

The Search for Extra-Teletextual Intelligence

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Figure 1. *100_01_Golden-Tape*



Figure 2. *100_02_Satellite*



Figure 3. *100_03_Txt-in-space*

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More about the Golden VHS tape >>

Figure 4. *101_01_Newshound1*

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Contents of the Golden tape ..102

Figure 5. 101_02_Newshound2

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Contents of the GOLDEN TAPE

Misprinted
recipes

Bad jokes

Corrected
football
scores

3,094,854
palm
trees

Dodgy
weather
forecasts



Glitched
cinema
listings

Last
minute
holidays

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Figure 6. 102_01_Contents



Figure 7. 102_02_Rocket



Figure 8. *103_01_Chat*

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~~FOOTBALL~~
Teleprinter

GOAL! Burger Bun-desliga
Hamburger SUV 2-0 E. Frankfurter
Jan Samwich (34)

CORRECTION Indigestiligue 1
Rennies 0-1 Par. Stomach Grumble
Ant Assid (19)

GOAL! False Liga
Fake Madrid 1-1 Counterfeit Soci.
Roberto Mondegreen (16)



×Information approx. 15.3% accurate

Figure 9. 106_01_Teleprinter



Figure 10. 109_01_Holidays



Figure 11. 109_02_Palms

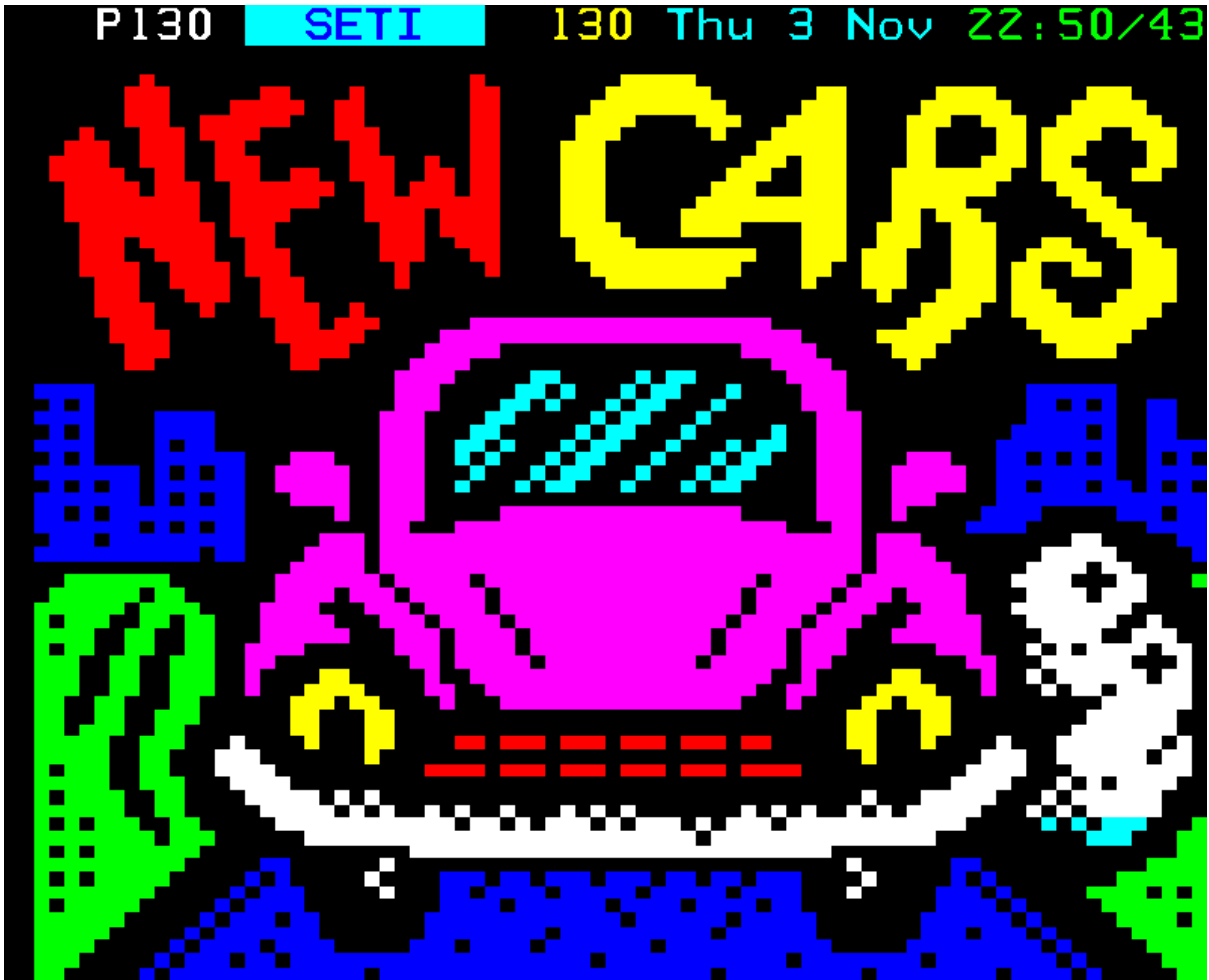


Figure 12. *130_01_Cars*



Figure 13. 157_01_Betmule