DVDVIDEO / SACD PLAYER





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General Information

Environmental Information

All unnecessary packaging has been omitted. The packaging has been made easy to separate into three materials: cardboard (box), polystyrene foam (buffer) and polyethylene (bags, protective foam sheet).

Your DVD player consists of materials which can be recycled and reused if disassembled by a specialised company. Please observe the local regulations regarding the disposal of packaging materials, exhausted batteries and old equipment.

The apparatus shall not be exposed to dripping or splashing and that no objects filled with liquids, such as vases, shall be placed on apparatus.

'CONSUMERS SHOULD NOTE THAT NOT ALL HIGH DEFINITION TELEVISION SETS ARE FULLY COMPATIBLE WITH THIS PRODUCT AND MAY CAUSE ARTIFACTS TO BE DISPLAYED IN THE PICTURE. IN CASE OF 525 OR 625 PROGRESSIVE SCAN PICTURE PROBLEMS, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE USER SWITCH THE CONNECTION TO THE 'STANDARD DEFINITION' OUTPUT. IF THERE ARE QUESTIONS REGARDING OUR TV SET COMPATIBILITY WITH THIS MODEL 525p AND 625p DVD PLAYER, PLEASE CONTACT OUR CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER.'

For Customer Use:

Read carefully the information located at the bottom of your DVD VIDEO player and enter below the Serial No. Retain this information for future reference.

Model No. DVD VIDEO 720SA Serial No.

Laser safety

This unit employs a laser. Due to possible eye injury, only a qualified service person should remove the cover or attempt to service this device.

NOTE:

PICTURES SHOWN MAYBE DIFFERENT BETWEEN COUNTRIES.

CAUTION (WARNING LOCATION: ON THE BACKPLATE OF THE SET)

NEVER MAKE OR CHANGE CONNECTIONS WITH THE POWER SWITCHED ON.

Important Note:

Due to the numerous versions of new CD-Audio copy protection or enhanced CD-Audio protection recently available on certain discs, Philips is unable to guarantee that this DVD Player is fully compatible with such new discs. Should you have difficulty playing any such CD-Audio discs, kindly refer them to your CD-Audio disc retailer.

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Type Semiconductor laser

GaAlAs

Wave length 650 nm (DVD)

780 nm (VCD/CD)

Output Power 7 mW (DVD) 10 mW (VCD/CD)

Beam divergence 60 degree

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Due to the inconsistency of disc formats provided by various disc manufacturers, your DVD system may require a playability enhancement or upgrade. As DVD technology advances, these enhancements will become common and will be easy to complete.

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General Information

Supplied accessories

Video cable (yellow)







Care and safety information

Power consumption

- Check that the operating voltage indicated on the typeplate (or beside the voltage selector) is identical to the voltage of your local power supply. If not, please consult your dealer.
- When the system is switched to Standby mode, it is still consuming power.
 To disconnect the system from the power supply completely, remove the AC power plug from the wall jack.

Avoid high temperatures, moisture, water and dust

 Do not expose the player, batteries or discs to humidity, rain, sand or excessive heat (caused by heating equipment or direct sunlight.)

Avoid condensation problem

 The lens may cloud over when the player is suddenly moved from cold to warm surroundings, making it impossible to play a disc. Leave the player in the warm environment until the moisture evaporates.

Do not block the vents

 Do not operate the DVD Player in an enclosed cabinet, allow about 10 cm (4 inches) of free space all around the player for adequate ventilation.



Care of the cabinet

 Use a soft cloth slightly moistened with a mild detergent solution. Do not use a solution containing alcohol, spirits, ammonia or abrasives.

Finding a suitable location

 Place the player on a flat, hard, and stable surface.

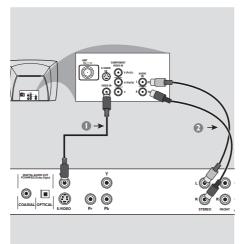
Disc handling

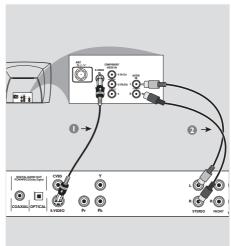
 To clean a CD, wipe it in a straight line from the center towards the edge using a soft, lint-free cloth. A cleaning agent may damage the disc!



- Write only on the printed side of a CDR(W) and only with a soft felttipped pen.
- Handle the disc by its edge, do not touch the surface.

Connecting TV





IMPORTANT!

- You only need to make <u>one</u> video connection from the following options, depending on the capabilities of your TV system.
- Connect the DVD system directly to the TV.

Using Composite Video jacks (CVBS)

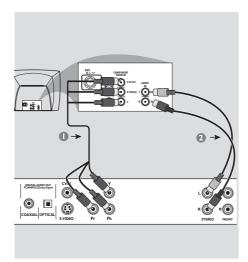
- Use the composite video cable (yellow) to connect the DVD Player's CVBS (VIDEO) jack to the video input jack (or labeled as A/V In,Video In, Composite or Baseband) on the TV (cable supplied).
- To hear the sound of this DVD Player through your TV, use the audio cables (white/red) to connect AUDIO OUT (L/ R) jacks of the DVD Player to the corresponding AUDIO IN jacks on the TV (cable supplied).

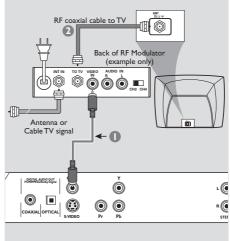
IMPORTANT!

 S-Video connection provides better picture quality. This option must be available on your TV.

Using S-Video jack

- Use the S-video cable to connect the DVD system's S-VIDEO OUT jack to the S-Video input jack (or labeled as Y/C or S-VHS) on the TV (cable not supplied).
- To hear the sound of this DVD Player through your TV, use the audio cables (white/red) to connect AUDIO OUT (L/R) jacks of the DVD Player to the corresponding AUDIO IN jacks on the TV (cable supplied).





IMPORTANT!

- Component Video connection provides higher picture quality. This option must be available on your TV.
- The progressive scan video quality is only possible through Component Video (Y Pb Pr) output.

Using Component Video jacks (Y Pb Pr)

- Use the component video cables (red/blue/green) to connect the DVD system's Y Pb Pr jacks to the corresponding Component video input jacks (or labeled as Y Pb Pr) on the TV (cable not supplied).
- To hear the sound of this DVD Player through your TV, use the audio cables (white/red) to connect AUDIO OUT (L/R) jacks of the DVD Player to the corresponding AUDIO IN jacks on the TV (cable supplied).

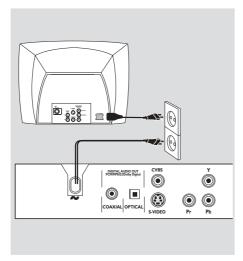
IMPORTANT!

