

## DVD DUPLICATOR

# Primera Bravo DVD Disc Publisher

A full-on complete automated CD or DVD duplication business in one handy box



### INFORMATION

**PRICE** £1,557 (£1,325 ex VAT)

**INFO** [www.primera.com](http://www.primera.com)

**SUPPLIER** Primera  
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**WARRANTY** 1 year RTB

### SPECIFICATIONS

**MEDIA TYPES** DVD+R,  
DVD+RW, CD-R, CD-RW

**STORAGE CAPACITY** 4.7GB DVD,  
700MB CD

**PRINT RESOLUTION** 2400x1200dpi

**INTERFACE** USB 2.0 and FireWire

**SIZE/WEIGHT** 438x184x406mm,  
8.2kg

**OS** Windows 2000, XP

**T**he Primera Bravo is a complete, automated CD or DVD duplication system. It's actually available in a CD only version, though we couldn't resist the DVD model, which does DVD+R/RW duplication as well as CD-R/RW discs.

Based around a 4x speed DVD burner, which also tackles CD writing at up to 16x speed, the real joy of the Bravo Disc Publisher is in its hoppers. The system relies on a robotic arm, which picks up discs from the input hopper and places them in the open and ready drive tray. The disc tray

then closes and disc duplication is carried out via control from a USB or FireWire connected PC. At this point the tray opens again, the robotic arm picks up the disc and puts it in the output hopper, and grabs the next disc for duplication.

Each hopper can hold up to 25 discs, so you can copy 25 discs in one simple, automated procedure. To extend the possibilities, the system can also operate in 'kiosk' mode, in which discs are inputted from both hoppers and ejected via a tray between the two stacks of discs, doubling the input capacity to 50.

If you're duplicating discs for sale or you just want them to look professional, another arduous chore in the process is printing labels and sticking them to the discs. The Bravo Disc Publisher helps out here as well, as it has a full colour 2400x1200dpi inkjet printer built in. Using Primera's own version of the SureThing CD Labeller software, you can design all manner of full colour DVD or CD labels, complete with your choice of ready-

made or custom templates to include text and graphics.

Another nice touch is that, instead of using expensive and easily scuffed sticky labels, the printing is applied direct to the surface of the CDs or DVDs being duplicated. The only slight drawback is that you're then limited to plain white discs that will accept printing, though these are getting more common nowadays. If you duplicate a lot of discs, the Bravo is quick and easy-to-use, and a real time-saver.

**Matthew Richards**

### PC Plus verdict

#### PRIMERA BRAVO DVD DISC PUBLISHER

##### FOR

- ✓ Simple to set up and use
- ✓ Automated operation
- ✓ High quality printing as well as disc duplication

##### AGAINST

- ✗ Expensive to buy

Value 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Features 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Performance 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

**OVERALL**

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