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I got this vcr some years ago, it was one of the most expensive in the store. I am a bit of a environmentalist too, so I would much rather fix then replace. Add to that the fact that even finding a VCR that records is in itself difficult now adays...

Anyway here is the problem.

If I have been recording for awhile(hour or so?), the VCR starts recording a strange kind of noise onto the tape. The picture shifts or jitters at spots like tiny hooks are pulling at the image misaligning it in spots horizontally. This happens only for a moment but at regular intervals every 4 seconds or so?(not sure of exact time) the sound is slightly distorted too at the exact same spot as the picture. As playback goes on, this effect gets stronger. It is not the tape.

When it is recording, at the point where it starts recording the noise onto the tape, I can hear a kind of squeaking rubbing sound

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that is
difficult to explain at regular intervals equal to the noise/
distortion on the tape which just like the recording itself gets
louder as it continues recording.

If I dont use the vcr for some time this effect goes away. But
more
then say a hour or two of nonuse is required before I can get
a half
hour/hour of record time relatively noise free.

Talking to repair shops, I get the old "Probably not worth the
money
to repair, but if you come in, we will do what ever, then
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