- If your TV only has a single Antenna In jack (or labeled as 75 ohm or RF In,) you will need an RF modulator in order to view the DVD playback on the TV. See your electronics retailer or contact Philips for details on RF modulator availability and operations.

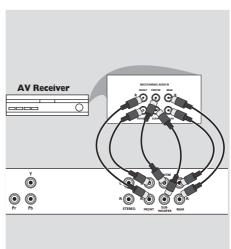
Using an accessory RF modulator

- Use the composite video cable (yellow) to connect the DVD Player's CVBS jack to the video input jack on the RF modulator.
- Use the RF coaxial cable (not supplied) to connect the RF modulator to your TV's RF jack.

Connecting the power cord



Optional: Connecting to a Multichannel Receiver



After everything is connected properly, plug in the AC power cord to the power outlet.

Never make or change any connections with the power switched on.

When no disc is loaded, press STANDBY ON on the DVD Player front panel,

"NO DISC" may appear on the display panel.



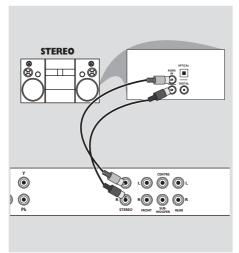
Receiver has a Dolby Digital or DTS decoder

- Select one of the video connections (CVBS VIDEO IN, S-VIDEO IN, SCART, COMPONENT VIDEO IN) depending on the options available on your TV.
- 2 Connect the Audio Out Left and Right jack for Front and Rear speakers to the corresponding input sockets on your Receiver (cable supplied).
- 3 Connect the Audio Out for Center speaker and Subwoofer to the corresponding inputs on your Receiver (cable not supplied).
- Set the DVD Player's Analog Output to 'Multichannel' to enable playback of DVDs recorded in Multi-channel. (see page 25 "Setting the analogue output").

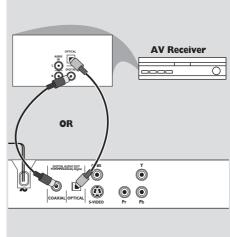
Helpful Hint:

 If the subwoofer is equipped with its own amplifier, the Subwoofer connection should be connected directly to the subwoofer.

Optional: Connecting to an Audio System



Optional: Connecting Digital AV Receiver



Stereo system has Dolby Pro Logic or Right / Left Audio In jack

- Select one of the video connections (CVBS VIDEO IN, S-VIDEO IN, SCART, COMPONENT VIDEO IN) depending on the options available on your TV.
- Use the audio cables (white/red) to connect AUDIO OUT (L/R) jacks of the DVD Player to the corresponding AUDIO IN jacks on the stereo system (cable supplied).

Receiver has a PCM, Dolby Digital, or MPEG2 decoder

- Select one of the video connections (CVBS VIDEO IN, S-VIDEO IN, SCART, COMPONENT VIDEO IN) depending on the options available on your TV.
- 2 Connect the COAXIAL or OPTICAL jack of the DVD Player to the corresponding Digital Audio In jack on your Receiver (cable not supplied).
- Set the DVD Player's Analog Output to 'Stereo' which delivers sound from only the two front speakers and subwoofer. (see page 25 "Setting the analogue output").

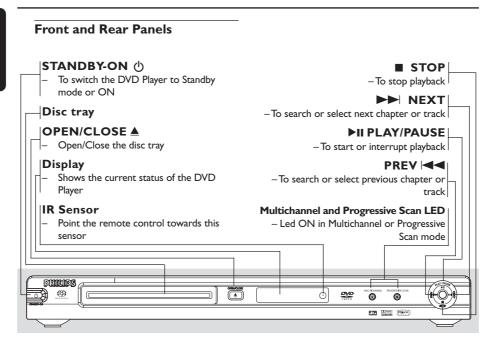
Helpful Hints:

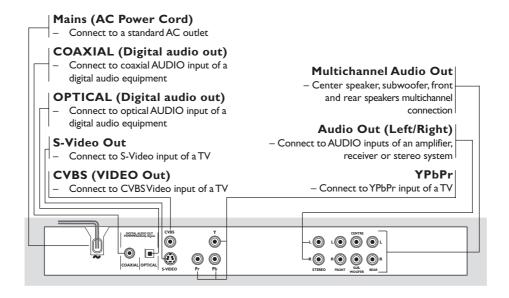
- Some DVDs are copy protected. You connot record the disc through a VCR or digital recording device.
- You cannot hear or record the SACD or MP3-CD playback if you use the digital connection.
- If the audio format of the Digital Output does not match the capabilities of your receiver, the receiver will produce a strong, distorted sound or no sound at all.

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Functional Overview



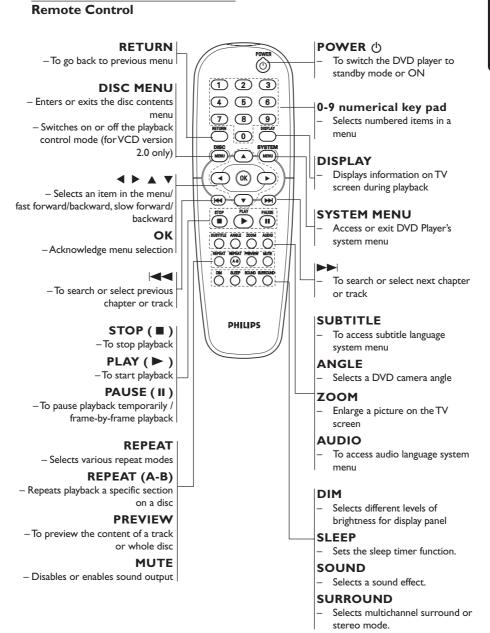


Caution: Do not touch the inner pins of the jacks on the rear panel. Electrostatic discharge may cause permanent damage to the unit.

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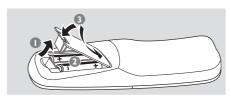
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Functional Overview



Helpful Hint: Press "STOP" for about 2 seconds to OPEN or CLOSE disc tray.

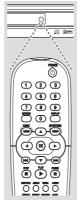
Step 1: Inserting batteries into the Remote Control



- Open the battery compartment.
- Insert two batteries type R06 or AA, following the indications (+ -) inside the compartment.
- Close the cover.

Using the Remote Control to operate the Player

- Aim the Remote Control directly at the remote sensor (iR) on the front panel.
- 2 Do not put any objects between the Remote Control and the DVD Player while operating the DVD Player.



CAUTION!

- Remove batteries if they are exhausted or if the Remote Control is not being used for a long time.
- Do not use old and new or different types of batteries in combination.
- Batteries contain chemical substances, so they should be disposed properly.

Step 2: Setting up the TV

IMPORTANT!

Make sure you have completed all the necessary connections. (See pages 6-7 "Connecting TV").

