

ACCEPTED MEDIA AND FORMAT STANDARDS

Use the highest-quality recording equipment available to you. The Maine Folklife Center requires that you submit unedited materials in their original format. Record only one interview per media. Do not write on, add labels to or copy protect any CD or DVD.

MFC accepts the following media:

- Digital Video (DV)
 - MiniDV, DVCAM, DVPRO
- DVD-R Video
- Audio Cassettes
- CD-R Audio
- Flash Drives

Use the following file extensions:

- WAV on CD-R or a Flash Drive
Specifications: 96 kHz, 24-bit (suggested) or 44.1 kHz, 16-bit
- MPEG-2 on DVD-R or a Flash Drive
Specifications: at least 3Mbps, with a spatial resolution of 720x486 at 30fps or the highest your set-up allows.
- MPEG-4/H.264 on DVD-R or a Flash Drive
Specifications: at least 3Mbps, with a spatial resolution of 720x486 at 30fps or the highest your set-up allows.
- TXT/RFT on CD-R, DVD-R, or a Flash Drive
Specifications: 600 dpi (suggested) or 300 dpi
- TIF/JPG on CD-R, DVD-R, or a Flash Drive
Specifications: 600 dpi (suggested) or 300 dpi

Contact folklife@maine.edu with any questions.