

SWITCH ON



Benefits

- The sound goes directly to your ears and background noise is blocked out
- The headphones have lightweight closed cup ear pads that fit over your ears
- They generally have adjustable balance and volume controls – ideal if you have a different level of hearing loss in each ear

Ideal for people who...

...want the best sound quality (if you buy the larger models) or the most cost-effective solution (the smaller headphones).

Subtitle video and DVD recorders

Rather than recording onto VHS video cassettes, a PVR records TV programmes onto an internal hard disk. Many video and DVD recorders don't record subtitles, but ours do. There are several advantages to using a PVR to record TV shows:

- You can record and play back without needing a disk
- You can get Freeview with subtitles
- You can record subtitled programmes and watch DVDs (our Humax model doesn't play DVDs)
- You can pause live TV, and dip in and out of a programme without missing any of it
- PVRs have far more storage space than VHS cassettes

The digital switchover has begun. By 2012, old analogue DVD recorders will no longer work. The recorders in this section are digital, so you will be able to use them for many years. For information on the digital switchover, visit www.switchhelp.co.uk

Here, we bring you products that will help you to listen more easily to your TV or stereo – without needing to turn the volume up loud.

Our personal listeners and loop systems in the previous section are ideal for listening to music or the TV, but the products in this section are purely for TV and audio equipment.

Choosing the right TV listener

Listening equipment makes sounds louder so you can hear the TV or music more clearly. You can use listening equipment whether or not you wear hearing aids. The type of equipment and the accessory you choose will depend on the level of your hearing loss. There are two main types of TV listener: short range infrared ones that can only be used within a room and long range radio frequency listeners that have an operating range of up to 100m.

Benefits

- They are usually wireless, so no trailing wires
- You can set your own volume without disturbing others around you
- Sound goes directly to your ears, blocking out background noise
- You can move around while listening to the TV or radio
- The operating range can be up to 100m so you can even listen to the stereo in the garden

Ideal for people who...

...like to watch TV or enjoy listening to music on a stereo or hi-fi. Some of our TV listeners are hearing aid compatible and some aren't, so check the symbols next to each product. If you wear a pacemaker we advise you to speak with your GP and your pacemaker supplier before using TV listeners with neckloops.

Choosing headphones

If you want to hear every sound from your TV or stereo equipment, our headphones will be just right for you. Enjoy your favourite music or programme without disturbing others!



Infralight system

The Infralight is an easy to use infrared listener ideal for use with the television, radio or hi-fi without any trailing cables. It comes with a microphone, scart and jack connection leads as well as a spare battery-charging port and battery. You can adjust the incoming volume to the level you need without affecting the volume for anyone else in the room.

- Receiver has a rechargeable battery
- Rechargeable battery with up to nine hours' use from 14 hours' charge
- Operating range of up to 8m within the room
- Size: 35 x 160 x 100mm (transmitter)

Options available

L360 Infralight neckloop – for use with hearing aids

£108.00 exc VAT

£129.60 inc VAT

L361 Infralight stethoset – for use without hearing aids

£108.00 exc VAT

£129.60 inc VAT

Accessories

L360A Additional neckloop receiver

£58.90 exc VAT

£70.68 inc VAT

L361A Additional stethoset receiver

£58.90 exc VAT

£70.68 inc VAT

L298B Spare battery

£11.94 not VAT exempt



EchoLink infrared

The EchoLink enables you to wirelessly hear the TV or stereo from anywhere in the room within 20m. Choose between earbuds, a stethoset or neckloop (all supplied in this pack).

The battery life is excellent: up to 30 hours from a full charge. Also, unlike other TV listeners, the receiver has its own charger which means it can still be used while it is being recharged.