- Turn on the TV and set to the correct video-in channel. You should see the titanium Philips DVD background screen on the TV.
 - → Usually these channels are between the lowest and highest channels and may be called FRONT,A/V IN, or VIDEO. See your TV manual for more details.
 - → Or, you may go to channel 1 on your TV, then press the Channel down button repeatedly until you see the Video In channel.
 - → Or, the TV Remote Control may have a button or switch that chooses different video modes.
 - → Or, set the TV to channel 3 or 4 if you are using an RF modulator.
- 2 If you are using external equipment, (eg. audio system or receiver), turn it on and select the appropriate input source for the DVD Player output. Refer to the equipment owner's manual for detail.

To deactivate Progressive manually

The progressive scan display present 60 complete frames per seconds, rather than 30 frames per second of interlaced scanning (ordinary normal TV system). With nearly double the number of line, progressive scan offers higher picture resolution and eliminates bothersome motion artifacts those jagged edge on moving objects.

To enjoy the full quality potential offered by progressive scan feature, a progressive scan TV is required. To activate progressive function, refer to 'Progressive - turning on/off' on page 27.

To deactivate Progressive manually cont'd

If the progressive function is activated, but your TV does not support progressive function or YPbPr cable is not connected accordingly, there will be a blank screen. You can deactivated progressive function as below:

- Press STANDBY ON on the front panel to switch on the DVD player.
- Press OPEN/CLOSE on the front panel to open the disc tray.
- - → The blue Philips DVD background appears on the TV screen.

Selecting the colour system that corresponds to your TV

This DVD Player is compatible with both NTSC and PAL. In order for a DVD disc to play on this Player, the colour system of the Disc, the TV and the DVD Player should match.



- Press SYSTEM MENU.
- ② Press ► repeatedly to select {VIDEO SETUP PAGE}.
- 3 Press ▲▼ to highlight {TV TYPE}, then press ►.

4 Press ▲▼ to highlight one of the options below:

PAL – Select this if the connected TV is PAL system. It will change the video signal of a NTSC disc and output in PAL format.

NTSC – Select this if the connected TV is NTSC system. It will change the video signal of a PAL disc and output in NTSC format

<u>Multi</u> – Select this if the connected TV is compatible with both NTSC and PAL (multi-system). The output format will be in accordance with the video signal of the disc.

Select an item and press OK.

Helpful Hint:

- Before changing the current TV
 Standard setting, ensure that your TV
 supports the 'selected TV Type' system.
- If there is no proper picture on your TV, wait for 15 seconds for auto recovery.

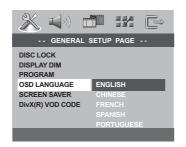


TIPS: To return to the previous menu, press ◀.
To remove the menu, press SYSTEM MENU.

Step 3: Setting language preference

You can select your own preferred language settings. This DVD Player will automatically switch to the language for you whenever you load a disc. If the language selected is not available on the disc, the disc's default language will be used instead. The OSD language in the system menu, will remain once selected.

Setting the OSD Language



- Press SYSTEM MENU.
- ② Press ► to select {GENERAL SETUP PAGE}.
- Press ▲▼ to highlight {OSD LANGUAGE}, then press ▶.
- Press ▲▼ to select a language and press OK.

Setting the Audio, Subtitle and Disc menu language



- Press STOP twice then, press SYSTEM MENU.
- ② Press ➤ repeatedly to select {PREFERENCE PAGE}.
- 3 Press ▲▼ to highlight one of the options below at a time, then press ▶.
 - 'Audio' (disc's soundtrack)
 - 'Subtitle' (disc's subtitles)
 - 'Disc Menu' (disc's menu)
- Press ▲▼ to select a language and press OK.

If the language you want is not in the list, then select {OTHERS}, then use the numeric keypad (0-9) on the remote to enter the 4-digit language code 'XXXX' (see page 125 {Language Code}) and press **OK**.

Repeat steps 4~5 for other language settings.

TIPS: To return to the previous menu, press ◀.

To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

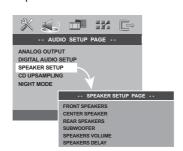
Step 4: Setting the speakers' channels

You can adjust the delay times (centre and surround only) and volume level for individual speakers. These adjustments let you optimise the sound according to your surroundings and setup.

IMPORTANT!

The speaker settings only available on Multi-channel audio outputs. You can also press SURROUND button on the remote to select Multi-channel.

- Press STOP then, press SYSTEM MENU.
- ② Press ► repeatedly to select {AUDIO SETUP PAGE}.
- ③ Press ▲▼ to highlight {SPEAKER SETUP}, then press ▶.



- 4 Enter its submenu by pressing ▶.
- ⑤ Press ▲▼ to highlight one of the options below at a time, then press ►.

{FRONT SPEAKERS, CENTER SPEAKER, REAR SPEAKERS}

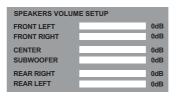
OFF – when no speaker is connected. LARGE – when connected speakers can produce low frequency signals below 120Hz.

SMALL – when connected speakers cannot produce low frequency signals below 120Hz.

{SUBWOOFER}

ON – when a subwoofer is connected. OFF – when no subwoofer is connected.

{SPEAKER VOLUME} – Volume level setting for individual speakers (-6dB ~ +6dB).



{SPEAKER DELAY} – Delay times setting in relation to the listening position/ distance for centre and surround speakers (1m ~ 10m).



- 6 Press ◀► to adjust the setting that best suit your surround sound needs.
- Press OK to confirm.

Helpful Hints:

- Use the longer delay time settings when the rear speakers are closer to the listener than the front speakers.
- The test tone will be automatically generated to help you judge the sound level of each speaker.

To return to the previous menu, press **4**.

To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

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TIPS:

IMPORTANT!

- If the inhibit icon (ø or X) appears on the TV screen when a button is pressed, it means the function is not available on the current disc or at the current time.
- Depending on the DVD or VIDEO
 CD, some operations may be different or restricted.
- Do not push on the disc tray or put any objects other than disc on the disc tray. Doing so may cause the disc player malfunction.

Playable Discs

Your DVD Player will play:

- Digital Versitale Discs (DVDs)
- Video CDs (VCDs)
- Super Video CDs (SVCDs)
- Super Audio CDs (SACDs)
- Digital Versitale Discs + Recordable [Rewritable] (DVD+R[W])
- Compact Discs (CDs)
- MP3 discs, picture (Kodak, JPEG) files on CD-R(W).
 - JPEG/ISO 9660 format
 - Maximum 30 characters display.
 - Supported sampling frequencies:32 kHz, 44.1 kHz, 48 kHz (MPEG-1)16 kHz, 22.05 kHz, 24 kHz (MPEG-2)
 - Supported Bit-rates: 32~256 kbps (MPEG-1), 8~160 kbps (MPEG-2) variable bitrates
- MPEG-4 disc on CD-R(W):
 - Simple profile
 - Advanced simple profile (640-480)
- DivX disc on CD-R[W]/DVD+R[W]:
- DivX 3.11, 4.x and 5.x
- GMC (Global Motion Compensation) and QP (Quarter Pixel) not supported.



