

# LC-13C3U LC-15C3U LC-20C3U

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OPERATION MANUAL MODE D'EMPLOI MANUAL DE OPERACIÓN MANUAL DE OPERAÇÃO

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# LC-13C3U LC-15C3U LC-20C3U

# LIQUID CRYSTAL TELEVISION

# ENGLISH

# **OPERATION MANUAL**

**IMPORTANT:** 

To aid reporting in case of loss or theft, please record the TV's model and serial numbers in the space provided. The numbers are located at the rear of the TV.

Model No.:

Serial No.:

U.S.A. ONLY

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

WARNING: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS PRODUCT TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.







The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol, within an equilateral triangle, is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated "dangerous voltage" within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.

The exclamation point within a triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the product.

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION (Continued)**

WARNING: FCC Regulations state that any unauthorized changes or modifications to this equipment not expressly approved by the manufacturer could void the user's authority to operate this equipment. U.S.A. ONLY

# **CAUTION:** TO PREVENT ELECTRIC SHOCK, MATCH WIDE BLADE OF PLUG TO WIDE SLOT, FULLY INSERT.

"Note to CATV system installer: This reminder is provided to call the CATV system installer's attention to Article 820-40 of the National Electrical Code that provides guidelines for proper grounding and, in particular, specifies that the cable ground shall be connected to the grounding system of the building, as close to the point of cable entry as practical."

This product utilizes tin-lead solder, and fluorescent lamp containing a small amount of mercury. Disposal of these materials may be regulated due to environmental considerations. For disposal or recycling information, please contact your local authorities or the Electronic Industries Alliance: www.eia.org

# **DEAR SHARP CUSTOMER**

Thank you for your purchase of the Sharp LCD Color TV product. To ensure safety and many years of trouble-free operation of your product, please read the Safety Precautions carefully before using this product.

# **IMPORTANT SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

Electricity is used to perform many useful functions, but it can also cause personal injuries and property damage if improperly handled. This product has been engineered and manufactured with the highest priority on safety. However, improper use can result in electric shock and/or fire. In order to prevent potential danger, please observe the following instructions when installing, operating and cleaning the product. To ensure your safety and prolong the service life of your LCD color TV product, please read the following precautions carefully before using the product.

- Read instructions—All operating instructions must be read and understood before the product is operated.
- Keep this manual in a safe place—These safety and operating instructions must be kept in a safe place for future reference.
- Observe warnings—All warnings on the product and in the instructions must be observed closely.
- Follow instructions—All operating instructions must be followed.
- Attachments—Do not use attachments not recommended by the manufacturer. Use of inadequate attachments can result in accidents.
- Power source—This product must operate on a power source specified on the specification label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply used in your home, consult your dealer or local power company. For units designed to operate on batteries or another power source, refer to the operating instructions.
- Power cord protection—The power cords must be routed properly to prevent people from stepping on them or objects from resting on them. Check the cords at the plugs and product.
- If the AC adapter is misplaced or needs to be replaced, obtain the same type of adapter from a SHARP service center or your dealer.
- Overloading—Do not overload AC outlets or extension cords. Overloading can cause fire or electric shock.
- Entering of objects and liquids—Never insert an object into the product through vents or openings. High voltage flows in the product, and inserting an object can cause electric shock and/or short internal parts. For the same reason, do not spill water or liquid on the product.
- Servicing—Do not attempt to service the product yourself. Removing covers can expose you to high voltage and other dangerous conditions. Request a qualified service person to perform servicing.
- Repair—If any of the following conditions occurs, unplug the power cord from the AC outlet, and request a qualified service person to perform repairs.
  - a. When the power cord or plug is damaged.
  - b. When a liquid was spilled on the product or when objects have fallen into the product.
  - c. When the product has been exposed to rain or water.
  - d. When the product does not operate properly as described in the operating instructions. Do not touch the controls other than those described in the operating instructions. Improper adjustment of controls not described in the instructions can cause damage, which often requires extensive adjustment work by a qualified technician.
  - e. When the product has been dropped or damaged.
  - f. When the product displays an abnormal condition. Any noticeable abnormality in the product indicates that the product needs servicing.
- Replacement parts—In case the product needs replacement parts, make sure that the service person uses replacement parts specified by the manufacturer, or those with the same character-istics and performance as the original parts. Use of unauthorized parts can result in fire, electric shock and/or other danger.
- Safety checks—Upon completion of service or repair work, request the service technician to perform safety checks to ensure that the product is in proper operating condition.
- Wall or ceiling mounting—When mounting the product on a wall or ceiling, be sure to install the product according to the method recommended by the manufacturer.
- Polarization—This AC adapter may be equipped with a polarized alternating current line plug (a plug having one blade wider than the other). This plug will fit into the power outlet only one way. This is a safety feature. If you are unable to insert the plug fully into the outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug should still fail to fit, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug.

# **IMPORTANT SAFETY PRECAUTIONS (Continued)**

- Cleaning—Unplug the power cord from the AC outlet before cleaning the product. Use a damp cloth to clean the product. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners.
- Water and moisture—Do not use the product near water, such as bathtub, washbasin, kitchen sink and laundry tub, swimming pool and in a wet basement.
- Stand—Do not place the product on an unstable cart, stand, tripod or table. Placing the product on an unstable base can cause the product to fall, resulting in serious personal injuries as well as damage to the product. Use only a cart, stand, tripod, bracket or table recommended by the manufacturer or sold with the product. When mounting the product on a wall, be sure to follow the manufacturer's instructions. Use only the mounting hardware recommended by the manufacturer.
- When relocating the product placed on a cart, it must be moved with utmost care. Sudden stops, excessive force and uneven floor surface can cause the product to fall from the cart.
- Ventilation—The vents and other openings in the cabinet are designed for ventilation. Do not cover or block these vents and openings since insufficient ventilation can cause overheating and/or shorten the life of the product. Do not place the product on a bed, sofa, rug or other similar surface, since they can block ventilation openings. This product is not designed for built-in installation; do not place the product in an enclosed place such as a bookcase or rack, unless proper ventilation is provided or the manufacturer's instructions are followed.
- The LCD panel used in this product is made of glass. Therefore, it can break when the product is dropped or applied with impact. Be careful not to be injured by broken glass pieces in case the LCD panel breaks.
- Heat sources—Keep the product away from heat sources such as radiators, heaters, stoves and other heat-generating products (including amplifiers).
- The LCD panel is a very high technology product with 921,600 thin film transistors, giving you fine picture details.

