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#### 1. Important

This electronic user's guide is intended for anyone who uses the Philips monitor. Take time to read this user's manual before you use your monitor. It contains important information and notes regarding the operation of your monitor.

The Philips guarantee applies provided the product is handled properly for its intended use, in accordance with its operating instructions and upon presentation of the original invoice or cash receipt, indicating the date of purchase, dealer's name and model and production number of the product.

## 1.1 Safety precautions and maintenance

#### Warnings

Use of controls, adjustments or procedures other than those specified in this documentation may result in exposure to shock, electrical hazards and/or mechanical hazards.

Read and follow these instructions when connecting and using your computer monitor.

#### Operation

- Please Keep the monitor out of direct sunlight, very strong bright lights and away from any other heat source. Lengthy exposure to this type of environment may result in discoloration and damage to the monitor.
- Remove any object that could fall into ventilation holes or prevent proper cooling of the monitor's electronics.
- Do not block the ventilation holes on the cabinet.

- When positioning the monitor, make sure the power plug and outlet are easily accessible.
- If turning off the monitor by detaching the power cable or DC power cord, wait for 6 seconds before attaching the power cable or DC power cord for normal operation.
- Please use approved power cord provided by Philips all the time. If your power cord is missing, please contact with your local service center. (Please refer to Service contact information listed in Important information manual.)
- Operate under the specified power supply. Be sure to operate the monitor only with the specified power supply. Use of an incorrect voltage will cause malfunction and may cause fire or electric shock.
- Do not disassemble the AC adapter.
   Disassembling the AC adapter may expose you to the danger of fire or electric shock
- Protect the cable. Do not pull or bend the power cable and signal cable. Do not place the monitor or any other heavy objects on the cables, if damaged, the cables may cause fire or electric shock
- Do not subject the monitor to severe vibration or high impact conditions during operation.
- Do not knock or drop the monitor during operation or transportation.
- Excessive usage of monitor can cause eye discomfort, it's better to take shorter breaks more often at your workstation than longer breaks and less often; for example a 5-10 minute break after 50-60-minute continuous screen use is likely to be better than a 15-minute break every two hours. Try to keep your eyes from eye strain while using the

## screen for a constant period of time by :

- Looking at something varying distances after a long period focusing on the screen.
- Conscious Blinking often while you work.
- Gently closing and rolling your eyes to relax.
- Reposition your screen to appropriate height and angle according to your height.
- Adjusting the brightness and contrast to appropriate level.
- Adjusting the environment lighting similar to that of your screen brightness, avoid the fluorescent lighting, and surfaces that don't reflect too much light.
- Seeing a doctor if your symptoms.

#### Maintenance

- To protect your monitor from possible damage, do not put excessive pressure on the LCD panel. When moving your monitor, grasp the frame to lift; do not lift the monitor by placing your hand or fingers on the LCD panel.
- Unplug the monitor if you are not going to use it for an extensive period of time.
- Unplug the monitor if you need to clean it with a slightly damp cloth.
   The screen may be wiped with a dry cloth when the power is off.
   However, never use organic solvent, such as, alcohol, or ammonia-based liquids to clean your monitor.
- To avoid the risk of shock or permanent damage to the set, do not expose the monitor to dust, rain, water, or excessive moisture environment.

- If your monitor gets wet, wipe it with dry cloth as soon as possible.
- If foreign substance or water gets in your monitor, please turn the power off immediately and disconnect the power cord. Then, remove the foreign substance or water, and send it to the maintenance center.
- Do not store or use the monitor in locations exposed to heat, direct sunlight or extreme cold.
- In order to maintain the best performance of your monitor and use it for a longer lifetime, please use the monitor in a location that falls within the following temperature and humidity ranges.
  - Temperature: 0-40°C 32-104°F
  - Humidity: 20-80% RH

#### Important information for Burn-in/ Ghost image

- Always activate a moving screen saver program when you leave your monitor unattended. Always activate a periodic screen refresh application if your monitor will display unchanging static content. Uninterrupted display of still or static images over an extended period may cause "burn in", also known as "after-imaging" or "ghost imaging", on your screen.
- "Burn-in", "after-imaging", or "ghost imaging" is a well-known phenomenon in LCD panel technology. In most cases, the "burned in" or "after-imaging" or "ghost imaging" will disappear gradually over a period of time after the power has been switched off.

#### **⚠** Warning

Failure to activate a screen saver, or a periodic screen refresh application may result in severe "burn-in" or "afterimage" or "ghost image" symptoms Important

that will not disappear and cannot be repaired. The damage mentioned above is not covered under your warranty.

#### Service

- The casing cover should be opened only by qualified service personnel.
- If there is any need for any document for repair or integration, please contact with your local service center. (Please refer to Service contact information listed in Important information manual.)
- For transportation information, please refer to "Technical Specifications".
- Do not leave your monitor in a car/ trunk under direct sun light.

#### Note

Consult a service technician if the monitor does not operate normally, or you are not sure what procedure to take when the operating instructions given in this manual have been followed.

#### 1.2 Notational Descriptions

The following subsections describe notational conventions used in this document.

