Service Manual

LCD Television

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MB211 Chassis

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Safety Precautions

General Guide Lines

- 1. When servicing, observe the original lead dress. If a short circuit is found, replace all parts which have been overheated or damaged by the short circuit.
- 2. After servicing, see to it that all the protective devices such as insulation barriers, insulation papers shields are properly installed.
- 3. After servicing, make the following touch current checks to prevent the customer from being exposed to shock hazards.

Touch-Current Check

- 1. Plug the AC cord directly into the AC outlet. Do not use an isolation transformer for this check.
- 2. Connect a measuring network for touch currents between each exposed metallic part on the set and a good earth ground such as a water pipe, as shown in Fig. 2.
- 3. Use Leakage Current Tester (Simpson 228 or equivalent) to measure the potential across the measuring network.
- 4. Check each exposed metallic part, and measure the voltage at each point.
- 5. Reserve the AC plug in the AC outlet and repeat each of the above measure.
- The potential at any point (TOUCH CURRENT) expressed as voltage U1 and U2, does not exceed the following values: For a. c.: U1 = 35 V (peak) and U2 = 0.35 V (peak);
 - For d. c.: U1 = 1.0 V,

Note:

The limit value of U2 = 0.35 V (peak) for a. c. and U1 = 1.0 V for d. c. correspond to the values 0.7 mA (peak) a. c. and 2.0 mA d. c.

The limit value U1 = 35 V (peak) for a. c. correspond to the value 70 mA (peak) a. c. for frequencies greater than 100 kHz.

7. In case a measurement is out of the limits specified, there is a possibility of a shock hazard, and the equipment should be repaired and rechecked before it is returned to the customer.



NOTE – Appropriate measures should be taken to obtain the correct value in case of non-sinusoidal waveforms

Fig. 2

Prevention of Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) to Electrostatically Sensitive (ES) Devices

Some semiconductor (solid state) devices can be damaged easily by static electricity. Such components commonly are called Electrostatically Sensitive (ES) Devices. Examples of typical ES devices are integrated circuits and some field-effect transistors and semiconductor "chip" components. The following techniques should be used to help reduce the incidence of component damage caused by electrostatic discharge (ESD).

- 1. Immediately before handling any semiconductor component or semiconductor-equipped assembly, drain off any ESD on your body by touching a known earth ground. Alternatively, obtain and wear a commercially available discharging ESD wrist strap, which should be removed for potential shock reasons prior to applying power to the unit under test.
- 2. After removing an electrical assembly equipped with ES devices, place the assembly on a conductive surface such as aluminum foil, to prevent electrostatic charge build up or exposure of the assembly.
- 3. Use only a grounded-tip soldering iron to solder or unsolder ES devices.
- 4. Use only an anti-static solder removal device. Some solder removal devices not classified as "anti-static (ESD protected)" can generate electrical charge sufficient to damage ES devices.
- 5. Do not use freon-propelled chemicals. These can generate electrical charges sufficient to damage ES devices.
- Do not remove a replacement ES device from its protective package until immediately before you are ready to install it. (Most replacement ES devices are packaged with leads electrically shorted together by conductive foam, aluminum foil or comparable conductive material).
- Immediately before removing the protective material from the leads of a replacement ES device, touch the protective
 material to the chassis or circuit assembly into which the device will be installed.
 Caution

Be sure no power is applied to the chassis or circuit, and observe all other safety precautions.

 Minimize bodily motions when handling unpackaged replacement ES devices. (Otherwise harmless motion such as the brushing together of your clothes fabric or the lifting of your foot from a carpeted floor can generate static electricity (ESD) sufficient to damage an ES device).

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About lead free solder (PbF)

Note: Lead is listed as (Pb) in the periodic table of elements. In the information below, Pb will refer to Lead solder, and PbF will refer to Lead Free Solder. The Lead Free Solder used in our manufacturing process and discussed below is (Sn+Ag+Cu). That is Tin (Sn), Silver (Ag) and Copper (Cu) although other types are available.