Occasionally, a few non-active pixels may appear on the screen as a fixed point of blue, green or red. Please note that this does not affect the performance of your product.













# **IMPORTANT SAFETY PRECAUTIONS (Continued)**



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# SUPPLIED ACCESSORIES

Make sure the following accessories are provided with the product.



# PREPARATION

# **Using the Remote Control**

Use the remote control by pointing it towards the remote control sensor window on the main unit. Objects between the remote control and sensor window may prevent proper operation.

#### Cautions regarding use of the remote control

- Do not expose the remote control to shock. In addition, do not expose the remote control to liquid, and do not place in an area with high humidity.
- Do not install or place the remote control under direct sunlight. The heat may cause deformation of the unit.
- The remote control may not work properly if the remote control sensor window of the main unit is under direct sunlight or strong lighting. In such case, change the angle of the lighting or LCD TV set, or operate the remote control closer to the remote control sensor window.

# **Batteries for the Remote Control**

Before using the LCD TV set for the first time, install two ("AAA" size, UM/SUM-4) batteries (supplied). When the batteries become depleted and the remote control fails to operate, replace the batteries with new ("AAA" size, UM/SUM-4) batteries.

SLEEP indicator POWER indicator

Remote control sensor



### ▲ Caution!

#### **Cautions regarding batteries**

Improper use of batteries can result in chemical leakage and/or explosion. Be sure to follow the instructions below.

- Place batteries with their terminals corresponding to the (+) and (-) as indicated in the compartment.
- Different types of batteries have different characteristics. Do not mix batteries of different types.
- Do not mix old and new batteries. Mixing old and new batteries can shorten the life of new battery and/or cause the old battery to leak chemicals.
- Remove batteries when they become weak. Chemicals that leak from batteries can cause a rash. If chemical leakage is found, wipe with a cloth.
- The batteries supplied with the product may have a shorter life expectancy due to storage conditions.
  If the remote control will not be used for an extended period of time, remove the batteries from the remote control.

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#### **Antenna Connection** ANTENNAS . The antenna requirements for good color television reception are more important than those for black & white television reception. For this reason, a good quality outdoor antenna is strongly recommended. The following is a brief explanation of the type of connections that are provided with the various antenna systems. F-type connector 1. A 75-ohm system is generally a round cable with F-type connector that can easily be attached to a terminal without tools (not supplied). 75-ohm coaxial cable (round) 2. A 300-ohm system is a flat "twin-lead" cable that can be attached to a 75-ohm terminal through a 300-75-ohm adapter (not supplied). 300-ohm twin-lead cable (flat) **OUTDOOR ANTENNA CONNECTION** Use one of the following two diagrams if you connect an outdoor antenna. A: Using a VHF/UHF combination outdoor antenna B: Using separate VHF and/or UHF outdoor antennas . Connect the outdoor antenna cable lead-in to ANT. (Antenna terminal) on the rear of the TV set. A. Combination VHF/UHF Antenna 300-75-ohm adapter VHF/UHF (not supplied) antenna VHF/UHF SIO antenna 300-ohm twin-lead -8110 75-ohm coaxial cable ∎∭┝────∕──⋘║║ Antenna cable (supplied) B. Separate VHF and/or **ÚHF** Antennas UHF VHF antenna antenna 300-ohm 🛥 twin-lead Combiner , 300-ohm (not supplied) twin-lead (((()) ANT. (Antenna OUT - ANT IN terminal) 75-ohm coaxial cable -800

# Antenna Connection (Continued)

#### **CABLE TV (CATV) CONNECTION**

- A 75-ohm coaxial cable connector is built into the set for easy hookup. When connecting the 75ohm coaxial cable to the set, screw the 75-ohm cable to the ANT. terminal.
- Some cable TV companies offer "premium pay channels". Since the signals of these premium pay channels are scrambled, a cable TV converter/descrambler is generally provided to the subscriber by the cable TV company. This converter/descrambler is necessary for normal viewing of the scrambled channels. (Set your TV to channel 3 or 4, typically one of these channels is used. If this is unknown, consult your cable TV company.) For more specific instructions on installing cable TV, consult your cable TV company. One possible method of utilizing the converter/descrambler provided by your cable TV company is explained below.

Please note: An RF switch provided with two inputs (A and B) is required (not supplied).

"A" position on the RF switch (not supplied): You can view all unscrambled channels by using the TV's channel keys.

"B" position on the RF switch (not supplied): You can view the scrambled channels via the converter/ descrambler by using the converter's channel keys.



NOTE >

Consult your SHARP Dealer or Service Center for the type of splitter, RF switch or combiner that might be reauired.



- Use a commercially available AC plug adapter, if necessary, depending on the design of the wall outlet.
- Always turn the **MAIN POWER** switch of the LCD TV set to off when connecting the AC adapter. Unplug the AC adapter from the product and power outlet when not using for a long period of time.

# Controls



\* The examples used throughout this manual are based on the LC-20C3U model.

- NOTE >
   TV/VIDEO, CH (~)/(~), VOL (-)/(+), and MENU on the main unit have the same functions as the same buttons on the remote control. Basically, this operation manual provides a description based on operation with the remote control.
- The LC-13C3U, LC-15C3U and LC-20C3U have different external dimensions and the positions where the names of the buttons are displayed also differ but the same operating procedures are followed for all three models.

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# **DISPLAY AND CONTROL OVERVIEW (Continued)**



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# **DISPLAY AND CONTROL OVERVIEW (Continued)**

## Removing the Back Cover

- Before connecting cables and cords to the rear terminals, remove the back covers. Push in the tabs and pull out the back covers carefully.
- To mount the cover, insert the 2 hooks on the bottom of the cover into the cabinet and press on the upper part of the back cover until the tab locks in place with a click.



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- 1 **POWER (p. 17)** Switch the Liquid Crystal Television power on or off.
- 2 SUB (p. 29) Switch the subwoofer on or off.
- 3 SLEEP (p. 22) Set the sleep timer.
- 4 ENTER Execute a command.
- 5 **DISPLAY** Display the channel information.
- 6 BRIGHT (p. 23) Adjust the brightness of the screen.
- 7 MUTE (p. 19) Mute the sound.
- 8 VOL (+)/(-) (p. 19) Set the volume.
- 9 CH (∧)/(∨) (p. 20) Select channel.
- 10 MTS (p. 19) Select audio settings.
- 11 PIC. FLIP (p. 24) Set the orientation of the picture.
- 12 ▲/▼/◀/► (Cursor control) (p. 21) Select a desired item on the screen.
- 13 MENU (p. 21) Display the menu screen.
- 14 CC (p. 34) Display Closed Caption subtitles.
- **15 TV/VIDEO (p. 18)** Select a Liquid Crystal Television input source.
- 16 RETURN

Return to the previous channel.