#### Notes, Cautions and Warnings

Throughout this guide, blocks of text may be accompanied by an icon and printed in bold or italic type. These blocks contain notes, cautions or warnings. They are used as follows:

#### Note

This icon indicates important information and tips that help you make better use of your computer system.

#### Caution

This icon indicates information that tells you how to avoid either potential damage to hardware or loss of data.

#### Warning

This icon indicates the potential for bodily harm and tells you how to avoid the problem.

Some warnings may appear in alternate formats and may not be accompanied by an icon. In such cases, the specific presentation of the warning is mandated by the relevant regulatory authority.

## 1.3 Disposal of product and packing material

Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment-WEEE



This marking on the product or on its packaging illustrates that, under European Directive 2012/19/EU governing used electrical and electronic appliances, this product may not be disposed of with normal household waste. You are responsible for disposal of this equipment through a designated waste electrical and electronic equipment collection. To determine the locations for dropping off such waste electrical and electronic, contact your local government office, the waste disposal organization that serves your household or the store at which you purchased the product.

Your new monitor contains materials that can be recycled and reused. Specialized companies can recycle your product to increase the amount of reusable materials and to minimize the amount to be disposed of.

All redundant packing material has been omitted. We have done our utmost to make the packaging easily separable into mono materials.

Please find out about the local regulations on how to dispose of your old monitor and packing from your sales representative.

Taking back/Recycling Information for Customers Philips establishes technically and economically viable objectives to optimize the environmental performance of the organization's product, service and activities.

From the planning, design and production stages, Philips emphasizes the important of making products that can easily be recycled. At Philips, end-of-life management primarily entails participation in national takeback initiatives and recycling programs whenever possible, preferably in cooperation with competitors, which recycle all materials (products and related packaging material) in accordance with all Environmental Laws and taking back program with the contractor company.

Your display is manufactured with high quality materials and components which can be recycled and reused.

To learn more about our recycling program please visit

http://www.philips.com/a-w/about/sustainability.html

## 2. Setting up the monitor

#### 2.1 Installation

#### Package contents



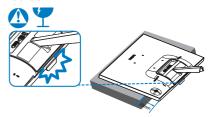
\* Different according to region.

#### Note

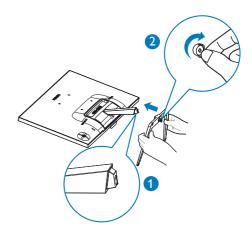
246E7Q/246E7QD/246E7QDA/ 276E7Q/276E7QDA: Use only the AC/ DC adapter model: Philips ADPC1936. 276E7QD:Use only the AC/DC adapter model: Philips ADPC1945.

#### Install base stand

 Place the monitor face down on soft and smooth surface taking care to avoid scratching or damaging the screen.



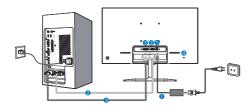
- 2. Hold the base stand with both hands and firmly insert the base stand into the base column.
  - (1) Gently attach the base to the base column until the latch locks the base.
  - (2) Use your fingers to tighten the screw located at the bottom of the base, and secure the base to the column tightly.



#### 2. Setting up the monitor

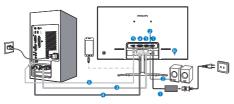
#### Connecting to your PC

#### 246E7Q/276E7Q:



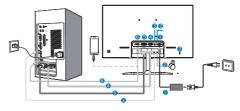
- AC/DC power input
- **2** VGA input
- 3 DVI input
- 4 Kensington anti-theft lock

#### 246E7QD/276E7QD:



- AC/DC power input
- 2 HDMI Audio out
- **3** VGA input
- 4 DVI input
- MHL-HDMI input
- 6 Kensington anti-theft lock

#### 246E7QDA/276E7QDA:



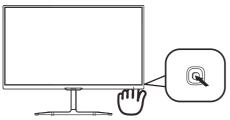
- AC/DC power input
- 2 Earphone jack
- 3 Audio input
- 4 VGA input
- **5** DVI input
- 6 MHL-HDMI input
- **7** Kensington anti-theft lock

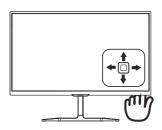
#### Connect to PC

- 1. Connect the power cord to the back of the monitor firmly.
- 2. Turn off your computer and unplug its power cable.
- Connect the monitor signal cable to the video connector on the back of your computer.
- 4. Plug the power cord of your computer and your monitor into a nearby outlet.
- 5. Turn on your computer and monitor. If the monitor displays an image, installation is complete.

#### 2.2 Operating the monitor

#### Front view product description





0		Press more than 3 seconds to switch display power ON or OFF.
2	<b>*</b>	Access the OSD menu. Confirm the OSD adjustment.
3	ţ	246E7Q/276E7Q: Change display format. 246E7QD/246E7QDA/ 276E7QD/276E7QDA: Adjust the speaker volume.
		Adjust the OSD menu.
0 1		Change the signal input source.
		Adjust the OSD menu.
6	+	SmartImage Lite.There are multiple selections: Standard, Internet, Game and LowBlue Mode.
		Return to previous OSD level.

