VPL-VW790ES

4K SXRD Home Cinema
Projector with laser light
source, 2,000 lumen
brightness, ∞:1 contrast and
HDR compatibility



Overview

Compact, native 4K resolution home projector with laser light source

An ideal choice to fit in your home cinema room, the VPL-VW790ES brings movies to life with extraordinary cinematic detail, colour and contrast. This compact size home projector combines an advanced laser light source with the same Sony 4K SXRD panel technology that's found in our professional cinema projectors.

Crisply detailed native 4K images (4096 x 2160) offer four times the resolution of Full HD, pulling you right into the heart of the action with unprecedented clarity. An aspherical front lens is mounted on the VPL-VW790ES, allowing for a larger area of focus range, expressing precise details in every corner of the screen.

You'll experience fabulously rich cinematic colours, smooth motion and spectacular contrast. Savour the action with 2,000 lumens brightness and see vibrant images.

You're fully prepared with compatibility for the latest 4K standards, including High Frame Rates and HDR (High Dynamic Range) - so you'll get the very best out of



today's content, and tomorrow's.

Features

Watch brightness for longer with a Z-PhosphorTM laser light The VPL-VW790ES uses an ultra-pure and reliable Z-PhosphorTM laser light source. This Sony developed light source offers bright images for up to 20,000 hours of uninterrupted operation - no lamp replacement, and virtually zero maintenance.

Native 4K SXRD™ panel

Featured in Sony's digital cinema projectors, advanced SXRD (Silicon X-tal Reflective Display) panel technology delivers native 4K (4096 x 2160) resolution images, with more than four times the detail of Full HD. Fine details are wonderfully clear and natural, without jagged edges or visible pixels.

See richer, deeper blacks

Latest SXRD 4K panels deliver even better contrast, as well as native 4K resolution. SXRD projection offers rich, inky blacks, as well as clear cinematic motion and image smoothness. Improvements to the panel's reflective silicon layer now mean even better light control, for precisely reproduced shadows and blacks.

Dual contrast control

In addition to the dynamically-controlled laser light output, an Advanced Iris is also incorporated. Both the iris control and laser can be adjusted independently, and dynamically, to optimise light output for both dark and bright well-lit scenes. The result is deeper blacks than ever, as well as bright, vibrant colours where needed. The infinite dynamic contrast makes every scene spring to life with detail and realism.

Digital Focus Optimiser

Optimum focus is achieved, not only optically but digitally, by the Digital Focus Optimiser. It compensates the possible optical degradation of the lens in advance then outputs the optimum corrected images, so that even the focus in the corners is better than ever.

Super-resolution Reality Creation

Exclusive Reality Creation technology analyses images right down to the pixel level. It uses powerful patternmatching algorithms developed over years of movie production to enhance image crispness without increasing digital picture noise. It also upscales existing full HD Blu-ray Disc™ and DVD movies to near 4K quality.

HDR compatibility: every image comes to life

Get the most from today's UHD Blu-ray and streaming services with High Dynamic Range. HDR video offers an expanded brightness range that delivers more realistic, high-contrast images and brilliant colours. Compatible with both HDR10 and HLG (Hybrid Log-Gamma) formats. Sony's home cinema projectors reproduce colour and contrast that's faithful to the creator's intention.

HDMI 18 Gbps compatibility

With an increase in 4K HDR 60P content, the VPL - VW790ES is now HDMI 18 Gbps compatible for smoother expressions of gradations.

4K MotionflowTM

The powerful video processor in the VPL-VW790ES offers MotionflowTM for smooth and clear motion, even when viewing 4K content. Motionflow adds frames to reduce blur, while maintaining brightness, making it ideal for fast-moving sports content. Cinema purists can choose True Theatre mode to retain the original 24fps.

2,000 lumens for high brightness

Enjoy the action with up to 2,000 lumens brightness from the laser light source, for vibrant images on screens.

Picture Position Memory stores your settings

Store lens, zoom, and shift settings for up to five screen formats for easy recall. Picture Position Memory remembers key settings so you can quickly watch movies in the ideal format. Match aspect ratios, including 16:9 and Cinemascope, and store these settings in the projector.