This model uses Pb Free solder in it's manufacture due to environmental conservation issues. For service and repair work, we'd suggest the use of Pb free solder as well, although Pb solder may be used. PCBs manufactured using lead free solder will have the PbF within a leaf Symbol

(PbF) stamped on the back of PCB.

Caution

- Pb free solder has a higher melting point than standard solder. Typically the melting point is 50 ~ 70 °F (30~40°C) higher. Please use a high temperature soldering iron and set it to 700 ± 20 °F (370 ± 10 °C).
- Pb free solder will tend to splash when heated too high (about 1100 °F or 600 °C).
 If you must use Pb solder, please completely remove all of the Pb free solder on the pins or solder area before applying Pb solder. If this is not practical, be sure to heat the Pb free solder until it melts, before applying Pb solder.
- After applying PbF solder to double layered boards, please check the component side for excess solder which may flow onto the opposite side. (see Fig.3)



Suggested Pb free solder

There are several kinds of Pb free solder available for purchase. This product uses Sn+Ag+Cu (tin, silver, copper) solder. However, Sn+Cu (tin, copper), Sn+Zn+Bi (tin, zinc, bismuth) solder can also be used. (see Fig.4)





Service Navigation Chassis Board Layout

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Name	Name Function	
Main Board	AV Terminal, HDMI, USB, TUNER DVB-	1
Main-Doaru	A/T/C, CI-Slot, Headphones, Speaker out,	I
P-Board	Main Input, Power Supply, Back Light	2
IR Receiver	Remote Receiver	3
Panel	LCD-Panel / Backlight	4
Speaker		5
LVDS Cable		6

Service Navigation Chassis Board Layout

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Name	Function	Position
Main Board	AV Terminal, HDMI, USB, TUNER DVB-	1
Ivialit-Doaru	A/T/C, CI-Slot, Headphones, Speaker out,	I
P-Board	Main Input, Power Supply, Back Light	2
IR Receiver	Remote Receiver	3
Panel	LCD-Panel / Backlight	4
Speaker		5
LVDS Cable		6
WIFI-Board		7

TX-39GS352



Name Function		Position
Main Deand	AV Terminal, HDMI, USB, TUNER DVB-	1
Main-Duaru	A/T/C, CI-Slot, Headphones, Speaker out,	I
P-Board	Main Input, Power Supply, Back Light	2
IR Receiver	Remote Receiver	3
Panel	LCD-Panel / Backlight	4
Speaker		5
LVDS Cable		6
WIFI-Board		7

Service Navigation Chassis Board Layout

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Name	Function	Position
Main Roard	AV Terminal, HDMI, USB, TUNER DVB-	1
Main-Doard	A/T/C, CI-Slot, Headphones, Speaker out,	I
P-Board	Main Input, Power Supply, Back Light	2
IR Receiver	Remote Receiver	3
Panel	LCD-Panel / Backlight	4
Speaker		5
LVDS Cable		6
T-Con	T-Con Board	7

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Name	Function	Position
Main Board	AV Terminal, HDMI, USB, TUNER DVB-	1
Main-board	A/T/C, CI-Slot, Headphones, Speaker out,	I
P-Board	Main Input, Power Supply, Back Light	2
IR Receiver	Remote Receiver	3
Panel	LCD-Panel / Backlight	4
Speaker		5
LVDS Cable		6

Spareparts Identification

In order to properly identify correct Parts Order No. for each unit, it is required to respect not only the Model number, but also the so called Product Code. Both information can be obtained from rating label on the rear cover of the unit. In the below example the key information would be:



Then login to PanaNet and download concerned parts list. Model No. and Production Code are part of the file name.

Service Menu

You can see the service menu main screen below. You can check SW releases by using this menu. Some Video settings can be done.

How to enter into Service Menu

First press [MENU] button on the remote control, then type "4725" and the Service Main Menu will appear.

How to exit

To return from Service Menu simply press [EXIT] on remote control.