#### Description of the On Screen Display

#### What is On-Screen Display (OSD)?

On-Screen Display (OSD) is a feature in all Philips LCD monitors. It allows an end user to adjust screen performance or select functions of the monitors directly through an on-screen instruction window. A user friendly on screen display interface is shown as below:

#### 246E7Q/276E7Q:



#### 246E7QD/246E7QDA/ 276E7QD/276E7QDA:



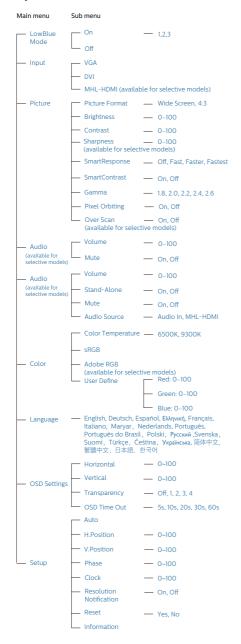
## Basic and simple instruction on the control keys

To access the OSD menu on this Philips Display simply use the single toggle button on the backside of the Display bezel. The single button operates like a joystick. To move the cursor, simply toggle the button in four directions. Press the button to select desired option.

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#### The OSD Menu

Below is an overall view of the structure of the On-Screen Display. You can use this as a reference when you want to work your way around the different adjustments later on.



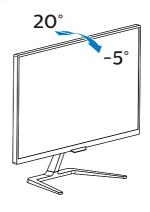
#### Resolution notification

This monitor is designed for optimal performance at its native resolution, 1920×1080@60Hz. When the monitor is powered on at a different resolution, an alert is displayed on screen: Use 1920×1080@60Hz for best results.

Display of the native resolution alert can be switched off from Setup in the OSD (On Screen Display) menu.

#### Physical Function

Tilt



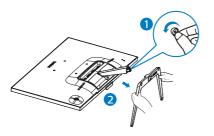
## 2.3 Remove the Base Assembly for VESA Mounting

Before you start disassembling the monitor base, please follow the instructions below to avoid any possible damage or injury.

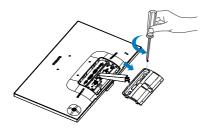
 Place the monitor face down on a smooth surface. Pay attention not to scratch or damage the screen.



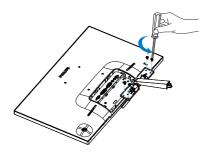
Use your fingers to loosen the screw located at the bottom of the base,and remove the base from the stand.



3. Use a screwdriver to remove the screws on the hinge cover, and then detach the hinge cover.

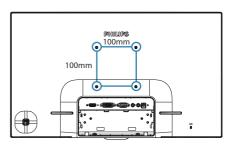


4. Use a screwdriver to remove the screws on the arm, and then detach the arm/stand from the monitor.



#### Note

This monitor accepts a 100mm x 100mm VESA-Compliant mounting interface. VESA Mounting Screw M4. Always contact manufacturer for wall-mount installation.



# 2.4 MHL (Mobile High-Definition Link) introduction (246E7QD/246E7QDA/276E7QDA)

#### 1 What is it?

Mobile High Definition Link (MHL) is a mobile audio/video interface for directly connecting mobile phones and other portable devices to highdefinition displays.

An optional MHL cable allows you to simply connect your MHL capable mobile device to this large Philips MHL display, and watch your HD videos come to life with full digital sound. Now not only you can enjoy your mobile games, photos, movies, or other apps on its big screen, you can simultaneously charge your mobile device so you never run out of power half way.

#### 2 How do I use the MHL function?

To use the MHL function, you need an MHL-Certified mobile device. To find a list of MHL-certified devices, visit the official MHL website (http://www.mhlconsortium.org)

You also need a optional MHL certified special cable in order to use this function.

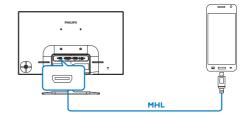
### How does it work? (how do I connect?)

Connect the Optional MHL cable to the mini USB port on the mobile device side, and the [MHL-HDMI] marked port on the monitor side. You are now ready to view the images on your big screen display and operate all function on you the mobile device such as internet surfing, game playing, photo browsing...etc. if your monitor has speaker function, then you will be able to hear accompanying sound too. When the MHL cable is disconnected or the

mobile device is turned off, the MHL function will be automatically disabled.

#### Note

- The port marked [MHL-HDMI] is the only port on the monitor that supports the MHL function when the MHL cable is used. Note that the MHL certified cable is different than a standard HDMI cable.
- A mobile device with MHL certification must be purchased separately
- You may have to manually switch the monitor to MHL-HDMI mode in order to activate the monitor, if you have other devices already working and connected to available inputs
- Standby/Off energy saving of ErP is not applicable for the MHL charging functionality
- This Philips display is MHL certified. However, in case your MHL device does not connect or work correctly, check with your MHL device FAQ or vendor directly for direction. The policy of your device manufacturer may require you to purchase their brand specific MHL cable or adapter in order to work.



### 3. Image Optimization

#### 3.1 SmartImage Lite

#### What is it?

SmartImage Lite provides presets that optimize display for different types of content, dynamically adjusting brightness, contrast, color and sharpness in real time. Whether you're working with text applications, displaying images or watching a video, Philips SmartImage Lite delivers great optimized monitor performance.

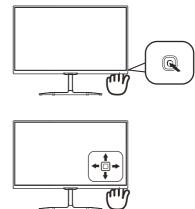
#### Why do I need it?