Region Codes

DVD discs must be labeled for ALL regions or Region 3 in order to play on this Player. You cannot play Discs that are labeled for other regions.



Helpful Hints:

- It may not be possible to play CD-R/RW or DVD-R/RW in all cases due to the type of disc or condition of the recording.
- If you are having trouble playing a certain disc, remove the disc and try a different one. Improper formatted disc will not play on this DVD Player.

Playing discs

- Connect the power cords of the DVD Player and TV (and any optional stereo or AV receiver) to a power outlet.
- 2 Turn on the TV power and set to the correct Video In channel. (See page 12 "Setting up the TV").
- Press STANDBY-ON on the DVD Player front panel.
 - → You should see the blue Philips DVD background screen on the TV.
- Press OPEN•CLOSE button to open the disc tray and load in a disc, then press the same button again to close the disc tray.
 - → Make sure the label side is facing up. For double-sided discs, load the side you want to play facing up.
- Playback will start automatically. If not press PLAY ►.
 - → If a disc menu appears on the TV, see page 18 "Using the Disc Menu".
 - → If the disc is locked by parental control, you must enter your six-digit password. (See page 30).

TIPS: The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

Basic playback controls

Unless otherwise stated, all operations described are based on Remote Control use.

Pausing playback

- During playback, press ■.
 → Playback will pause and sound will be muted.
- Press II again to select the next picture frame.
- 3 To resume normal playback, press PLAY ►.

Selecting track/chapter

- Press |
 ✓ / ►► or use the numeric keypad (0-9) to key in a track/chapter number.
 - → If repeat mode is active, pressing | ◀ ◀ / ▶ ➡ | will replay the same track/chapter.

Searching backward/forward

Stopping playback

Press ■.

Selecting various repeat/shuffle functions

Repeat play mode

 While playing a disc, press REPEAT continuously to choose a 'Play Mode'.

DVD

- → RPT ONE (repeat chapter)
- → RPT TT (repeat title)
- → SHUFFLE (random play)
- → RPT SHF (repeat shuffle)
- → RPT OFF (repeat off)

VCD/SVCD/CD

- → RPT ONE (repeat track)
- → RPT ALL (repeat disc)
- → SHUFFLE (random play)
- → RPT SHF (repeat shuffling)
- → RPT OFF (repeat off)

MP3/SACD/DivX

- → RPT FLD (repeat folder)
- → RPT ONE (repeat track)
- → SHUFFLE (random play)
- → RPT OFF (repeat off)

Helpful Hint:

For VCD, repeat playback is not possible if the PBC mode is switched on.

Repeating a section within a chapter/track

- While playing a disc, press REPEAT A-B at your chosen starting point.
- Press REPEAT A-B again at your chosen end point.
 - → The section A and B can be set only within the same chapter/track.
 - → The section will now repeat continuously.
- To exit the sequence, press **REPEAT A-B**.

TIPS: The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

Operations for video playback (DVD/VCD/SVCD)

Using the Disc Menu

Depending on the disc, a menu may appear on the TV screen once you load in the disc.

To select a playback feature or item

 Use ◀► ▲ ▼ keys or numeric keypad (0-9) on the remote, then press OK to start playback.

To access or remove the menu

Press DISC MENU on the remote.

Zooming in

This function allows you to enlarge the picture on the TV screen and to pan through the enlarged picture.

- During playback, press ZOOM repeatedly to display the picture with different scales.
 - → Use ◀ ▶ ▲ ▼ keys to pan through the enlarged picture.
 - → Playback will continue.
- Press ZOOM repeatedly to return to the original size.

Resuming playback from the last stopped point

Resume playback of the last 10 discs is possible, even if the disc was ejected or the power switched off.

- Load one of the last 10 discs.→ "L□R□IN□" appears.
- Press PLAY ➤ and the disc will be played back from the last point.

To cancel resume mode

In stop mode, press STOP ■ again.

Using the OSD menu

OSD menu shows the disc playback information (for example, title or chapter number, elapsed playing time, audio/subtitle language), a number of operations can be done without interrupting disc playback.

During playback, press DISPLAY.
 → A list of available disc information appears on the TV screen.





- 2 Press ▲▼ to view the information and press OK to access.
- 3 Use the numeric keypad (0-9) to input the number/time or press ▲▼ to make the selection, then press OK to confirm. → Playback will change to the chosen time or to the selected title/chapter/ track.

TIPS: The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

Special DVD Features

Playing a Title

- Press DISC MENU.→ The disc title menu appears on the TV
- ② Use ▲▼◀▶ keys or numeric keypad (0-9) to select a play option.
- 3 Press OK key to confirm.

Camera Angle

 Press ANGLE repeatedly to select different desired angle.

Changing the Audio Language

For DVD

 Press AUDIO repeatedly to select different audio languages.

Changing the Audio Channel For VCD

 Press AUDIO to select the available audio channels provided by the disc (LEFT VOCAL, RIGHT VOCAL, MONO LEFT, MONO RIGHT, STEREO).

Subtitles

 Press SUBTITLE repeatedly to select different subtitle languages.

Special VCD & SVCD Features

Playback Control (PBC)

For VCD with Playback Control (PBC) feature (version 2.0 only)

- Press **DISC MENU** to toggle between 'PBC ON' and 'PBC OFF'.
 → If you select 'PBC ON', the disc menu (if available) will appear on the TV.
 → Use the ◄◄ / ▶►I or the numeric keypad (0-9) to select a play option.
- During playback, pressing RETURN will return to the menu screen (if PBC is on).

If you want to skip the index menu and playback directly from the beginning,

 Press DISC MENU key on the remote control to switch to PBC off.

The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

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TIPS:

Preview Function

- Press PREVIEW.
- Press ▲▼ to highlight {TRACK DIGEST}, {DISC INTERVAL} or {TRACK INTERVAL}.
- 3 Press **OK** to open one option.

SELECT DIGEST TYPE: TRACK DIGEST DISC INTERVAL TRACK INTERVAL

Track Digest

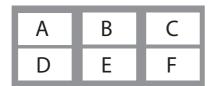
This function will minimise the picture of every track in order to display every six of these tracks on the screen to help you know the content of every track on the disc.

Disc Interval

This function is used to divide a disc into six parts by regular intervals and display them on one page to preview the whole disc.

Track Interval

This function is used to divide a single track into six parts by regular intervals and display them on one page to help you preview the selected track.



