

Digital Satellite Receiver

```
graph TD; A(Digital Satellite Receiver) -.- B(User's Manual); B -.- C(Common Interface);
```

The diagram consists of three main text elements connected by dashed lines. At the top left, the text 'Digital Satellite Receiver' is enclosed in a rounded rectangular box. A dashed line extends from the right side of this box, moves horizontally to the right, then vertically down, then horizontally left, and finally vertically down to the top of the 'User's Manual' text. The 'User's Manual' text is centered on the page. From the bottom of the 'User's Manual' text, a dashed line extends vertically down to the top of the 'Common Interface' text. The 'Common Interface' text is enclosed in a rounded rectangular box at the bottom center. The background features a light blue abstract design with a spiral in the top right corner and a large light blue triangle pointing downwards from the top right.

User's Manual

Common Interface

Warning!

Please do not insert metal or alien substance in hole for Module and Smart Card.

In this case, it is possible that life span of STB is damaged.

CONTENTS

<i>Safety</i>	1
<i>STB Connection</i>	2
<i>Remote Control Unit (RCU)</i>	3
<i>Guide of Functions</i>	4
<i>Guide of Main Menu</i>	7
System Setting	7
Organising Channels	9
Parental Control	10
Status	10
Channel Searching	10
Common Interface	13
<i>Specification</i>	14
<i>Trouble Shooting Guide</i>	16

Safety

This STB has been manufactured to satisfy the international safety standards. Please read the following recommended safety precautions carefully.

MAINS SUPPLY : 190 ~ 260V AC 50/60Hz.

OVERLOADING : Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords or adapters as this can result in fire or electrical shock.

LIQUIDS : Keep liquids away from the STB.

SMALL OBJECTS : Coins or other small objects must be kept away from the STB as they can fall through the ventilation slots of the STB and cause serious damage.

CLEANING : Disconnect the STB from the wall socket before cleaning it. Use a cloth lightly dampened with water (no solvents) to clean the exterior of the STB.

VENTILATION : Do not block the STB's ventilation slots. Ensure that a free airflow is maintained around the STB. NEVER stand the STB on soft furnishings or carpets. Do not use or store the STB where it is exposed to direct sunlight or near a heater. NEVER stack other electronic equipment on top of the STB.



ATTACHMENTS : Do not use any attachments that are not recommended as these may cause hazards or damage the equipment.

CONNECTION TO THE SATELLITE DISH LNB :
Disconnect the STB from the mains before connecting or disconnecting the cable from the satellite dish.
FAILURE TO DO SO CAN DAMAGE THE LNB.

CONNECTION TO THE TV or VCR SET :
Disconnect the STB from the mains before connecting or disconnecting the cable from the satellite dish.
FAILURE TO DO SO CAN DAMAGE THE TV or VCR SET.

EARTHING : The LNB cable MUST BE EARTHED to the system earth for the satellite dish. The earthing system must comply with SABS 061.

LOCATION : Locate the STB indoor place properly to prevent lightning, raining and direct sunlight.

 <p>WARNING RISK ELECTRIC SHOCK DO NOT OPEN</p>	<p>TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT REMOVE COVER (OR BACK). NO USER SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE. REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL.</p>	 <p>This symbol indicates important instructions accompanying the product.</p>
<p>This symbol indicates "dangerous voltage" inside the product that presents a risk of electric shock or personal injury.</p>		

STB Connection

Introduction

There are several ways of connecting the STB to your existing TV/Audio system. Some of the methods enable you to listen to music in stereo sound of CD like quality.

Consult your local supplier for assistance in setting up an Video/Audio configuration best suited to your unique requirements.

Hints to Quality TV System Configurations

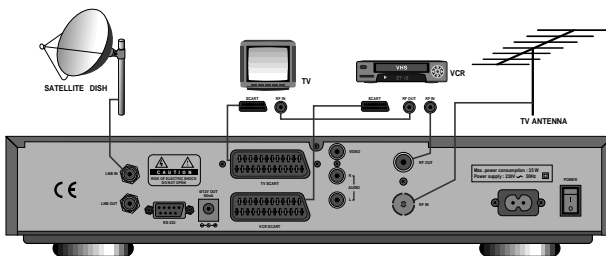
- Connect cables via Audio/Video Outputs/Inputs or SCART connector instead of RF connectors, where possible.
- Use an appropriate, correctly installed antenna system.
- Ensure that the system is properly earthed and protected against lightning.
- Connect the STB to high quality stereo TV and Hi-Fi equipment.