You want a monitor that delivers optimized display all your favorite types of content, SmartImage Lite software dynamically adjust brightness, contrast, color and sharpness in real time to enhance your monitor viewing experience.

#### 3 How does it work?

SmartImage Lite is an exclusive, leading edge Philips technology that analyzes the content displayed on your screen. Based on a scenario you select, SmartImage Lite dynamically enhances the contrast, color saturation and sharpness of images to enhance the contents being displayed – all in real time with the press of a single button.

4 How to enable SmartImage Lite?



- Toggle to the left to launch the SmartImage on screen display.
- Toggle to the up or down to select between Standard, Internet, Game, LowBlue Mode.
- The SmartImage on screen display will remain on screen for 5 seconds or you can also toggle to the left to make confirmation.

There are multiple selections: Standard, Internet, Game and LowBlue Mode.



 Standard: Enhances text and dampens brightness to increase readability and reduce eye strain. This mode significantly enhances readability and productivity when you're working with spreadsheets, PDF files, scanned articles or other general office applications.

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- Internet: This profile combines color saturation, dynamic contrast and sharpness enhancement to display photos and other images with outstanding clarity in vibrant colors

   all without artifacts and faded colors.
- Game: Turn on over drive circuit for best response time, reduce jaggy edges for fast moving objects on screen, enhance contrast ratio for bright and dark scheme, this profile delivers the best gaming experience for gamers.
- LowBlue Mode: LowBlue Mode for easy on-the-eyes productivity Studies have shown that just as ultra-violet rays can cause eye damage, shortwave length blue light rays from LED displays can cause eye damage and affect vision over time. Developed for wellbeing, Philips LowBlue Mode setting uses a smart software technology to reduce harmful shortwave blue light.

#### 3.2 SmartContrast

#### 1 What is it?

Unique technology that dynamically analyzes displayed content and automatically optimizes a LCD monitor's contrast ratio for maximum visual clarity and viewing enjoyment, stepping up backlighting for clearer, crisper and brighter images or dimming backlighting for clear display of images on dark backgrounds.

#### 2 Why do I need it?

You want the very best visual clarity and viewing comfort for every type of content. SmartContrast dynamically controls contrast and adjusts backlighting for clear, crisp, bright gaming and video images or displays clear, readable text for office work. By reducing your monitor's power consumption, you save on energy costs and extend the lifetime of your monitor.

#### 3 How does it work?

When you activate SmartContrast, it will analyse the content you are displaying in real time to adjust colors and control backlight intensity. This function will dynamically enhance contrast for a great entertainment experience when viewing videos or playing games.

## 4. Technical Specifications

Picture/Display			
Monitor Panel Type	IPS technology		
Backlight	W-LED system		
Panel Size	23.6" W (59.9cm) (246E7) 27" W (68.6cm) (276E7)		
Aspect Ratio	16:9		
Pixel Pitch	0.272 x 0.272 mm (246E7) 0.311 x 0.104 mm (276E7)		
SmartContrast	20,000,000:1		
Optimum Resolution	1920x1080 @ 60Hz		
Viewing Angle	178° (H) / 178° (V) @ C/R > 10 (typ.)		
Picture Enhancement	SmartImage Lite		
Flicker free	Yes		
Display Colors	16.7M		
Vertical Refresh Rate	56Hz - 76Hz		
Horizontal Frequency	30kHz - 83kHz		
MHL	1080p@ 30Hz (246E7QD/246E7QDA/276E7QD/276E7QDA)		
Color gamut	CIE1976-NTSC 101.4%		
sRGB	YES		
Connectivity			
Signal Input	246E7Q/276E7Q: VGA(Analog), DVI(Digital,HDCP) 246E7QD/246E7QDA/276E7QD/276E7QDA: VGA(Analog), DVI(Digital,HDCP), MHL-HDMI (Digital,HDCP)		
Audio In/Out	246E7QD/276E7QD: HDMI audio out 246E7QDA/276E7QDA: PC audio-in, headphone out		
Input Signal	Separate Sync, Sync on Green		
Convenience			
Built-in speakers	3Wx2 (246E7QDA/276E7QDA)		
OSD Languages	English, German, Spanish, Greek, French, Italian, Hungarian, Dutch, Portuguese, Brazil Portuguese, Polish, Russian, Swedish, Finnish, Turkish, Czech, Ukranian, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Japanese, Korean		
Other Convenience	Kensington Lock, VESA mount (100 x 100mm)		
Plug & Play Compatibility	DDC/CI, Mac OSX, sRGB, Windows 10/8.1/8/7		
Stand			
Tilt	-5° / +20°		

#### 4. Technical Specifications

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Power					
Consumption	AC Input Voltage at	AC Input Voltage at	AC Input Voltage at		
	100VAC , 50Hz	115VAC , 60Hz	230VAC , 50Hz		
Normal Operation	26.87 W (typ.)	26.97 W (typ.)	27.00 W (typ.)		
Sleep (Standby)	<0.5 W (typ.)	<0.5 W (typ.)	<0.5 W (typ.)		
Off	<0.3 W (typ.)	<0.3 W (typ.)	<0.3 W (typ.)		
Heat Dissipation*	AC Input Voltage at 100VAC , 50Hz	AC Input Voltage at 115VAC , 60Hz	AC Input Voltage at 230VAC , 50Hz		
Normal Operation	91.71 BTU/hr (typ.)	92.05 BTU/hr (typ.)	92.15 BTU/hr (typ.)		
Sleep (Standby)	<1.71 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.71 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.71 BTU/hr (typ.)		
Off	<1.02 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.02 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.02 BTU/hr (typ.)		
Power LED indicator	On mode: White, Standby/Sleep mode: White (blinking)				
Power Supply	External, 100-240VAC, 50-60Hz				

