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Help?

If this instruction manual does not give an answer or if 'Tips' do not solve your TV problem, you can call your Local Philips Customer or Service Centre. See the supplied World-wide guarantee booklet.

Please, have the Model and Product number which you can find at the back of your television set or on the packaging, ready, before calling the Philips helpline.

Model: 29PT9417

Product No: AG

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End of life directives

Philips is paying a lot of attention to producing environmentally-friendly in green focal areas. Your new TV contains materials which can be recycled and reused. At the end of its life specialised companies can dismantle the discarded TV to concentrate the reusable materials and to minimise the amount of materials to be disposed of.

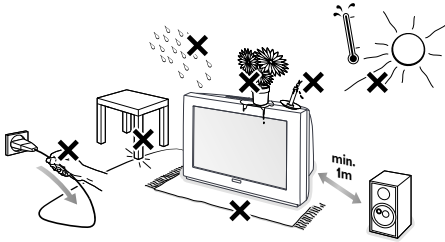
Please ensure you dispose of your old TV according to local regulations.




EasyLink features are based on the "one touch operation" approach. This means that a sequence of actions are executed at the same time in both the television and the video cassette recorder, provided both are fitted with the EasyLink function and connected with the eurocable supplied with your video recorder.

Preparation

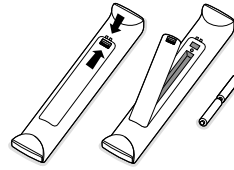
- ❶ Place the TV on a solid surface.
! 29PT9417: 47 kg !



For ventilation, leave at least 5 cm free all around the TV. Do not place the TV on a carpet. To prevent any unsafe situations, do not place any objects on top of the TV. Avoid heat, direct sunlight and exposure to rain or water.

- ❷ Insert the aerial plug firmly into the aerial socket  at the back of the TV. For best picture quality use the suppressor-aerial cable supplied.
- ❸ Insert the mains plug of the TV in the wall socket having a mains voltage of 220V-240V.

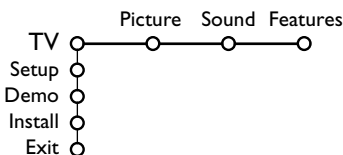
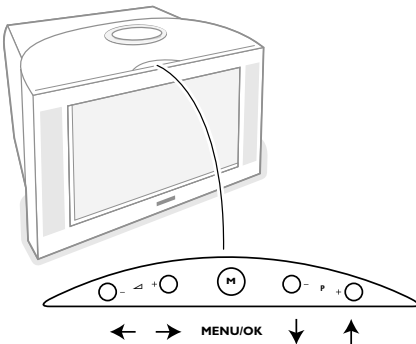
- ❹ **Remote control:** Insert the 2 batteries supplied (Type R6-1,5V).



The batteries supplied do not contain the heavy metals mercury and cadmium. Please check on how to dispose of exhausted batteries according to local regulations.


- ❺ **Switch the TV on :** Press the power switch ❶ on the front of your TV.
An indicator on the front of the TV lights up and the screen comes on.
If the TV is in standby mode (red indicator), press the **-P+** keys on the remote control.

Keys on top of the TV




Should your remote be lost or broken you can still change some of the basic settings with the keys on top of your TV.

Press:

- the  - or + key to adjust the volume;
- the **-P+** keys to select the TV channels or sources.

The **M** key can be used to summon the main menu without the remote control.

Use:

- the  - and + keys and the **P-** and **P+** keys to select menu items in the directions as shown;
- the **M** key to confirm your selection.

Note:

When activated via the **M** key on top of the TV, only **Exit** lets you dismiss the menu.

Navigate to **Exit** and press the **M** key.

Use of the remote control

Note: For most keys pressing a key once will activate the function. Pressing a second time will de-activate it. When a key enables multiple options, a small list will be shown. Press repeatedly to select the next item in the list. The list will be removed automatically after 4 seconds or press **OK** to remove immediately.

VCR DVD SAT AMP CD

Audio- and Video equipment keys, (p. 20)

Select peripherals (p. 19)



Audio- and Video equipment keys (p. 20)

Instant record

See Record with your recorder with EasyLink, p. 20

Time display

The time is displayed on the screen.

Surround mode

Incredible surround

With stereo transmission, and when Incredible surround is selected, it seems as though the loudspeakers are spread further apart from one another.

Dolby Virtual surround

Optimal with Dolby surround signals. Enables you to experience the effect of Dolby surround Pro Logic, reproducing a rear sound effect. See Sound menu, 3D effect, p. 11.

Note: You can make the same selection in the Sound menu, surround mode, p. 11.

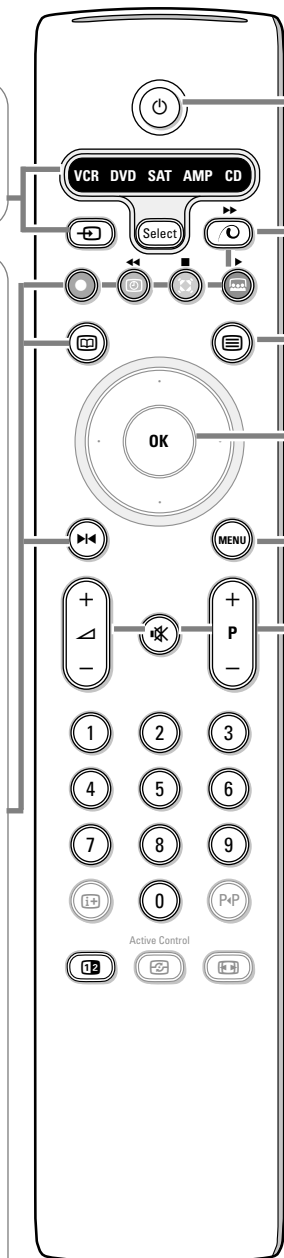
Cinema Go

See separate Cinema Link booklet supplied.

NEXTVIEW on/off p. 14

Freeze/Replay/Photo finish

To freeze the picture. See also p. 8.



Standby

Press to switch the TV on or off. When switched off, a red indicator on the TV lights up.

Pixel Plus demo on/off

In the right part Pixel Plus and Digital Natural Motion are switched on.

Teletext on/off see p. 16

OK Press this key

- to activate your choice, when in the menus.
- to display the programme list.

MENU Main menu on/off see p. 5

To adjust the volume.

Interrupt the sound or restore it.

P Programme selection

To browse through the TV channels and sources stored in the favourite list.

