**SONY**® 3-858-249-**11** (1)

# KV-V1430K/P KV-V2110K/P

**Operating Instructions** 

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# Trinitron Colour Video TV

VHS Video
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Black Trinitron



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## **WARNING**

## **Precautions**

To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.

Dangerously high voltages are present inside the set. Do not open the cabinet. Refer servicing to qualified personnel only.

### **Caution**

Television programmes, films, video tapes and other materials may be copyrighted. Unauthorized recording of such materials may be contrary to the provisions of the copyright laws.

# **Colour System of Your Set**

This video TV is designed to receive TV programmes based on PAL (B/G and D/K) and SECAM (B/G and D/K) colour systems and to record and play on PAL and MESECAM colour systems. Also, the video TV can play tapes on NTSC colour system.

## **Safety Information**

### For general safety:

- Do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.
- Do not open the rear cover.

#### For safe installation:

- Do not block the ventilation openings.
- Do not install the unit in hot, humid, or excessively dusty places.
- Do not install the unit where it may be exposed to mechanical vibrations.

### For safe operations:

- Do not operate the unit on anything but 230 V AC.
- Do not operate the unit if any liquid or solid object falls in it—have it checked immediately.
- Unplug the unit from the wall outlet if you do not intend to use it for an extended period of time. To disconnect the cord, pull it out by the plug, never by the cord.

For your protection, refer all servicing to qualified personnel.

# **About Moisture Condensation**

If the unit is brought directly from a cold place to a warm place, moisture may condense on the video head drum. If this happens, the tape may stick to the head drum and it may be damaged or the unit may not operate correctly. To avoid possible damage caused by moisture condensation, be sure not to leave a cassette inside the compartment when the unit is not in use. When bringing the unit from a cold place to a warm place, wait for about 10 minutes before operating it.

If the tape operation buttons do not work due to moisture condensation, leave the unit for more than one hour with the power on.

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## **About This Manual**

The instructions in this manual are for models KV-V1430K/P and KV-V2110K/P.

The KV-V2110K/P differs from the KV-V1430K/P in the location of some jacks on rear panel of the video TV.

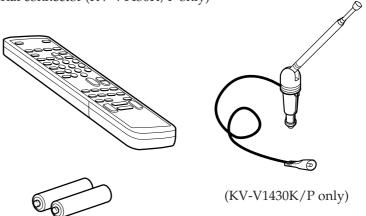
There are no differences between these models in operation.

## **Step 1 — Preparation**

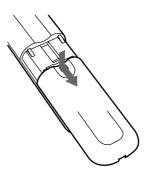
## **Checking the Supplied Accessories**

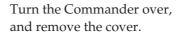
When you have taken everything out of the carton, check that you have these items:

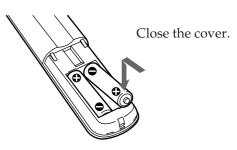
- Remote Commander
- Two R6 (size AA) batteries
- Monopole aerial (KV-V1430K/P only)
- Aerial connector (KV-V1430K/P only)



# **Inserting Batteries into the Remote Commander**







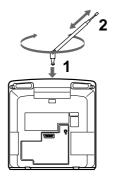
Check the polarities and position two R6 batteries correctly.

## **Step 2 — Connecting the Aerial**

# Connecting an Indoor Aerial (KV-V1430K/P only)

If your local VHF/UHF signal is strong, an indoor aerial can be used to obtain a clear picture. Connect the supplied dipole aerial as follows.

- **1** Insert the aerial until it clicks.
- **2** After turning on the video TV, adjust the aerial for best reception.

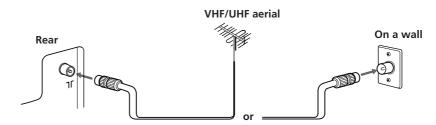


## **Connecting an Outdoor Aerial**

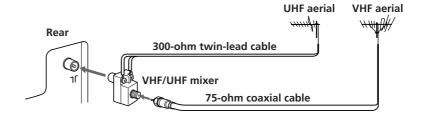
For better TV reception and recording with clear video picture, connect an outdoor aerial to your video TV.

# To connect a VHF aerial or a combination VHF/UHF aerial—75-ohm coaxial cable (round)

Attach an IEC aerial connector to 75-ohm coaxial cable. Plug the connector into the  $\,\,\,$  (aerial) socket of the video TV.

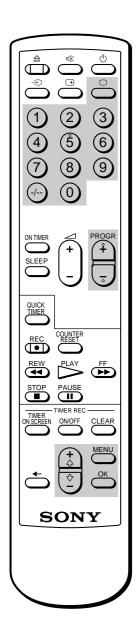


#### To connect both VHF and UHF aerials



After connecting the aerial, connect the mains lead to a wall outlet.

## **Step 3 — Tuning in to TV Stations**



You should preset the channels (up to 60 channels) by choosing either the automatic or manual method.

The automatic method is easier if you want to preset all receivable channels at once. Use the manual method if you want to allocate programme numbers to the channels one by one.

### Before you begin

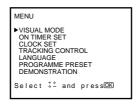
• If the ⊕ lamp on the video TV is lit in red, press □, PROGR +/- or a number button on the Remote Commander.

# Selecting the Language on the Menu

You can select one of several languages for the menu and on-screen information.

The initial setting is English.

**1** Press MENU. The main menu appears.



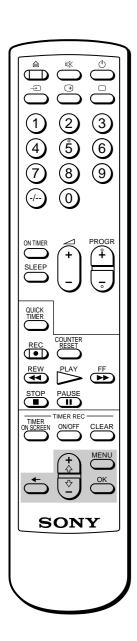
**2** Move the cursor (▶) to "LANGUAGE" with + ☆ or – ∜ and press OK. The LANGUAGE menu appears.



- **3** Select the language you want with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK. The selected language is coloured green, and the menu appears in the selected language.
- **4** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.

## Note on the DEMONSTRATION function

If you choose "DEMONSTRATION" on the main menu and press OK, you can see a sequential demonstration on the menu functions on the screen. Press any button (e.g. MENU) to stop this function.



## To stop automatic channel presetting

Press on the Remote Commander.

## **Presetting Channels Automatically**

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to "PROGRAMME PRESET" with  $+ \diamondsuit$  or  $\heartsuit$  and press OK.