Note : *When Video/Audio Input Outputs or SCART connector are available a "Video" mode may need to be selected in place of a "TV" mode on the VCR and the TV.*

Connection

1. Switch off the mains supply in the STB before connecting or disconnecting the LNB.
Connect the TV antenna connector into the RF IN socket on the STB.
2. Use the flylead supplied with the STB to connect the RF OUT socket on the STB to the RF IN (aerial) connector on the VCR.
3. Use the flylead supplied with the VCR to connect the RF OUT socket on the VCR to the RF IN (aerial) connector on the TV.
4. Connect the coaxial cable from the LNB into the socket marked LNB IN on the STB.
The connector on the LNB IN should be turned until it is finger tight.
5. Connect the power plug of the STB into the mains wall socket and switch the power on.

Note : *As the SCPC channel is a weak signal it is important that the satellite dish is installed precisely to receive it, or moving pictures may be displayed with picture break up errors.*



CAUTION

DISCONNECT THE IRD FROM THE MAINS BEFORE CONNECTING OR DISCONNECTING THE LNB.

Remote Control Unit (RCU)

We designed the most friendly shape to use. You can operate every function of our STB using the RCU. Please read this section to help your understanding of the STB's functions.



Switch between normal mode and standby mode



Select TV or SAT Service



Select audio service



Use to select the TV or Audio channels and enter the channel information & PIN code.



Audio mute

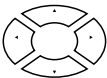


RESERVAION key

Use to reserve a programme in the TV Guide

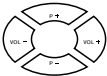


Use to page Up/Down in Channel List & Organising Channels



ARROW (UP/DOWN/LEFT/RIGHT) key

Use to select parameter of submenu and move highlight bar for selecting submenu in main menu & TV Guide



Use to select TV or Audio channels and to control volume on screen



Select programme in TV Guide and item in submenu. Display Channel List on the screen



Return to the previous menu and the screen (display mode)



Display the main menu on the screen or return to on the screen from a submenu



View programme information, schedule and reservation facilities

INFORMATION key



Display the programme information box on the screen or remove it



Select previously viewed channel



SUBTITLE Key

Display the Subtitle Information

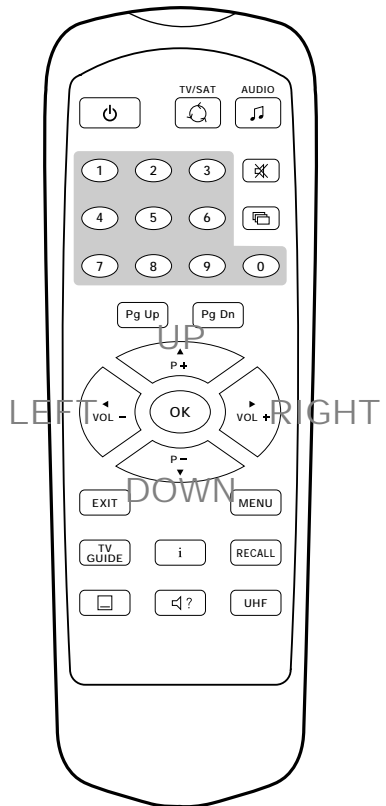
SOUNDRACK Key



Select language for soundtrack and Dual/Mono function. It depends on broadcaster



Display and alter the UHF setting in menu



Guide of Functions


TV Guide

Using the **TV GUIDE** key on the RCU, will give the description of the programme information. You can view the programme schedules from -12 to 72 hours.

If you want to know more detail on a programme, refer to information box. Move the Highlight bar using the **ARROW** keys on the RCU and the contents in information box will change according to highlighted programme.