- Uses infrared signal
- Adjustable volume and tone control
- Easy and convenient to recharge
- Low battery LED on receiver – flashes red
- 3.5mm headphone socket on receiver
- Rechargeable battery with up to 30 hours' use from up to five hours' charge
- Receiver has auto-tune facility
- Operating range of up to 20m
- Size: 20 x 115 x 75mm (transmitter)

L403 EchoLink

£99.00 exc VAT

£118.80 inc VAT

L403A Additional receiver

(excluding neckloop, stethoset or earbuds)

£75.00 exc VAT

£90.00 inc VAT

Short-range TV listeners are not compatible with plasma TVs



Sennheiser Set 830S & Set 830TV

As you would expect from a renowned manufacturer like Sennheiser, these TV listeners are very robust and offer excellent sound quality.

The stethoset and neckloop have no trailing cables, giving you the freedom to move around the room while you listen to the TV, radio or hi-fi as long as you have line of sight. They are easy to use and provide outstanding sound quality, which can be customised to your level of hearing loss. These listeners transmit the sound directly to your ears through a neckloop if you wear hearing aids or a stethoset if you don't. The lightweight receiver has a large, easy to use control wheel, ideal for people with manual dexterity issues. You can easily adjust the volume to the level you prefer without affecting the volume for other people in the room.

- Uses infrared signal
- Adjustable volume
- Ability to fine-tune the clarity of speech
- Rechargeable battery with up to 12 hours' use from three hours' charge
- In-built rechargeable battery and charging base
- Operating range of up to 12m within the room
- Size 58 x 146 x 112mm (transmitter)

Options available

L385 Set 830TV with stethoset

£208.33 exc VAT

£250.00 inc VAT

L386 Set 830S with neckloop

£224.99 exc VAT

£269.99 inc VAT

Accessories

L385A - 830TV Stethoset receiver

£116.66 exc VAT

£139.99 inc VAT

L386A - 830S Neckloop receiver only* also requires either L333A or L388B

£141.66 exc VAT

£169.99 inc VAT

L333A Headphones for use with the 830S receivers only

£14.78 not VAT exempt

L388B - Set 830 Additional neckloop

£56.10 exc VAT

£67.32 inc VAT

L341B - TV microphone (for all models)

£49.99 not VAT exempt

*830S receivers can only be used with a neckloop or headphone attachment, see above

If you pay by credit card you can spread the cost of your order over four months, if the value is more than £100. Just tick the relevant box on the order form and your card will be debited each month in four equal amounts.



Sennheiser Set 900

This infrared product has the same features as the Set 830TV listener (see page 57) with the addition of two built-in microphones that act as a personal listener for hearing conversations. This means you can listen to speech, the TV and other sounds at the same time. The system is cordless and has a handy carrycase, so you can use it as a listener when you are out and about. It could also be used in your local theatre or cinema to boost the sound, if they have an infrared listening system operating on the same signal. This product is very durable and the sound quality is excellent.

- Outstanding sound quality
- Ideal for people without hearing aids
- Ideal for listening to the TV and conversations
- Receiver can be used in locations with infrared transmission, such as the theatre
- Operating range of up to 12m within the room
- Easy to set up and operate
- Size: 40 x 145 x 115mm (transmitter)

L390 Sennheiser Set 900

£249.00 exc VAT
£298.80 inc VAT

Accessories

L390A Additional stethoset receiver

£151.50 exc VAT
£181.80 inc VAT

L341A Replacement battery

£31.24 not VAT exempt

L341B TV microphone

£49.99 not VAT exempt

Short-range TV listeners are not compatible with plasma TVs





Radiolight listener

This product is similar to the Infralight system on page 56, but with a radio signal instead. You can listen to the television, radio or hi-fi wherever you are in the home or garden without any trailing cables. Complete with a microphone, scart and jack connection leads.