(example for 6 thumbnail pictures display)

- Use ◀► ▲ ▼ keys to select a track or use numeric keypad (0-9) to input the selected track number next to {SELECT}.
- Fress | ◄ ✓ / ► ► | to open the previous or next page.
- OF Press OK to confirm.

To quit preview function

 Use ◀▶ ▲ ▼ keys to highlight {EXIT} and press OK to confirm.

To return to preview menu

Use ◀► ▲ ▼ keys to highlight {MENU} and press OK to confirm.

For CD

- At stop mode, press PREVIEW on the remote control.
 - → Each track will be played for a few seconds.
 - → For JPEG CD, press **PREVIEW** to view 12 thumbnail pictures on the TV screen (see page 22).

Playing MP3/DivX/MPEG-4/ IPEG/Kodak Picture CD

IMPORTANT!

You have to turn on your TV and set to the correct Video In channel. (See page 12 "Setting up the TV").

General Operation

- Load a disc.
 - → The disc reading time may exceed 30 seconds due to the complexity of the directory/file configuration.
 - → The data disc menu appears on the TV screen.
- Playback will start automatically. If not press PLAY ►.



TIPS: The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

Selecting a folder and track/file

- Press ▲▼ to select the folder and press OK to open the folder.
- ② Press ▲▼ to select a track/file.
- ③ Press OK to confirm.
 → Playback will start from the selected file to the end of the folder.

During playback, you can;

- Press | ◄ / ► I to select another track/ file in the current folder.
- To select another folder from the current disc, press

 to return to the root menu, then press

 to make your selection and press

 K to confirm.
- Press REPEAT continuously to access different 'Play Mode'.
 - → FOLDER: files will be played back once.
 - → REPEAT ONE: one file being played repeatedly.
 - → REPEAT FOLDER: all files in one folder being played repeatedly.
 - → SHUFFLE: all files in the current folder being played at random order.
- Press II to pause playback.

Helpful Hints:

- It may not be possible to play certain MP3/JPEG/DixV/MPEG-4 disc due to the configuration and characteristics of the disc or condition of the recording.
- It is normal to experience an occasional "skip" while listening to your MP3 disc.
- It is normal to experience an occasional pixelation during MPEG-4/DivX playback due to poor clarity of digital contents during internet downloading.
- For multi-session discs with different formats, only the first session will be available.

Playing Super Audio CD (SACD)

There are three types of SACD discs: single layer, double layer or hybrid disc. The hybrid disc contains both Super Audio CD and standard audio CD layers, only the SACD layer is possible to playback on this DVD player.

- Load a SACD.
 → The disc menu appears on the TV screen.
- Playback will start automatically.
 → If the SACD consists of multi-channel and stereo tracks, multi-channel tracks will have the priority for playback.
 - → To playback stereo tracks, use ▲ ▼ keys to make your selection from the disc menu, then press PLAY ►.

Helbful Hints:

- SURROUND button is not functional for SACD playback. You have to access to the disc menu in order to select between multichannel and stereo tracks.
- Programme SACD tracks is not possible.

The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

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TIPS:

Special picture disc features

IMPORTANT!

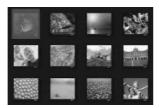
You have to turn on your TV and set to the correct Video In channel. (See page 12 "Setting the TV").

- Load a Picture disc (Kodak Picture CD, IPEG).
 - → For Kodak disc, the slide show will begin.
 - → For JPEG disc, the picture menu appears on the TV screen. Press ► to start the slide-show playback.

Preview Function (JPEG)

This function shows the content of the current folder or the whole disc.

Press STOP during playback.
 → 12 thumbnail pictures will appear on the TV screen.



- 2 Press | ◄ ✓ / ▶ ► | to display the other pictures on the previous/next page.
- 3 Use ◀▶▲ ▼ to highlight one of the picture and press **OK** to start playback
- Press DISC MENU to return to Picture CD menu.

Zoom picture

- During playback, press ZOOM repeatedly to display the picture with different scales.
- Use ◀► ▲ ▼ keys to view the zoomed picture.

Playback with multi-angles

- During playback, press ▲ ▼ ◀ ▶ to rotate the picture on the TV screen.
 - ▲: flip the picture vertically
 - ▼: flip the picture horizontally
 - ◄: rotate the picture anti-clockwise
 - ▶: rotate the picture clockwise

Scan Effect

- Press ANGLE repeatedly to choose different scan effect.
 - → Various scan effect appears on the top left hand corner on the TV screen.

Playing MP3 music and JPEG picture simultaneously

- Load a disc that contains music and picture.
 - → The disc menu appears on the TV screen.
- 2 Select an MP3 track.
- Ouring MP3 music playback, select a picture from the TV screen and press PLAY ►.
 - → The picture files will be played back one after another until end of the folder.
- To quit simultaneous playback, press DISC MENU followed by ■.

Helþful Hint:

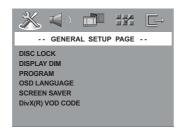
 Some files on Kodak or JPEG disc may be distorted during playback due to the configuration and characteristics of the disc.

TIPS: The operating features described here might not be possible for certain discs. Always refer to the instructions supplied with the discs.

This DVD Player setup is carried out via the TV, enabling you to customise the DVD Player to suit your particular requirements.

General Setup menu

- In disc mode, press SYSTEM MENU.
- ② Press ◀► to select 'General Setup' icon.
- Press OK to confirm.



Locking/Unlocking the disc for viewing

Not all discs are rated or coded by the disc maker. You can prevent a specific disc from playing by locking the disc. Up to 40 discs can be locked.

• In 'GENERAL SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {DISC LOCK}, then press ▶.

LOCK

Select this to block the playback of the current disc. Subsequent access to a locked disc requires six-digit password. The default password is '136 900' (see page 30 "Changing the password").

UNLOCK

Select this to unlock the disc and allow future playback.

Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

Dimming player's display panel

You can select different levels of brightness for the display screen.

- In 'GENERAL SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {DISPLAY DIM}, then press ▶.
 - 100% Select this for full brightness.
 - 70% Select this for medium brightness.
 - 40% Select this for dimming the display.
- Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

Programming disc tracks (not for Picture CD/MP3/SACD)

You can play the contents of the disc in the order you want by programming the tracks to be played. Up to 20 tracks can be stored.

- In 'GENERAL SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {PROGRAM}, then press ▶ to select {INPUT MENU}.
- Press OK to confirm.



To input your favourite tracks/chapter

- 3 Use the numeric keypad (0-9) to enter a valid track/chapter number.
- Use ◀▶ ▲ ▼ keys to move the cursor to the next position.
 - → If the track number is more than ten, press ► to open the next page and proceed with programming or,
 - → Use ◀ ▶ ▲ ▼ keys to highlight {NEXT} on the programme menu, then press **OK**.
- S Repeat steps 3~4 to input another track/chapter number.