#### 276E7

Power					
Consumption	AC Input Voltage at 100VAC , 50Hz	AC Input Voltage at 115VAC , 60Hz	AC Input Voltage at 230VAC , 50Hz		
Normal Operation	32.69 W (typ.)	32.79 W (typ.)	32.89 W (typ.)		
Sleep (Standby)	<0.5 W (typ.)	<0.5 W (typ.)	<0.5 W (typ.)		
Off	<0.3 W (typ.)	<0.3 W (typ.)	<0.3 W (typ.)		
Heat Dissipation*	AC Input Voltage at 100VAC , 50Hz	AC Input Voltage at 115VAC , 60Hz	AC Input Voltage at 230VAC , 50Hz		
Normal Operation	111.57 BTU/hr (typ.)	111.91 BTU/hr (typ.)	112.25 BTU/hr (typ.)		
Sleep (Standby)	<1.71 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.71 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.71 BTU/hr (typ.)		
Off	<1.02 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.02 BTU/hr (typ.)	<1.02 BTU/hr (typ.)		
Power LED indicator	On mode: White, Standby/Sleep mode: White (blinking)				
Power Supply	External, 100-240VAC, 50-60Hz				
Dimension					
Product with stand (WxHxD)	539 x 419 x 179 mn 616 x 468 x 179 mn				

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Product without stand	539 x 324 x 45 mm (246E7)		
(WxHxD)	616 x 370 x 52 mm (276E7)		
Product with packaging	102*490*581 mm(246E7 WW)		
(WxHxD)	115*497*595 mm(246E7 CN/JP)		
(WALIAD)	113*544*676 mm (276E7)		
Weight			
Product with stand	3.18 kg (246E7) 4.33 kg (276E7)		
Product without stand	2.61 kg (246E7)		
	4.08 kg (276E7)		
Product with packaging	5.13 Kg (246E7)		
	6.81 Kg (276E7)		
Operating Condition			
Temperature range	0°C to 40 °C		
(operation)	0 0 10 10 0		
Relative humidity	20% to 80%		
(operation)	20/0 to 00/0		
Atmospheric pressure	700 to 1060hPa		
(operation)	7 0 0 10 10 00 m u		
Temperature range	-20°C to 60°C		
(Non-operation)	20 0 10 00 0		
Relative humidity	10% to 90%		
(Non-operation)	10 % to 30 %		
Atmospheric pressure	500 to 1060hPa		
(Non-operation)	300 to 1000/11 to		
Environmental			
ROHS	YES		
Packaging	100% recyclable		
Specific Substances	100% PVC BFR free housing		
Compliance and standards			
	CE Mark, FCC Class B, CU-EAC, TCO Certified,		
Regulatory Approvals	ISO9241-307, VCCI CLASS B, RCM, CCC, CECP, KCC,		
	BSMI(246E7QD/276E7QD)		
Cabinet			
Color	Black / White / Silver / Gold / Red / Rose Gold		
Finish	Glossy		
1 1111311	Clossy		

#### Note

- 1. This data is subject to change without notice. Go to <a href="www.philips.com/support">www.philips.com/support</a> to download the latest version of leaflet.
- 2. CIE 1931-NTSC 85%, sRGB: 122.7%

#### 4.1 Resolution & Preset Modes

#### Maximum Resolution

1920x1080@60Hz (analog input) 1920x1080@60Hz (digital input)

#### Recommended Resolution

1920x1080@60Hz (digital input)

H. freq (kHz)	Resolution	V. freq (Hz)
31.47	720x400	70.09
31.47	640x480	59.94
35.00	640x480	66.67
37.86	640x480	72.81
37.50	640x480	75.00
37.88	800x600	60.32
46.88	800x600	75.00
48.36	1024x768	60.00
60.02	1024x768	75.03
63.89	1280x1024	60.02
79.98	1280x1024	75.03
55.94	1440x900	59.89
70.64	1440x900	74.98
65.29	1680x1050	59.95
67.50	1920x1080	60.00

#### Note

Please notice that your display works best at native resolution of 1920x1080@60Hz. For best display quality, please follow this resolution recommendation.

#### 5. Power Management

If you have VESA DPM compliance display card or software installed in your PC, the monitor can automatically reduce its power consumption when not in use. If an input from a keyboard, mouse or other input device is detected, the monitor will 'wake up' automatically. The following table shows the power consumption and signaling of this automatic power saving feature:

#### 246E7:

Power Management Definition					
VESA Mode	Video	H-sync	V-sync	Power Used	LED Color
Active	ON	Yes	Yes	26.97 W (typ.) 35.64 W(Max.)	White
Sleep	OFF	No	No	0.5 W (typ.)	White (blink)
Switch Off	OFF	-	-	0.3 W (typ.)	OFF

#### 276E7:

Power Management Definition					
VESA Mode	Video	H-sync	V-sync	Power Used	LED Color
Active	ON	Yes	Yes	32.79 W (typ.) 41.37 W(Max.)	White
Sleep	OFF	No	No	0.5 W (typ.)	White (blink)
Switch Off	OFF	-	-	0.3 W (typ.)	OFF

The following setup is used to measure power consumption on this monitor.

