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Model: 33701

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the GE Big Button Universal Remote Control, Model 33701. This remote is designed to consolidate control of up to two devices, such as your TV, soundbar, cable box, satellite receiver, or other compatible devices. Its large, easy-to-read buttons and simplified keypad offer a user-friendly experience for all users.

The remote is preprogrammed for immediate use with Samsung TVs and is compatible with all major brands. Setup options include automatic code search and direct code entry programming. A master volume control feature allows audio adjustment regardless of the active device. This remote also includes simple navigation and a dot button for direct sub-channel access.

FEATURES

- **Large, Simplified Keyboard:** Ergonomic design with big, easy-to-read buttons for comfortable and hassle-free use, ideal for users with impaired vision.
- **Multi-Device Control:** Controls up to two devices, including TVs, soundbars, cable boxes, satellite receivers, and other compatible devices.
- **Easy Setup:** Features simple automatic code search and direct code entry programming. Preprogrammed for Samsung TVs.
- **Master Volume Control:** Adjusts audio regardless of which device is currently in use.
- **Simple Navigation:** Includes a dot button for direct sub-channel access.
- **Lightweight Design:** Easy to handle and operate.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW



Image: The GE Big Button Universal Remote Control shown alongside its product packaging, highlighting its key features and design.



Controls Your Devices



Sound Bar/Audio



Home Theatre



TVs



DVD/Blu-ray™ Player



Cable/Satellite

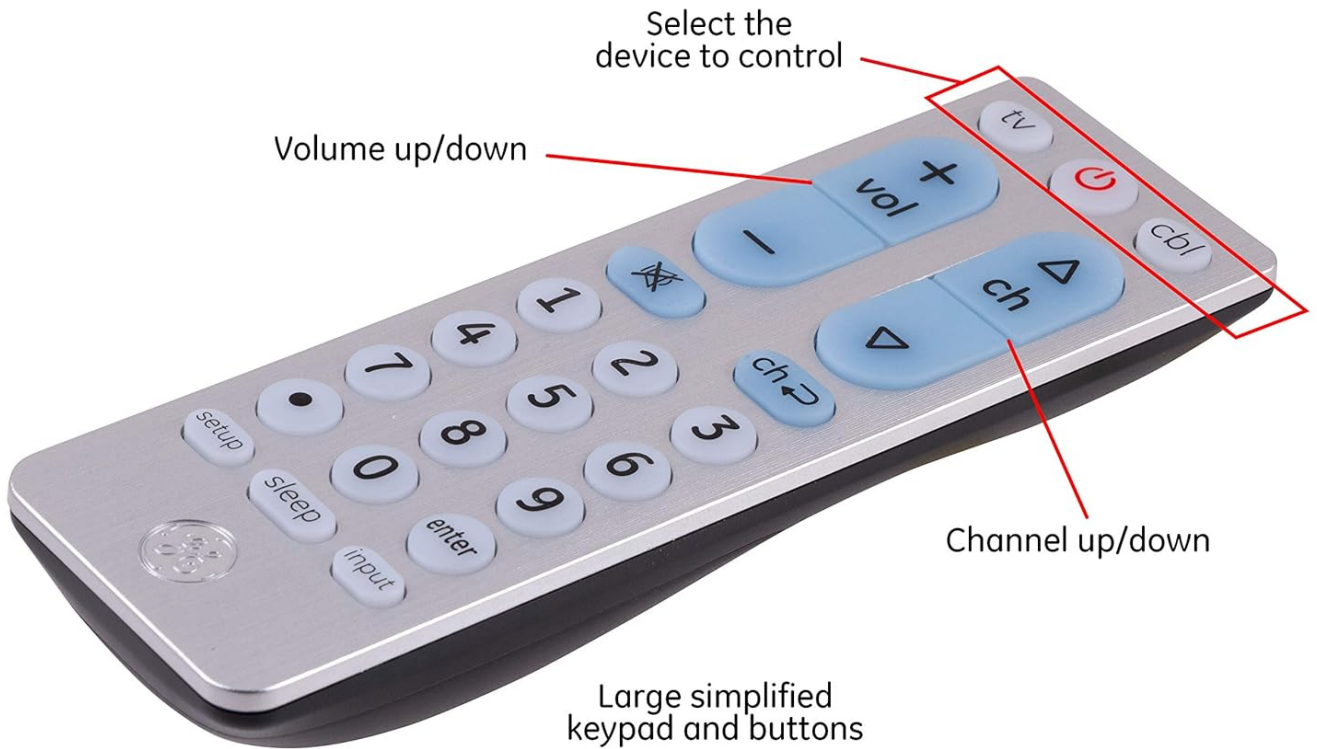
Comprehensive Code Library Works with ALL MAJOR BRANDS
and supports thousands of the latest and legacy AUDIO/VIDEO components.

Samsung • Vizio • JVC • Sony • Emerson • Element • Hisense • Westinghouse • Etc.

Image: A visual representation of the types of devices the remote can control, including Sound Bar/Audio, Home Theatre, TVs, DVD/Blu-ray™ Players, and Cable/Satellite boxes.



Up to 2 controllable devices



Requires 2 AA batteries
(Not Included)

*This remote does not have menu navigation controls

Preprogrammed for Samsung TVs

Control your Samsung TV with out any programming required via TV button.
NOT COMPATIBLE with Roku Streaming Stick or Amazon Fire TV/Stick.