Select from nine calibrated picture modes

Quickly set the picture to what you're watching or playing. Select from nine calibrated picture modes, including two theatre film modes, cinema digital, reference, TV, photo, game, bright cinema, and bright TV. An advanced HSV (Hue Saturation Value) colour tuning tool gives you even more control.

Specifications

Display System	
Display System	4K SXRD panel, projection system
Display device	

Display device	
Size of effective display area	0.74" x 3
Number of pixels	26,542,080 (4096 x 2160 x 3) pixels



Projection lens	
Focus	Powered
Zoom	Powered (Approx. x2.06)
Lens shift	Powered Vertical: +85% -80% Horizontal: +/-31%
Throw ratio*1	1:38 : 1 to 2:83 : 1
Light source	
Light source	Laser diode
Screen size	
Screen size	60" to 300" (1,524 mm to 7,620 mm)
Light output	
Light output	2,000 lm
Colour light outp	ut
Colour light output	2,000 lm
Dynamic contras	it
Dynamic contrast	∞:1



Displayable scanning frequency

Horizontal 19 kHz to 72 kHz

Vertical 48 Hz to 92 Hz

Accepted digital signals

 $720 \times 576/50$ p, $720 \times$ 480/60p, 1280 x 720/50p,

1280 x 720/60p, 1920 x 1080/50i, $1920 \times 1080/60i$,

1920 x 1080/24p, 1920 x

1080/50p, 1920 x 1080/60p, 3840 x 2160/24p, 3840 x

2160/25p, 3840 x 2160/30p,

3840 x 2160/50p, 3840 x

2160/60p, 4096 x 2160/24p,

4096 x 2160/25p, 4096 x

2160/30p, 4096 x 2160/50p,

4096 x 2160/60p

OSD language

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signals

18-languages (English, Dutch,

French, Italian, German,

Spanish, Portuguese, Turkish,

Polish, Russian, Swedish,

Norwegian, Japanese,

Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Korean, Thai, Arabic)

INPUT OUTPUT (Computer / Video / Control)

Digital /DCD// Db/Cb Dr/Cr/

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חטואווז / חטואוו ב"ב	Digital (KGD/T PD/CD PI/CI)
Trigger	Minijack, DC 12 V Max. 100 mA
Remote	RS-232C, D-sub 9-pin (male)
LAN	RJ45, 10Base-T/100BASE-TX
IR IN	Mini Jack
USB	DC 5 V, Max. 500 mA

Picture processor

Picture processor X1 for projector

Acoustic noise

Acoustic noise 24 dB *3

Operating temperature / Operating humidity

Operating 5°C to 35°C (41°F to 95°F) /

temperature / 35% to 85% (no Operating humidity condensation)

Storage temperature / Storage humidity

Storage -20°C to $+60^{\circ}\text{C}$ (-4°F to temperature / $+140^{\circ}\text{F}$) / 10% to 90% (no

Storage humidity condensation)



Power requirements

Power AC 100 V to 240 V, 4.3 A to

requirements 1.8 A, 50/60Hz

Power consumption

Power consumption 430 W

Standby 0.4 W (when "Remote Start"

is set to "Off")

1.0W (LAN) (when "Remote

Start" is set to "On")

Networked Standby When a LAN terminal is not

connected, it becomes a low power consumption mode

(0.5 W).

Standby Mode / Networked Standby Mode Activated

Standby Mode /

Networked Standby After about 10 Minutes
Mode Activated

3D

3D capability Yes

3D emitter Built-in RF emitter

Dimensions (W x H x D) (without protrusions)

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protrusions)

560 x 223 x 496 mm

22 1/16 x 8 25/32 x 19 17/32

inches

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Mass

Approx. 20 kg / 44 lb

Supplied accessories

RM-PJ24 Remote Commander

(1)

Size AA (R6) Manganese

Batteries (2) Lens Cap (1)

Supplied accessories

AC Power Cord (1)

Operating Instructions (CD-

ROM) (1)

Quick Reference Manual (1)

Safety Regulations (1)

Notes	
*1	Display size : 16:9
*2	Both HDMI inputs are compatible with HDCP 2.2.
*3	This value is approximate. Depends on the projector setting condition and usage environment.

Gallery