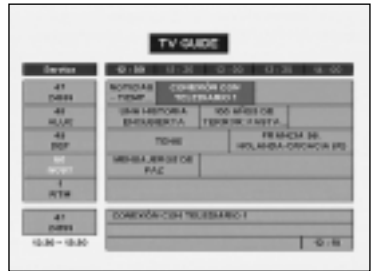
The items displayed in the programme box are as follows:

- Service number and name
- Title of programme
- A brief description of the programme
- Start and end times
- Local time

Programme Reservation : It is possible to reserve a future programme. To reserve a future programme, select the required programme using the **ARROW** keys then press  key. The reserved programme box will change background colour.

A reserved programme will automatically change (or display) the channel at the starting time of the programme.



To cancel the reservation, select the reserved programme, then press  key one more.



Information Box


Press **i** key, to view the programme information on the screen. Supplies the detailed content about the channels being viewed.


A signal level is shown between the channel name and programme information.

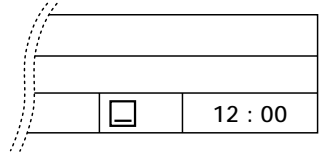
When a channel has subtitles and/or teletext, it will be displayed as symbol(, ) in information box for your convenience.




Subtitle

To enable and select the language of subtitle, press  key. Select the required language with the **UP/DOWN** key, then press **OK** key on the required language for display.

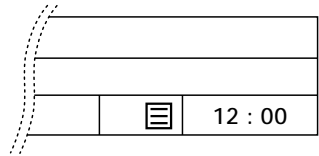
Some broadcasters do not provide subtitles. However, you will be able to confirm in the information box whether subtitles are available or not. If subtitles are provided, the  symbol is shown at the bottom in the information box.




Teletext

You will be able to confirm in the information box whether teletext is supported from the broadcaster or not. If teletext is provided, the  symbol is shown at the bottom in the information box.

To view teletext, use your TV remote control. (Not supplied on the STB's RCU) because the teletext service is controlled by the television.



Soundtrack

Some broadcasters supply multiple language Soundtracks. To select the language of Soundtrack, press  key.

Use the **UP/DOWN** keys to select the required language and press **OK** key to select it.

In addition, you are able to choose either only the left sound or right sound of Dual/Mono of soundtrack using the **LEFT** or **RIGHT** key.



Channel List

While you are viewing a channel, press **OK** key and you can view the channel List.

Select the required channel using **UP/DOWN** or **PgDn/PgUp** keys and press **OK** key to select the required channel.



To download new software

The software upgrade function allows the STB to be upgraded when new functions become available.

Common Interface Module (CIM) and Smart Card

You can enjoy not only scrambled channels using the CIM but also free channels by our STB.

If you want to watch the pay TV programme, you must use the CIM. This STB is currently able to support four kinds of CIM(Viaccess, Nagravision, CONAX, CryptoWorks).

Common Interface Module and Smart Card is dependant on the service provider.

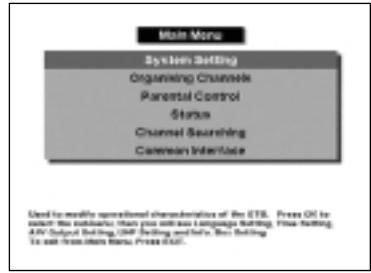
Your required CIM is supplied by your service provider or distributor.

Note : If you do not use the CIM, you can only watch the free TV programme.



Guide of Main Menu

This section introduces the Main Menu structure of STB. It requires a Personal Identification Number(PIN) code for Organising Channels, Parental Control and Automatic Search in order to protect the registered channels from someone else. The **AUTO** function in Channel Searching help to search programme channels.



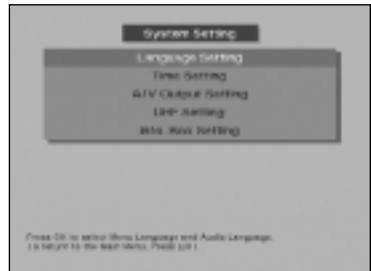
System Setting

Language Setting

Use to select the Menu and Audio language.

Menu Language

You are able to select the language for the menu and OSD(On-Screen Display). It supports English, German, Italian and so on.



Audio Language

Some service providers broadcast with one or more alternative language soundtracks. You can select your preferred Audio language in this submenu.

