution. It also offers internet connectivity for a variety of streaming services and supports media playback via USB. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the player and retain it for future reference.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Power Source:** Ensure the player is connected to a power source within the specified voltage range.

- **Ventilation:** Do not block ventilation openings. Allow adequate space around the player for proper airflow to prevent overheating.

- **Liquid Exposure:** Do not expose the player to rain, moisture, or liquids.

- **Foreign Objects:** Do not insert any objects into the player's openings other than discs or USB devices.

- **Servicing:** Do not attempt to service the player yourself. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.

- **Laser Product:** This product is a Class 1 Laser Product. Avoid direct exposure to the laser beam.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all items are present in the package:

- Sony BDP-S370 Blu-ray Disc Player

- Remote Control

- Power Cord

- HDMI Cable

- User Manual (this document)

- AA Batteries (for remote control)

4. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

4.1 Front Panel

Figure 1: Front view of the Sony BDP-S370 Blu-ray Disc Player. The front panel features the Sony logo on the left, a disc tray, a display window, and control buttons for power, play, stop, and open/close. A USB port is also visible on the right side of the front panel.

- **Power Button (I/O):** Turns the player on or off.
- **Disc Tray:** Insert Blu-ray discs, DVDs, or CDs here.
- **Open/Close Button:** Opens and closes the disc tray.
- **Play/Pause/Stop Buttons:** Controls disc playback.
- **USB Port:** For connecting USB devices to play photos, music, and videos.
- **Display Window:** Shows playback status and other information.

4.2 Rear Panel

The rear panel provides various connection ports for audio and video output, as well as network connectivity.

- **HDMI Output:** Connects to an HDMI input on your TV or receiver for high-definition video and audio.
- **LAN (Ethernet) Port:** For wired network connection to access internet features.
- **Component Video Output (Y, Pb, Pr):** Connects to component video inputs on your TV for high-quality analog video.
- **Composite Video Output:** Connects to a composite video input on your TV for standard-definition analog video.
- **Analog Audio Output (L/R):** Connects to analog audio inputs on your TV or audio system.
- **Digital Audio Output (Optical/Coaxial):** Connects to a digital audio input on your audio receiver for multi-channel audio.
- **Power Input:** Connects the power cord to the player.

5. SETUP

5.1 Connecting to Your TV

For the best picture and sound quality, use an HDMI cable to connect the player to your TV.

1. Connect one end of the HDMI cable to the **HDMI OUT** port on the back of the Blu-ray Disc Player.
2. Connect the other end of the HDMI cable to an available **HDMI IN** port on your TV.
3. If your TV does not have an HDMI input, use component video cables (Y, Pb, Pr) for video and analog audio cables (L/R) for audio, or a composite video cable and analog audio cables.

5.2 Power Connection

1. Connect the supplied power cord to the **POWER INPUT** on the rear of the player.
2. Plug the other end of the power cord into a wall outlet.

5.3 Network Connection

A network connection is required to access internet streaming services and firmware updates.

1. **Wired Connection:** Connect an Ethernet cable from your router to the **LAN (Ethernet)** port on the rear of the player.

2. **Wireless Connection:** The BDP-S370 is Wi-Fi adapter ready. If you have a compatible Sony Wi-Fi adapter (sold separately), connect it to a USB port on the player. Follow the on-screen instructions to configure the wireless settings.

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Video 1: This video demonstrates the setup and connection process for a Blu-ray Disc player, including plugging in the power and HDMI cables, and inserting a disc. It shows the player automatically switching to the Blu-ray input on the TV.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1 Basic Disc Playback

1. Turn on your TV and select the correct input source (e.g., HDMI 1).

2. Press the **Power** button on the player or remote control to turn it on.

3. Press the **Open**/**Close** button to open the disc tray.

4. Place a Blu-ray Disc, DVD, or CD onto the disc tray with the label side facing up.

5. Press the **Open**/**Close** button again to close the disc tray. The player will automatically begin playback or display a menu.

6. Use the **Play**, **Pause**, and **Stop** buttons on the remote control to manage playback.

6.2 USB Media Playback

You can play photos, music, and videos stored on a USB device.

1. Insert a USB device into the **USB port** on the front panel.

2. Navigate to the USB media section on the player's home menu using the remote control.

3. Select the desired file type (photos, music, or videos) and then select the file you wish to play.

6.3 Internet Features

Access a wide variety of online content through BRAVIA Internet Video, including Netflix, YouTube, Amazon Video on Demand, and Pandora.

- Ensure the player is connected to your home network (see Section 5.3).

- From the player's home menu, select the desired internet service application.

- Follow the on-screen instructions to log in or register for the service.

6.4 DLNA Wireless Streaming

Stream photos, videos, and music wirelessly from compatible DLNA-enabled devices on your home network.

1. Ensure your DLNA server (e.g., a computer with Windows Media Player 11) is set up and sharing media.

2. From the player's home menu, select the DLNA option to browse and play media from your network.

6.5 Quick Start/Load Function

The Quick Start/Load function allows for faster startup times and quicker disc loading. This feature can be enabled or disabled in the player's settings menu.

7. SETTINGS

Access the player's settings menu to customize various options.

1. Press the **HOME** button on your remote control to access the main menu.
2. Navigate to the **Setup** icon and press **ENTER**.

7.1 Video Settings

- **Resolution:** Adjust the video output resolution (e.g., 1080p, Auto).
- **DVD Upscaling:** Enable or disable DVD upscaling to near HD quality.
- **Picture Quality:** Fine-tune brightness, contrast, color, etc.

7.2 Audio Settings

- **Digital Audio Output:** Select output format (e.g., Bitstream, PCM) for optical/coaxial connections.
- **HDMI Audio Output:** Configure audio output via HDMI.
- **Dolby Digital/DTS:** Enable or disable these audio formats.

7.3 Network Settings

- **Easy Network Setting:** Guides you through setting up your network connection.
- **Firmware Update:** Check for and install the latest software updates for your player. Regular updates ensure optimal performance and compatibility.

8. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning the Player:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the exterior of the player. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Cleaning Discs:** Wipe discs gently from the center outwards with a soft, lint-free cloth.
- **Storage:** Store the player in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and heat sources.

9. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your player, refer to the following common solutions:

- **No Power:** Ensure the power cord is securely connected to both the player and the wall outlet.
- **No Picture/Sound:** Verify that the HDMI or AV cables are correctly connected and that your TV is set to the correct input source.
- **Disc Not Playing:** Check if the disc is inserted correctly and is clean and free of scratches. Ensure the disc format is supported by the player.
- **Network Connection Issues:** Check your router and network settings. Ensure the Ethernet cable is connected or the Wi-Fi adapter is properly configured.
- **Remote Control Not Working:** Replace the batteries in the remote control. Ensure there are no obstructions between the remote and the player.

10. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Sony
Model Number	BDP-S370
Dimensions (W x H x D)	16.92 x 1.41 x 8.11 inches
Weight	2 pounds
Media Type	Blu-Ray Disc, DVD, CD
Resolution	1920x1080 (Full HD 1080p)
Connectivity	HDMI, Ethernet, USB, Wi-Fi (adapter ready)
Audio Output Mode	Stereo, Dolby Digital, DTS
Special Features	DLNA streaming, Quick Start/Load, BD Remote app compatibility

11. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Sony support website. For technical assistance, troubleshooting, or service inquiries, please contact Sony customer support.