To return to the previous menu, press ◀.

To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

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TIPS:

If you want to remove a track

- 6 Use ◀▶ ▲ ▼ keys to move the cursor to the track you want to remove.
- Press **OK** to remove this track from the programme menu.

To start programme playback

Use ◀►▲ ▼ keys to highlight {START} on the programme menu, then press OK.
→ Playback will start with the selected tracks under the programmed sequence.

To exit programme playback

Use ◀► ▲ ▼ keys to highlight {EXIT} on the programme menu, then press OK.

OSD Language

This menu contains various language options for display language on the screen. For details, see page 14.

Screen Saver - turning on/off

The screen saver will help to prevent your TV display device from becoming damaged.

In 'GENERAL SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {SCREEN SAVER}, then press ▶.

ON

Select this if you wish to turn off the TV screen when disc playback is stopped or paused for more than 15 minutes.

OFF

Select this to disable the screen saver function.

Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

DivX(R) VOD registration code

Philips provide you the DivX®VOD (Video On Demand) registration code that allows you to rent and purchase videos using the DivX®VOD service. For more information, visit us at www.divx.com/vod.

- In 'GENERAL SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {DIVX(R) VOD CODE}, then press ▶.
 - → The registration code will appear.
- Press OK to exit.
- Use the registration code to purchase or rent the videos from DivX® VOD service at www.divx.com/vod. Follow the instructions and download the video onto a CD-R for playback on this DVD player.

Helpful Hints:

- All the downloaded videos from DivX®
 VOD can only be played back on this DVD player.
- Time search feature is not available during DivX movie playback.

Audio Setup Menu

- In disc mode, press SYSTEM MENU.
- ② Press ◀► to select 'Audio Setup' icon.
- 3 Press OK to confirm.



TIPS:

To return to the previous menu, press ◀.
To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

Digital Audio Setup

The options included in Digital Audio Setup are: 'Digital Output' and 'LPCM Output'.

- In 'AUDIO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {DIGITAL AUDIO SETUP}, then press ▶.
- 2 Press the ▲▼ keys to highlight an option.
- 3 Enter its submenu by pressing ▶.
- Move the cursor by pressing the ▲▼ keys to highlight the selected item.

Digital Output

Set the Digital output according to your optional audio equipment connection.

- → Off: Turn off the digital output.
- → <u>All</u>: If you have connected your DIGITAL AUDIO OUT to a multi-channel decoder/receiver.
- → <u>PCM Only</u>: Only if your receiver is not capable of decoding multi-channel audio.

Helþful Hint:

 If DIGITAL OUTPUT is set to 'All', all audio settings except MUTE are invalid.

LPCM Output

If you connect the DVD Player to a PCM compatible receiver via the digital terminals, such as coaxial or optical etc, you may need to adjust 'LPCM Output'. Discs are recorded at a certain sampling rate. The higher the sampling rate, the better the sound quality.

- \rightarrow 48kHz: Playback a disc recorded at the sampling rate of 48kHz.
- → <u>96kHz</u>: Playback a disc recorded at the sampling rate of 96kHz.

Helpful Hint:

 LPCM Output can be selected only when PCM Only is activated.

Setting the analogue output

Set Analogue Output to match your DVD Player's playback capability. This function can also be accessed via the

SURROUND button on the remote.

• In 'AUDIO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {ANALOG OUTPUT}, then press ▶.

STEREO

Select this to change channel output to stereo which delivers sound from only the two front speakers and subwoofer.

MULTI-CHANNEL

Select this to enable Multi-channel output.

② Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

Speaker Setup

This menu contains setup options for your audio output which makes the speaker setup system reproduce high quality surround sound. For details, see page 15.

CD Upsampling

This feature allows you to convert your music CD to a higher sampling rate using sophisticated digital signal processing for better sound quality.

• In 'AUDIO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {CD UPSAMPLING}, then press ▶.

<u>OFF</u>

Select this to disable CD-upsampling.

88.2 kHz (X2)

Select this to convert the sampling rate of the CDs twice higher than the original.

176.4 kHz (X4)

Select this to convert the sampling rate of the CDs four times higher than the original.

Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

To return to the previous menu, press ◀.

To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

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TIPS:

Night Mode - turning on/off

In this mode, the high volume outputs are softened and low volume outputs are brought upward to an audible level. It is useful for watching your favourite action movie without disturbing others at night.

• In 'AUDIO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {NIGHT MODE}, then press ▶.

ON

Select this to level out the volume. This feature is only available for movies with Dolby Digital mode.

OFF

Select this when you want to enjoy the surround sound with its full dynamic range.

Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

Video Setup Menu

- In disc mode, press **SYSTEM MENU**.
- 2 Press ◀► to select 'Video Setup' icon.
- Press OK to confirm.



TV Type

This menu contains the options for selecting the colour system that matches the connected TV. For details, see page 13.

Setting the TV Display

Set the aspect ratio of the DVD Player according to the TV you have connected. The format you select must be available on the disc. If it is not, the setting for TV display will not affect the picture during playback.

- In 'VIDEO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {TV DISPLAY}, then press ▶.
- ② Press ▲▼ to highlight one of the options below:

4:3 PAN SCAN -

Select this if you have a normal TV and want both sides of the



picture to be trimmed or formatted to fit your TV screen.

4:3 LETTER BOX -

Select this if you have a normal TV. In this case, a wide picture with black



bands on the upper and lower portions of the TV screen will be displayed.

<u>16:9</u> – Select this if you have a widescreen TV.



3 Select an item and press **OK**.

TIPS:

To return to the previous menu, press ◀.

To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

Progressive - turning on/off

This feature is only applicable if you have connected this DVD Player to a Progressive Scan TV through the Y Pb Pr jacks (see page 7).

In 'VIDEO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {PROGRESSIVE}, then press ▶.

OFF

To disable Progressive Scan function.

ON

To enable Progressive Scan function.

Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

Helpful Hint:

 To deactivate the progressive function manually, see page 12.

Picture Setting

This DVD Player provides three predefined sets of picture colour settings and one personal setting which you can define yourself.

 In 'VIDEO SETUP PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {PICTURE SETTING}, then press
 .

STANDARD

Select this for standard picture setting.

BRIGHT

Select this will make the TV picture brighter.

SOFT

Select this will make the TV picture softer.

PERSONAL

Select this to personalise your picture colour by adjusting the brightness, contrast, tint and colour (saturation).

- ② Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.
- 3 If you select {PERSONAL}, then proceed to steps **1**~**0**.
 - → The 'PERSONAL PICTURE SETUP' menu appears.



TIPS: To return to the previous menu, press ◀.

To remove the menu, press SYSTEM MENU.

Press ▲▼ to highlight one of the following options.

BRIGHTNESS

Increase the value will brighten the picture or vice versa. Choose zero (0) for average setting.