0/9 Digit keys

To select a TV channel. For a two digit programme number, enter the second digit before the dash disappears. To switch immediately to a selected one digit TV channel, keep the digit key pressed a bit longer.



i+ **On Screen information**

Press to display information about the selected TV channel and programme.

Menu/Remote control info

When a menu is on screen, press **i+** to display info on the selected menu item. For information on the remote control functions, while the menu info is displayed, press any key on the remote control. The normal function of the key is not executed.

P-P Smart surf / NEXTVIEW themes

With this key you can easily switch between 2 up to 9 different TV channels or sources or quickly select TV programmes if NEXTVIEW with defined themes is broadcast. See General, Smart surf, p. 8. Press the **OK** key or wait for the time out to dismiss the Smart surf display.

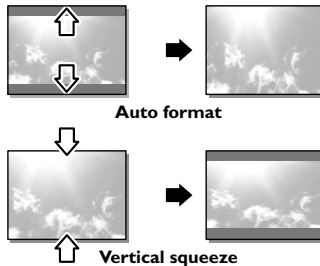
12 Dual screen / PIP / Multipip (if available)

See p. 8 and p. 13.

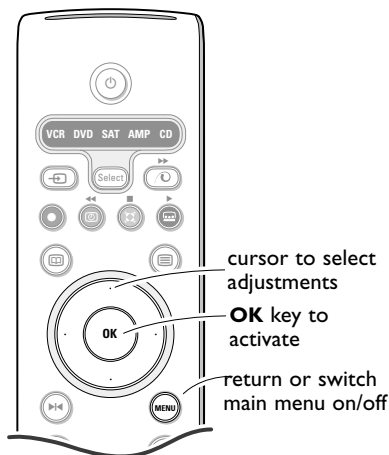
Active control see p. 11.

Picture format

Press this key repeatedly to select another picture format: Auto format, 4:3 or Vertical squeeze. Auto format makes the picture fill the screen as much as possible. Vertical squeeze squeezes the picture to a wide screen picture format.

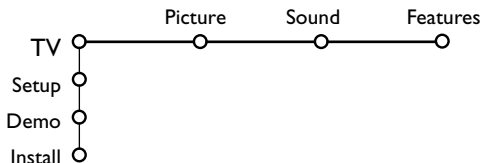


To use the menus



- 1 Press the **MENU** key on the remote control to summon the main menu. At any moment you can exit the menu by pressing the menu key again.

Note: If you have connected equipment with Cinema Link, more menu items are present.



- 2 Use the cursor in the up/down direction to select the **TV**, **Setup**, **Demo** or **Install** menu. Use the cursor left/right to select **Picture**, **Sound** or **Features**.

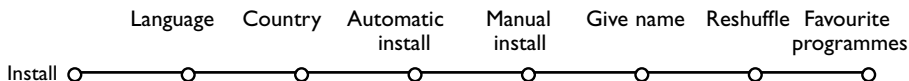
Note: Sometimes not all the menu items are visible on the screen (indicated by a cluster of blue balls). Use the cursor down or right to reveal all items.

- 3 Use the cursor in the left/right direction to select the menu item.
- 4 Use the cursor up/down again to select the control you want to select or to adjust.

Note: Items temporary not available or not relevant are displayed in a light grey colour and cannot be selected.

Installation

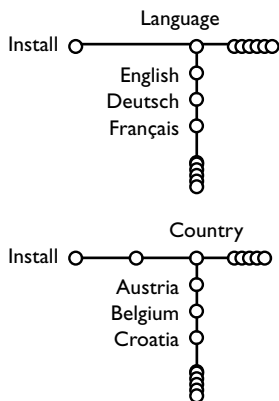
The installation menu contains the following items:



EasyLink

If your video recorder has an EasyLink function, during installation, the language, country and available channels are automatically transmitted to the video recorder.

Select the menu language and country

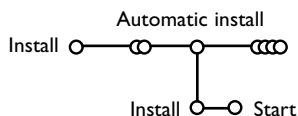


- 1 Press the **MENU** key on the remote control.
- 2 Use the cursor down to select **Install**.
- 3 Use the cursor right to select **Language**. Follow the instructions on screen.
- 4 Use the cursor up/down to select your preferred language and press the **OK** key to confirm your selection.
- 5 Use the cursor right to select **Country**.
- 6 Select the country where you are now located and press the **OK** key. Select **Other** when none of the countries applies.
- 7 Proceed with the **Install** menu.

Store TV channels

After language and country are set correctly, you can now search for and store the TV channels in two different ways: using Automatic Installation or Manual Installation (tuning-in channel by channel). Select your choice with the cursor right.

Automatic installation



- 1 Select **Automatic install** in the Install menu.

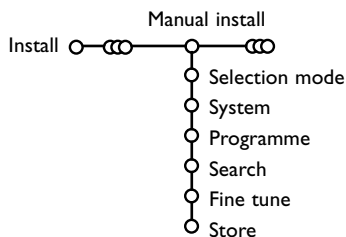
Note: All channels must be unlocked in order to autoprogram. If requested, enter your code to unlock all channels. (See TV, Features menu, Childlock, p. 12.)

- 2 Press the cursor down.
The autoprogramming option label **Start** appears.
- 3 Press the cursor right.
- 4 The message **Searching** appears and the progress of autoprogramming is displayed.

If a cable system or a TV channel which broadcasts ACI (Automatic Channel Installation) is detected, a programme list appears. Without ACI broadcast, the channels are numbered according your language and country selection. You can use Reshuffle to renumber them. See p. 7.

*It is possible that the cable company or the TV channel displays a broadcast selection menu. Layout and items are defined by the cable company or the TV channel. Make your choice with the cursor and press the **OK** key.*

Manual installation



Searching for and storing TV channels is done channel by channel. You must go through every step of the Manual Installation menu.

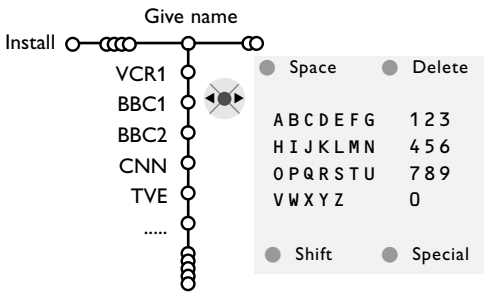
- 1 Select **Manual install** in the Install menu.
- 2 Press the cursor down.
Follow the instructions on screen.

Note: Search or direct selection of a TV channel.

