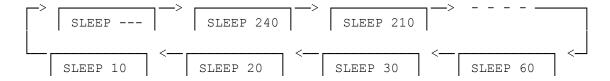
SETTING THE SLEEP TIMER

The sleep timer automatically turns off the television after the selected time period -- 240, 210, 180, 150, 120, 90, 60, 30, 20, or 10 minutes.

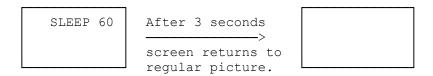
Follow these steps to use the sleep timer.

1. Press SLEEP on the remote control until the desired time period appears on the screen.

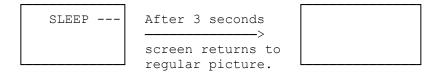


2. Wait 3 seconds for the screen to automatically clear. The timer begins to count down for the selected number of minutes.

NOTES: To view the remaining sleep time, press SLEEP once.



To cancel the sleep timer, press SLEEP until the display shows SLEEP ---.



USING CLOSED CAPTIONS

Closed captioning is a process by which the audio portion of a television program is converted to written words that appear on the television screen in a form similar to English subtitles. Closed captions allow viewers to read the dialogue and narration of television programs.

Caption signals are transmitted as part of TV broadcast and then decoded by the TV to display as words.

Caption Tips

Not all TV broadcasts include closed caption signals. Check your local programming guide.

Sometimes TV stations broadcast two different caption signals on the same channel. By selecting MODE 1 or MODE 2 under MODE SELECTION, you can choose which signal you view. MODE 1 is usually the signal with

the captions, while MODE 2 might show demonstration or programming information.

Your TV might not receive caption signals normally in the following situations.

1. If these bad broadcasting conditions occur:

IGNITION: Black spots or horizontal streaks appear, picture flutters or drifts. Usually caused by interference from an automobile ignition system, neon lamps, drills or other electrical appliances.

GHOSTS: Double images appear. Ghosts are caused by the television signal following two paths: The direct path and another reflected from a building, hill, or other object. Changing the direction or position of the antenna might improve the reception.

SNOW: Small dots in the picture. If your receiver is located at the fringe area of the television station where the signal is weak, you might need to install a special antenna to improve the picture.

- You are using an old, bad or illegally recorded tape in the VCR connected to the TV.
- 3. An airplane or car is interfering with the TV signal.
- 4. The signal from the antenna is weak.
- 5. The TV is not receiving digital caption signals. Your TV can only decode digital caption information.

If you connect a VCR that has captioning to the TV, note the following:

- 1. For the best reception of broadcast caption signals, connect a signal distributer.
- 2. Select the caption function for either the TV or the VCR, but not both. If both are decoding caption signals, captions might overlap or reception might be poor.

Selecting the Caption Function

1. Press CAPTION on the remote control or FUNCTION on the front panel so DECODER appears. Then press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to ON.

DECODER

---> ON
OFF

2. Press CAPTION or FUNCTION so DECODER MODE appears. Then press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to CAPTION.

DECODER MODE

---> CAPTION
TEXT

3. Press CAPTION or FUNCTION until MODE SELECTION appears. Press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to MODE 1 or MODE 2. (See "Caption Tips").

MODE SELECTION

---> MODE 1

MODE 2

To turn off captions, press CAPTION or FUNCTION so DECODER appears, and then press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to OFF.

DECODER
ON
OFF

NOTE: If you select captioning and then turn off the TV, captioning is still active when you turn the TV on again.

Using The Text Function

Text is information presented in a black box on the television screen as a service to viewers. Some examples of text broadcasts are captioned program lists, weather forecasts, stock exchange reports, and wire-service news.

VGE 1033 Closed Caption Calibrated Distortion Unit Text Mode

Green Text
Green underline
Green Italics

Some television stations provide two different text services. You can select between the two text signals on the same station by selecting MODE 1 or MODE 2 under MODE SELECTION.

NOTE: Not all television stations provide text services.

Selecting Text

1. Press CAPTION on the remote control or FUNCTION on the front panel to display DECODER. Then press the VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to

DECODER

---> ON
OFF

2. Press CAPTION or FUNCTION so the display shows DECODER MODE. Then press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to TEXT.

DECODER MODE
CAPTION
TEXT

3. Press CAPTION or FUNCTION so the display shows MODE SELECTION and press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to MODE 1 or MODE 2.

MODE SELECTION

---> MODE 1

MODE 2

To turn off the text function, press CAPTION or FUNCTION so DECODER appears, and then press VOLUME + or - so the arrow points to OFF.

NOTE: If the signal for the text program is weak, the black box might appear and disappear on the screen. This problem goes away when reception improves.

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