17 Channel Select (p. 20) Set the channel.

### EZ SETUP during the First Power On

#### Control section of main unit

- MAIN POWER POWER. ão ão 000 played. 3 SETUP mode 4 Press ►. appears.) ENTER/  $\land / \lor / \triangleleft / \triangleright$ 123 MENU 4 5 6 789 (MTS) (0) (100) To cancel EZ SETUP Press 4. SHARP
- When you turn on the TV for the first time, it will automatically memorize the broadcasting channels. Please perform the following instructions before you press MAIN
  - (1) Insert the batteries into the remote control. (See page 8.)
  - (2) Connect the antenna cable to the TV set. (See page 9.)
  - (3) Connect the AC adapter to the POWER INPUT terminal of the product and plug in the AC cord to the wall outlet. (See page 10.)
  - 1 Press MAIN POWER, located on the upper side of the main unit, to turn on the TV. The SELECT LANGUAGE mode will be dis-
  - 2 Press ▲/▼ to select "ENGLISH", "ESPAÑOL (SPANISH)" or "FRANCAIS (FRENCH)".
  - Press ENTER to access EZ

The tuner will automatically search for the broadcasting and cable TV channels. (The CH No. will automatically increase when it

If you want to stop the EZ SETUP process once it has started, press ◄ and it will be canceled. If you want to SET UP again, please refer to pages 31 and 32 on SET UP.



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**5** Once EZ SETUP is completed, the lowest channel number memorized will be displayed.

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#### NOTE >

- Do not let the EZ SETUP screen remain unattended for a long time.
- If EZ SETUP does not memorize all the channels in your region, please refer to pages 31 and 32 for more information on manually memorizing the channels using CHANNEL SETTING.
- It may be difficult to preset when the broadcasting signals are weak, the channel cycle frequency is incorrect or the frequency jamming is occurring around the area. Please refer to pages 31 and 32 for more information on manually memorizing channels using CHANNEL SETTING.

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### TV signals in your region

This product is factory set to comply with the TV broadcasting system in the United States. For Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay, set the color system according to the country before using this product by following the table below.

#### LC-13C3U, LC-15C3U

The VIDEO INPUT mode is compatible with color systems worldwide and is automatically set.

Country	TV broadcasting	TV broadcasting Factory setting of color system		User setting
Country	system	TV	Video	TV
U.S.A.	Color: NTSC TV ch: US ch	NTSC (N358) US ch	World Multi Auto System	Not required or N/A
Canada, Mexico, Latin America	Color: NTSC TV ch: US ch	NTSC (N358) US ch	World Multi Auto System	Not required or N/A
Brazil	Color: PAL-M TV ch: US ch	NTSC (N358) US ch	World Multi Auto System	Set color system to PAL-M (see page 28)
Argentina, Uruguay	Color: PAL-N TV ch: US ch	NTSC (N358) US ch	World Multi Auto System	Set color system to PAL-N (see page 28)

The World Multi Auto System is compatible with all color systems indicated below.

N358
 N443
 PAL
 PAL-M
 PAL-N

6 SECAM

(7) PAL-60

#### LC-20C3U

Country	TV broadcasting	V broadcasting Factory setting of color system		User setting
Country	system	TV	Video	TV/Video
U.S.A.	Color: NTSC TV ch: US ch	NTSC (N358) US ch	NTSC (N358) US ch	Not required or N/A
Canada, Mexico,	Color: NTSC	NTSC (N358)	NTSC (N358)	Not required or N/A
Latin America	TV ch: US ch	US ch	US ch	
Brazil	Color: PAL-M	NTSC (N358)	NTSC (N358)	Set color system to
	TV ch: US ch	US ch	US ch	PAL-M (see page 28)
Argentina,	Color: PAL-N	NTSC (N358)	NTSC (N358)	Set color system to PAL-N (see page 28)
Uruguay	TV ch: US ch	US ch	US ch	

#### NOTE

The 3 Dimensional Y/C separation circuit\* only works when the color system is set to N358 in TV mode and Video mode.

\*The 3 Dimensional Y/C separation circuit is used to remove flickering and color bleeding.

### **Turning on POWER**

#### Control section of main unit



1 Press MAIN POWER, located on the upper side of the main unit, to on.

2 The POWER indicator instantaneously changes from red to green and the main unit turns on.



• The On-screen indicator disappears after a few seconds.

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### Standby

#### To turn off the LCD TV

Press **POWER** on the remote control. The POWER indicator turns red.

#### To turn the LCD TV back on

Press **POWER** again. The POWER indicator turns green.



# Switching TV/VIDEO [AV1/AV2/COMPONENT/TV] Modes



Sound Volume		
POWER	<b>1</b> Press <b>VOL (+)</b> to increase the sound volume. The bar indicator shifts right.	
	<b>2</b> Press <b>VOL (–)</b> to decrease the sound volume. The bar indicator shifts left.	VOLUME 50
		VOLUME 10 <b>IIIIII</b>
	To mute the sound	
(1 (2 (3 ) VOL (4 (5 (5 ) (+)/(−) (7 (5 (3 ) (+)/(−)	Press MUTE to temporarily turn off the sound. The MUTE mark <sup>™</sup> is displayed for	
	4 seconds.	∞
SHARP	Press MUTE or VOL (+)/(-) to turn the sound back to the previous level. The mute function is automatically turned off when any of the following buttons are pressed: POWER, VOL (+)/(-) or MTS.	VOLUME 30

### To select MTS (Multichannel TV Sound)

- 1 Press MTS to display the MTS screen.
- 2 Press MTS to select the MTS settings. STEREO: stereo audio SAP: secondary audio program MONO: monophonic audio



#### NOTE

 <ON AIR appears when a STEREO or SAP broadcast is being aired.

# **Changing Channels**

Changing channels by using Channel Select on the remote control

 This LCD TV set allows you to select up to 125 channels (1 to 125). To select a channel, enter a 2or 3-digit number.