If you know the frequency, the C- or S-channel number, enter the 3 or 2 digits of the frequency or the channel number directly with the digit keys 0 to 9 (e.g. 048). Press the cursor down to proceed.

Repeat to search for another TV channel.

Give name



It is possible to change the name stored in the memory or to assign a name to a TV channel for which a name has not yet been entered. A name with up to 5 letters or numbers can be given to the programme numbers 0 to 99.

- 1 Select **Give Name** in the Install menu and press the cursor down.
- 2 Select the programme number.
Note: keep the cursor up/down pressed to scroll through the programme list quickly.
- 3 Press the cursor right.
A keyboard appears on the screen. Press the cursor right to enter the keyboard. Press the cursor up/down, left/right to select the first character and press **OK**. Repeat for every character you want to enter. Select **Space** to enter a space; **Delete** to erase the highlighted character in the name entered; **Shift** to display upper- or lowercase characters on the keyboard; **Special** to display special characters on the keyboard. Press **OK** to confirm.
- 4 Press the cursor left repeatedly when you have finished the name giving.
- 5 Select another programme number and repeat steps 3 to 4.

Reshuffle the programme list

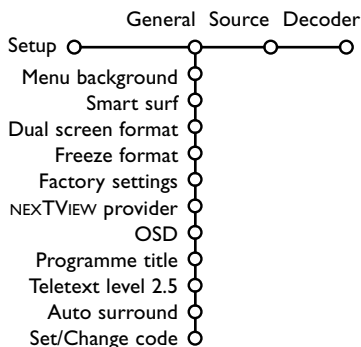
You can change the order of the stored TV channels.

- 1 Select **Reshuffle** in the Installation menu.
- 2 Follow the instructions on screen.

Select Favourite TV channels

- 1 Select **Favourite programmes** in the Install menu.
- 2 Select your programme number with the cursor up/down.
- 3 Select **Yes** or **No** with the cursor right.
- 4 Repeat 2 and 3 for every TV channel or external you want to make a favourite or a non-favourite TV channel or external.

TV Setup



The Setup menu contains items that control the settings of the TV's functions, features, services and peripherals you may have connected.

The **General** menu allows you to change settings that will typically be accessed only occasionally. The **Source** menu allows you to select a source. The **Decoder** menu allows you to define one or more programme numbers as decoder programme numbers.

General

This menu allows you to change various settings that are presumably adjusted less frequently than most other settings.

Press the **i+** key on the remote control to get information about the selected menu item.

Smart surf

- 1 Select Smart surf.
- 2 With the cursor left/right, select
 - **2 programmes** if you want the P+P key to toggle between the current and the previously selected channel,
 - **9 programmes** if you want the P+P key to summon a list of up to 9 channels which can be selected,
 - **Themes** if you want the P+P key to quickly select TV programmes if NEXTVIEW with defined themes is broadcast.

To add/remove a channel or source:

Tune to the channel or source you wish to add or remove. Press the P+P key and press the cursor right to add or remove.

Note: If there are already 9 channels/sources in the list, the one at the bottom of the list will be removed.

Dual screen format

This menu allows you to select the preferred format which can then be displayed toggling the **12** key on and off.

See Dual screen/PIP/ Multipip, p. 13.

Select **Dual screen**, **PIP**, **PIP 3** or **PIP 9** with the cursor down.

When Dual screen mode is activated with the remote control **12** key, and when:

- **Dual screen** is selected, the TV splits the screen into two equally sized screens.
- **PIP** is selected, the TV shows a full screen of video with a pip window of video on top if it;
- **PIP3** or **9** is selected, the TV will display 3 or 9 pip screens.

Freeze format

Freeze format allows you to select among three options: Freeze, Replay or Photo finish, to be activated when you press the **▶◀** key on the remote control. See p. 3.

*Note: Continuing to hold the **▶◀** key down will also cycle the TV through the various formats. Changing the format this way does not store the selected format.*

Factory settings

This resets the picture and sound settings to their predefined factory values, but maintains the channel installation settings.

NEXTVIEW provider

Select a TV broadcaster that provides NEXTVIEW data. How to make use of NEXTVIEW, see p. 14.

OSD (On Screen Display)

See Use of the remote control, p. 3, **i+** On screen information.

- 1 Select **OSD**.
- 2 Select **Normal** to activate the continuous display of the programme number. Also TV channel and programme information are extended. **Minimum** will display reduced channel information.

Note: When subtitles is switched on, see Features, p.12, continuous display of the programme number is not possible.

Teletext level 2.5

Some broadcasters offer the opportunity to see more colours, other background colours and nicer pictures in the teletext pages.

- 1 Select **Teletext level 2.5**.
- 2 Press the cursor right to select **Teletext level 2.5 On** to take advantage of this feature.
- 3 Press the cursor right again to select **Teletext level 2.5 Off** if you like the more neutral teletext layout.

The selection made is valid for all channels which broadcast teletext level 2.5.

Note: It may take a few seconds before teletext broadcast switches over to Teletext level 2.5.

Set/Change code

The Child lock feature (see TV, Features, p. 12) allows you to lock channels to prevent others from watching certain programmes. To watch locked channels, a 4-digit code must be entered. The Set/Change code menu item allows you to create or change a Personal Identification Number (PIN).

- 1 Select **Set/Change code**.
- 2 If no code exists yet, the menu item is set to **Set code**. If a code has previously been entered, the menu item is set to **Change code**. Follow the instructions on screen.

Important: You have forgotten your code !

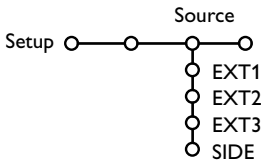
- 1 Select **Change code** in the General menu and press **OK**.
- 2 Press the cursor right and enter the overriding code 8-8-8-8.
- 3 Press the cursor again and enter a new personal 4-digit code. The previous code is erased and the new code is stored.

Auto Surround

Sometimes the broadcaster transmits special signals for Surround Sound encoded programmes.


The TV automatically switches to the best surround sound mode when **Auto Surround** is switched **On**.

Source

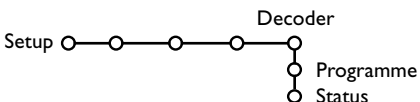


This menu allows you to indicate the peripheral you connected to one of the external inputs.

- 1 Press the cursor right to enter the list of types of peripherals attached to the selected input.
- 2 Select the peripheral device with the cursor up/down.

Once you have selected the source type, e.g. DVD, this source will automatically be selected when your remote control is in DVD mode, see p. 20, and when you press the  key on the remote control.