The PROGRAMME PRESET menu appears.



**3** Move the cursor (▶) to "AUTO PROGRAMME" with + ☆ or – ∜ and press OK.

The AUTO PROGRAMME menu appears.

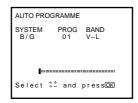


**4** Move the cursor (▶) to "B/G" or "D/K" with + ② or - ③ and press OK. The programme number you previously watched appears in red in the "PROG" position.

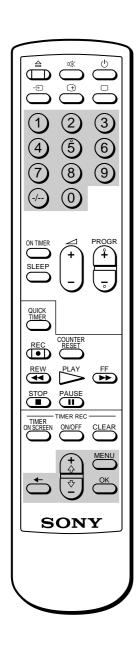
Using +  $\diamondsuit$  or –  $\diamondsuit$ , select the programme number from which you want to start presetting.

**5** Press OK.

The tuning bar appears, and the video TV starts scanning and presetting a receivable channel from programme number selected in step 4. The band scanning by tuning bar is displayed in the "BAND" position.



The preset programme and channel numbers are displayed on the screen in sequence. When presetting is finished, the original screen appears. All available channels are now stored on successive number buttons.



#### For programme positions beyond 2

The display scrolls by pressing – ∜ repeatedly.

#### If you have made a mistake

Press ← to go back to the previous position.

## **Presetting Channels Manually**

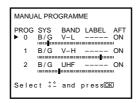
- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to "PROGRAMME PRESET" with + % or % and press OK.

The PROGRAMME PRESET menu appears.

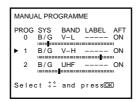


**3** Move the cursor (▶) to "MANUAL PROGRAMME" with + ☆ or – ♥ and press OK.

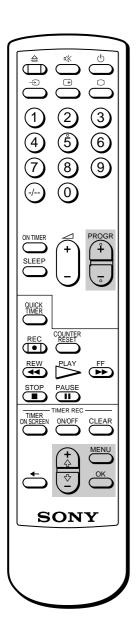
The MANUAL PROGRAMME menu appears.



**4** Using +  $\triangle$  or –  $\triangledown$ , move the cursor (▶) to the programme position (number button) to which you want to preset the channel, and press OK.



- **5** Press OK.
  - The BAND position turns red.
- **6** Select the band (V-L, V-H or UHF) you want to preset with + 2 or 3, and press OK repeatedly until the tuning bar turns red.
- **7** Press + \( \partial \) (up) or \( \psi \) (down).
  - The tuning bar turns green and starts scanning receivable channels. When the receivable channel is found, the tuning bar stops. If you want to preset this channel, press OK. If not, press + ☆ or – ∜ again to search for another band.
- **8** Repeat steps 4 to 7 to preset other channels.
- **9** After you finish presetting, press MENU to go back to the original screen.



## **Skipping Programme Positions**

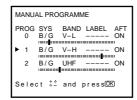
You can skip unused programme positions when selecting programme with PROGR +/- buttons. However, the skipped programmes may still be called up when you select them with the number buttons.

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (►) to "PROGRAMME PRESET" with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK.

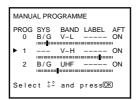
  The PROGRAMME PRESET menu appears.
- **3** Move the cursor (▶) to "MANUAL PROGRAMME" with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK.

  The MANUAL PROGRAMME menu appears.
- **4** Using + ☆ or ∜, move the cursor (▶) to the programme position which you want to skip and press OK.

  The "SYS" position turns red.



**5** Press + ☆ or – ∜ until "---" appears in the "SYS" position and press OK.

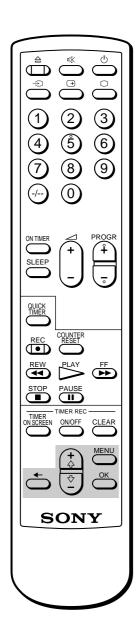


When you select programmes using the PROGR +/- buttons, the programme position is skipped.

- **6** Repeat steps 4 and 5 to skip other programme positions.
- **7** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.

## For programme positions beyond 2

The display scrolls by pressing –  $\$  repeatedly.



#### If you have made a mistake

Press ← to go back to the previous position.

## **Captioning a TV Station Name**

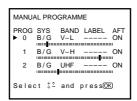
You can name a channel using up to five characters (letters or numbers) to be displayed on the TV screen (e.g. MTV). Using this function, you can easily identify which channel you are watching.

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to "PROGRAMME PRESET" with +  $\diamondsuit$  or  $\heartsuit$  and press OK.

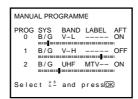
The PROGRAMME PRESET menu appears.

**3** Move the cursor (▶) to "MANUAL PROGRAMME" with  $+ \oplus$  or  $- \oplus$  and press OK.

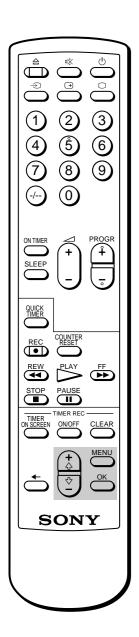
The MANUAL PROGRAMME menu appears.



- **4** Using + ☆ or ∜, move the cursor (▶) to the programme position you want to caption and press OK repeatedly until the first element of the "LABEL" position turns red.
- **5** Select a letter or number with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK. The next element turns red. Select other characters in the same way. For the element you want to leave blank, select "-" and press OK.



- **6** After selecting all the characters, press OK repeatedly until the cursor appears. Now the caption you chose is stored.
- **7** Repeat steps 4 to 6 to caption other channels.
- **8** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.



#### To reactivate automatic finetuning (AFT)

Repeat from the beginning and select "ON" in step 5.

## **Manual Fine-Tuning**

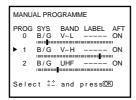
Normally, the automatic fine-tuning (AFT) is already working. However, if the picture of a programme is distorted, you can use the manual fine-tuning function to obtain better picture reception.

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to "PROGRAMME PRESET" with + ☆ or ❖ and press OK.

The PROGRAMME PRESET menu appears.

- **3** Move the cursor (►) to "MANUAL PROGRAMME" with + ⊕ or ⊕ and press OK.

  The MANUAL PROGRAMME menu appears.
- **4** Using +  $\diamondsuit$  or −  $\diamondsuit$ , move the cursor ( $\triangleright$ ) to the programme position which you want to manually fine-tune.