CONTRAST

Increase the value will sharpen the picture or vice versa. Choose zero (0) to balance the contrast.

TINT

Increase the value will darken the picture or vice versa. Choose zero (0) for average setting.

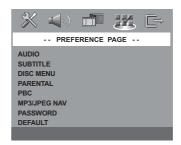
COLOUR

Increase the value will enhance the colour in your picture or vice versa. Choose zero (0) to balance the colour.

- ⑤ Press ◀► to adjust the setting that best suit your personal preference.
- 6 Repeat steps **4~5** for adjusting other colour features.
- Press **OK** to confirm.

Preference Page

- Press twice to stop playback (if any), then press SYSTEM MENU.
- 2 Press ◀► to select the 'Preference Setup' icon.
- Press OK to confirm.



Audio, Subtitle, Disc Menu

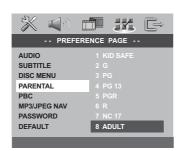
These menus contain various language options for audio, subtitle and disc menu which may be recorded on the DVD. For details, see page 14.

TIPS: To return to the previous menu, press ◀.
To remove the menu, press SYSTEM MENU.

Restricting playback by Parental Control

Some DVDs may have a parental level assigned to the complete disc or to certain scenes on the disc. This feature lets you set a playback limitation level. The rating levels are from 1 to 8 and are country dependent. You can prohibit the playing of certain discs that are not suitable for your children or have certain discs played with alternative scenes.

In 'PREFERENCE PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {PARENTAL}, then press ▶.



- ② Press ▲▼ to highlight a rating level for the disc inserted and press OK.
 - → To disable Parental controls and have all Discs play, select {8 ADULT}.
- 3 Use the numeric keypad (0-9) to enter the six-digit password (see page 30 "Changing the password").
 - → DVDs that are rated above the level you selected will not play unless you enter your six-digit password.

Helpful Hints:

- VCD, SVCD, CD have no level indication, so parental control function has no effect on these type of discs. This applies to most illegal DVD discs.
- Some DVDs are not encoded with a rating though the movie rating may be printed on the Disc cover. The rating level feature does not work for such Discs.

PBC

You can set the PBC to ON or OFF. This feature is available only on Video CD 2.0 with playback control (PBC) feature. For details, see page 19.

MP3/JPEG Menu - turning on/off

MP3/JPEG Navigator can be set only if the disc is recorded with menu. It allows you to select different display menus for easy navigation.

In 'PREFERENCE PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {MP3/JPEG NAV}, then press ▶.

WITHOUT MENU

Select this to display all the files contained in the MP3/Picture CD.

WITH MENU

Select this to display only the folder menu of the MP3/Picture CD.

Press ▲▼ to select a setting, then press OK to confirm your selection.

To return to the previous menu, press ◀.

To remove the menu, press **SYSTEM MENU**.

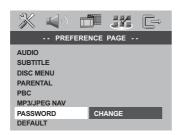
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TIPS:

Changing the Password

The same password is used for both Parental Control and Disc Lock. Enter your six-digit password when prompted on the screen. The default password is 136 900.

• In 'PREFERENCE PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {PASSWORD}, then press ► to select {CHANGE}.



2 Press **OK** to enter the 'Password Change Page'.



- Use the numeric keypad (0-9) to enter your old six-digit password.
 → When doing this for the first time, key in '136 900'.
- 4 Enter the new six-digit password.
- Enter the new six-digit password a second time to confirm.
 - → The new six-digit password will now take effect.
- 6 Press OK to confirm.

Restoring to original settings

Setting the DEFAULT function will reset all options and your personal settings to the factory defaults, except your password for Parental Control and Disc Lock.

- In 'PREFERENCE PAGE', press ▲▼ to highlight {DEFAULT}, then press ► to select {RESET}.
- ② Press OK to confirm.
 → All settings will now reset to factory defaults.

Specifications

TV STANDARD	(PAL/50Hz)	(NTSC/60Hz
Number of lines	625	525
Playback	Multistandard	(PAL/NTSC)
VIDEO PERFORMANCE		

CVBS	1Vpp — 75 ohm
YPbPr	0.7 Vpp — 75 ohm
RGB (SCART)	0.7 Vpp — 75 ohm

VIDEO FORMAT Digital Compression MPEG 2 for DVD,SVCD

MPEG 1 for VCD MPEG-4		
50Hz 720 pixels 576 lines	60Hz 720 pixels 480 lines	
50Hz	60Hz	
	352 pixels	
	MPEG-4 50Hz 720 pixels 576 lines	

AUDIO FORMAT

Digital	Mpeg/ AC-3/	compressed Digital
	PCM	16, 20, 24 bits
		fs, 44.1, 48, 96 kHz
	MP3(ISO 9660)	96, 112, 128, 256
		kbps & variable
		bit rate fs, 32, 44.1,
		48 kHz
Full decoding of Dolby Digital and DTS multi-channel		

Analog Sound Stereo

Dolby Surround compatible downmix from Dolby Digital multi-channel sound

Dolby Pro Logic II

3D sound for virtual 5.1 channel sound on 2 speakers

AUDIO PERFORMANCE

DA Converter	24 bit	
DVD	fs 96 kHz	4Hz- 44kHz
	fs 48 kHz	4Hz- 22kHz
SVCD	fs 48 kHz	4Hz- 22kHz
	fs 44.1kHz	4Hz- 20kHz
CD/VCD	fs 44.1kHz	4Hz- 20kHz
Signal-Noise (1kHz)		105 dB
Dynamic range(1kHz)		90 dB
Crosstalk (1kHz)		105 dB
Distortion/noise (1kH	z)	90 dB
MPEG MP3	MPEG Audio L3	

CONNECTIONS

Scart Output	Euroconnector
YPbPr Output	Cinch 3x
Video Output	Cinch (yellow)
Audio Output(L+R)	Cinch (white/red)
Digital Output	1 coaxial, 1 optical
	IEC60958 for CDDA / LPCM
	IEC61937 for MPEG 1/2,
	Dolby Digital

CABINET

Dimensions (w x h x d)	435 x 50 x 310 mm
Weight	Approximately 1.9 kg

POWER CONSUMPTION

Power Supply Rating	110 – 127	/ 220 – 240 V;
	50/60 Hz	
Power consumption		< 14 W
Power consumption in St	andby mode	< 1 W

Specifications subject to change without prior notice

Troubleshooting

WARNING

Under no circumstances should you try to repair the system yourself, as this will invalidate the warranty. Do not open the system as there is a risk of electric shock.

If a fault occurs, first check the points listed below before taking the system for repair. If you are unable to remedy a problem by following these hints, consult your dealer or Philips for help.