Decoder



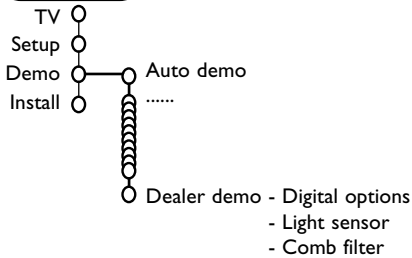
If a decoder or a descrambler is connected, see p. 18, you can define one or more programme numbers as decoder programme numbers.

- 1 Select **Decoder** with the cursor right.
- 2 Select **Programme**.

- 3 Select the programme number under which you have stored the programme coming from your decoder.
- 4 Select **Status**.
 - Select the input used to connect your decoder: **None**, **EXT1** or **EXT2**.
 - Select **None** if you do not want the selected programme number being activated as a decoder programme number.

*Note: Select **EXT2** when the decoder is connected to your EasyLink video recorder.*

Demo



The Demo menu allows to demonstrate the TV features separately or in a continuous loop.

If **Auto demo** has been selected the demo will automatically present the features sequentially in a loop. Press one of the cursor keys to stop the Auto demo.

If one of the features has been selected, this particular feature demo will run only once, and the Demo menu will reappear.

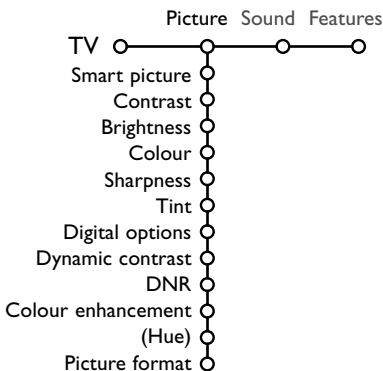
Note: The Dealer demo is not part of the automatic sequence and can only be activated separately.

TV menu

Press the **MENU** key on the remote control to summon the main menu.

Press the **i+** key on the remote control to get information about the selected menu item.

Picture



- 1 Press the cursor right to select **Picture**.
- 2 Select the menu items in the Picture menu with the cursor up/down.
- 3 Adjust the settings with the cursor left/right or enter the list of submenu items with the cursor right. Select a submenu item with the cursor up/down.

Note: To remove the menu background before adjusting the picture settings, see Select TV setup, General, p. 8.

Smart picture

Select **Smart picture** to display a list of predefined picture settings, each corresponding with specific factory settings. Personal refers to the personal preference settings of picture in the picture menu.


Digital options


Pixel Plus is the most ideal setting, doubles the horizontal resolution and increases the number of lines with 33%. You may consider to select Movie Plus in case a halo effect should disturb you. Dependent on your own preference, select Double lines, or 100 Hz Digital Scan.

Note: When 60 Hz NTSC material is used, the options are changed to Pixel Plus, Movie Plus or Progressive, progressive scan without motion compensation.

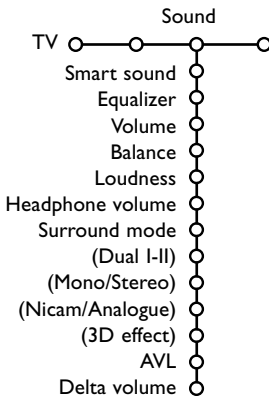
Active Control

The TV continuously measures and corrects all incoming signals in order to provide the best picture possible.

- 1 Press the  key on the remote control.
- 2 The Active Control menu appears.
- 3 Press the cursor up/down to select the Active Control values **Off**, **Minimum**, **Medium** (recommended) or **Maximum**.
The picture settings are being optimised continuously and automatically which is displayed by bars. The menu items can not be selected.
- 4 Press the cursor right to select **Smart Picture**.

- 5 Press the cursor up/down to select one of the predefined picture settings.
- 6 Press the cursor right to select **Active Display**.
- 7 Press the cursor up/down to select **Bars**, one of the Dual screen demos or **Off**.
When you select Dynamic contrast, Pixel Plus, Digital Noise Reduction or Digital Natural Motion, the TV screen is divided into two parts: in the left part the selected picture quality setting is switched off; in the right part it is switched on.
- 8 Press the  key again to switch off the Active Control menu.

Sound



- 1 Press the cursor right to select **Sound**.
- 2 Select the menu items in the Sound menu with the cursor up/down and adjust the settings with the cursor left/right. Remember, control settings are at normal mid-range levels when the bar scale is centred.

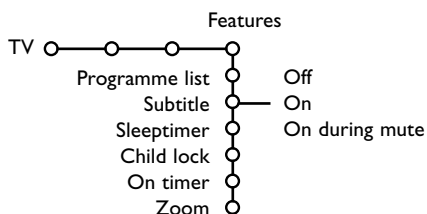
Smart sound

Select Smart sound to display a list of predefined sound settings, each corresponding with specific factory settings of Treble and Bass. **Personal** refers to the personal preference settings of sound in the sound menu.

Notes:

- Some menu items are only available in case of a Cinema Link configuration and when the Cinema Link is activated. Others are steered by the audio receiver instead of by the TV. See the separate Cinema Link booklet supplied.
- Dual **I-II** is only available with dual sound transmission.
- Mono/Stereo is only selectable in case of analogue stereo transmission.
- Nicam/Analogue is only selectable in case of Nicam transmission.

Features



Programme list

Press the **OK** key to switch over to the selected TV channel or external.

Select subtitles

The subtitle page must be stored for each TV channel:

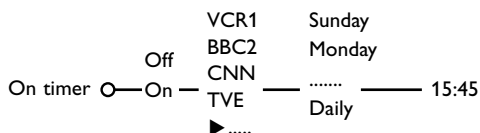
Switch on teletext and select the proper subtitle page from the index. Switch off teletext.

Subtitle On will automatically display them on the selected TV channels if subtitles are in the transmission. A symbol will indicate that the mode is on.

Select **On during mute** when you want to have the subtitles automatically displayed only when the sound has been muted with the **MUTE** key on the remote control.

On timer

- 1 Select **On timer** with the cursor down.



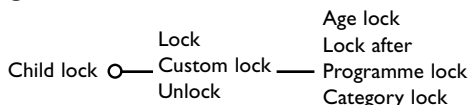
- 2 Select **On** with the cursor right.
- 3 Press the cursor right again to enter the programme list.
- 4 Select the TV channel or external you want your TV to switch to on a selected time and day.
- 5 Press the cursor right again to select a day of the week or to select **Daily**.
- 6 Press the cursor right once again to enter the time with the digit keys or with the cursor up/down and press the **OK** key to activate.
- 7 Press the **MENU** key to turn off the menu.
*Note: To check your timer settings, press the **i+** key.*

- 1 Press the cursor right to select **Features**.
- 2 Select the menu items with the cursor up/down and adjust the settings with the cursor left/right.