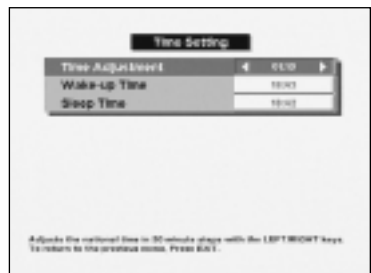
Time Setting

Time Adjustment

If your time zone is different from that of the service provider, you can adjust to your local time. It changes in steps of 30 minutes intervals.

Wake up Time (Automatic switch on time)

To set a wake up time, you can enter the 4 digits of hours and minutes using the **0~9** number keys. After setting, the STB is automatically turned on at the set time. If **DISABLE** is selected, the STB will not automatically turn on.



Sleep time (Automatic switch off time)

To set a sleep time, you can enter the 4 digits of hours and minutes. After setting, the STB is automatically turned off at the set time.

If **DISABLE** is selected, the STB will not automatically turn off.

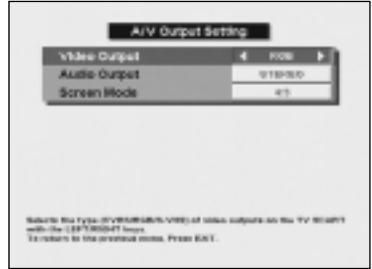
A/V Output Setting

Used to configure the Audio/Video output parameters, including setting the type of A/V output on the SCART, RF and RCA connector.

The Video output can be set for RGB, Composite video (CVBS) or S-VHS depending on the function of TV when you have connected to the SCART.

You can select Stereo or Mono Audio output.

If you have a widescreen TV, the aspect ratio setting in screen mode should be adjusted to 16:9 to allow the STB to automatically switch to widescreen format for a widescreen programme. Otherwise, set to 4:3



UHF Setting

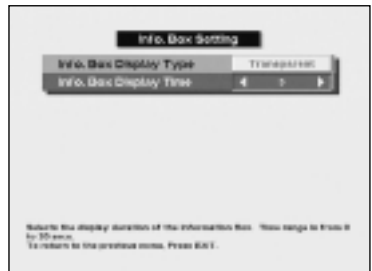
Used to select the UHF TV output settings, adjusting the UHF channel, the PAL sound mode and channel offset. The UHF tuning on the TV may need to be altered after changing the UHF output channel on the STB.



Info. Box Setting

The brightness and display duration of the information box is set here. The duration can be set in the region of 0 to 20 seconds.

If you enter 5 seconds, information box is displayed for 5 seconds after a channel change. Selecting duration of 0 seconds, prevents the Info. Box from being displayed when changing channel or pressing **i** key.



Organising Channels

This submenu allows the user to rearrange or delete channels that have been registered during channel searching.

To access the submenu, you need to insert the PIN code. Refer to Parental Control section.

This is to prevent the channels from being altered by someone else.

You can also view registered number of TV channels, Audio channels, channel's registered number and channel informations.

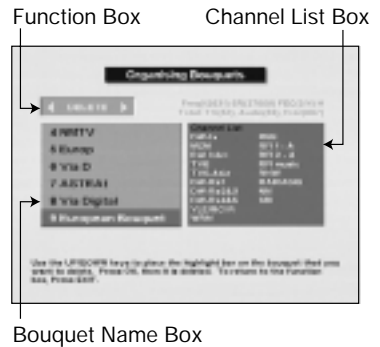
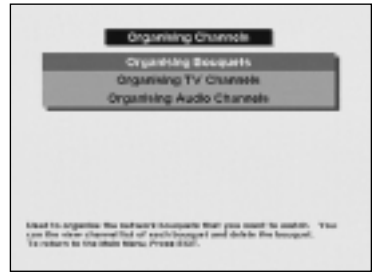
Note: To restore the deleted channels, you must try the Channel Searching again.

Organising Bouquets

This submenu lists the channels and describes channel information(Frequency, Symbol Rate, FEC and Polarization) of each bouquet.

You can delete any un-required bouquets using the **DELETE** or the **ALL DELETE** function.

The bouquet is a list of channels grouped by the broadcaster.