#### Changing channels with CH ( $\wedge$ )/( $\vee$ ) on the remote control

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Air Press CH (\land) and the channels change in the order shown below:

2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow \ldots \rightarrow 68 \rightarrow 69 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow \ldots

Press CH (\checkmark) and the channels change in the order shown below:

3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 69 \rightarrow 68 \rightarrow \ldots \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow \ldots

Cable Press CH (\land) and the channels change in the order shown below:

1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow \ldots \rightarrow 125 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow \ldots

Press CH (\checkmark) and the channels change in the order shown below:

3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 125 \rightarrow \ldots \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow \ldots
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### **Selecting Menu Items**

• This LCD TV set allows you to adjust the various settings using the menu screen. Select the desired menu item by following the steps below and then refer to the indicated page for details.



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MENU

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SLEEP

# Adjusting SLEEP TIMER Settings

You can set the SLEEP TIMER to automatically turn off the TV.

#### Directly setting the SLEEP TIMER

- 1 Press SLEEP to display the SLEEP TIMER screen.
  - **2** Press **SLEEP** to set the sleep timer (in minutes).



The SLEEP TIMER is turned off when --- is displayed.

#### NOTE

 The SLEEP TIMER screen automatically disappears in 3 seconds.

# Setting the SLEEP TIMER on the MENU screen

- 1 Press MENU to display the MENU screen.
- 2 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to SLEEP TIMER.
- **3** Press ENTER to display the SLEEP TIMER screen, and press ENTER.
- 4 Press ◀/► to set the sleep timer (in minutes), and press ENTER.

The time can be set in increments of 30 minutes and in the range between 30 and 120 minutes.

The SLEEP TIMER is turned off when --- is displayed.

5 Press MENU to return to the main screen.

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SLEEP TIMER [ 60 REMAIN]

#### NOTE

- When you set the SLEEP TIMER, the SLEEP indicator lights up red.
- After you set the SLEEP TIMER, pressing MAIN POWER on the TV set or POWER on the remote control will cancel the SLEEP TIMER setting and the SLEEP indicator goes out.
- 5 minutes before the SLEEP TIMER turns off the TV, 5 REMAIN is displayed on the screen for 4 seconds. The SLEEP TIMER counts down and shows a similar 4-second display for each remaining minute until the timer turns off the TV.

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# **Adjusting BRIGHTNESS Settings**

You can adjust the brightness of the screen.

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#### **Directly setting the BRIGHTNESS**

- 1 Press **BRIGHT** to display the BRIGHTNESS screen.
- 2 Press **BRIGHT** to change the setting.



#### NOTE

- The BRIGHTNESS screen automatically disappears in 3 seconds.
  [BRIGHT]: maximum brightness
  - [NORMAL]: 60% brightness (Suitable for viewing in a well-lit area. Saves energy.) [DARK]: 10% brightness (Sufficiently bright when viewing in dim areas.)



# Setting the BRIGHTNESS on the MENU screen

- 1 Press MENU to display the MENU screen.
- **2** Press  $\blacktriangle/\lor$  to move the cursor to PRESET, and press **ENTER**.
- 3 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to BRIGHTNESS, and press ENTER.
- 4 Press **◄**/**▶** to change setting, and press **ENTER**.
- 5 Press MENU to return to the main screen.



BRIGHTNESS [BRIGHT]

# **Adjusting PICTURE FLIP Settings**

You can set the orientation of the picture.



picture flip setting, and press ENTER.

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AV2 IN/OUT

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ENTER : ENTER

EXIT: 🎟

5 Press MENU to return to the main screen.



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# **Adjusting PRESET Settings**

	1	Press <b>MENU</b> to display the MENU screen.	MENU @⊒SLEEP TIMER ⊳ ETAV ADJUST ⊳
	2	Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to PRESET, and press ENTER.	© @PRESET © CLOSED CAPTION> COV-CHIP BLOCK > ■SET UP > SELECT: ② ENTER: ■ EXIT: ■
		Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to the desired item, and press ENTER.	■PRESET ●RETURN ① BRIGHTNESS [BRIGHT] AUTO POWER OFF [OFF] PICTURE FLIP [NORMAL] AUTO HUMOUT IN
4 5 6 7 8 9 MTS 0 100	_	Press <b>◄</b> / <b>▶</b> to change the setting, and press <b>ENTER</b> .	AV2 IN/OUT [IN ]
SHARP	5	Press <b>MENU</b> to return to the main screen.	ADJUST: 🍪 ENTER: 🎟 EXIT: 📾

Selected item	Factory setting	Setting options
BRIGHTNESS	[BRIGHT] Maximum brightness	[NORMAL] Brightness 60% → Suitable for viewing in a well-lit area. Saves energy.         [DARK]       Brightness 10% → Sufficiently bright when viewing in dim areas.
AUTO POWER OFF (only TV mode)	[OFF] This feature is inactive.	[ON] The power of the LCD TV set is turned off when there is no signal for 5 minutes.
PICTURE FLIP	[NORMAL] Normal image orientation	[MIRROR] Mirror image → To display mirror images for special uses. [ROTATE] Rotated image → To display rotated images for special uses. [UPSIDE DOWN] Upside down image → To display images upside down for special uses.
AV2 IN/OUT	[IN] AV-IN2 terminals selected as input terminals	[OUT Ⅰ] Line Output is selected, Output volume is fixed, Speaker output is available.         [OUT Ⅰ] Line Output is selected, Output volume is variable, Speaker output is Mute.

#### NOTE

 If AV-IN2/OUT is set to LINEOUT/VOL. VARIABLE, the subwoofer will not function, and the following message will display.
 "AV2 [OUT<sup>X</sup>] IS SELECTED!

(LINEOUT/VOL. VARIABLE)

SUBWOOFER DOES NOT FUNCTION"

### Adjusting LANGUAGE Settings

The language for the On-Screen Display can be ENGLISH, SPANISH or FRENCH.



# **Adjusting VIDEO ADJUST Settings**

Video adjustments have different selection items depending on TV mode or AV mode (signal from an external device). (See page 28.)



• The TINT display only appears when the color system is set to N358 or N443 in the NTSC mode.

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The TINT display only appears when the color system is set to N358, N443 or AUTO in the NTSC mode.
 COLOR SYSTEM
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When you set COLOR SYSTEM to AUTO, the AUTO mode automatically detects the receiving signal system and adjusts the reception system of the TV set.

When the picture or sound is not stable, set a specific COLOR SYSTEM (not AUTO). The picture and sound may be improved.

