RADIO DATA SYSTEM (RDS)

Your audio unit is equipped with RDS, which enables the audio unit to receive additional information with the normal radio signals.

On the FM waveband, RDS enables the audio to receive traffic and news information broadcasts. RDS also allows the audio to automatically re-tune to stations that are linked to the same network if that network allows this.

Note: *Not all FM radio stations broadcast RDS. If a non-RDS station is selected, RDS features will not be available.*

Regionalisation (REG)

As you drive into different radio reception areas, RDS automatically retunes the radio to the strongest signal. When REG is on, the tuner is locked to the current local radio station. With REG switched off, the tuner is allowed to switch to a stronger Enhanced Other Network (EON) when the current EON linked radio station signal becomes weak.

To enable/disable regionalisation, press the **MENU** button and select **Audio**, scroll to **RDS REGIONAL** and turn on or off with the **OK** button. Press the **MENU** button to return.

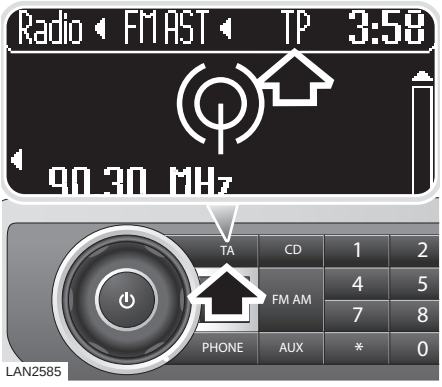
Alternative Frequency (AF)

Some radio stations broadcast on different frequencies in different parts of the country. If the selected station signal weakens, the radio will automatically re-tune to a stronger Alternative Frequency (AF), if one is available. This feature is particularly useful on long journeys where the vehicle travels through different transmitter areas serving the same radio station.

To enable/disable AF, press the **MENU** button, select **Audio**, scroll to **ALTERNAT. FREQ.** and turn AF on or off with the **OK** button. Press the **MENU** button to return.

TRAFFIC INFORMATION

Selecting traffic information



Normal reception can be interrupted to broadcast traffic information from stations on the FM waveband or Radio Data System (RDS) and Enhanced Other Network (EON) linked stations.

Briefly press the **TA** button on the audio unit, the indicator appears on the right of the display.

When a radio station capable of providing traffic information is selected, the **TP** indicator appears alongside.

As soon as a traffic announcement is received, normal radio reception (or CD play) is interrupted and the word **Traffic announcement** appears briefly in the main display area, followed by the name of the station providing the information.

If a non-traffic station is selected or recalled using a preset button, the audio unit will remain on that station unless **TA** is turned off, then on again.