Organising TV Channels

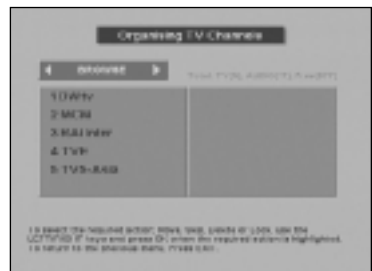
Use to reorganise the TV channels using the **MOVE**, **SKIP**, **DELETE** or **LOCK** functions.

You can use the **PgUp/PgDn** key to move the highlight bar through the list faster. Refer to help message in this submenu about a using method of each function.

Organising Audio Channels

Use to reorganise the Audio channels using the **MOVE**, **SKIP**, **DELETE** or **LOCK** functions.

You can use the **PgUp/PgDn** key to move the highlight bar through the list faster. Refer to help message in this submenu about a using method of each function.

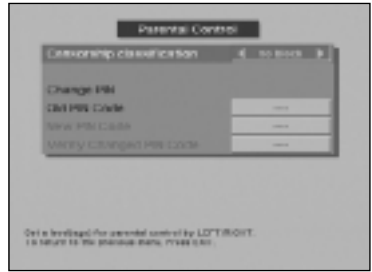


Parental Control

You are able to control the viewing of certain programmes by age classification and change the PIN code.

The factory setting of the PIN code is **0000**.

Note: This PIN code is also used for the Organising Channels and Automatic Search menus.



Censorship Classifications

You can restrict the viewing of certain programmes by setting the age limit from the options using the **RIGHT/LEFT** keys.

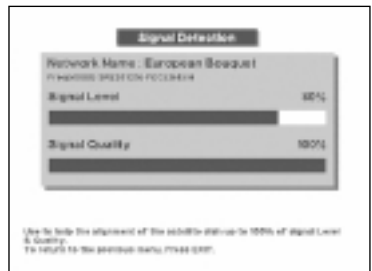
Change PIN

Use to change the PIN Code. You can insert the wanted 4 digits using the **0~9** number keys on the RCU.

Status

Signal detection can be used to help the alignment of the satellite dish and to view the strength and quality of signal from satellite. The signal quality is more important than signal strength in digital systems.

STB status describes important diagnostic and version information of STB for a technician. You may be asked to confirm some of this information to helpline person.

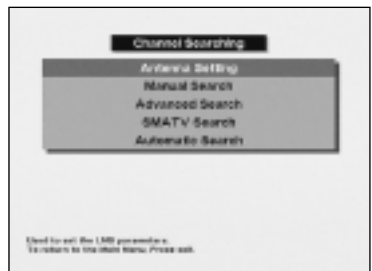


Channel Searching

Use to register wanted channels. Searching time is faster than another STB.

You can search the ASTRA1 and HOTBIRD channels without Antenna Setting using the Automatic Search.

Note: Check the signal level or channel information when channel searching fail.



Antenna Setting

More than one satellite antenna may be connected to the STB. It can store the characteristics of at least 8 different antenna configurations using the this sub menu. Press **OK** after Antenna Setting and go to Manual Search.

Antenna Alternative of ASTRA1 and HOTBIRD is decided the factory setting as following;

- Antenna Alternative of ASTRA1 is 7.
- Antenna Alternative of HOTBIRD is 8.

So you can set Antenna Alternative for other satellite from 1 to 6. It is mean that to search a ASTRA1 and HOTBIRD channels, you do not need to adjust the Antenna Setting's item because it is automatically decided by function of Automatic Search.

Antenna Alternative : Select an antenna alternative from 1 to 8.

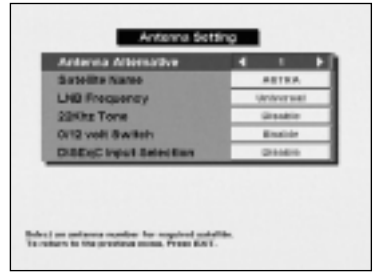
Satellite Name : Select a satellite name of LNB configuration.

LNB Frequency : Select a LNB frequency or type on the dish - Universal, 5150, 9750, 10600, 11475, User(Use to enter another alternative).

22 Khz Tone : To support the universal LNB.
-Enable, Disable.

0/12 Volt Switch : It is possible automatically switch between two LNBS.

DiSEqC Input Selection : It is possible to connection up to 4 LNBS. Select DiSEqC 1,2,3 and 4 according to LNB's connected configuration of DiSEqC. Refer to right table.