Use the on-screen **Menu-Info** **i+** for more information about the menu items.

Child lock

- 1 Select **Child lock**.



- 2 Press the cursor right to enter the Child lock menu. You're summoned to enter your code.
Note: You have to re-enter your code each time you enter the child lock menu.

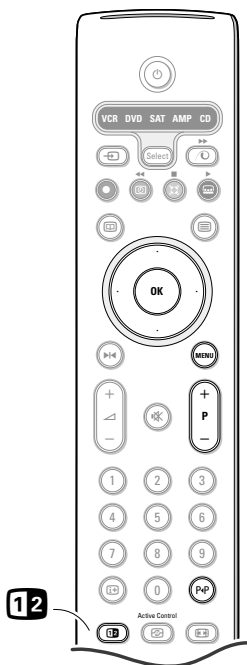
Important: You have forgotten your code ! See p. 9.

- 3 Select one of the menu items of the child lock menu:
 - **Lock** if you want to lock all channels and externals.
 - **Custom lock** and press the cursor right. The items **Age lock** and **Category lock** are only available when **NEXTVIEW** broadcast is available. Select:
 - **Age lock** if you want to lock programmes related to a certain age: off, 2, 4 ... 18;
 - **Lock after** if you want to lock all programmes from a certain time onwards. Press the cursor right and enter the time with the cursor up/down and right. Press the **OK** key to validate.
 - **Programme lock** if you want to lock a certain TV channel or external;
 - **Category lock** if you want to lock programmes related to a certain theme: Movies, Sports, Shows.... See **NEXTVIEW**, p. 14.
 - Select **Unlock** to disable all locks you have set.

Zoom

- 1 Select **Zoom** with the cursor down and press the ok key.
- 2 Press the **OK** key to select one of the zoom magnifications (x1, x4, x9, x16).
- 3 Additionally you can shift the selected zoom window over the screen with the cursor keys up/down, left/right.
- 4 Press the **MENU** key to turn off the zoom function.

Dual screen / PIP / Multipip

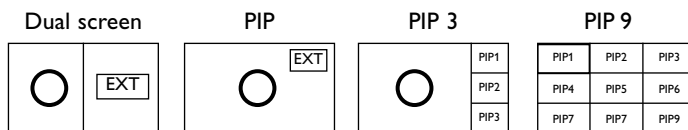


- 1 Press the **12** key to switch on Dual screen, **PIP** or one of the PIP modes.
- 2 Press the **12** key again. The screen that has a yellow border will become the full main screen picture.

Notes:

- Continuing to hold the **12** key down will cycle the TV through the various formats launching a new format after each second the key is held down. After standby of the TV, the preference as set in the Setup, General menu is used.
- When Dual screen mode is selected, two picture formats are supported: Full screen or 4:3 letterbox picture format (vertical squeeze).
- Audio from the right screen or the PIP, or from an external source plays to the headphones.

Display options



- Press the cursor right to highlight the right screen.
- Press the cursor down to highlight the single PIP screen.
- Press the cursor right to enter the Multipip screen and then use the cursor keys to navigate through the PIP screens and to highlight a PIP screen.

Changing TV channels or external sources in left, right, PIP or Multipip screen

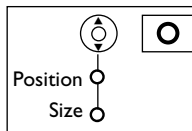
- Press the **-P+** keys or the **P+P** key or the digit keys in order to change the TV channels or external sources in the highlighted screen.

Scan PIP3 or PIP 9

Press the cursor down to the lowest PIP to display a following series of PIP screens.

Define the position and the size of the single PIP screen

- 1 Select a Dual screen mode with a single PIP screen.
- 2 Press the cursor down to highlight the PIP screen. A PIP menu appears with which you can define the position and the size of the PIP screen.



Note: When the PIP menu times out, press the **OK** key to make it reappear.

- 3 Press the cursor down again to select **Position** or **Size**.
- 4 Press the **OK** key or the cursor right to activate.
- 5 Use the cursor keys to define the position of the PIP screen. Use the cursor left/right to define the size of the PIP screen.
- 6 Press the **OK** key. The PIP menu reappears.
- 7 Press the cursor up to the top of the menu to highlight the main screen again.
- 8 Press the **OK** key to switch off the menu or wait until it is timed out.

On-Screen information

The highlighted On-Screen information, which appears when changing channels, always refers to the active screen.

NEXTVIEW / Teletext guide



NEXTVIEW is an electronic guide that allows you to look up programmes as you would in a newspaper or a TV magazine. You can sort the programmes by subject (films, sport...), obtain detailed information and programme your video recorder if it comes with the NEXTVIEWLink function.

*Important note: **The NEXTVIEW service is only available on certain programmes and in certain countries.** When no NEXTVIEW information is broadcast, the teletext programme guide appears in its place. This is based on teletext programme information (if available) and offers most functions of NEXTVIEW.*

Note: The broadcaster is responsible for the content of the information.

Call NEXTVIEW / Teletext guide

Press the key on the remote control to call the NEXTVIEW/Teletext guide.

A menu appears with the message **One moment please.** After a while you obtain:

- a NEXTVIEW page, if the selected channel broadcasts this service (the NEXTVIEW logo is displayed),
- a teletext page, if the selected channel does not broadcast NEXTVIEW,
- **No information available** is displayed if neither NEXTVIEW nor teletext are transmitted. In this case, select another channel.

Select TV channels by theme

If NEXTVIEW with defined theme is broadcast, it is possible to quickly select TV programmes with the P+P key. See Setup, General menu, Smart surf, p. 8.

Display of a NEXTVIEW page

The information is set by the channel that transmits the NEXTVIEW service. See also Setup menu, General, NEXTVIEW provider, p. 8.

The screenshot shows a TV screen displaying a NEXTVIEW guide. At the top, it says 'Mon 05 Feb' and '18.00'. Below this, there are navigation options: 'Menu', '18.00', 'Channel', and 'Theme'. The main part of the screen is a list of programmes with their broadcast times. A 'puck' cursor is positioned on the 'Mon 03' date. At the bottom, there are five function keys: 'Review', 'Record', 'Remind', 'Watch', and 'Lock'. The NEXTVIEW logo is visible in the bottom left corner.