- Receiver supplied with rechargeable battery
- Battery with up to nine hours' use from eight hours' charge
- Operating range of up to 80m
- Size: 35 x 160 x 100mm (transmitter)

Options available

L350 Radiolight neckloop - for use with hearing aids

£138.00 exc VAT

£165.60 inc VAT

L351 Radiolight stethoset - for use without hearing aids

£138.00 exc VAT

£165.60 inc VAT

Accessories

L350A Additional neckloop receiver

£85.70 exc VAT

£102.84 inc VAT

L351A Additional stethoset receiver

£78.90 exc VAT

£94.68 inc VAT

L298B Spare battery

£11.94 not VAT exempt



RadioLink

The RadioLink enables you to wirelessly hear the TV or stereo from anywhere within 50m. This means you can listen to music in the garden or hear the news while in the kitchen. You can choose between earbuds, a stethoset or neckloop (all supplied in this pack).

The battery life is excellent, with up to 30 hours from a full charge. Also, unlike other TV listeners, the receiver has its own charger which means it can still be used while it is being recharged.

- Uses radio signal so you don't need to be in the same room
- Adjustable volume and tone control
- Easy and convenient to recharge
- Low-battery LED on receiver - flashes red
- 3.5mm headphone socket on receiver
- Rechargeable battery with up to 30 hours' use from five hours' charge
- Receiver has auto-tune facility
- Mains or battery-powered transmitter
- Operating range of up to 50m
- Size: 20 x 75 x 115mm (transmitter)

L402 RadioLink

£119.00 exc VAT

£142.80 inc VAT

Accessories

L402A Additional receiver

(excluding neckloop, stethoset or earbuds)

£91.67 exc VAT

£110.00 inc VAT

L402B RadioLink neckloop

£15.00 exc VAT

£18.00 inc VAT



Sennheiser Set 840S & Set 840TV

These products are similar to the short-range listeners (page 56) but they work using a radio signal so they offer a greater operating distance. This makes them ideal for listening to the TV, radio or hi-fi in the garden, garage or even the shed.

- Battery life of up to nine hours after three hours' charge
- Operating range of up to 100m
- Suitable for people with severe hearing loss
- Automatically tunes into the TV
- Built-in rechargeable battery and charging base
- Size: 58 x 146 x 112mm (transmitter)

Options available

L387 - Set 840TV with stethoset

£216.66 exc VAT
£259.99 inc VAT

L388 - Set 840S with neckloop

£233.33 exc VAT
£280.00 inc VAT



Accessories

L387A - 840TV Stethoset receiver

£133.33 exc VAT
£160.00 inc VAT

L388A - 840S Receiver only*

also requires either L388B or L333A

£141.66 exc VAT
£169.99 inc VAT

L388B - Set 840 Additional/replacement neckloop

£56.10 exc VAT
£67.32 inc VAT

L333A Headphones for use with the 840S receivers only

£14.78 not VAT exempt

L341B - TV microphone (for all models)

£49.99 not VAT exempt

*840S - Neckloops and headphone attachment purchased separately





Sennheiser headphones

These wireless, high-quality headphones are ideal for listening to the TV, radio or hi-fi. They are lightweight and comfortable to wear, with large ear pads that fit easily over your ears. The balance control enables you to adjust the volume for each ear separately. There's also an 'automatic level control' which makes quiet sounds louder and loud sounds quieter. This helps enhance speech and makes it easier to understand when listening to the TV.

To preserve power the headphones will switch off after five minutes when they are not being used. With an operating range of up to 100m you can even listen to music while relaxing in your garden.

- Automatically switch to standby mode after five minutes
- Outstanding sound quality
- Easy to set up and operate
- Adjustable volume control
- Adjustable headband with comfortable earpads and headband cushions
- Easy to recharge - just hang them on the hook
- Balance control
- Automatic level control makes speech easier to hear
- LED provide visual indication of charging status
- Mute button
- Operating time of 24 hours' use from 12 hours' charge
- Operating range of up to 100m

M486 Sennheiser headphones

£229.99 not VAT exempt



LH055 headphones

Due to the closed-cup design of these headphones, they will not only reduce any distracting background noise, but also prevent others from being disturbed by leaking sound.