SERVICE MENU (Shredder) (V.0.53.0.0) (SVN: 257912) (/0009df/7018.dcf) (MB211) (768MB)

Video Settings	
Audio Settings	TV Life Time : 3001 minutes Tv APS Time: MEC FW Version: N/A-PO: xx-xx-xx
Options 1	Bootloader Version : MB211-0008 Stbc ver: 0078 MEMC : HW_NA/SW_NA DDR Freq: 1500M
Options 2	UI File Version : V.O.53.0.0 UI Name : panasonic_II_fhd_target_sd PANEL : 43_VESUNYLN01_2D_FHD_D_N_F0_P_211_XX - SVN:257794 - 253998
Ontions 3	PQ : FullHD_QualityMap_Panasonic - SVN:252963 Build Time : 2018-02-27 11:17:00 PROFILE : 27986295 10114979 V05300
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HDCP status	ОК	
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SOFTWARE UPDATE

MAIN SW UPDATE

In MB211 project please follow the update procedure below:

1. The files

shredder_usb_update.bin shredder_usb_update.scr

should be copied directly into root path of an empty flash memory (not in a folder).

- 2. Insert flash memory into the TV while TV is disconnected from AC mains.
- 3. Reconnect TV to main power and keep pressing the OK button on remote until LED starts blinking.
- 4. Now SW update is in progress and LED flashes until update is completed.

Hotel Mode

HOTEL TV FEATURES

The HOTEL TV is a special mode which restricts some operations of TV. This allows the customer to use the TV in hotels, in prisons or in hospitals. The restrictions of a hotel TV are basically given below.

- 1. The user cannot increase the volume above a specified limit / Volume can be fixed to a certain level
- 2. The user could enable headphone direct volume control.
- 3. The user cannot reach some menus.
- 4. There is panel lock feature which does not allow the user to use the keypad touch on the TV set when it is active.
- 5. Startup source position can be limited for the user.
- 6. Last status could be used or not
- 7. Teletext could be disabled or enabled.
- 8. NVRAM data (like service list and user preferences, etc.) could be copied or set via USB device
- 9. Pin8 could be used or not

HOTEL TV MENU

To enter hotel menu, please press MENU(M) button on remote control, then key in "7935" and the hidden Hotel TV Menu will appear on the screen

HOTEL MODE

Setting "Hotel Mode" item 'On' activates hotel mode. In other words user can do only what he/she is allowed to do. Restriction level can be determined by using other items on menu namely Volume Limit, Panel Button, OSD Disable. In hotel mode, users can not reach channel table and install menu so they could not change any program information.

Last Status

Setting "Last Status" item to 'On' enable TV open with the closing status. Otherwise, if "Last Status" item is set 'Off' TV opens with *standby* status.

Panel Lock

Enables (Panel Lock = On) or prohibits (Panel Lock = Off) the use of front panel buttons.

If OFF is selected TV will go on normal operation. If It is ON RCU will not function in any menu(including no menu) except this menu. To turn this option OFF later, "hotel TV menu shortcut" (MENU(M)-7-9-3-5) can be used to pop up this menu,

Startup Position

Specifies the starting channel when TV is switched ON. May take one of following values:

- 🔊 AUTO
 - TV is opened using standby key or digit keys: Last channel or last external source when TV is turned off

∠ TV

- TV is opened using standby key: TV channel number that is specified on field Startup Channel
- TV is opened using digit keys: Corresponding channel

Solution of the sternal sources (EXT1, HDMI2, PC, FAV, SVHS etc.)

• TV is opened using standby key or digit keys: Specified external source

Startup Channel

Specifies the starting TV channel's ID which will be tuned when startup position is TV.

Volume Limit

Sets the maximum value the volume can have. "Volume Limit" can take values between 0-63.

Fixed Volume Enable

Enables (Fixed Volume Enable = On) or prohibits (Fixed Volume Enable = Off) the use of fixed volume value which is set by menu item "Fixed Volume Value". If Fixed Volume Enable is ON, volume cannot be set to a value other than the Fixed Volume Value.

