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Final Setup — Power On

Power Connection
- AC Wall Outlet
- Surge Protector (sold separately)
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Power On
- Turn on power in the order shown:
  1. Remote Control
  2. FM Antenna
  3. TV/Cable Ant

Remote Control and FM Antenna

Remote Control
- Install AA batteries in remote control.

FM Antenna (select models only)
Final Setup — Internet Connection
Select only one network option, then proceed to Power On.

Wireless LAN (802.11b/g)
- Connect the wireless adapter to your HP Media Center
- Follow network setup wizard for configuring
- Use an Ethernet connection if Wi-Fi is not available

Wired LAN
- Connect via DSL or cable modem or network router
- Connect the Ethernet cable to the HP Media Center

Dial-up Modem (select models only)
- Connect to a phone jack
- Attach the dial-up modem and 802.11 b/g antenna

4 Final Setup — Internet Connection
Select only one network option, then proceed to Power On.
TV Signal Sources — Digital TV Antenna
Connect TV signal to PC, then proceed to final setup.

Audio — Choose Your Configuration

1. Choose your PC

2. Choose one

[Choose options]

Audio — Choose Your Configuration

Choose one
Page
a) PC speakers .................................. 6
b) Home stereo AV receiver ........ 9
c) TV speakers .................................. 9
d) Digital audio .................................. 12

Choose one
Page
a) PC speakers .................................. 7
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Choose one
Page
a) PC speakers .................................. 8
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When you are done with audio, proceed to video.

Audio — PC Speakers
Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

TV Signal Sources — Cable or Satellite Receiver — Step 2
This step is required to use the remote control with a cable box or satellite receiver.

When you are done with TV signal, proceed to final setup.

Refer to setup instructions that came with your speakers.

It may be easier to find the IR window using a flashlight.

Attach the IR transmitter from the rear of the HP remote sensor to the front IR window of your cable box or satellite receiver.

Set-top Box 1
Set-top Box 2
Remote Sensor
NOTE: Use B connectors if you have a dual tuner card and a second identical cable box or a second identical satellite receiver.

When you are done with audio, proceed to video.

Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.
Audio — PC Speakers
Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

Refer to setup instructions that came with your speakers.

When you are done with audio, proceed to video.

TV Signal Sources — Analog Cable or Antenna
Connect TV signal to PC, then proceed to final setup.

NOTE: Dual-tuner card connects input signal to both tuners internally.

When you are done with TV signal, proceed to final setup.
Audio — Home Stereo AV Receiver or TV Speakers

Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

When you are done with audio, proceed to video.
Choose your TV signal source:

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Video — PC Displays
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

Audio — Home Stereo AV Receiver or TV Speakers
Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

When you are done with audio, proceed to video.
Audio — Home Stereo AV Receiver
with Digital Audio Input
Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

Video — Standard TVs
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

NOTE:
Your PC will have only one of these connector locations.

When you are done with audio, proceed to video.

When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.
Video — Standard TVs
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

Video — Choose Your Configuration

1. Choose your graphics card
   a) High-definition TV ........................................ 14
   b) Standard TV ............................................. 16
   c) PC display .............................................. 18

2. Choose one
   a) High-definition TV ........................................ 14
   b) Standard TV ............................................. 16
   c) PC display .............................................. 18

IMPORTANT: Flip switch toward composite/S-video connectors. See Getting Started Guide “Using the Analog Video Cable” for more information.

When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.
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**Video — High Definition TVs**
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

**Video — High-Definition TVs**
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

**IMPORTANT:**
Flip switch toward component connectors. If you choose the composite video option, you must also set the other switches to match your display resolution. See Getting Started Guide "Using the Analog Video Cable" for more information.

When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.
Video — High Definition TVs
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

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Video — High-Definition TVs
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.
Video — Standard TVs
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

Video — Choose Your Configuration

Choose your graphics card

1. Choose one
   a) High-definition TV ............... 14
   b) Standard TV .................. 16
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When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.
Audio — Home Stereo AV Receiver with Digital Audio Input
Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

NOTE:
Your PC will have only one of these connector locations.

When you are done with audio, proceed to video.

Video — Standard TVs
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.
Video — PC Displays
Select only one video option, then proceed to TV signal sources.

Audio — Home Stereo AV Receiver or TV Speakers
Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

When you are done with video, proceed to TV signal sources.

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When you are done with audio, proceed to video.

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TV Signal Sources — Analog Cable or Antenna
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When you are done with TV signal, proceed to final setup.

Refer to setup instructions that came with your speakers.
TV Signal Sources — Cable or Satellite Receiver — Step 1

Connect TV signal to PC, then proceed to step 2.

Audio — PC Speakers

Select only one audio option, then proceed to video.

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2.0/2.1 Channel Speakers

Refer to setup instructions that come with your speakers.

Creative Labs Model T7700 (or equivalent only)

Refer to setup instructions and cables that come with your speakers.

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Audio — PC Speakers
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Choose your PC

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- **Wireless LAN (802.11b/g)**
- **Wired LAN**
- **Dial-up Modem** (select models only)

For more information, refer to network setup wizard for configuring the HP Media Center PC to your home network.

Attach 802.11 b/g antenna (select models only)

Phone jack

**Final Setup — Internet Connection**

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**Power On**

Turn on power in the order shown.

1. AC Wall Outlet
2. Surge Protector
3. Grounded connection

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**Remote Control**

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