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# Adjusting VIDEO ADJUST Settings (Continued)

### TV mode

Selected item	Press		Press ►
PICTURE	Decrease contrast	<u> </u>	Increase contrast
TINT	Toward purple		Toward green
COLOR	Lower color intensity	<u> </u>	Higher color intensity
BLACK LEVEL	Less brightness	<u> </u>	More brightness
SHARPNESS	Soft picture	<u> </u>	Sharp picture
COLOR SYSTEM	r N358 ↔ PAL-M ↔ PA	L-N <	

### AV mode

Selected item	Press		Press ►
PICTURE	Decrease contrast	<u>←</u> →	Increase contrast
TINT	Toward purple		Toward green
COLOR	Lower color intensity	<u></u>	Higher color intensity
BLACK LEVEL	Less brightness	<u>←</u> →	More brightness
SHARPNESS	Soft picture	<u> </u>	Sharp picture
RED-BLUE	Stronger red		Stronger blue
GREEN	Weaker green	<u></u>	Stronger green
COLOR SYSTEM	<ul> <li>LC-13C3U/LC-15C3U</li> <li>Press </li> <li>AUTO ↔ N358 ↔ N443 ↔ PAL ↔ PAL-M ↔ PAL-N ↔ SECAM ↔ PAL60 ←</li> <li>When the COMPONENT mode is selected:</li> <li>AUTO ↔ NTSC ↔ PAL ←</li> <li>LC-20C3U</li> <li>Press </li> <li>N358 ↔ N443 ↔ PAL ↔ PAL-M ↔ PAL-N ↔ SECAM ↔ PAL60 ←</li> <li>When the COMPONENT mode is selected:</li> <li>NTSC ↔ PAL ←</li> </ul>		

#### NOTE

- TINT is displayed only when N358 or N443 is selected.
- In BLUE SCREEN, AV ADJUST settings displayed in magenta cannot be selected.
- Selecting RESET will return all settings to the factory settings. (See page 27.)
- TV mode

This product is factory set to comply with the color system in the United States (NTSC-N358). For Brazil (PAL-M), Argentina (PAL-N) or Uruguay (PAL-N), adjust the color system before using this product.

- LC-13C3U/LC-15C3U
- COLOR SYSTEM

When you set COLOR SYSTEM to AUTO, the AUTO mode automatically detects the receiving signal system and adjusts the reception system of the TV set.

When the picture or sound is not stable, set a specific COLOR SYSTEM (not AUTO). The picture and sound may be improved.

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# Adjusting AUDIO ADJUST Settings

You can adjust the sound quality to suit the video, game or broadcasting content. The 2.1 channel speaker system delivers a dynamic bass and treble response.



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- MENU

#### Directly setting the SUBWOOFER

- 1 Press **SUB** to display the SUBWOOFER screen.
- 2 Press SUB to change the setting.

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- The SUBWOOFER screen automatically disappears in 3 seconds.
- [ON]: Enhances the bass range [OFF]: Not enabled
- When AV-IN2/OUT is set to [OUT <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>], SUBWOOFER is not available.

SUBWOOFER [ON ]

# Setting the SUBWOOFER on the MENU screen

- 1 Press MENU to display the MENU screen.
- 2 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to AV ADJUST, and press ENTER.
- When AV-IN2/OUT is set to [OUT <sup>\*</sup>/<sub>\*</sub>] AUDIO ADJUST is not available.
- 3 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to AUDIO ADJUST, and press ENTER.

- 4 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to SUBWOOFER, and press ENTER.
- 5 Press **◄**/**▶** to change the subwoofer setting.
- 6 Press MENU to return to the main screen.

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EXIT:

### Adjusting AUDIO ADJUST Settings (Continued)



Selected item	Press   Press  P	
SUBWOOFER	[ON] Enhances the bass range [OFF] Not enabled	
TREBLE	For weaker treble - + For stronger treble	
BASS	For weaker bass - + For stronger bass	

NOTE

 If AV-IN2/OUT is set to LINEOUT/VOL. VARIABLE, the subwoofer will not function, and the following message will display.
 "AV2 [OUT<sup>3</sup>] IS SELECTED!

(LINEOUT/VOL. VARIABLE)

SUBWOOFER DOES NOT FUNCTION"

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### SET UP

#### SETTING THE AIR/CABLE

It is necessary to set the receiving mode to AIR or CABLE channels to receive locally broadcast TV programs.



NOTE

 Receivable channels of your TV set are: AIR channels: VHF: 2 through 13 UHF: 14 through 69

CABLE channels: 1 (HRC and IRC) 2 through 125 (STD, HRC and IRC)

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SET UP (Continued)						
Saving broadcast TV char	<ul> <li>I Press MENU to display the MENU screen, press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to SET UP, and press ENTER.</li> </ul>	MENU ●SLEEP TIMER ▷ □DAV ADJUST ▷ IMPRESET ▷ IMOV-CHIP BLOCK ▷ IMOV-CHIP BLOCK ▷ IMOV-CHIP BLOCK ▷				
	2 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to CH-SETTING, and press ENTER.	■SET UP ●RETURN BLUE SCREEN [OFF] LANGUAGE ► ID CH-SETTING►				
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SHARP	<ul> <li>through all available channels in your area and add them to the TV memory.</li> <li>NOTE </li> <li>To interrupt CH SEARCH, press </li> <li>CH SEARCH will stop at the current</li> </ul>	CH SEARCH AIR 2				
	<ul><li>channel and will not add any higher channels.</li><li><b>5</b> Press <b>MENU</b> to exit.</li></ul>	START: @ EXIT: @				
Adding weak or additional channels or erasing unwanted channels from TV memory						
PORTS Bug Bug	<ol> <li>Press MENU to display the MENU screen, press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to SET UP, and press ENTER.</li> <li>Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to Press ▲/▼ to Press ▲/ to Press ▲/▼ to Press ▲/ to</li></ol>	CH-SETTING ●RETURN AIR/CABLE► CH SEARCH► Ľ <sup>™</sup> CH MEMORY►				
	<ul> <li>CH-SETTING, and press ENTER.</li> <li>Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to CH MEMORY, and press ENTER.</li> </ul>	CH MEMORY AIR 2				
	4 Use ▲/▼ or Channel Select to select each desired channel to add or erase.					
() (2 (3) (4 (5 (6)) — Channel (7 (8 (9)) — Select	<ul> <li>5 Press ► to add the channel to the TV memory or press ◄ to erase the channel from the TV memory.</li> </ul>	TO ADD: ③ EXIT: ■ Press ► ↑ Press ◄				
SHARP	<ul> <li>6 Press MENU to exit.</li> <li>NOTE</li> <li>If CH SEARCH is performed again, the previously memorized channels</li> </ul>	to add channel 2 to the TV memory from the TV memory CH MEMORY AIR 2				
	will be lost.	TO ERASE: EXIT:				

### **Adjusting BLUE SCREEN Settings**

#### BLUE SCREEN

Automatically turns the screen blue if no broadcast signal is received.