Fixed Volume Value

Sets the fixed value the volume can have. If Fixed Volume Limit is ON, volume is set with the value here.

Headphone Direct Volume

Enables the remote controller volume +/- buttons to change the headphone volume directly. When this features is active, volume +/- buttons changes only headphone value, and to change the TV main sound it can be control from sound OSD dialog only.

OSD Disable

Disables either only Setup menu or all menus, both in analog and digital (IDTV) mode. All Menus : All menus (MAIN, SOUND, PICTURE, SETTINGS, INSTALLATION) are invisible. OSD Disable = Disable Setup Menus : Only SETUP menus are invisible. Invisible Setup Menus are: Main menu: Installation, Channel list Settings menu: Language, parental, Sources, Other settings

Teletext

Enables (Teletext = On) or prohibits (Teletext = Off) the use of teletext (or MHEG if available)

Wakeup Time Channel

To choose the TV set wake up channel.

Wakeup Time Volume

To modify the volume of TV wake up volume (It can't be set higher volume than volume limit).

Copy To USB

There are two steps and both are independent of each other.

Copy the updated welcome image to USB as "hotel_wel.png"

Copy NVRAM data (service list, preferences, etc.) to USB device. On MB9x all nvram data is stored in 8x32KB Flash files named as Flash0.bin, Flash1.bin ... Flash7.bin. When Copy to USB is called, those files are copied from

TV to USB. Then they can be used for various purposes testing on another TV or testing/debugging on observatory etc. Note that USB should be plugged before this operation.

Copy From USB

There are two steps and both are independent of each other.

If there is file named "hotel_wel.png" in directory "welcome image". It is copied to tv to use as welcome image. Copy from USB device data to NVRAM. Just the reverse operation done by copy to USB call. Previously copied nvram files (Flashx.bin) are copied into TV. If there is no flash file or some of them are available on USB, the available ones are copied. If no USB is connected, nothing happens.

□ Note : For Clone function USB stick (Copy to USB – Copy from USB) must be formatted to FAT32. If USB is not formatted to FAT32 the other TVs will not accept cloned data and performance issues will result

USB Option

If ON is selected TV will go on normal operation. If It is OFF USB device will not receive on none of the USB ports

Fixed Pic. Mode

If OFF is selected TV will go on normal operation. If It is ON Main menu/Picture quick menu/mode and quick menu/picture zoom will be inaccessible.

Digital Tuner

If ON is selected TV will go on normal operation. If It is OFF TV will display "no signal" message when tuned to digital channels existing in active channel list, and digital channels will not be detected in auto or manual searches.

Multiple RC Support

If OFF is selected TV will go on normal operation. If It is ON RCU type (system code) that is chosen in "RCU program menu" will be used. "RCU program menu" can be opened by RETURN-1-2-3-4 shortcut. Note: For any MHEG supporting services sequence should be INFO-RETURN-1-2-3-4. The multiple RC support is works on RC5 type of remote controllers. To active this feauters, the hotel mode should be active and from the hotel mode configuration menu, Multiple RC support should be set as ON.

RC Key	System Code
1	1
2	0
3	2
4	3

Welcome Message

As default behavior a welcome message image will be displayed (if hotel mode is enabled). The image will stay on screen until user presses a key. On the bottom side of image there is an message (osd message) displaying "press any key". Welcome image can be changed through USB (described in "copy from USB" section). A default welcome image is available. Welcome images are png files with the resolution of 960X540.

Signal Lost (no signal) message

As default behavior, if there is no signal the same welcome image is displayed. This time osd message is "no signal".

Internal Clock

If hotel mode is active a new function (add wake up timer) will be available in Settings/Timers menu. That function will open a new menu to set wake up time. After timer is saved tv can wake up automatically on desired time. If alarm option was selected as "on" after wake up tv will show welcome image and an alarm will be heared. Then any key will stop alarm and welcome image. If alarm option was selected as "off" after wake up tv will not show welcome image and the alarm will not be activated.

