

PART 2: SHOOT AND PRODUCE SEQUENCE EDIT

1 Basic Video Camera Operations Using the Sony HXR-NX70U Video Camera (SWEFF)

CAMERA SET-UP

- a. MODE is at movie.
- b. Operation is at MANUAL
- c. Insert or Remove SD Card (camera should be OFF when performing these operations)



Port for headphones

To adjust headphone audio level:
Tap MENU > > Scroll down to
and Tap Volume (then + or -) then
Tap X in upper left corner.

SOUND

- a. Wear headphones when recording.
- b. Check settings on XLR box.



WHITE BALANCE

- a. Tap icon.
- b. Zoom in on white object.
- c. Tap Manual icon SET on left of frame. Camera will process.
- d. Icon to left of audio flashes until white balance set.
- e. Tap X in upper left corner.

EXPOSURE

- a. Set on AUTOMATIC.
- b. If need to change, tap icon. (90% of time, AUTO best.)

FOCUS

Can TAP and go back and forth from MANUAL to AUTOMATIC.

FRAMING

Use Guideframe (wire crosshairs) using rule of thirds.

Tap to change camera settings. **DO NOT change settings in MY BUTTONS.**

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TAP to view video you've already shot. (Playback)



Push RED record and will change to REC

Time left on battery

Timecode on SD card

Time left on card

Audio: Check for bounce but still wear headphones to make sure you have clean audio.

CH 1: Wireless
CH 2: Shotgun

White background with hand tells you you're on MANUAL focus.

White Balance setting - this is the icon for MANUAL. If it's flashing, it means you need to white balance. If so, click on icon at #3 and follow instructions above. If MANUAL icon isn't showing, tap #3 and tap **One Push**.