Problem	Solution
No power	 Check if the AC power cord is properly connected. Press the STANDBY ON on the front of the DVD system to turn on the power.
No picture	 Refer to your TV's manual for correct Video In channel selection. Change the TV channel until you see the DVD screen. Check if the TV is switched on.
Distorted picture	 Sometimes a small amount of picture distortion may appear depending on the disc being played back. This is not a malfunction.
Completely distorted picture or black/white picture with DVD	 Connect DVD Player directly to the TV. Make sure the disc is compatible with the DVD/ Player. Ensure that the DVD Player's TV Type is set to match that of the Disc and your TV.
No sound or distorted sound	Adjust the volume.Check that the speakers are connected correctly.
No audio at digital output	 Check the digital connections. Check if your receiver can decode MPEG-2 or DTS and if not, please make sure the digital output is set to PCM. Check if the audio format of the selected audio language matches your receiver capabilities.
No sound and picture	Check that the RGB/SCART cable is connected to the correct device (See Connecting TV).
No output from subwoofer during stereo	Check that all speaker settings in the setup menu have been change to small instead of large.
Disc can't be played	 The DVD+R/CD-R must be finalised. Ensure the disc label is facing up. Check if the disc is defective by trying another disc. If you have recorded a Picture CD or MP3 CD yourself, ensure that your disc contains at least 10 pictures or 5 MP3 tracks. Region code incorrect.

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Troubleshooting

Problem	Solution
Picture freezes momentarily during playback	Check the disc for fingerprints/scratches and clean with a soft cloth wiping from centre to edge.
No return to start-up screen when disc is removed	 Reset the unit by switching the player off, then on again.
The player does not respond to the Remote Control	 Aim the Remote Control directly at the sensor on the front of the player. Reduce the distance to the player. Replace the batteries in the Remote Control. Re-insert the batteries with their polarities (+/- signs) as indicated.
Buttons do not work	 To completely reset the player, unplug the AC cord from the AC outlet for 5-10 seconds.
Player does not respond to some operating commands during playback.	 Operations may not be permitted by the disc. Refer to the instructions of the disc jacket.
DVD Player cannot read CDs/DVDs	 Use a commonly available cleaning CD/DVD to clean the lens before sending the DVD Player for repair.
Menu items cannot be selected	 Press STOP twice before selecting System Menu. Depending on the disc availability, some menu items cannot be selected.
Unable to play DivX movies	 Check that the DivX file is encoded in 'Home Theater' mode with DivX 5.x encoder.
Unable to select Progressive Scan on/off	- Check that the output of the video signal is switch to 'YUV'.
No sound during DivX movies playback	The audio codec may not be supported by the DVD player.

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Glossary

Analog: Sound that has not been turned into numbers. Analog sound varies, while digital sound has specific numerical values. These jacks send audio through two channels, the left and right.

Aspect ratio: The ratio of vertical and horizontal sizes of a displayed image. The horizontal vs. vertical ratio of conventional TVs. is 4:3, and that of widescreens is 16:9.

AUDIO OUT Jacks: Jacks on the back of the DVD System that send audio to another system (TV, Stereo, etc.).

Bit Rate: The amount of data used to hold a given length of music; measured in kilobits per seconds, or kbps. Or, the speed at which you record. Generally, the higher the bit rate, or the higher the recording speed, the better the sound quality. However, higher bit rates use more space on a Disc.

<u>Chapter:</u> Sections of a picture or a music piece on a DVD that are smaller than titles. A title is composed of several chapters. Each chapter is assigned a chapter number enabling you to locate the chapter you want. <u>Component Video Out Jacks:</u> Jacks on the back of the DVD System that send high-quality video to a TV that has Component Video In jacks (R/G/B, Y/Pb/Pr, etc.).

<u>Disc menu</u>: A screen display prepared for allowing selection of images, sounds, subtitles, multi-angles, etc recorded on a DVD.

<u>Digital</u>: Sound that has been converted into numerical values. Digital sound is available when you use the DIGITAL AUDIO OUT COAXIAL or OPTICAL jacks. These jacks send audio through multiple channels, instead of just two channels as analog does.

<u>DivX 3.11/4.x/5.x</u>: The DivX codec is a patentpending, MPEG-4 based video compression technology, developed by DivXNetworks, Inc., that can shrink digital video to sizes small enough to be transported over the internet, while maintaining high visual quality.

Dolby Digital: A surround sound system developed by Dolby Laboratories containing up to six channels of digital audio (front left and right, surround left and right, center and subwoofer).

DTS: Digital Theatre Systems. This is a surround sound system, but it is different from Dolby Digital. The formats were developed by different companies. **JPEG:** A very common digital still picture format. A still-picture data compression system proposed by the Joint Photographic Expert Group, which features small decrease in image quality in spite of its high compression ratio.

MP3: A file format with a sound data compression system. "MP3" is the abbreviation of Motion Picture Experts Group 1 (or MPEG-1) Audio Layer 3. By using MP3 format. one CD-R or CD-RW can contain about 10 times as much data volume as a regular CD can.

<u>Multichannel</u>: DVD is specified to have each sound track constitute one sound field. Multichannel refers to a structure of sound tracks having three or more channels.

Parental Control: A function of the DVD to limit playback of the disc by the age of the users according to the limitation level in each country. The limitation varies from disc to disc; when it is activated, playback will be prohibited if the software's level is higher than the user-set level.

PCM (Pulse Code Modulation): A system for converting analog sound signal to digital signal for later processing, with no data compression used in conversion.

Playback control (PBC): Refers to the signal recorded on video CDs or SVCDs for controlling reproduction. By using menu screens recorded on a Video CD or SVCD that supports PBC, you can enjoy interactive-type software as well as software having a search function.

<u>Progressive Scan</u>: It displays all the horizontal lines of a picture at one time, as a signal frame. This system can convert the interlaced video from DVD into progressive format for connection to a progressive display. It dramatically increases the vertical resolution.

Region code: A system for allowing discs to be played back only in the region designated beforehand. This unit will only play discs that have compatible region codes. You can find the region code of your unit by looking on the product label. Some discs are compatible with more than one region (or ALL regions).

S-Video: Produces a clear picture by sending separate signals for the luminance and the color. You can use S-Video only if your TV has S- video In jack. Super Audio CD (SACD): This audio format is based upon the current CD standards but includes a greater amount of information that provides higher quality sound. There are three types of discs: single layer, double layer and hybrid discs. The hybrid disc contains both standard audio CD and Super Audio CD information.

<u>Surround</u>: A system for creating realistic threedimensional sound fields full of realism by arranging multiple speakers around the listener.

<u>Title:</u> The longest section of a picture or music feature on DVD, music, etc., in video software, or the entire album in audio software. Each title is assigned a title number enabling you to locate the title you want. <u>VIDEO OUT jack:</u> Jack on the back of the DVD System that sends video to a TV.

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