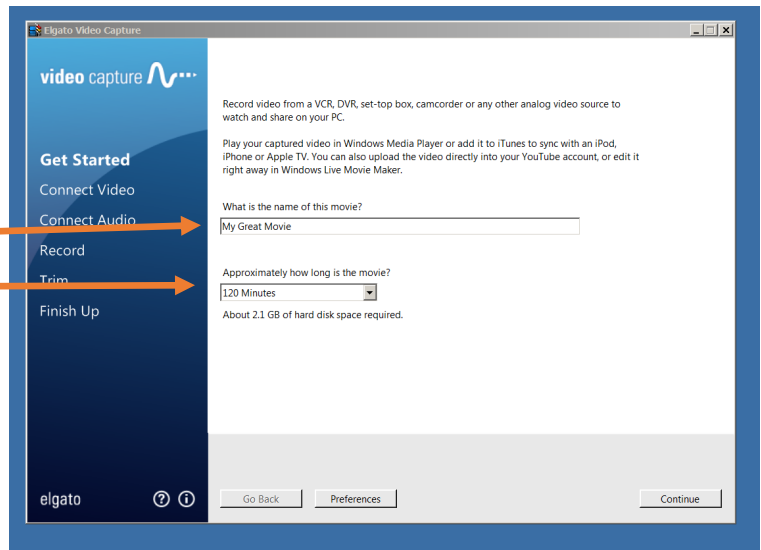


How to use our conversion station

- 1 Step 1: Turn on the VCR (silver button on the left-hand side) and insert VHS tape.
- 2 Step 2: Open the Elgato Video Capture Software (icon located on the desktop)

Step 3: Get Started

- 3 Give your movie a name and set the approximate length then hit continue.



Step 4: Connect Video

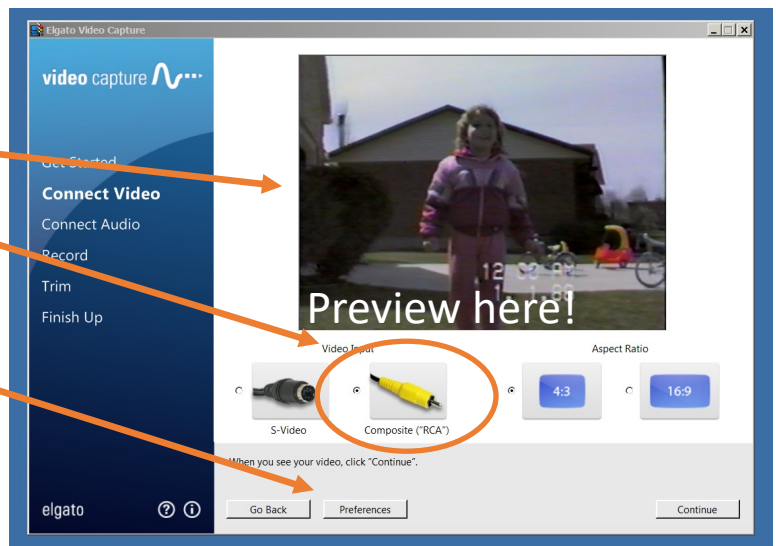
Press play on the VCR. You will see a preview of your movie in the centre box.

Keep "Composite (RCA)" selected.

- 4 Choose aspect ratio (unless your tape is widescreen leave on 4:3)

You can adjust the picture settings under preferences (i.e. brightness, contrast). As you adjust you will see the changes in the preview window.

Click continue.

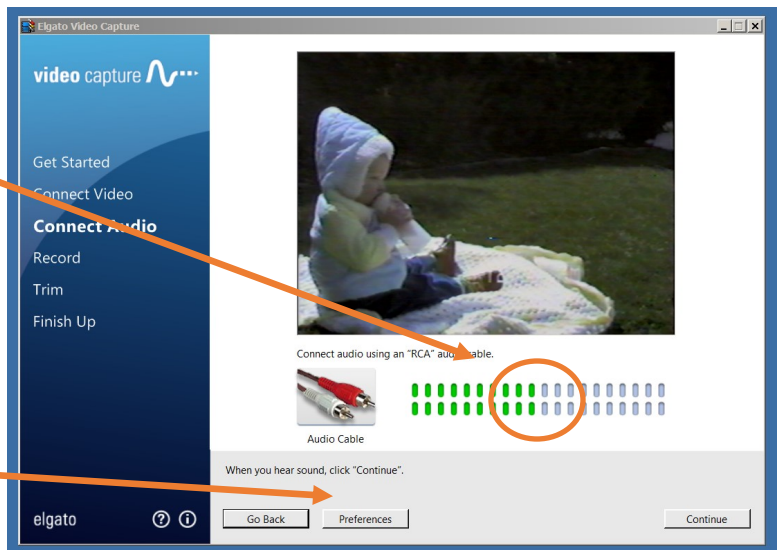


Step 5: Connect Audio

With your movie playing, check the audio levels to make sure they are in the **middle range**. You don't want audio that is too low or too high (in the red zone). Do not judge just by the headphones, use the range provided.