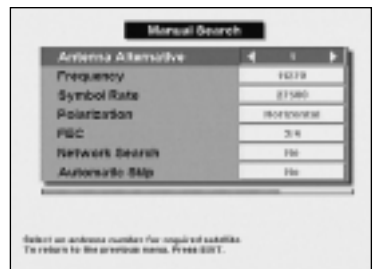


Matrix	Option S/W	Satellite position S/W
A	a	a
B	a	b
C	b	a
D	b	b

Manual Search

Use to search for channels using the frequency, polarisation, symbol rate and FEC of known transponders. This submenu includes signal level as graphic bar shape so that you can view the status of antenna.

Antenna Alternative : Select the number of the Antenna Setting.



Frequency : Input a frequency of wanted transponder using the **0-9** number keys on the RCU.

Symbol Rate : Input a symbol rate of transponder using the **0-9** number keys.

Polarization : Select the type of polarization - (Horizontal, Vertical, Circular left or Circular right.)
For your convenience, there is also included an **AUTO** function.

FEC(Forward Error Correction) :
Select the type of FEC. For your convenience, there is included an **AUTO** function - 1/2, 2/3, 3/4, 5/6, 7/8, Auto.

Network Search : Use to scan other associated transponder frequencies of similar channels during the search.

Automatic Skip : Use to skip the scrambled channels. This is search only free channels.

Note : If you want to watch the required bouquet information(Frequency, Symbol Rate and so on), enter the Manual Search on the screen of the channel or the Organising Bouquets.

Advanced Search

Use to search for channels under test for which you have PID codes(Video, Audio, and PCR code). For your convenience, there is included an **AUTO** function.

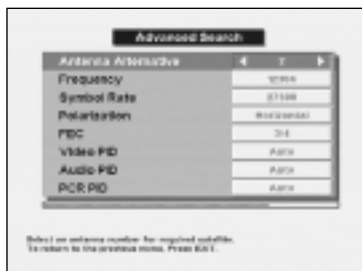
Video PID : You can enter not only Decimal code but also 'Hex' code.

Audio PID : You can enter not only Decimal code but also 'Hex' code.

PCR PID : You can enter not only Decimal code but also 'Hex' code.

In case of need to insert a 'Hex' Code.

1. Select the 'Hex' position using the **LEFT/RIGHT** keys.
2. Press **OK** then appears to Code Input Box.
3. Select the required 'Hex' Code by **ARROW/OK** keys.



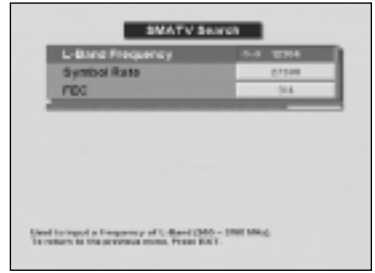
SMATV Search

Use to search for channels when using SMATV equipment.

L-Band Frequency : Input a frequency of L-Band (950 ~ 2150 MHz).

Symbol Rate : Input a symbol rate of signal.

FEC : Select the type of FEC.



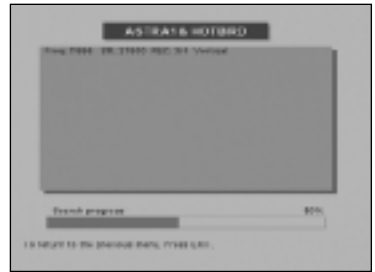
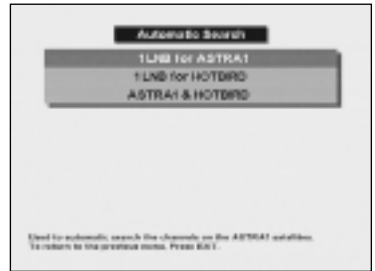
Automatic Search

Use a simple and easy method to search the channels of ASTRA1 and/or HOTBIRD satellite.

To access the submenu, you need to insert the PIN code. Refer to Parental Control. This prevents the channels from being altered by someone else.

If you have a undesired channels stored, can be removed using the Organising Channels menu.