There is a "wakeup time channel" option in hotel mode menu, Its used to set the channel, whose time information to be used for wakeup timer. If this option is "0" time information of the channel which is being watched when timer menu is opened, will be used. Otherwise a "please wait" message will be displayed before the menu is open and

during "please wait" time information of the channel will be get. (This can take up to 30s). The "wakeup time channel" should be a digital service.

Pin8

If ON is selected Pin8 will go on normal operation. If It is OFF Pin8 ignored.

NIT Update

Enables/disables NIT (i.e. Network Information Table) updates. Default value is ON.

EPG enable/disable

Enables/disables EPG (Electronic Program Guide) function.

Reset to Default Values

This resets all option of Hotel TV Menu to their default values.

TROUBLESHOOTING

TV is working but there is no picture



1- Check the Operating Voltages of 12V_Vcc, check the Panel_Vcc signal, Panel_Vcc_on/off signal.

2- Measure the signal values of LVDS data, from clock and data pins.



4- Measure the signal values and check the signal shape from the Dimming pins in this circuit

DIMMING





TV is not working, led is blinking



CI is not working when CI module inserted



USB is not working when USB inserted

USB supply voltage should be 5V.

• Check the signal waveform on the USB_DN and USB_DP data ports.



Parts location



3	Pos.	Name
	1	Remote Control
0	2	Main power switch
	3	IR-Remote Receiver (K-Board)
	4a	CI-slot, USB, AV-in, HeadPhone, HDMI
def Tro	5	Speaker
*	6	Operation Panel
	7	SPDIF, SCART, VGA, ANT.,HDMI1/2, LNB
	8	Stand Foot



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а	Back Light (n.a.)
b	LVDS Cable
С	Speaker connection
d	AC-Mains lead
е	n.a.
f	IR-Remote Receiver

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а	Back Light
b	LVDS Cable
С	Speaker connection
d	AC-Mains lead
e	n.a.
f	IR-Remote Receiver

TX-39GS352B



а	Back Light
Q	LVDS Cable
С	Speaker connection
d	AC-Mains lead
е	n.a.
f	IR-Remote Receiver

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а	Back Light
b	LVDS Cable
С	Speaker connection
d	AC-Mains lead
е	n.a.
f	IR-Remote Receiver

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а	Back Light
م	LVDS Cable
С	Speaker connection
d	AC-Mains lead
е	n.a.
f	IR-Remote Receiver

Block Diagram



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Pos.	Name	Qty
1	Front Cover	
2	Lens	
3	Screw	
4	Led Board	
5	Panel	
6	n.a.	
7	Speaker	
8	Rear Cover	
9	Rear Cover Screw	
10	Stand / Foot	

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Pos.	Name	Qty
1	Front Cover	
2	Lens	
3	IR-Remote Receiver Board	
4	Screw	
5	Panel	
6	Speaker	
7	Rear Cover	
8	Rear Cover Screw	
9	Stand / Foot	
10	Foot Screw + Neck	

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Pos.	Name	Qty
1	Front Cover	
2	Lens	
3	IR-Remote Receiver Board	
4	Screw	
5	Panel	
6	Speaker	
7	Rear Cover	
8	Rear Cover Screw	
9	Stand / Foot	
10	Foot Screw + Neck	

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Pos.	Name	Qty
1	Front Cover	
2	IR-Remote Receiver Board	
3	Panel	
4	Speaker	
5	Joystick	
6	Rear Cover	
7	Rear Cover Screw	
8	Stand / Foot	
9	Foot Screw + Neck	

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Pos.	Name	Qty
1	Front Cover	
2	IR-Remote Receiver Board	
3	Panel	
4	Speaker	
5	Joystick	
6	Rear Cover	
7	Rear Cover Screw	
8	Stand / Foot	
9	Foot Screw + Neck	
10	n.a.	