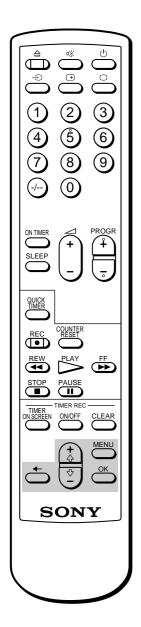
- **5** Press OK repeatedly until the AFT position turns red, then press + ☆ or ∜ to select OFF.
- **6** Press OK.

The tuning bar turns red.

While holding down + cdot or – cdot, the tuning bar flashes red and green by turns, and the channel is fine-tuned. When the best TV reception is found, release + cdot or – cdot.

- **7** Press OK. The cursor (▶) appears. Now the fine-tuned level is stored.
- **8** Repeat steps 4 to 7 to fine-tune other channels.
- **9** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.

## **Step 4 — Setting the Clock**

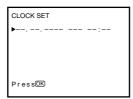


You need to set the clock for using timer recording and quick-timer recording functions.

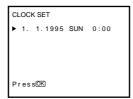
**1** Press MENU to display the main menu.



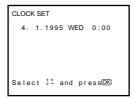
**2** Move the cursor (▶) to "CLOCK SET" with + ☆ or – ∜ and press OK. The CLOCK SET menu appears.



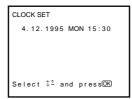
**3** Press OK to start setting the clock. The day section turns red.



**4** Set the day with  $+ \diamondsuit$  or  $- \heartsuit$  and press OK. The month section turns red.



**5** Using + ☆ or – ∜ and OK, set the month, year, hour and minute in the same way as in step 4.



- **6** After setting the minute, press OK. The clock starts working.
- **7** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.

If you have made a mistake

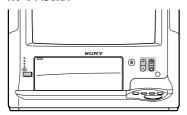
Press ← to go back to the previous

If power is interrupted or you disconnect the mains lead for more than one day

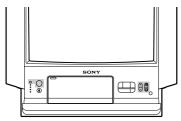
You have to re-set the clock.

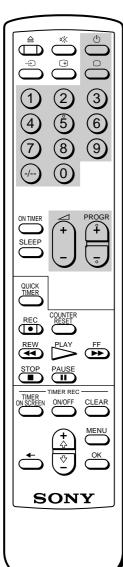
## **Watching the TV**

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This section explains the basic functions you use while watching the TV. Most of the operations can be done using the Remote Commander.

## **Switching the TV On and Off**

## Switching on

Press  $\bigcirc$ , PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander, or PROGR+/- on the video TV.

## **Switching off**

Press ().

The video TV enters standby mode and the  $\bigcirc$  lamp on the front of the video TV lights up in red.

#### To switch off the main power

Disconnect the mains lead from a wall outlet.

## **Selecting TV Programmes**

Press PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander or PROGR +/- on the video TV.

## To select a double-digit number using the number buttons

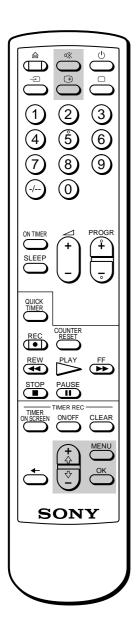
Press -/--, then the numbers.

For example, if you want to choose 14, press -/--, 1 and 4.

## **Adjusting the Volume**

Press  $\angle$  +/-.

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## **Muting the Sound**

Press 🖔.

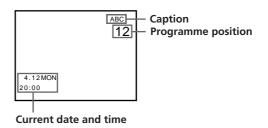
The ℜ indicator appears and stays on the screen. To resume normal sound, press  $\otimes$  again or  $\triangle$  +.

## **Displaying the On-screen Information**

Press + to display the following on-screen information.

To have the programme number and caption stay on the screen, press 🕀

To make the indications disappear, press 🛨 until no indications are displayed on the screen.

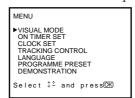


## **Adjusting the Picture**

You can select one of four settings for picture effect in the menu. You can also adjust the picture to suit your own taste.

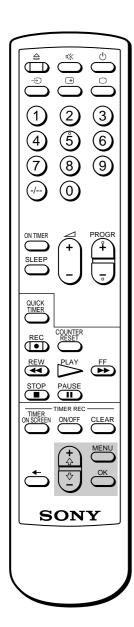
## Selecting the picture effect

**1** Press MENU to display the main menu.



**2** Move the cursor (▶) to VISUAL MODE with  $+ \diamondsuit$  or  $- \heartsuit$  and press OK. The VISUAL MODE menu appears.





Note

The HUE adjustment is available only for the NTSC colour system.

**3** Using + ☆ or – ∜, select the setting you want and press OK. For the effect of each setting, see the table below. The selected setting is stored.

#### **Effect of each setting**

Setting	Picture effect
PICTURE CONTROL	The adjusted picture control levels are stored. (See "Adjusting the picture displayed on the screen.")
STANDARD	More contrast
MILD	Less contrast
MOVIE	Darker e.g. when watching a movie

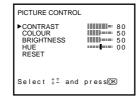
**4** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.

## Adjusting the picture displayed on the screen

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to VISUAL MODE with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK. The VISUAL MODE menu appears.

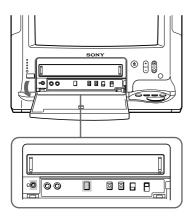


**3** Move the cursor (▶) to PICTURE CONTROL with + ☆ or – ∜ and press OK. The PICTURE CONTROL menu appears.



- **4** Using  $+ \diamondsuit$  or  $\heartsuit$ , select the item you want to adjust and press OK.
- 5 Adjust the picture with + û or ∜ and press OK. With each press the vertical bars increase or decrease and the figure at the right margin changes to show the control level. (See the table on the next page.)
- **6** Repeat steps 4 and 5 to adjust other items.

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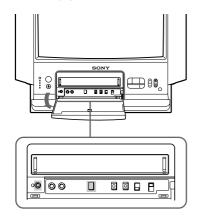


**7** Press MENU to go back to the original screen. The adjusted control levels are stored.

#### **Effect of each control**

PICTURE CONTROL	Effect		
CONTRAST	Less		More
COLOUR	Less		More
BRIGHTNESS	Darker		Brighter
HUE	Greenish	·····I	Reddish
RESET	Resets all the items to the factory preset levels.		