#### NOTE

- When received signals are weak or interfered with by some other signals, the BLUE SCREEN function may be activated. To watch the TV under such conditions, set BLUE SCREEN to OFF.
- The BLUE SCREEN function is activated when AV1, AV2 or COMPONENT input mode is selected with no signal being input.

### Adjusting CLOSED CAPTION Settings

#### SETTING CLOSED CAPTION

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- This TV set is equipped with an internal Closed Caption decoder. "Closed Caption" is a system which allows conversations, narration, and sound effects in TV programs and home videos to be viewed as captions on the TV screen (see the illustration).
- Not all programs and videos will offer closed captioning. Please look for the "CC" symbol to ensure that captions will be shown.
- The Closed Caption broadcasts can be viewed in two modes: CAPTION and TEXT. For each mode, two channels are available: CH1 and CH2.

The CAPTION mode shows subscripts of dialogs and commentaries of TV dramas and news programs while allowing a clear view of the picture.

The TEXT mode displays various information over the picture (such as TV program schedules and weather forecasts, etc.) that is independent of the TV programs.



#### **Directly setting the CLOSED CAPTION**

- 1 Press CC to display the CC/TEXT screen.
- **2** Press **CC** to change the setting.

 $\rightarrow$  OFF  $\rightarrow$  CC 1  $\rightarrow$  CC 2  $\rightarrow$  T1  $\rightarrow$  T2-

#### NOTE

- CC1: CAPTION mode for CH1 data
   CC2: CAPTION mode for CH2 data
   T1: TEXT mode for CH1 data
  - T2: TEXT mode for CH2 data



#### NOTE

- If a broadcast contains Closed Caption data and **MUTE** is pressed, the set enters CAPTION mode automatically. Pressing **MUTE** again will return the set to its previous condition.
- Closed Caption may malfunction (white blocks, strange characters, etc.) if signal conditions are poor or if there are problems at the broadcast source. This does not necessarily indicate a problem with your set.
- If any button is pressed to call up the On-Screen Display while viewing a Closed Caption broadcast, the closed captions will disappear momentarily.
- If no TEXT broadcast is being received while viewing in the TEXT mode, the screen may become dark and blank for some programs. Should this occur, switch the Closed Caption mode to OFF.

# Adjusting CLOSED CAPTION Settings (Continued)

#### SETTING CLOSED CAPTION

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Setting the CLOSED CAPTION on the MENU screen

- **1** Press **MENU** to display the MENU screen.
- **2** Press  $\blacktriangle/\intercal$  to n CLOSED CAPT ENTER.
- 3 Press ENTER to CLOSED CAPT

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- 5 Press MENU to screen.

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$\rightarrow$ CC 2 $\rightarrow$ T1 $\rightarrow$ T2	
return to the main	
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## **Adjusting V-CHIP Settings**

#### V-CHIP

- This function allows TV programs to be restricted and TV usage to be controlled based on FCC data. It prevents children from watching violent or sexual scenes that may be harmful.
- Restriction of TV programs includes two ratings that contain information about the program: the MPAA rating and the TV Parental Guidelines. The MPAA rating is restricted by age. TV Parental Guidelines are restricted by age and content.
- Since a TV program may use either the MPAA rating or the TV Guidelines, both should be adjusted for complete control.

#### [1] MPAA RATING

RATING		
	G	GENERAL AUDIENCES. All ages admitted.
	PG	PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED. Some material may not be suitable for children.
age	PG-13	PARENTS STRONGLY CAUTIONED. Some material may be inappropriate for children under 13.
based	R	RESTRICTED. Under 17 requires accompanying parent or adult guardian.
	NC-17	NO ONE 17 AND UNDER ADMITTED.
	Х	X is an older rating that is unified with NC-17 but may be encoded in the data of older movies.

#### MPAA RATING

#### Example 1:

PG-13 in the age-based rating is blocked, this will also automatically block the higher ratings R, NC-17 and X.

1. Use	j 2.	E	Block tal	ble	
G		1	Γ	G	not to block
PG				PG	not to block
PG-13	BLOCK	age		PG-13	Select block
R	BLOCK	based	I	R	auto- block
NC-17	BLOCK			NC-17	auto- block
x	BLOCK		I	х	auto- block

#### Example 2:

R in the age-based rating is blocked, this will also automatically block the higher ratings NC-17 and X.

1. User setting			2.	Block ta	ble
	G		1	G	not to block
	PG			PG	not to block
	PG-13		age	PG-13	not to block
	R	BLOCK	based	R	Select block
	NC-17	BLOCK		NC-17	auto- block
	x	BLOCK		х	auto- block

#### NOTE >

· The MPAA rating is only age-based.

#### [2] TV PARENTAL GUIDELINES

RATING		$\Leftarrow \text{ content based } \Rightarrow$					
		FV (Fantasy Violence)	V (Violence)	S (Sexual Situation)	L (Adult Language)	D (Sexually Suggestive Dialog)	
age based ↓	TV-Y (All children)	X	$\boxtimes$	X	X	X	
	TV-Y7 (Direct to Older Children)	×	$\boxtimes$	X	X	X	
	TV-G (General Audience)		$\boxtimes$	×	X	X	
	TV-PG (Parental Guidance Suggested)		×	×	×	×	
	TV-14 (Parents Strongly Cautioned)		×	×	×	×	
	TV-MA (Mature Audience Only)		×	×	×		

It is not normally broadcast by TV stations.

 $\times$ : The content rating can be set.

#### TV PARENTAL GUIDELINES

#### Example 1:

When TV-Y7 in the age-based rating is set to BLOCK, this will automatically block the higher ratings: TV-G, TV-PG, TV-14 and TV-MA. In addition, D, L, S, V and FV in CONTENT are automatically blocked unless you manually set BLOCK CONTENT.



#### Example 2:

When no item in the age-based rating is blocked, D in the content-based rating will be automatically blocked.