Native resolution: 1920x1080

Contrast: 50%Brightness: 100%

Color temperature: 6500k with full

white pattern

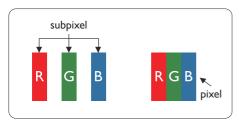


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## 6.1 Philips' Flat Panel Monitors Pixel Defect Policy

Philips strives to deliver the highest quality products. We use some of the industry's most advanced manufacturing processes and practice stringent quality control. However, pixel or sub pixel defects on the TFT Monitor panels used in flat panel monitors are sometimes unavoidable. No manufacturer can guarantee that all panels will be free from pixel defects, but Philips guarantees that any monitor with an unacceptable number of defects will be repaired or replaced under warranty. This notice explains the different types of pixel defects and defines acceptable defect levels for each type. In order to qualify for repair or replacement under warranty, the number of pixel defects on a TFT Monitor panel must exceed these acceptable levels. For example, no more than 0.0004% of the sub pixels on a monitor may be defective. Furthermore, Philips sets even higher quality standards for certain types or combinations of pixel defects that are more noticeable than others. This policy is valid worldwide.



#### Pixels and Sub pixels

A pixel, or picture element, is composed of three sub pixels in the primary colors of red, green and blue. Many pixels together form an image. When all sub pixels of a pixel are lit, the three colored sub pixels together appear as a single white pixel. When all are dark, the three colored sub pixels together appear as a single black pixel. Other combinations of lit and dark sub pixels appear as single pixels of other colors.

#### Types of Pixel Defects

Pixel and sub pixel defects appear on the screen in different ways. There are two categories of pixel defects and several types of sub pixel defects within each category.

#### **Bright Dot Defects**

Bright dot defects appear as pixels or sub pixels that are always lit or 'on'. That is, a bright dot is a sub-pixel that stands out on the screen when the monitor displays a dark pattern. There are the types of bright dot defects.



One lit red, green or blue sub pixel.



Two adjacent lit sub pixels:

- Red + Blue = Purple
- Red + Green = Yellow
- Green + Blue = Cyan (Light Blue)

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Three adjacent lit sub pixels (one white pixel).



A red or blue bright dot must be more than 50 percent brighter than neighboring dots while a green bright dot is 30 percent brighter than neighboring dots.

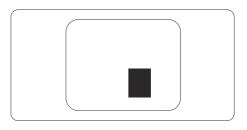
#### **Black Dot Defects**

Black dot defects appear as pixels or sub pixels that are always dark or 'off'. That is, a dark dot is a sub-pixel that stands out on the screen when the monitor displays a light pattern. These are the types of black dot defects.



#### Proximity of Pixel Defects

Because pixel and sub pixels defects of the same type that are near to one another may be more noticeable, Philips also specifies tolerances for the proximity of pixel defects.



#### Pixel Defect Tolerances

In order to qualify for repair or replacement due to pixel defects during the warranty period, a TFT Monitor panel in a Philips flat panel monitor must have pixel or sub pixel defects exceeding the tolerances listed in the following tables.

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BRIGHT DOT DEFECTS	ACCEPTABLE LEVEL
1 lit subpixel	3
2 adjacent lit subpixels	1
3 adjacent lit subpixels (one white pixel)	0
Distance between two bright dot defects*	>15mm
Total bright dot defects of all types	3
BLACK DOT DEFECTS	ACCEPTABLE LEVEL
1 dark subpixel	5 or fewer
2 adjacent dark subpixels	2 or fewer
3 adjacent dark subpixels	0
Distance between two black dot defects*	>15mm
Total black dot defects of all types	5 or fewer
TOTAL DOT DEFECTS	ACCEPTABLE LEVEL
Total bright or black dot defects of all types	5 or fewer



1 or 2 adjacent sub pixel defects = 1 dot defect

#### 6.2 Customer Care & Warranty

For warranty coverage information and additional support requirements valid for your region, please visit www.philips.com/support website for details or contact your local Philips Customer Care Center.

For extended warranty, if you would like to extend your general warranty period, an Out of Warranty service package is offered via our Certified Service Center.

If you wish to make use of this service, please be sure to purchase the service within 30 calendar days of your original purchase date. During the extended warranty period, the service includes pickup, repair and return service, however the user will be responsible for all costs accrued.

If the Certified Service Partner cannot perform the required repairs under the offered extended warranty package, we will find alternative solutions for you, if possible, up to the extended warranty period you have purchased.

Please contact our Philips Customer Service Representative or local contact center (by Consumer care number) for more details.

#### Philips Customer Care Center number listed below.

Local Standard Warranty Period	Extended Warranty Period	Total Warranty Period
Depend on different Regions	+ 1 Year	Local Standard warranty period +1
	+ 2 Years	Local Standard warranty period +2
	+ 3 Years	Local Standard warranty period +3

<sup>\*\*</sup>Proof of original purchase and extended warranty purchase required.