You can adjust the volume of each ear cup separately. This is ideal if you have a different level of hearing in each ear.

If you are unable to hear at all in one ear then you'll find the 'mono sound' setting more useful than stereo. This is because stereo sound sends some sounds through only one ear cup. If you are unable to hear through one ear then you would miss those sounds completely, but the mono setting makes all the sounds go through both ear cups.

- Ideal for TV listening without disturbing others
- Option to hear in mono
- Separate volume controls for left and right ears
- Supplied with a 6m lead
- 3.5mm and 6.3mm connection

M487 LH055 headphones

£44.99 not VAT exempt



NEW



2 year warranty

Sennheiser HD35 headphones

This pair of stereo headphones has been designed specifically for hearing the TV and stereo at the volume you require, without disturbing others.

Not only do they offer great stereo sound, they are also comfortable and lightweight – perfect for an evening in front of the TV.

- You can adjust the volume separately for each ear
- Supplied with a 6.2m lead
- Adjustable headband

M489 HD35 headphones

£29.99 (not VAT exempt)



NEW



2 year warranty

Sennheiser HD65 headphones

These stereo headphones enclose your ears so the sound is excellent and immersive. They help you hear the TV and stereo at the volume you require. They are also surprisingly lightweight and comfortable to wear.

- You can adjust the volume separately for each ear
- Supplied with a 6.2m lead
- Adjustable headband

M488 HD65 headphones

£49.99 (not VAT exempt)



TV headphones

Small, lightweight headphones with an in-line volume control and a long 5m cable. There is a loud maximum volume and a very clear, natural sound when listening to either speech or music, with a pleasing mix of treble and bass.

- Adjustable volume control
- Adjustable headband
- Supplied with 5m connection lead

M471 TV headphones

£11.40 not VAT exempt



Panasonic DVD recorder with hard drive

This product records subtitles – unlike many other high street models. You can watch DVDs and record your favourite programmes and films and take advantage of its many other features.

The hard drive has a Freeview digital tuner so you can pick up Freeview channels. There's a 160GB hard drive which will store around 279 hours of TV recording.

You can record the programme you're watching, and even pause live TV. When recording a TV programme the recorder automatically inserts chapter marks, making it easy to skip over adverts. It also saves electricity by automatically switching off as soon as you switch back to normal TV watching.

- Plays DVDs
- 279 hours of TV recording on the 160GB hard drive
- Freeview+*
- Pause and play live TV (time-shift recording)
- Excellent image quality
- Automatic switch off
- Size: 60 x 430 x 330mm

M469 Panasonic DVD recorder with hard drive
£312.00 not VAT exempt

* A digital wideband aerial may be required to pick up all the Freeview channels



Humax Programmable Video Recorder (PVR)

The Humax PVR has a built-in Freeview digital TV tuner, so you can receive Freeview with digital subtitles and record programmes on the built-in hard disk drive. Many other high-street models do not record subtitles. There are twin Freeview tuners so you can record more than one programme at once and there's 160GB of hard disk space, giving you about 100 hours of television recording.

Connection is simply a case of plugging in the aerial and then attaching to your TV via the supplied scart. Auto-tuning works well and has no problem finding all the available channels and radio stations.

The eight-day programme guide will preview what is currently playing – a good feature missing from some other models.

You can also record a whole series as well as record programmes where they break for news in the middle. Icons on the guide identify programmes where this is possible.

- Easy to use and set up
- Record one channel while watching another
- Record two channels simultaneously while playing back a previous recording
- 100 hours' recording on an integrated 160GB hard drive
- Freeview+*
- Pause and play live TV (time shift recording)
- Eight-day programme guide
- Size: 50 x 360 x 245mm

M475 Humax PVR
£142.97 not VAT exempt

This product only records programmes and does not play videos or DVDs.

* A digital wideband aerial may be required to pick up all the Freeview channels