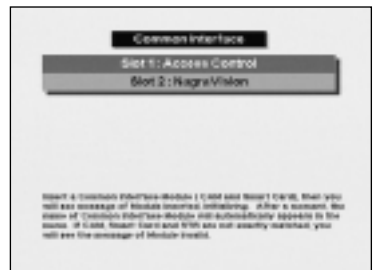
Note: *You can confirm the channel-searching status from the Search Progression indication. If channels do not appear on the screen despite of increased Search Progression, you should check the antenna alignment or LNB frequency again.*



Common Interface

Access the information and menus of Common Interface Module.

You must exactly match the CIM, Smart Card and STB for a good operation.



Specification

IRD Specification

Items	Specification
Power	190 ~ 260V AC 50/60Hz
Input frequency	950 ~ 2150 MHz
CPU	MIPS
RAM	2Mbyte
Flash Memory	1Mbyte
EEPROM	16Kbyte
Data service	1 RS-232C, 19KBPS, 9P DSUB
SCART	2 SCART ; 1 VCR, 1 TV
RCA	2 left and right Audio/Video
LNB power	Switchable 13.5/18V (400mA max)
Modulation/FEC type	QPSK/Multiple convolutional coding (DVB compliant)
DiSEqC Bus	DiSEqC Ver 1.0 Supported
Tone Switching	22KHz
RF Modulator	UHF ch21 ~ 69 with PAL I/B/G
Specification	MPEG-2/DVB Compliant SI
Video compression	MP@ML in MPEG-2
Aspect ratio	4:3 and 16:9 with pan vector
On-screen display	16 colours
EPG	supported
LNB Selector (Control output)	0/12V
PC card slot	2 PCMCIA type I/II supported Common Interface
MCPC/SCPC	supported

Channel Processing

Items	Specification
Input Frequency Range	950 ~ 2150 MHz
Tuning System	PLL Digital Synthesis channels
Tuning Step Size	125KHz max
Modulation	QPSK (DVB Specification)
Inner FEC	rates is 1/2, 2/3, 3/4, 5/6, 7/8 (DVB Specification)
Outer FEC	Reed Solomon coding RS (204,188,t=8) DVB compliant
Input Signal Data Rate	2 to 31Ms/s
IF Bandwidth	36MHz
Connector Type	F Type (IEC 169 - 24 female)

Video Specification

Items	Specification
Specification	Meets ETR 154 amended in ALM-95-021
TV system	PAL I, G or B
Video Decoding	ISO/IEC 13818-2, MP@ML
Multiple video resolutions	704 pixels x 576lines x 25 frames per second
	544 pixels x 576lines x 25 frames per second
	480 pixels x 576lines x 25 frames per second
	352 pixels x 576lines x 25 frames per second

MPEG Audio

Items	Specification
Operation Modes	Mono, dual, stereo and joint stereo audio
Sampling rates	32, 44.1 and 48KHz
Resolution	18 bit digital to analogue converters

RF Modulator

Items	Specification
Features	Input and lossless RF bypass supported
Connector	IEC coaxial female 9.5 mm. (IEC 169-2)
Channel Range	CCIR UHF E21-E69 adjustable
Preset Channel	channel 38 (or TBD)

Trouble Shooting Guide

Symptoms	Check Points
<i>About STB</i>	
Does not display any message on the front panel or STB does not work.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the main power cable and main power switch on the rear panel. • Check Standby mode is On or Off.
Picture does not appear	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the video output port (SCART & CINCH) is firmly connected to TV or VCR. • Check that LNB cable is well connected from dish to STB. • Check the LNB <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If LNB has problems, change to new LNB. • Check the SAT/TV/VCR status of STB by RCU. • Check the bright level of TV. • Check the signal level <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you have weak level, adjust the dish
No Sound	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer to "Picture does not appear". • Check the volume level of TV or STB. • Check Mute is On or Off.
Remote Control does not operate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the battery exhausted.
<i>About Error Message on screen</i>	
No or Bad signal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the LNB cable and dish position. • Check whether Smart Card is appropriate.
Service is not running or scramble / No access to the service slot.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check whether the CI module and smart card are correctly inserted. • Check whether the CI module, smart card and receiving stream are same.
Please check the card / No right for this service / No smart card in slot and please insert your card (when using the CAM)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the insert status of smart card. • Check program viewing right using the smart card.