#### Note

- 1. Please refer to important information manual for regional service hotline, which is available on the Philips website support page.
- 2. Spare parts are available for use in the repair of the product for minimum threeyear from your original purchase date or 1 year after the end of production, whichever is longer.

## Troubleshooting & FAQs

#### 7.1 Troubleshooting

This page deals with problems that can be corrected by a user. If the problem still persists after you have tried these solutions, contact Philips customer service representative.

#### 1 Common Problems

#### No Picture (Power LED not lit)

- Make sure the power cord is plugged into the power outlet and into the back of the monitor.
- First, ensure that the power button on the front of the monitor is in the OFF position, then press it to the ON position.

#### No Picture (Power LED is White)

- Make sure the computer is turned on.
- Make sure the signal cable is properly connected to your computer.
- Make sure the monitor cable has no bent pins on the connect side. If yes, repair or replace the cable.
- The Energy Saving feature may be activated

#### Screen says



 Make sure the monitor cable is properly connected to your computer. (Also refer to the Quick Start Guide).

- Check to see if the monitor cable has bent pins.
- Make sure the computer is turned on

#### AUTO button doesn't function

 The auto function is applicable only in VGA-Analog mode. If the result is not satisfactory, you can do manual adjustments via the OSD menu.



The Auto Function is not applicable in DVI-Digital mode as it is not necessary.

#### Visible signs of smoke or sparks

- Do not perform any troubleshooting steps
- Disconnect the monitor from mains power source immediately for safety
- Contact with Philips customer service representative immediately.

#### 2 Imaging Problems

#### Image is not centered

- Adjust the image position using the "Auto" function in OSD Main Controls
- Adjust the image position using the Phase/Clock of Setup in OSD Main Controls. It is valid only in VGA mode

#### Image vibrates on the screen

 Check that the signal cable is properly securely connected to the graphics board or PC.

#### Vertical flicker appears



- Adjust the image using the "Auto" function in OSD Main Controls.
- Eliminate the vertical bars using the Phase/Clock of Setup in OSD

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Main Controls. It is valid only in VGA mode.

#### Horizontal flicker appears



- Adjust the image using the "Auto" function in OSD Main Controls
- Eliminate the vertical bars using the Phase/Clock of Setup in OSD Main Controls. It is valid only in VGA mode.

### Image appears blurred, indistinct or too dark

 Adjust the contrast and brightness on On-Screen Display.

## An "after-image", "burn-in" or "ghost image" remains after the power has been turned off.

- Uninterrupted display of still or static images over an extended period may cause "burn in", also known as "after-imaging" or "ghost imaging", on your screen. "Burn-in", "after-imaging", or "ghost imaging" is a well-known phenomenon in LCD panel technology. In most cases, the "burned in" or "after-imaging" or "ghost imaging" will disappear gradually over a period of time after the power has been switched off.
- Always activate a moving screen saver program when you leave your monitor unattended.
- Always activate a periodic screen refresh application if your LCD monitor will display unchanging static content.
- Failure to activate a screen saver, or a periodic screen refresh application may result in severe "burn-in" or "after-image" or "ghost image" symptoms that will not disappear

and cannot be repaired. The damage mentioned above is not covered under your warranty.

### Image appears distorted. Text is fuzzy or blurred.

 Set the PC's display resolution to the same mode as monitor's recommended screen native resolution.

## Green, red, blue, dark, and white dots appears on the screen

 The remaining dots are normal characteristic of the liquid crystal used in today's technology, Please refer the pixel policy for more detail.

## \* The "power on" light is too strong and is disturbing

 You can adjust "power on" light using the power LED Setup in OSD main Controls

For further assistance, refer to the Service contact information listed in Important information manual and contact Philips customer service representative.

\* Functionality different according to display.

#### 7.2 General FAQs

## Q1: When I install my monitor what should I do if the screen shows 'Cannot display this video mode'?

Ans.: Recommended resolution for this monitor: 1920x1080@60Hz.

- Unplug all cables, then connect your PC to the monitor that you used previously.
- In the Windows Start Menu, select Settings/Control Panel. In the Control Panel Window, select the Display icon. Inside the Display Control Panel, select the 'Settings' tab. Under the setting tab, in box labelled 'desktop area', move the sidebar to 1920x1080 pixels.
- Open 'Advanced Properties' and set the Refresh Rate to 60Hz, then click OK.
- Restart your computer and repeat step 2 and 3 to verify that your PC is set at 1920x1080@60Hz.
- Shut down your computer, disconnect your old monitor and reconnect your Philips LCD monitor.
- Turn on your monitor and then turn on your PC.

## Q2: What is the recommended refresh rate for LCD monitor?

Ans.: Recommended refresh rate in LCD monitors is 60Hz, In case of any disturbance on screen, you can set it up to 75Hz to see if that removes the disturbance.

## Q3: What are the .inf and .icm files on the user manual? How do I install the drivers (.inf and .icm)?

Ans.: These are the driver files for your monitor. Follow the instructions in your user manual to install the drivers. Your computer may ask you for monitor drivers (.inf and

.icm files) or a driver disk when you first install your monitor.