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## **Watching Line Input**

Press  $\bigcirc$  repeatedly until the desired input indicator appears. To go back to the normal TV picture, press ⊕ until the programme position appears, or press  $\square$  on the Remote Commander once. For details of the video input picture, see page 30.

## **Listening with Headphones**

Plug the headphones (not supplied) to the \(\infty\) (headphones) jack inside the front panel on the video TV.

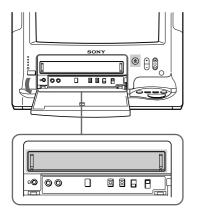
The sound from the speaker is shut off.



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## **Playing a Tape**

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**Inserting a Video Cassette** 

**1** Press  $\square$ , PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander, or PROGR +/- on the video TV.

This section shows you how to insert a cassette and to play it. More convenient functions you can use while playing a tape is shown in

**2** Open the front panel on the video TV.

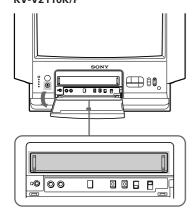
"Additional Operations" from page 26.

**3** Gently press the centre of the front side of a cassette with the arrow indication facing upwards. The cassette is automatically loaded into the cassette compartment.

The indicator appears on the screen and stays until the cassette has been loaded.

The video TV turns on automatically when it is in standby mode. If you insert a cassette with its safety tab removed, playback starts.

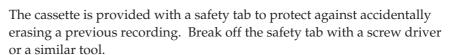
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## **Ejecting a Video Cassette**

Press EJECT  $\triangleq$  on the video TV or  $\triangleq$  on the Remote Commander. The  $\bigcirc$  indicator appears and stays until the cassette is ejected. You can eject the cassette even if the power is off.

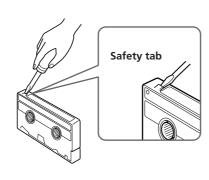
# **Protecting Your Cassette against Accidental Erasure**

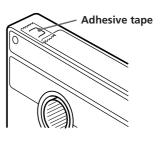


If the safety tab is removed, the cassette is ejected when you try to record on it.

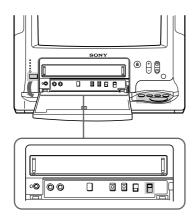
To record on a cassette with the safety tab broken off, simply cover the tab hole with adhesive tape.







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**Playing a Tape** 

**2** Insert a cassette.

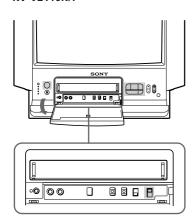
If you insert a cassette with its safety tab removed, playback starts automatically.

PROGR +/- on the video TV when the  $\bigcirc$  lamp is lit in red.

**1** Press  $\square$ , PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander, or

**3** Set the COLOUR SYSTEM switch to conform to the colour system of the tape to be played. Normally, set it to AUTO. If streaks appear when playing a tape, switch it to select the colour system. PAL: to play a tape recorded in PAL or MESECAM colour system NTSC: to play a tape recorded in NTSC colour system

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#### **4** Press PLAY ▷.

Playback starts. On-screen information is displayed for some seconds.

#### To stop playback

Press STOP ■.

The video TV goes back to the normal TV picture.

#### To stop playback for a moment

Press PAUSE **■**. The picture pauses.

Press PAUSE **■** again or press PLAY > to resume playback.

If you leave your video TV in pause mode, normal playback resumes after about 5 minutes to protect the quality of video tapes.

#### To fast forward the tape

Press STOP  $\blacksquare$ , then press FF  $\triangleright \triangleright$ .

#### To rewind the tape

Press STOP ■, then press REW ◀ ..

#### To search a tape at high speed

During playback, press and hold REW ◀◀ (rewind) or FF ▶▶ (fast forward).

A high-speed picture appears on the TV screen.

To resume normal playback, release the button.

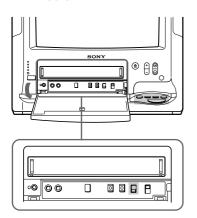
#### To view the picture in fast forward or rewind mode

Press and hold FF ▶▶ during fast forward or REW ◀◀ during rewind. While you hold the button, you can view the picture.

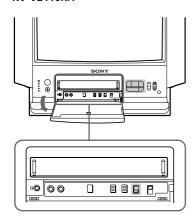
When you release the button, fast forward or rewind mode is resumed.



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#### Note

The tape operation mode will be displayed whenever you change the mode (even when the 🛨 is turned off.)

# Playing a Tape Repeatedly (Auto Repeat)

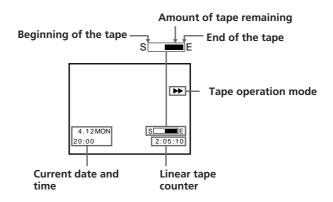
You can play the recorded portion of the tape repeatedly. Set the AUTO REPEAT switch on the video TV to ON, and press PLAY.

Playback starts. When the tape reaches the end, the video TV rewinds the tape to the beginning, then plays it.

# Displaying the on-Screen Indications

Press 🛨 to display the following on-screen information. To show only the amount of tape remaining and linear tape counter on the screen, press 🛨 again.

To make the indications disappear, press 🛨 until no indications appear.

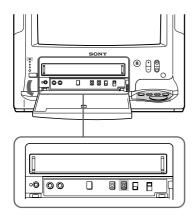


## **Resetting the Tape Counter**

The tape counter helps you to locate a certain scene after playback. Press COUNTER RESET on the Remote Commander to set the counter to "0:00:00" before playing the tape. The tape counter is automatically reset to "0:00:00" whenever a cassette is inserted. The video TV keeps counting the length of the tape being played. Note, however, that the tape counter does not count the portions without video signals recorded.

## **Recording TV Programmes**

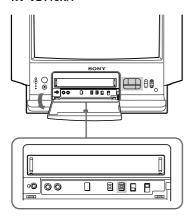
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## **Recording TV Programmes**

- **1** Press  $\square$ , PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander, or PROGR +/- on the video TV when the  $\binom{1}{2}$  lamp is lit in red.
- **2** Insert a cassette with a safety tab.
- **3** Select the programme position with PROGR+/-. You can also use number buttons on the Remote Commander. For double-digit numbers (e.g.14), first press -/--, then press 1 and 4.
- **4** Press REC **●**. The REC lamp on the front of the video TV lights up and recording begins.