Image: A detailed view of the remote control, illustrating the location of the TV and CABLE device selection buttons, Volume up/down, Channel up/down, and the large simplified keypad. It also notes that the remote requires 2 AA batteries (not included) and does not have menu navigation controls.



Image: A diagram showing the physical dimensions of the remote control: 5.46 inches in length, 1.78 inches in width, and 0.94 inches in thickness. A hand holding the remote is also shown for scale.

SETUP

1. Battery Installation

The remote requires two (2) AA batteries (not included). To install:

1. Remove the battery compartment cover on the back of the remote.
2. Insert two AA batteries, ensuring correct polarity (+ and -).
3. Replace the battery compartment cover.

2. Programming Your Devices

The GE Big Button Universal Remote can be programmed using either Automatic Code Search or Direct Code Entry. It is preprogrammed for Samsung TVs for immediate use.

Automatic Code Search:

This method scans through codes to find the correct one for your device.

1. Turn on the device you wish to control (e.g., TV, cable box).
2. Press and hold the **SETUP** button until the red indicator light on the remote turns on.
3. Press and release the device button you want to program (e.g., **TV**, **CBL**). The red indicator light will blink once and then remain lit.
4. Point the remote at the device and press the **POWER** button repeatedly (approximately every 2 seconds) until the device turns off.
5. Once the device turns off, press the **ENTER** button to save the code. The red indicator light will turn off.
6. Test the remote's functions (volume, channel, power) to ensure proper operation. If not, repeat the process.

Direct Code Entry:

This method requires you to find your device's code from the included code list (or online resources) and enter it directly.

1. Turn on the device you wish to control.
2. Locate the 4-digit code for your device's brand in the provided code list.
3. Press and hold the **SETUP** button until the red indicator light on the remote turns on.
4. Press and release the device button you want to program (e.g., **TV**, **CBL**). The red indicator light will blink once and then remain lit.
5. Enter the 4-digit code using the number buttons. After entering the last digit, the red indicator light will turn off.
6. Test the remote's functions (volume, channel, power) to ensure proper operation. If not, try the next code listed for your brand or use Automatic Code Search.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once programmed, your GE Universal Remote is ready for use. Here are the basic operating functions:

- **Device Selection:** Press the **TV** or **CBL** button to select the device you wish to control. The indicator light will briefly flash to confirm selection.
- **Power On/Off:** Press the **POWER** button to turn the selected device on or off.
- **Volume Control:** Use the **+VOL** and **-VOL** buttons to adjust the volume. The master volume feature allows these buttons to control the volume of your primary audio device (e.g., TV or soundbar) regardless of the selected device.
- **Channel Change:** Use the **+CH** and **-CH** buttons to change channels.
- **Mute:** Press the **MUTE** button to silence the audio. Press again to unmute.
- **Number Entry:** Use the number pad (0-9) to directly enter channel numbers.
- **Enter:** Press the **ENTER** button after entering a channel number or to confirm a selection.
- **Input:** Press the **INPUT** button to cycle through the input sources on your TV.
- **Sleep:** Press the **SLEEP** button to activate the sleep timer function on your TV (if supported).
- **Dot Button (.):** Use this button for direct access to sub-channels (e.g., 7.1).

MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your universal remote control, follow these simple maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the remote with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners, waxes, or solvents.
- **Battery Replacement:** Replace batteries when the remote's performance diminishes or the indicator light does not respond as expected. Always replace both batteries at the same time with new AA batteries.
- **Storage:** Store the remote in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Avoid Drops:** Protect the remote from drops and impacts, which can damage internal components.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your universal remote, try the following solutions:

Problem	Solution
Remote does not operate your device.	<p>Ensure the remote is pointed directly at the device and there are no obstructions.</p> <p>Verify that the correct device button (TV, CBL) has been selected.</p> <p>Replace old batteries with new ones.</p> <p>Reprogram the remote using either Automatic Code Search or Direct Code Entry. Try a different code if using Direct Code Entry.</p>
Remote does not control all functions of your device.	<p>Some advanced functions may not be supported by universal remotes.</p> <p>Try a different code for your device, as some codes may offer more functionality than others.</p>
Indicator light does not turn on when pressing buttons.	<p>Check battery installation and ensure correct polarity.</p> <p>Replace batteries if they are old or depleted.</p>
Volume control does not work on the desired device.	<p>Ensure the master volume feature is correctly set up for your primary audio device.</p> <p>Refer to the full user manual for advanced programming of master volume.</p>

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Product Dimensions	1 x 2 x 5.75 inches
Item Weight	2.4 ounces
Model Number	33701
Batteries Required	2 AA batteries (not included)
Max Number of Supported Devices	2
Color	Silver
Manufacturer	Jasco Products Company, LLC

Attribute	Detail
Compatible Devices	Sony, Samsung, Hisense, Westinghouse, LG, Toshiba, Sharp, Vizio, Insignia, Philips, TCL, Panasonic, Roku, Apple TV, Smart TVs, Streaming Players, Blu-Ray, DVD, VCR, Home Theater

SUPPORT

For additional assistance, technical support, or to access the full user manual and code list, please refer to the following resources:

- **Technical Support:** Free U.S.-based technical support is available Monday-Friday, 7AM-8PM Central Time.
- **User Guide (PDF):** [Download User Guide](#)
- **User Manual (PDF):** [Download User Manual](#)
- **Online Setup Videos:** A link to an online playlist of easy-to-follow setup videos is typically included with the product.

Note: Specific contact information for technical support (phone number/email) is not provided in this document. Please refer to your product packaging or the official GE home electrical website for direct contact details.