Date	Time	Channel	Programme Name
Mon 03			
Tue 04	18.00	BBC1	BBC News
Wed 05	18.00	BBC2	The Simpsons
Thu 06	18.00	CNN	World News
Fri 07	18.00	FR2	On a tout essayé!
Sat 08	18.15	CH5	Tomorrow Never Dies

Annotations in the image:

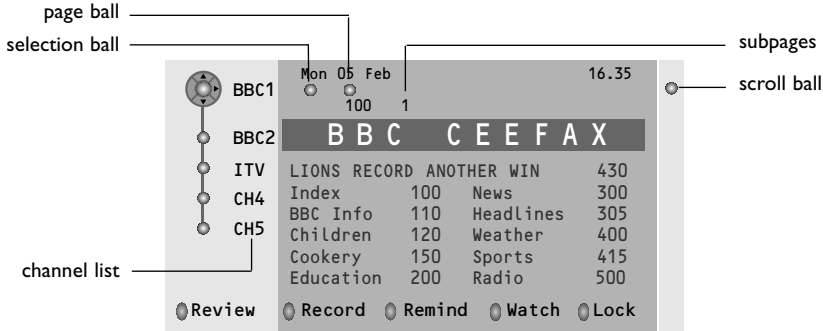
- 'puck' points to the 'Mon 03' date.
- 'NEXTVIEW guides' points to the top navigation bar.
- 'Programme name and broadcast time' points to the programme list.
- 'function keys' points to the bottom navigation bar.
- A note on the left says: 'This logo is only displayed during a NEXTVIEW transmission or when one of the externals is selected. No logo indicates a teletext programme guide' pointing to the NEXTVIEW logo.


NEXTVIEW guides

- 1 Use the cursor key left/right to select **Time**, **Channel**, **Theme**, the **Date** guide. The **Time guide** provides an overview of all programme titles active in the selected time block. The **Channel guide** provides an overview of all programmes that are broadcast by a single channel during one day. With the **Date guide** you can choose a specific date. The **Theme guide** displays a list of all programmes at the selected date, that matches with the selected category. Going through the menu guide, the TV is collecting the sorting criteria to finally display a list of programme events.
- 2 Press the **OK** key to select the guide type.
- 3 Move the puck down and to the right to select the programmes. If available a summary or commentary on the programme is displayed at the bottom of the screen.
- 4 Use the cursor up/down to scroll through the programmes.

Teletext Guide






- 1 Enter with the digit keys, the teletext page number that contains the programme information for the current channel.
- 2 Press the cursor right to move the puck over the selection ball.
- 3 Use the cursor up/down to scroll through the different programmes.



- If the selected programme contains a page number with an optional subcode referring to a page with more info about the programme, press the **OK** key to display the information. Press the OK key again to return to the programme guide page.
- If the selected programme guide page satisfies the VPT requirements,
 - it will be possible to record, remind, watch or lock programmes:
 - the TV will remember the last selected teletext page number of that channel that contains programme guide information and indicates which programme starts at what time. Every time you press the  key, the teletext programme guide page of the selected TV channel will be available.
- When necessary you can select the subpage number by moving the cursor to the pageball and pressing right.

Note: You must enter the teletext pagenumber for each channel. You can change the channels also by moving the cursor up/down in the list in the left of the page.

Basic functions

Press one of the grey , red , green , yellow  or blue  keys to activate a NEXTVIEW or Teletext Guide function. The keys appear in grey if the function is not available.

Review: this menu provides a list of programmes that are marked as reminders, those that have to be recorded and those that are locked. This menu can be used to change or remove marked programmes.

Record: to programme the recording of the video recorder (if it has a NEXTVIEWLink function and is connected to **EXT. 2**).

Remind: automatically switch on the TV if it is in standby or by displaying a message if the TV is on.

Lock: to lock certain programmes to prevent recording or watching.

For the functions Record, Remind or Lock, a small menu pops up in which you can choose the interval: once, daily or weekly, or clear an earlier made record, remind or lock setting. The default interval is set to **Once**. To confirm the frequency, press the **OK** key.

Watch: to watch the selected and currently broadcast programme.

Acquisition and updating of NEXTVIEW information

Acquisition and updating of NEXTVIEW is done when you are watching the TV channel of the selected NEXTVIEW provider; see Setup menu, p. 8, or when the TV is switched to standby;

Acquisition of fresh data will happen once during the night.

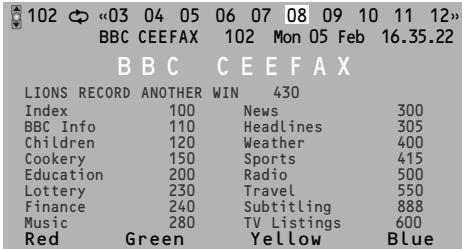
Note: it may be necessary to put the TV in standby mode when all NEXTVIEW information is outdated, e.g. when returning from holiday.

Teletext

Most TV channels broadcast information via teletext. This TV has a 1200 pages memory that will store most broadcasted pages and subpages to reduce waiting time. After each programme change, the memory is refreshed.

Switch Teletext on and off

- Press  to switch the teletext on.



102	«03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12»
BBC CEEFAX	102 Mon 05 Feb 16.35.22
BBC CEEFAX	
LIONS RECORD ANOTHER WIN	430
Index	100 News 300
BBC Info	110 Headlines 305
Children	120 Weather 400
Cookery	150 Sports 415
Education	200 Radio 500
Lottery	230 Travel 550
Finance	240 Subtitling 888
Music	280 TV Listings 600
Red	Green Yellow Blue

Select a Teletext page

- Enter the desired page number with the digit keys, the cursor keys up/down, left/right or with the **-P+** key.
- Select the options at the bottom of the screen with the colour keys.

Previously selected page

(Only possible in case there is no list of favourite teletext pages available. See p. 17.)

Press the **P+P** key.

Select the index teletext page

Press the grey colour key **▶▶** to display the main index (usually p.100).

Only for T.O.P teletext broadcasts :

Press **i+**. A T.O.P. overview of the teletext subjects available is displayed.

Select with the cursor up/down, left/right the desired subject and press the **OK** key.

Not all TV channels broadcast T.O.P. teletext.

Select subpages

When a selected teletext page consists of different subpages, a list of available subpages appears on the screen.

Press the cursor left or right to select the next or previous subpage.

Enlarge a Teletext page

Press **⏏** repeatedly to display the upper teletext part, the lower teletext part and then to return to the normal teletext page size. When the teletext page is enlarged, you can scroll the text, line by line using the cursor up/down.

