

Samsung Gear 360 Instructions

Setup & Filming:

1. Download the Samsung Gear 360 app from the App Store
2. Turn on the camera by pressing and holding the red ON button (it also says BACK)
3. Press and hold the Menu button for a couple of seconds until you see the screen say Connect to iOS or Connect to Android, depending on your smartphone. It should then say Gear 360(xxxx) along with an 8-digit password.
4. Connect to the Gear 360 Wi-Fi, and enter the password provided on the camera
5. The Camera should say “Connected”. Open the Samsung Gear 360 app, and choose the Camera option
6. In the bottom left, choose MODE and make sure you are on Video.
7. Press record from your smartphone. You will not be able to see it recording from the phone, but you should see the time code increasing on the camera itself.
8. When you are finished recording, press the STOP button, and then choose GALLERY to view your footage.

Editing & Exporting

1. There are two ways to “stitch” your footage and get it onto your computer.
 - One way is to choose Gallery on the app, select your clip and choose Save. It should then be sent to your phone’s Camera Roll, which you can then send to the computer. This method is best for shorter clips.
 - Another way is to attach the camera via USB to your computer, or use a Micro SD Card adaptor to insert the SD Card into the computer. You can then stitch the shots manually through the Samsung Gear 360 desktop app. To do so, open the app, and choose **360° Video Player**, and then choose the + sign to add clips. Once stitched, the files should end up in a /Documents/Cyberlink folder in your directory. This method is best for longer clips.
2. Import clips into Final Cut Pro or Adobe Premiere, and edit them as you would any other video.

3. Export at highest quality possible. Once file is completed, open the 360 Video Metadata Tool. Choose **Open**, and then select your file. Be sure the “Spherical” checkbox is checked, and then click **Save as**. This is the file you must upload to YouTube or Facebook. These platforms will detect the meta data and upload your video as 360 automatically.