#### Q4: How do I adjust the resolution?

Ans.: Your video card/graphic driver and monitor together determine the available resolutions. You can select the desired resolution under Windows® Control Panel with the "Display properties".

## Q5: What if I get lost when I am making monitor adjustments via OSD?

Ans.: Simply press the OK button, then select 'Reset' to recall all of the original factory settings.

### Q6: Is the LCD screen resistant to scratches?

Ans.: In general it is recommended that the panel surface is not subjected to excessive shocks and is protected from sharp or blunt objects. When handling the monitor, make sure that there is no pressure or force applied to the panel surface side. This may affect your warranty conditions.

### Q7: How should I clean the LCD surface?

Ans.: For normal cleaning, use a clean, soft cloth. For extensive cleaning, please use isopropyl alcohol. Do not use other solvents such as ethyl alcohol, ethanol, acetone, hexane, etc.

### Q8: Can I change the color setting of my monitor?

Ans.: Yes, you can change your color setting through OSD control as the following procedures,

- Press "OK" to show the OSD (On Screen Display) menu
- Press "Down Arrow" to select the option "Color" then press "OK" to enter color setting, there are three settings as below.

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- Color Temperature; With settings in the 6500K range the panel appears "warm, with a redwhite color tone", while a 9300K temperature yields "cool, bluewhite toning".
- 2. sRGB; this is a standard setting for ensuring correct exchange of colors between different device (e.g. digital cameras, monitors, printers, scanners, etc)
- User Define; the user can choose his/her preference color setting by adjusting red, green blue color.

#### Note

A measurement of the color of light radiated by an object while it is being heated. This measurement is expressed in terms of absolute scale, (degrees Kelvin). Lower Kevin temperatures such as 2004K are red; higher temperatures such as 9300K are blue. Neutral temperature is white, at 6504K.

## Q9: Can I connect my LCD monitor to any PC, workstation or Mac?

Ans.: Yes. All Philips LCD monitors are fully compatible with standard PCs, Macs and workstations. You may need a cable adapter to connect the monitor to your Mac system. Please contact your Philips sales representative for more information.

#### Q10: Are Philips LCD monitors Plugand- Play?

Ans.: Yes, the monitors are Plug-and-Play compatible with Windows 10/8.1/8/7, Mac OSX.

#### Q11: What is Image Sticking, or Image Burn-in, or After Image, or Ghost Image in LCD panels?

Ans.: Uninterrupted display of still or static images over an extended

period may cause "burn in". also known as "after-imaging" or "ghost imaging", on your screen. "Burn-in", "after-imaging", or "ghost imaging" is a well-known phenomenon in LCD panel technology. In most cases, the "burned in" or "atter-imaging" or "ghost imaging" will disappear gradually over a period of time after the power has been switched off. Always activate a moving screen saver program when you leave your monitor unattended. Always activate a periodic screen refresh application if your LCD monitor will display unchanging

#### Warning

Severe"burn-in" or "after-image" or "ghost image" symptoms will not disappear and cannot be repaired. The damage mentioned above is not covered under your warranty.

static content.

## Q12: Why is my Display not showing sharp text, and is displaying jagged characters?

Ans.: Your LCD monitor works best at its native resolution of 1920x1080@60Hz. For best display, please use this resolution.

#### Q13: How to unlock/lock my hot key?

Ans.: Please press (OK for 10 seconds to unlock/lock the hot key, by doing so, your monitor pops out "Attention" to show the unlock/lock status as shown below illustrators



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#### 7.3 MHL FAQs

Q1: I cannot see my mobile device image on the monitor screen

#### Ans.:

- Please check if your mobile device is MHL certified
- You also need to have a MHL certified cable to connect the devices
- Make sure that you have connected to the MHL-HDMI port, and that correct input is selected on the Monitor via the input selector (front bezel or OSD)
- The product is officially MHLcertified. As this monitor is a passive display, if you encounter any unexpected troubles when using the MHL input, please refer to the mobile device's user manual or contact the manufacturer of the mobile device



Make sure your mobile device has not entered standby (sleep) mode. If it has, then you will see a notification message on the display. Once the mobile device wakes up, the monitor's display will wake and show the images. You may need to make sure that the correct input is selected if in between you have used or connected any other device

Q2. Why is the image on the monitor display of poor quality? My mobile device looks far better.

#### Ans ·

- The MHL standard defines fixed 1080p@30Hz for output, and input. This monitor complies with this standard.
- The image quality depends on the quality of the original contents. If the content is of high resolution (example HD or 1080p), then it will appear in HD or 1080p on this monitor display. If the original content is in low resolution (example QVGA) it may look good on the mobile device due to its small screen size, but will look to be of lower quality on the large screen monitor display.

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## Q3. I cannot hear sound from the monitor display.

#### Ans.:

- Make sure your monitor display has built-in speakers and the volume is turned on the monitor side, and also on the mobile device side. You may also want to use optional headphones.
- If your monitor display does not have in built speakers, then you can connect optional headphones to the output on the monitor. Please ensure that the volume is turned on the monitor side, and also on the mobile device side.

For further information or FAQ, please visit official website of MHL org:

http://www.mhlconsortium.org



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