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## To stop recording

Press STOP ■.

When the tape reaches the end, the video TV rewinds the tape automatically to the beginning, then stops. This function does not work when the power of the video TV is off.

### To pause recording

Press PAUSE II.

To resume recording, press PAUSE **■** again.

You can cut out an unwanted scene during recording with this button.

- 1 Press PAUSE when an unwanted scene appears on the screen. Recording pauses.
- **2** Press PAUSE again to release the pause mode at the desired scene. Recording resumes from the point set in step 1.

When the recording pause mode lasts for about 5 minutes, the video TV stops recording to protect the quality of video tapes.



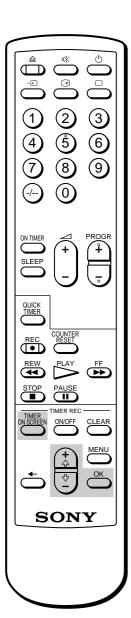
## **Recording with the TV Off**

Press (1).

The TV screen is turned off and the 1 lamp lights up. The video TV continues recording.

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# **Recording TV Programmes Using the Timer**



The Timer Recording function allows you to preset your video TV to record up to six programmes within a one-month period.

#### Before you begin

- Press □, PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander, or PROGR +/- on the video TV to switch on the video TV.
- Make sure that the time and date clock are set. If not, the message "Please set the clock" is displayed on the screen. Refer to "Setting the clock" on page 12.
- Make sure that the loaded cassette has its safety tab. If a cassette without safety tab is loaded, the message "Tape with safety tab is required for recording" is displayed.

## **Setting the Timer**

Example: Here is how to record a programme broadcast on programme position 26 from 20:15 to 21:55 on Wednesday, 6th December 1995.

**1** Press TIMER ON SCREEN. The PROGRAMME LIST appears.



2 Press OK.

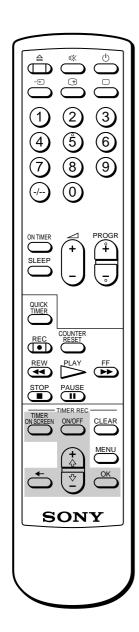
Today's date coloured red appears.

**3** Press + 4 until "6 WED" appears. For daily and weekly recording see "Daily/weekly recording" on page 23.



**4** Press OK, then set the hour of the recording start time to "20" with + ☆ or –∜.





**5** Press OK, then set the minute of the recording start time to "15" with  $+ \Leftrightarrow$  or  $- \heartsuit$ .

PROGRAM	ME LIST	20:00 4.12MON
	START 20:15	STOP PROG
==	:	
	;	:
	:	•
Select	a and	pressOK)

**6** Press OK, then set the hour of the recording stop time to "21" with + ☆ or – ⋄.



**7** Press OK, then set the minute of the recording stop time to "55" with + \(\phi\) or − \(\phi\).

PROGRAM	ME LIST	20:00 4.12MON
DATE	START 20:15	STOP PROG
WED	:	:
==	:	:
	:	•
Select	‡ and	pressOK

**8** Press OK, then set the programme position to "26" with + 4 or - 3.

PROGRAM	ME LIST	20:00	
		4. 12MON STOP PROG 21:55 26	
		:	
	:		
	:		
Select	‡ and	pressOK	

**9** Press OK.

The cursor (▶) appears at the left margin.

- **10** When you want to set other programmes, press ∜ to move down the cursor to the next line, then repeat steps 2 to 9.
- **11** Press TIMER REC ON/OFF.

The TIMER REC lamp on the front of the video TV lights up and the video TV enters timer recording standby mode.

Press TIMER ON SCREEN to erase the PROGRAMME LIST.

Turn off the video TV if you do not want to watch the TV.

The video TV turns on automatically and starts recording at the preset start time, and goes off at the preset stop time.

## If you have made a mistake during timer setting

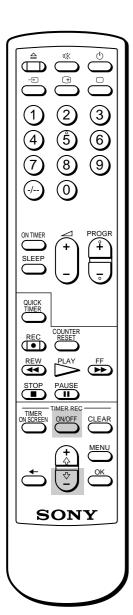
Press ← to go back to the previous position and correct the setting.

## If you try to enter the recording start time prior to the current time

All the items of the setting will be erased.

## If you try to do incorrect operation

The video TV displays a message on the screen to interrupt your setting.



### Daily/weekly recording

You can preset your video TV to record the same programme every day of the week (daily recording) or the same programme on the same day every week (weekly recording). Press – in step 3 until the desired setting appears in the "DATE" position. With each press, the setting changes as follows:

 $4 \text{ (today)} \rightarrow \text{MON-SUN} \rightarrow \text{MON-SAT} \rightarrow \text{MON-FRI} \rightarrow \text{EVERY SAT} \rightarrow \text{EVERY FRI} \rightarrow \text{EVERY THU} \rightarrow \text{EVERY WED} \rightarrow \text{EVERY TUE} \rightarrow \text{EVERY MON} \rightarrow \text{EVERY SUN} \rightarrow 3 \text{ (next month)} \rightarrow 2......$ 

### To stop timer recording

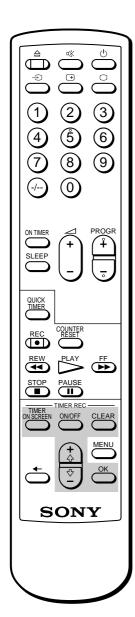
Press TIMER REC ON/OFF.
The TIMER REC lamp turns off.

## **Using the Video TV before Timer Recording Starts**

You can watch a TV programme, check the timer settings and reset the counter in timer recording standby mode. However, press TIMER REC ON/OFF to turn off the TIMER REC lamp on the front of the video TV to do the following operations:

- ejecting the cassette
- using the tape operation buttons
- changing or cancelling the timer settings

Remember to press TIMER REC ON/OFF again to make the TIMER REC lamp light after the above operations.



## **Checking the Timer Settings**

You can display the list of the timer settings which you preset.

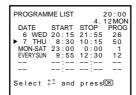
Press TIMER ON SCREEN. The PROGRAMME LIST appears.



Press TIMER ON SCREEN again to erase the PROGRAMME LIST.