1. User setting	2.	Block tal	ble		ontent base	db	
ту-у ———			FV	v	s	L	D
TV-Y7	1 1	TV-Y					
TV-G		TV-Y7					
TV-PG	age	TV-G					
TV-14	based	TV-PG					
TV-MA		TV-14					
		TV-MA					
BLOCK CONTENT (D )					auto- block		

- Age-based ratings can be modified by the content-based ratings, but only in the combinations indicated by an X in the table above.
- Choosing a lower age-based rating blocks the higher age-based ratings regardless of content rating settings.
- If you set TV-Y and TV-Y7 to BLOCK, CONTENT will display all items.

#### Adjusting V-CHIP Settings (Continued) SETTING V-CHIP [1] MPAA RATING 1 Press MENU to display the MENU MENU SLEEP TIMER screen. BAV ADJUST **PRESET** 000 ■ CLOSED CAPTION > V-CHIP BLOCK SUB ESET UP SLEE . 0 ENTER ENTER/ 2 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor MENU $\land / \lor / \triangleleft / \triangleright$ to V-CHIP BLOCK, and press SLEEP TIMER BAV ADJUST ENTER. PRESET MENU ■ CLOSED CAPTION > BU-CHIP BLOCK 2 3 Þ 4 5 6 789 MTS 0 100 3 INPUT SECRET NO. will be Channel displayed. Input the 4-digit Select secret number by using SHARP INPUT SECRET NO. Channel Select, and press ENTER. - - - -NOTE > When you input the secret number for the first time, press ENTER to register. Otherwise, continue to step 4. EXIT: 📾 4 Press $\blacktriangle/ \blacksquare$ to move the cursor to V-CHIP BLOCK MPAA, and press ENTER. ORETURN Ů MPAA TV GUIDELINES STATUS [OFF] SELECT : 💮 ENTER : MTER EXIT: **5** Press $\blacktriangle/ \blacksquare$ to move the cursor MPAA to PG, and press ENTER. **O**RETURN G ß PG PG-13 R NC-17 SELECT : 💮 EXIT: 📖 ENTER : MTER 6 Press **◄/**► to select BLOCK, MPAA **O**RETURN and press ENTER. If you set PG G to BLOCK, PG-13, R, NC-17 and ĥ PG [ BLOCK] X are automatically blocked. PG-13 [BLOCK] R [BLOCK] NC-17 [BLOCK] [BLOCK] Х 7 Press MENU to return to the main screen. NOTE >

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If you set G to BLOCK, all ratings are automatically blocked.

If you set X to BLOCK, G, PG, PG-13, R and NC-17 are not blocked.

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### [2] TV GUIDELINES

• Setting TV GUIDELINES



- 1 Repeat steps 1 to 3 of [1] MPAA RATING. (See page 38.)
- 2 Press ▲/▼ to move the cursor to TV GUIDELINES, and press ENTER.
- **3** Press  $\blacktriangle/V$  to move the cursor to TV-Y7, and press **ENTER**.

- 4 Press ◄/► to select BLOCK, and press ENTER. If you set TV-Y7 to BLOCK, TV-G, TV-PG, TV-14 and TV-MA are automatically blocked. In addition, D, L, S, V and FV in CONTENT are automatically blocked.
- 5 Press MENU to return to the main screen.

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BLOCK CONT [	ENT⊳ ]	
SELECT : 😨	ENTER: ENTER	EXIT: 📾
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BLOCK CONT [D L	ENT⊳ . S V FV]	
ADJUST : 🚱	ENTER: 🞟	EXIT: 🎟

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#### Setting BLOCK CONTENT



#### NOTE

• If you set TV-14 to BLOCK, TV-MA is automatically blocked. Contents D, L, S and V are automatically blocked by X in the table on page 37.

#### [3] ACTIVATING V-CHIP BLOCK

#### • Setting STATUS

You can activate V-CHIP BLOCK after setting [1] MPAA RATING and/ or [2] TV GUIDELINES.



### [4] CANCELING THE V-CHIP BLOCK SCREEN WHILE V-CHIP BLOCK IS ACTIVATED



- If you turn the power on from off, V-CHIP BLOCK will be activated again.
- If you select V-CHIP BLOCK again by using MENU, V-CHIP BLOCK will be turned on again.

### [5] CHANGING V-CHIP BLOCK SETTINGS



### [6] CHANGING OR CLEARING THE SECRET NUMBER

If you forget the secret number, clear the secret number as follows.



- 1 Repeat steps 1 to 2 of [1] MPAA RATING, or 1 to 2 of [4] CANCELING THE V-CHIP BLOCK SCREEN WHILE V-CHIP BLOCK IS ACTIVATED, then INPUT SECRET NO. will be displayed.
- Press and hold both CH (^) and VOL (+) on the TV set simultaneously until the message INPUT SECRET NO. blinks.
- **3** Press **MENU** to exit.

## **CONNECTING EXTERNAL DEVICES**

You can enjoy picture and sound by connecting a VCR or a home video game system to the terminals located on the rear of the TV set.

When connecting an external device, turn off the power of the main unit first to prevent any possible damage.

## Example of external devices that can be connected

#### To AV-IN1 terminal

- <Example>
- Camcorder
- · Home video game system



If your external device has an S-video terminal, S-VIDEO connection is recommended.

#### To COMPONENT terminal

<Example> DVD Player, etc. If your external device has a component terminal, COMPONENT connection is recommended (you can view high-guality pictures). To AV-IN2 terminal <Example> VCR Laser disc player 0000

#### NOTE >

- PC connection is not possible.
- For the cable, use a commercially available audio/video cable.
- Only connect audio/video signals to AV-IN1 and 2 terminals. Connecting other signals may result in a malfunction.
- · AV-IN1 has 2 video input terminals: VIDEO and S-VIDEO. When you connect external devices to both terminals (and if you select AV-IN1), you can only view pictures from the S-VIDEO terminal. To view the picture from the VIDEO terminal, do not connect any external device to the S-VIDEO terminal.
- For more information about external device connections, see the manuals of your external devices.

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## Connecting a VCR, DVD player or a video camera (AV-IN1/2/COMPONENT)



- If your VCR (or other external devices) has an S-video terminal, S-VIDEO connection is recommended. (Use an S-video cable.)
- When you connect external devices to both S-VIDEO and VIDEO terminals (and if you select AV-IN1), you can only view pictures from the S-VIDEO terminal.
- You cannot view multiple or synthesized pictures by connecting two or more external devices. When connecting an external device, use care to connect the video and audio cables to the corresponding terminals.
- When AV-IN2/OUT is selected with Variable output setting, the Bass (subwoofer) sound cannot be output. Bass (subwoofer) can be output with Fixed output setting.