Hypertext

With hypertext you can quickly jump to a pagenumber or search for a specific word shown on the current teletext page.

- 1 Press the **OK** key to highlight the first word or a number on the page.
- 2 Use the cursor up/down, left/right to select any other word or number you want to search for.
- 3 Press the **OK** key to confirm. The search starts. A message appears at the bottom of the screen to indicate the searching, or that the word or page is not found.
- 4 Use the cursor up to exit hypertext.

Teletext menu

- 1 Press the **MENU** key to activate the menu.
- 2 Press the cursor up/down to select the menu items.
- 3 Press the cursor right to activate.

Reveal

Reveals/conceals hidden information on a page, such as solutions to riddles and puzzles. Press the cursor right to activate.

Favourite

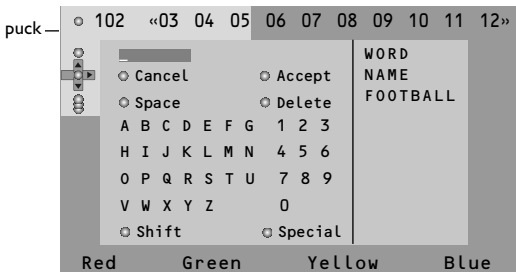
This list contains up to eight favourite teletext pages. Only the pages of the current channel can be selected.

- 1 Press the cursor right to enter the list.
- 2 Press the cursor right again to add the current page or to select one of the favourite pages to the list.
- 3 Press the **MENU** key to watch the page.
- 4 Use the P/P key to browse through the list of favourite pages.

Search

Selecting a word

On the keyboard on screen you can type in a random word you want to search for in the teletext pages. Whether upper- or lowercase is used has no influence.



- 1 Press the cursor right to enter the keyboard.
- 2 Press the cursor left/right, up/down to select the characters, words or functions.
- 3 Press the **OK** key to confirm each character selected.
- 4 Select **Cancel** to cancel the word; **Space** to enter a space; **Delete** to delete the last character selected; **Shift** to switch between lowercase or capital characters; **Special** to display special characters on the keyboard and press the **OK** key.
- 5 Press the cursor left repeatedly to return to the Teletext menu again.

Searching a word

- 1 Type in the word on screen or select a word from the history list on the right and press **OK**.
- 2 Select **Accept** and press **OK** again. The message Searching appears.
- 3 To cancel the searching or to search for a new word, select **Keyboard** and press **OK**.
- 4 When a word is not found, a message appears. When the word is found, it is highlighted in the teletext page. To continue the search, press the ok key.

Cycle subpages (if available)

Makes the subpages cycle automatically. Press the cursor right to activate and to deactivate again.

Timed page

To display a specific page from a selected TV channel at a certain time.

- 1 Press the cursor right and select **Yes** or **No**.
- 2 Enter the time and pagenumber with the cursor keys or the digit keys.
Note: Teletext does not have to remain switched on, but you should watch the TV channel you have selected the specific page from.
- 3 Press the cursor left to return to the TV menu again.

Language

If the displayed characters on screen do not correspond with the characters used by the teletext broadcaster, you can change the language group here. Select **Group 1** or **Group 2** with the cursor right.

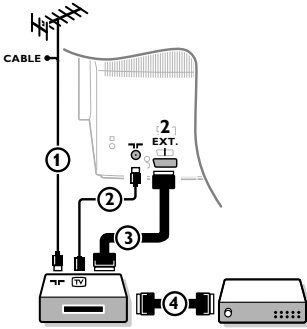
Press the **MENU** key to leave the Teletext menu.

Connect Peripheral Equipment

There is a wide range of audio and video equipment that can be connected to your TV. The following connection diagrams show you how to connect them.

Note: **EXT. 1** can handle CVBS and RGB, **EXT. 2** CVBS and Y/C, **EXT. 3** CVBS and RGB. It is preferred to connect peripherals with RGB output to **EXT. 1** or **EXT. 3** as RGB provides a better picture quality. If your recorder is provided with the Easylink function, it should be connected to **EXT. 2** to benefit from the EasyLink functionality.

Recorder (VCR-DVD+RW)



Connect the aerial cables ①, ② and, to obtain the optimum picture quality, eurocable ③ as shown.

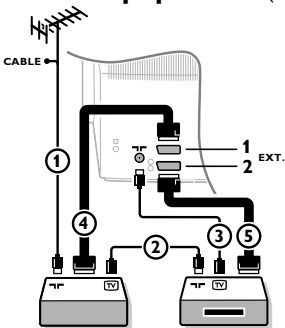
If your recorder does not have a euroconnector, the only possible connection is via the aerial cable. You will therefore need to tune in your recorder's test signal and assign it programme number 0 or store the test signal under a programme number between 90 and 99, see Manual installation, p. 6.

See the handbook of your recorder.

Decoder and Recorder

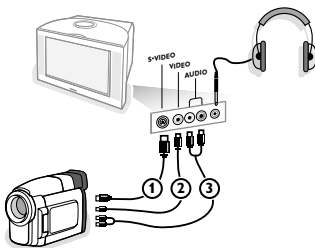
Connect a eurocable ④ to your decoder and to the special euroconnector of your recorder. See also the recorder handbook. See Decoder, p. 9 You can also connect your decoder directly to **EXT. 1** or **2** with a eurocable.

Other equipment (satellite receiver, decoder, DVD, games, etc.)



- ① Connect the aerial cables ①, ② and ③ as shown (only if your peripheral has TV aerial in-/output). Connect your equipment with a eurocable ④ or ⑤ to one of the euroconnectors **EXT.1, 2** or **3** to obtain a better picture quality.
- ② Look for the test signal of your peripheral in the same way as you do for a recorder.
- ③ Make a selection in the Setup, Source menu, p. 9.

Side connections





Camera or Camcorder

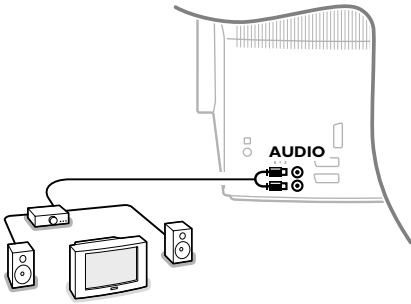
- ① Connect your camera or camcorder as shown.
- ② Connect to **VIDEO** ② and **AUDIO L** ③ for mono equipment. For stereo equipment also connect **AUDIO R** ③. S-VHS quality with an S-VHS camcorder is obtained by connecting the S-VHS cables with the S-video input ① and **AUDIO** inputs ③.