- 5 Use preferences to adjust if the volume is too low or too high. Use the audio tab and adjust the "Gain" to adjust the volume.

Click continue.



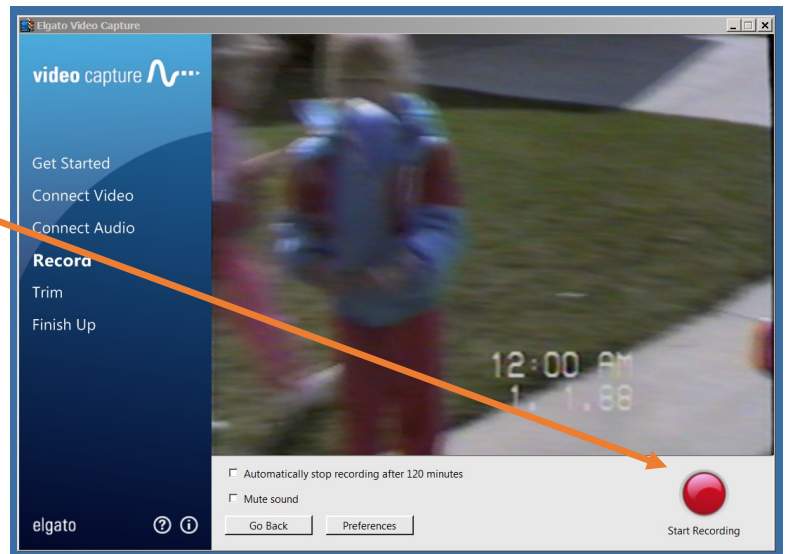
Step 6: Record

On the VCR, **rewind your tape** back to the place you want to start recording.

In the Elgato software, press **Start Recording**.

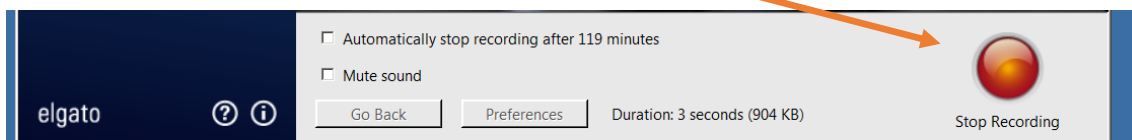
- 6 On the VCR press **PLAY**. Recording happens in real time. If your video is 2 hours long it will take 2 hours to capture

TIP: Do not do anything else on the computer while the video capture is in progress. This can cause freezing and audio problems in your final video.



Step 7: Stop recording

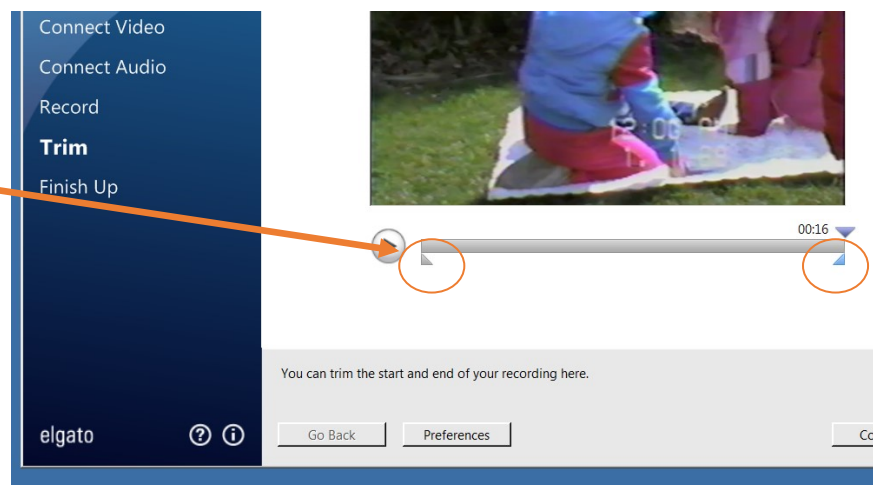
When you are finished your capture, press stop recording.



Step 8: Trim (optional)

You can trim parts off the beginning or end of your video, if needed. Use the small markers on the bottom.

- 8 Click continue when you are finished moving the markers and Elgato will trim your video.



Step 9: Finishing up

After you press continue on the trim screen, Elgato will process your final video and the green bar will display its process.

When it's finished you can find your file saved on the desktop.

You can now transfer your video to a personal storage device such as a USB or burn your video file onto a blank DVD. See the **"Transferring video to a storage device"** guide and follow the instructions.

Once you have transferred your video file to a device, don't forget to delete the file from the desktop.