## **Changing or Canceling the Timer** Settings

- **1** Press TIMER REC ON/OFF to turn off the TIMER REC lamp on the front of the video TV.
- **2** Press TIMER ON SCREEN to display the PROGRAMME LIST.
- **3** Select the setting you want to change or cancel with  $+ \hat{v}$  or  $\hat{v}$ .



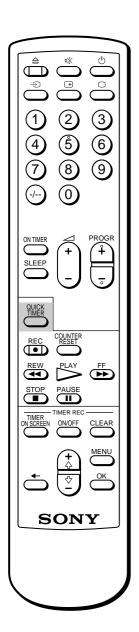
#### 4 To change the setting

Using  $+ \diamondsuit$  or  $- \heartsuit$  and OK, re-enter all the items. Refer to "Setting the timer" steps 2 to 9 on pages 21 and 22.

#### To cancel the setting

Press TIMER REC CLEAR.

- **5** Press TIMER ON SCREEN to go back to the original screen.
- **6** If there are other timer settings on the list, press TIMER REC ON/OFF to set the video TV to timer recording standby mode.



## To change the recording time period after quick-timer recording begins

Press QUICK TIMER until the desired time period appears.

#### To display the remaining time period during quick-timer recording

Press ①. The recording time period decreases minute by minute.

#### To stop quick-timer recording

Press TIMER REC ON/OFF.

## **Recording Using the Quick-Timer**

You can preset your video TV to start timer recording immediately and to automatically stop recording after a specific time period. If you have not set the clock, quick-timer recording cannot be done.

### If you are recording

- **1** Press QUICK TIMER on the Remote Commander. The "QUICK TIMER 0:00" appears on the screen.
- **2** Press QUICK TIMER repeatedly to select the recording time period. With each press, the time period changes as follows:

Even if you switch off the video TV, it continues recording. After the selected time period has elapsed, recording stops automatically.

### If you are not recording

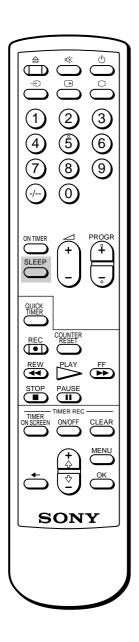
- **1** Press □, PROGR +/- or number buttons on the Remote Commander, or PROGR +/- on the video TV to switch it on.
- **2** Insert a cassette with its safety tab.
- **3** Select the programme position which you want to record.
- **4** Press QUICK TIMER on the Remote Commander. The "QUICK TIMER 0:00" appears on the screen.
- **5** Press QUICK TIMER repeatedly to select the recording time period. With each press the time period changes as follows:

The time period turns yellow and recording starts.

Even if you switch off the video TV, it continues recording.

When the preset time period has elapsed, the video TV stops recording.

# Switching off Automatically — Sleep Timer



You can automatically switches the video TV into standby mode after a selected time period.

Press SLEEP.

With each press, the time period (in minutes) changes as follows:

$$0FF \rightarrow 30 \rightarrow 60 \rightarrow 90$$

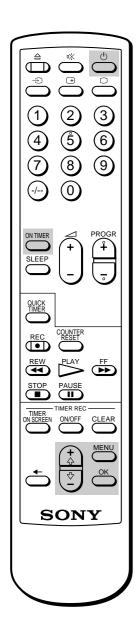
One minute before the TV switches into standby mode, a message "Good night" is displayed on the screen.

To cancel the timer

Press SLEEP to select "OFF".

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# Switching on at Your Desired Time — On Timer



To erase the message

Remote Commander.

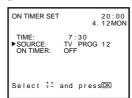
Press any button on the video TV or

You can preset your video TV to automatically switch on at a desired time. You can select the TV programme or video playback to be switched on.

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to "ON TIMER SET" with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK. The ON TIMER SET menu appears.



- **3** Press OK. The timer setting hour section turns red.
- **4** Set the hour with  $+ \Leftrightarrow$  or  $\heartsuit$  and press OK. The minute section turns red.
- **5** Set the minutes (by one minute) with + ☆ or ❖ and press OK. The cursor appears beside "TIME."
- **6** Move the cursor (▶) to "SOURCE" with  $+ \div$  or  $\div$  and press OK.
- **7** Select TV or VCR (video playback) to be switched on with + ☆ or ❖ and press OK.



- **8** Move the cursor (▶) to "ON TIMER" with + 2 or 3 and press OK, then select ON with + 2 or 3 and press OK.
- **9** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.
- **10** Press ON TIMER.

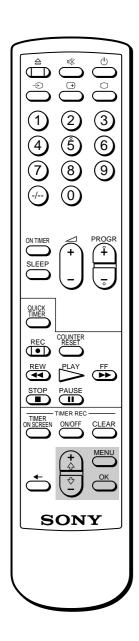
The ON TIMER lamp on the front of the video TV lights up. If you are not using the video TV, press 1 to set the video TV in standby mode.

At the preset time, the video TV automatically switches on and a message "Good morning" is displayed for five minutes.

If you do not press any button for 2 hours, the video TV automatically shuts off.

shuts off.

## **Enhancing Video Picture Quality**



#### To go back to automatic tracking

Select AUTO in the TRACKING CONTROL menu with +  $\circ$  or –  $\circ$ and press OK.

## **Adjusting the Tracking**

### Adjusting the Tracking Automatically

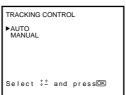
The tracking condition is automatically adjusted on this video TV. The AUTO TRACKING indicator will appear while the video TV is searching for best tracking condition.

## Adjusting the Tracking Manually

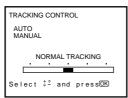
If streaks or snow noise appear on the video playback picture, adjust the tracking condition manually.

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to "TRACKING CONTROL" with + ☆ or ♥ and press OK.

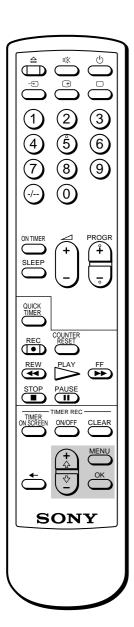
The TRACKING CONTROL menu appears.



**3** Select MANUAL with + ☆ or – ∜ and press OK. The tracking meter appears.



- **4** Using +  $\triangle$  or −  $\triangledown$ , adjust the tracking to get the best picture.
- **5** Press OK. The main menu reappears.
- **6** Press MENU to go back to the original screen.