Do not connect cable ① and ② at the same time. This may cause picture distortion !

Headphone

- ① Insert the plug into the headphone socket  as shown.
- ② Press  on the remote control to switch off the internal loudspeakers of the TV. The headphone impedance must be between 8 and 4000 Ohm. The headphone socket has a 3.5 mm jack. In the Sound menu select **Headphone volume** to adjust the headphone volume.

Connect stereo amplifier and two extra front speakers




To enhance the sound reproduction of your TV you can connect two extra front loudspeakers via an external amplifier.

Connect the audio cables to the audio input of your amplifier and to **AUDIO L** and **R** at the back of your TV. The output level is controlled by the volume control of your TV.

Note: Switch off the TV and your audio amplifier before connecting them. Set the audio amplifier's volume to minimum.

To select connected equipment

Press the  key on the remote control repeatedly to select **EXT1**, **EXT2**, **EXT3** or **SIDE** according to where you connected your equipment at the back or the right side of your TV.

Remark : Most equipment (decoder, recorder) carries out the switching itself, when it is switched on.

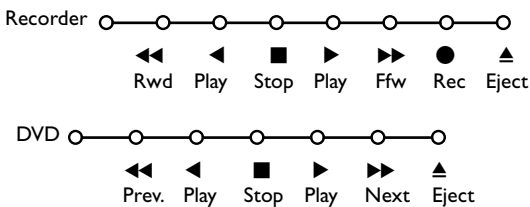
Cinema Link surround receiver

See the separate supplied Cinema Link instruction manual.

Attention: the sound info on screen will not correspond with the actual sound reproduction.


Recorder or DVD with EasyLink

The recorder (VCR or DVD+RW) or DVD can be operated with the remote control via the **Recorder** or **DVD** menu on screen.



- 1 Press the **MENU** key on the remote control.
- 2 Select the **Recorder** or **DVD** menu with the cursor up/down.
- 3 Press the cursor left/right, up/down to select one of the recorder or DVD functions.

The ● key for recording can be operated in the TV mode.

If your EasyLink recorder has the system standby function, when you press the  key for 3 seconds, both TV and the recorder are switched to standby.

Audio- and video equipment keys



Most of the audio and video equipment from the Philips range of products can be operated with the remote control of your TV.

Press the **Select** key to operate any of the equipment indicated in the display. Another device can be selected by pressing Select repeatedly within 2 seconds. The led will blink slowly to indicate the device.

Press one of the keys on the remote control to operate the peripheral equipment.

To return to TV mode press **Select** while the led is blinking.

When no action is taken within 60 seconds, the remote goes back to TV mode.

Note: When the Select key is pressed and hold for more than 2 seconds, the RC5/RC6 system select command is transmitted.

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|--|---|-------------------|---|
| | to switch to standby | MENU | to switch the menu on or off |
| | for pause (VCR, DVD, CD) | - P + | for chapter, channel, track selection |
| | for record, | 0 to 9 | digit entry |
| | for rewind (VCR, CD);
search down (DVD, AMP) | P/P | tape index (VCR),
select a DVD chapter,
select a frequency (AMP) |
| | for stop | | VCR timer |
| | for play | | surround on/off (AMP, CD) |
| | for fast forward (VCR, CD);
search up (DVD/AMP) | cursor up/down | to select the next or the
previous disc (CD) |
| | to select your choice of
subtitle language (DVD);
RDS news/TA (AMP);
to shuffle play (CD) | cursor left/right | to select the previous or
following track (CD)
search up/down (AMP) |
| | to select a DVD title;
RDS display (AMP);
info on screen (CD) | | |
| | display information | | |

Selecting submodes for DVD+RW, SAT, CDR

- 1 The remote control should be in TV mode.
- 2 Press the **OK** key together with:
 - digit 1: **DVD** mode is selected
 - digit 2: **DVD+RW** mode is selected
 - digit 3: **SAT (RC5)** mode is selected
 - digit 4: **SAT (RC6)** mode is selected
 - digit 5: **CD** mode is selected
 - digit 6: **CD-R** mode is selected.

Record with your recorder with EasyLink

In TV mode, it is possible to start a direct recording of the programme which is being displayed on the TV screen.


Continue to press the record key on the remote control for more than 2 seconds.

Note:

Switching programme numbers on your TV does not disturb recording!

*When recording a programme from a peripheral connected to **EXT. 1, 3** or **SIDE**, you can not select another TV programme on the screen.*

Tips

Care of the screen	Clean the TV with a slightly damp soft cloth. Do not use abrasive solvent as it can damage the TV screen.
Poor Picture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have you selected the correct TV system? • Is your TV or house aerial located too close to loudspeakers, non-earthed audio equipment or neon lights, etc.? • Mountains or high buildings can cause double pictures or ghost images. Sometimes you can improve the picture quality by changing the direction of the aerial. • Is the picture or teletext unrecognisable? Check if you have entered the correct frequency. See Installation, p. 6. • Are brightness, sharpness and contrast out of adjustment? Select Factory settings in the Setup, General menu, p. 8. • Sometimes poor picture quality is possible when having activated an S-VHS camera or camcorder connected to the right side of your TV and another peripheral is connected to EXT 1, 2 or 3 at the same time. In this case switch off one of the other peripherals.
No picture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is the aerial connected properly? • Are the plugs tightly connected in the aerial socket? • Is the aerial cable in good condition and does it have suitable plugs? • Are the connection facilities to a possible second TV in good condition? If in doubt, consult your dealer.
No sound	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No sound on any channel? Check the volume isn't at minimum. • Is the sound interrupted with the mute key ?
No solution found for your picture or sound problem ?	Switch your TV off and then on again once. Never attempt to repair a defective TV yourself. Check with your dealer or call a TV technician.
Remote control	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If your TV no longer responds to the remote control, the batteries may be dead. • Check if the remote control is in the correct mode. • You can still use the M key and the -/+ keys at the top of your TV.
Menu	Have you selected the wrong menu? Press the MENU key again to exit from the menu.
NEXTVIEW	<p>No NEXTVIEW info: See Acquisition and updating of NEXTVIEW information, p. 15.</p> <p>Displayed time is wrong: The broadcaster on programme number one does not transmit the correct local date and time. Use Reshuffle in the installation menu to place another broadcaster on programme number one.</p>
Standby	Your TV consumes energy in the standby mode. Energy consumption contributes to air and water pollution. Power consumption: 1 W.