## **CONNECTING EXTERNAL DEVICES (Continued)**

## Outputting video and audio (video output)

You can output video and audio signals from the TV set through the AV output terminals (AV-OUT).

- When using AV2 as an output terminal, select PRESET in the MENU and set AV-IN2/OUT to OUT. (See page 25.)
- The factory setting for AV-IN2/OUT is IN.



- AV-IN2/OUT has 2 OUT modes (see page 25).
- When using the S-video input for AV-IN1, no video output will be made to the AV output terminal, but audio output will be made for connection to external audio systems.



#### Before calling for repair services, make the following checks for possible remedies to the encountered symptoms.

Problem	Check item	Reference Pages
Sound Picture There is no picture or	<ul> <li>Make sure the AC adapter is properly inserted in the power outlet.</li> <li>Reception other than those of broadcasting stations can be considered.</li> </ul>	10 -
sound.	<ul> <li>Make sure the input mode is set to TV.</li> <li>Make sure the MAIN POWER switch of the main unit is on.</li> </ul>	18 17
Picture Picture There is no picture. There is no	<ul> <li>Make sure the BLACK LEVEL is properly adjusted.</li> <li>Fluorescent lamp may have reached the end of service life.</li> <li>Make sure the S-VIDEO terminal has nothing con-</li> </ul>	27, 28 48 44
picture from AV-IN1.	nected.	
There is no sound.	<ul> <li>Make sure the volume is not set to minimum.</li> <li>Make sure the sound is not set to mute.</li> <li>Make sure that headphones are not connected.</li> </ul>	19 19 13
There is no picture or sound, just noise.	<ul> <li>Make sure the antenna cable is properly connected.</li> <li>Bad reception could be the problem.</li> </ul>	9 _
Picture is not clear.	<ul> <li>Make sure the antenna cable is properly connected.</li> <li>Bad reception could be the problem.</li> </ul>	9 -
Picture is light or improperly tinted.	<ul> <li>Check color adjustment.</li> <li>Check color system setting.</li> </ul>	27, 28 27, 28
	<ul> <li>Press the BRIGHT button or set the BRIGHTNESS settings.</li> </ul>	23
The picture is too dark.	<ul> <li>Check PICTURE and BLACK LEVEL adjustment.</li> <li>Fluorescent lamp may have reached the end of service life.</li> </ul>	27, 28 48
Remote control does not work.	<ul> <li>Check the batteries of the remote control.</li> <li>Make sure the remote sensor window is not under strong lighting.</li> </ul>	8 8

# **TROUBLESHOOTING (Continued)**

Antenna

Problem	Check item
The picture is not sharp.	<ul> <li>The reception may be weak.</li> <li>The quality of the broadcast may also be bad.</li> <li>Make sure the antenna is facing the right direction.</li> <li>Make sure the outside antenna is connected.</li> </ul>
The picture moves.	
The picture is doubled or tripled.	<ul> <li>Make sure the antenna is facing the right direction.</li> <li>There may be reflected electric waves from mountains or buildings.</li> </ul>
The picture is spotted.	<ul> <li>There may be interference from automobiles, trains, high voltage lines, neon lights, etc.</li> <li>There may be interference between the antenna cable and AC cord. Try positioning them further apart.</li> </ul>
There are stripes on the screen or colors fade.	<ul> <li>Is the unit receiving interference from other devices? Transmission antennas of radio broadcasting stations, transmission antennas of amateur radios and cellular phones may also cause interference.</li> <li>Use the unit as far apart as possible from devices that may cause possible interference.</li> </ul>

## ■ Cautions regarding use in high and low temperature environments

- When the unit is used in a low temperature space (e.g. room, office), the picture may leave trails or appear slightly delayed. This is not a malfunction, and the unit will recover when the temperature returns normal.
- Do not leave the unit in a hot or cold location. Also, do not leave the unit in a location exposed to direct sunlight or near a heater, as this may cause the cabinet to deform and the LCD panel to malfunction. Storage temperature: -4°F to +140°F (-20°C to +60°C)

# SPECIFICATIONS

<u> </u>					
Items	Model	LC-13C3U	LC-15C3U	LC-20C3U	
LCD panel		13" Advanced Super View & BLACK TFT LCD	15" Advanced Super View & BLACK TFT LCD	19.7" Advanced Super View & BLACK TFT LCD	
Number of dot	S	921,600 dots VGA			
Video color sy	stems	N358, N443, PAL, PAL-I	M, PAL-N, SECAM, PAL-6	60	
	Destination	USA/Latin America/Taiw	an		
	TV Standard (CCIR)	NTSC/PAL-M/PAL-N			
TV function	TV Tuning System	PLL 181 ch.			
	STEREO	MTS+SAP			
	CATV	125 ch.			
Y/C FILTER		4-LINE COMB FILTER		3D Y/C FILTER	
Brightness		430 cd/m <sup>2</sup>			
Lamp life (Flue	prescent lamp)	60,000 hours			
Viewing angles	S	H: 170° V: 170°			
Audio amplifie	r	$2.1 \text{ W} \times 2 + 3 \text{ W} \times 1$	$2.5~\mathrm{W}  imes 2 + 3.5~\mathrm{W}  imes 1$		
Speakers		ø2 in. (ø5 cm), 3 pcs.			
	AV-IN1	AV-IN1, S-VIDEO-IN			
	AV-IN2	AV-IN2/AV-OUT			
Terminals	COMPONENT	COMPONENT-IN, AUDIO-IN			
	Antenna	F-Type			
	Headphone	Mini-jack for stereo (ø3.5 mm)			
OSD language		English/French/Spanish			
Power supply		DC 12 V, AC 110–240 V, 50/60 Hz DC 13V, AC 110-240V, 50/6			
Weight		11.2 lbs. (5.1 kg), w/o accessories	13.0 lbs. (5.9 kg), w/o accessories	19.8 lbs. (9.0 kg), w/o accessories	
Accessories		Remote control, Batteries (x2), Antenna cable, AC adapter, AC cord, Cable clamps (x2), Operation manual			

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# **DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS**

## LC-13C3U

Unit: inch (mm)





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# **DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS (Continued)**

### LC-15C3U

Unit: inch (mm)







# **DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS (Continued)**

### LC-20C3U

Unit: inch (mm)





## CALLING FOR SERVICE

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