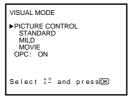
# Adjusting with the Optimum Picture Control (OPC)

This function allows you to improve playback and recording quality by adjusting the system parameter automatically according to the condition of the video tape.

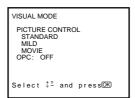
This function is set to ON at the factory. To maintain better picture quality, it is advisable to leave the function on so that the OPC lamp remains lit. The OPC function works on all types of tapes, even on rental tapes.

To change the setting, use the menu display.

- **1** Press MENU to display the main menu.
- **2** Move the cursor (▶) to VISUAL MODE with + ☆ or ∜ and press OK. The VISUAL MODE menu appears.



- **3** Move the cursor (▶) to OPC with  $+ \oplus$  or  $\oplus$  and press OK.
- **4** Select ON or OFF with + ☆ or ♥ and press OK.



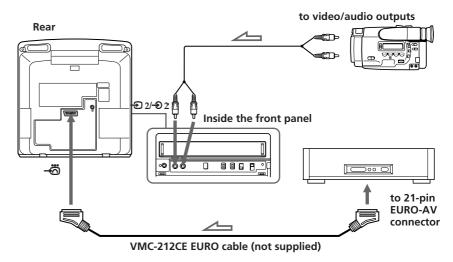
**5** Press MENU to erase the main menu.

## **About the Auto Head Cleaner**

The auto head cleaner built into this set automatically cleans the video heads when a cassette is loaded or unloaded. If the effect of head cleaning is not sufficient even after a cassette has been loaded/unloaded several times, clean the heads using the Sony V-25CL video head cleaning cassette. For details on head cleaning see page 33.

## **Connecting Optional Equipment**

## **Watching the Picture Input from Optional Equipment**



### To watch the video input signal

Press Trepeatedly until the desired input indicator appears on the

- 1 for audio/video input or RGB input through the connector
- $\bigcirc$  2 for audio/video input through the  $\bigcirc$  2/ $\bigcirc$  2 jacks on the front

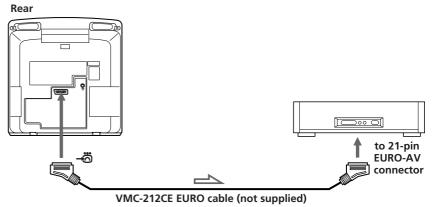
## **Editing with Another VCR**

Using an additional VCR, you can edit a tape.

## **Editing from another VCR**

Connections are the same as in "Watching the picture input from optional equipment."

## **Editing onto another VCR**



## **Troubleshooting**

Function	Problems	Possible causes and remedies		
TV reception	No picture (screen is dark), no sound	<ul> <li>The mains lead is disconnected.</li> <li>→ Connect the mains lead.</li> <li>The video TV is switched off.</li> <li>→ Press □, PROGR +/- or programme number on the Remote Commander, or PROGR +/- on the video TV.</li> </ul>		
	Good picture but no sound	<ul> <li>The headphones are connected to ∩ jack.</li> <li>Disconnect the headphones.</li> <li>The ¬¾ is displayed on the screen.</li> <li>Press ¬¾.</li> <li>Press △ +/</li> </ul>		
	No colour or poor colour (screen is dark) for colour programmes, but good sound.	Adjust "CONTRAST," "COLOUR," and "BRIGHTNESS" in the PICTURE CONTROL menu. (page 15)		
	No picture, no sound from video input source	<ul> <li>The connecting cord between the video TV and the input source is disconnected.</li> <li>→ Connect it firmly.</li> <li>Input is not selected correctly.</li> <li>→ Press ② until the desired input indicator appears. (page 30)</li> </ul>		
Clock and timer	The clock has stopped and "/" is displayed.	<ul> <li>The power has been interrupted or the mains lead is disconnected for more than one day.</li> <li>→ Re-set the clock and timer settings if necessary. (pages 12, 21)</li> </ul>		
	The clock loses or gains.	<ul> <li>The power has been interrupted or the mains lead is disconnected for less than one day.</li> <li>→ Re-set the clock and timer settings if necessary. (pages 12, 21)</li> </ul>		
Playback	Power is on, but the tape does not run.	<ul> <li>The safety device has been activated.</li> <li>Switch off, disconnect the mains lead, and leave the set for about one minute.</li> </ul>		
	Poor playback picture	<ul> <li>The COLOUR SYSTEM switch is set to incorrect position.</li> <li>⇒ Set COLOUR SYSTEM to the position corresponding to the colour system with which the tape is recorded. (page 18)</li> <li>Adjust the tracking. (page 28)</li> <li>The video heads are dirty.</li> </ul>		
		<ul> <li>Clean the heads using the Sony V-25CL video head cleaning tape (page 33). If the cleaning tape is not available in your area, have the heads cleaned at your nearest Sony service facility. (Do not use a commercially available wet-type cleaning tape, as it may damage the video heads.)</li> <li>The tape is worn out.</li> <li>Use a new tape.</li> </ul>		
	The sound drops out.	• The tape is defective.  → Use a new tape.		

Function	Problems	Possible causes and remedies
Recording	The cassette is ejected when you press REC ●.	<ul> <li>The safety tab of the cassette has been removed.</li> <li>→ Cover the tab hole with adhesive tape, or use another cassette with a safety tab. (page 17)</li> </ul>
	Recording cannot be done.	<ul> <li>No cassette has been inserted.</li> <li>→ Insert a cassette with the safety tab.</li> <li>The tape is at its end.</li> <li>→ Rewind the tape.</li> </ul>
Timer recording	Timer settings cannot be made.	<ul> <li>The clock has not been set.</li> <li>→ Set the current time and date. (page 12)</li> <li>You have made a mistake when setting the timer.</li> <li>→ Check the setting steps. (pages 21 to 23)</li> </ul>
	The cassette is ejected when you press TIMER REC ON/ OFF.	<ul> <li>The safety tab of the cassette has been removed.</li> <li>Cover the tab hole with adhesive tape, or use another cassette with a safety tab.</li> </ul>
	The TIMER REC lamp does not light up even though you press TIMER REC ON/OFF.	<ul> <li>No cassette has been inserted.</li> <li>Insert a cassette with its safety tab.</li> <li>The tape is at its end.</li> <li>Rewind the tape.</li> <li>No setting is made for timer recording.</li> <li>Set the programme for timer recording. (pages 21 to 23)</li> </ul>
	Timer recording was not made.	<ul><li>You did not press TIMER REC ON/OFF.</li><li>There has been a power interruption lasting more than one day.</li></ul>
Others	A cassette cannot be inserted.	<ul> <li>Another cassette is already inserted.</li> <li>→ Press  sto eject the cassette.</li> </ul>
	The Remote Commander does not work.	<ul> <li>The batteries are low.</li> <li>→ Replace the batteries. (page 4)</li> <li>The batteries are installed incorrectly.</li> <li>→ Install the batteries with correct polarities. (page 4)</li> </ul>

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## **Taking Care of Your Video TV**

## **Video Head Cleaning**

When playback pictures are noisy and hardly visible, or when no picture appears, the video heads may be contaminated. In such a case, clean the video heads using the V-25CL video head cleaning tape (not supplied), or ask Sony service personnel to clean the video heads, with this service there would be a standard charge.

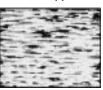
#### Symptoms caused by contaminated video heads

- Normal picture
- Rough picture
- Unclear picture
- No picture (or black & white screen appears)









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### **Worn Video Heads**

If your video TV displays a poor picture after you clean the video heads, you may need to replace them. Consult your dealer or the Sony Service Center nearest you.

# **Check the Video Heads after 1,000 Hours of Use**

A video TV is a high precision machine. It must record on or play from magnetic tapes on which the image signals from the colour TV or the video camcorder are recorded.

The video heads or mechanical parts for transporting the tape are contaminated or worn after extended use. You should have your video TV checked after each 1,000 hours of use.

#### Note

Do not use a commercially available wet-type cleaning tape, as it may damage the video heads.

## **Specifications**

**TV Section** 

Television system B/G, D/K Colour system PAL/SECAM

Channel coverage See "Receivable channels" at the

bottom.

Picture tube Trinitron

KV-V1430K/P: Approx. 37 cm

 $(14^5/8 \text{ inches})$ 

(Approx. 34 cm picture measured diagonally)

KV-V2110K/P: Approx. 54.5 cm

(21 inches)

(Approx. 51 cm picture measured diagonally)

Aerial in 75-ohm aerial socket for VHF/

**UHF** 

**Video Section** 

VHS standard Format

Video recording system

Rotary 2-head helical scanning

system

Audio recording system

Monaural

PAL/MESECAM Video signal

PAL/MESECAM: 23.39 mm/ Tape speed

NTSC (playback only): 33.35

mm/sec.

Maximum recording time

240 minutes with E-240

**Inputs and Outputs** 

Inputs LINE IN VIDEO: phono jack (1)

1 Vp-p, 75 ohms, unbalanced,

sync negative

LINE IN AUDIO: phono jack (1) Input level: 500 mVrms (100%

modulation) EURO-AV: 21-pin Output EURO-AV: 21-pin Headphones jack Monaural minijack

General

Clock Quartz locked

Power back up Approx. 1 day or less

Power requirements

230 V AC, 50 Hz

Power consumption

KV-V1430K/P: 60 W KV-V2110K/P: 81 W

Operating temperature

5°C to 40°C (41°F to 104°F)

Storage temperature

 $-20^{\circ}$ C to  $60^{\circ}$ C ( $-4^{\circ}$ F to  $140^{\circ}$ F)

**Dimensions** KV-V1430K/P:

Approx.  $391 \times 409 \times 443 \text{ mm}$ 

(w/h/d)

 $(15^{1}/2 \times 16^{1}/8 \times 17^{1}/2 \text{ inches})$ 

KV-V2110K/P:

Approx.  $540 \times 518 \times 470 \text{ mm}$ 

(w/h/d)

 $(21^3/8 \times 20^1/2 \times 18^5/8 \text{ inches})$ 

Mass KV-V1430K/P:

Approx. 15 kg (33 lb 1 oz)

KV-V2110K/P:

Approx. 25 kg (55 lb 2 oz)

**Accessories supplied** 

Remote Commander (1) R6 (size AA) batteries (2) KV-V1430K/P only: Monopole aerial (1)

Design and specifications are subject to change

without notice.

## **Receivable Channels**

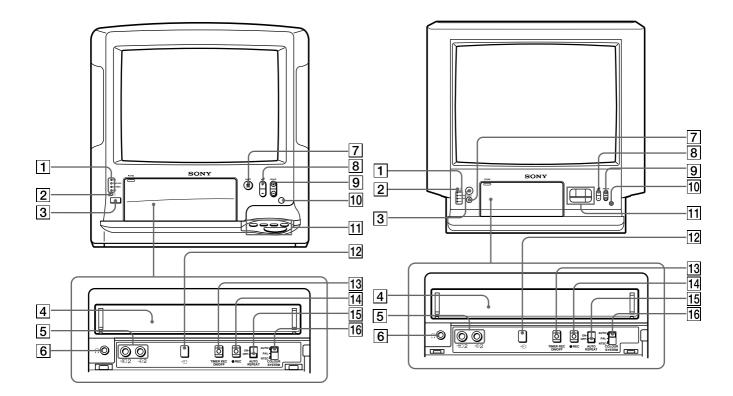
System	Area	Channel coverage
B/G	Western European countries	E-2 to E-12 E-21 to E-69
	CATV	S-01 to S-05 S-1 to S-41
D/K	Eastern European countries	R-21 to R-60 R-1 to R-12
	CATV	S-01 to S-05 S-1 to S-41

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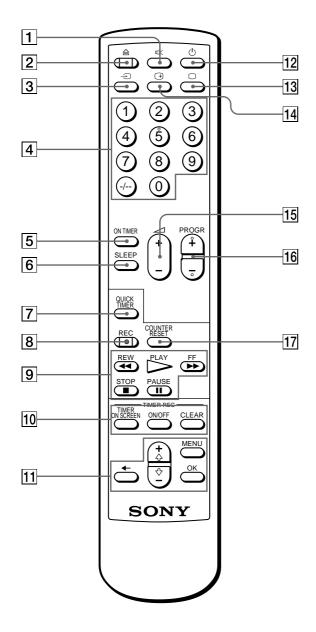
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