Remote Control (Select Models Only)

User Guide

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1 Introduction

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This guide provides information on using the HP Mobile Remote Control (shipped with select computer models only). Two different remote control models are covered in this guide: one that fits in the PC Card slot and one that fits in the ExpressCard slot.

NOTE Depending on your computer model, you may not have both a PC Card slot and an ExpressCard slot. Refer to the computer user guide.

The following illustration identifies the 2 remote controls.





(1) HP Mobile Remote Control (PC Card version)

(2) HP Mobile Remote Control (ExpressCard version)

2 HP Mobile Remote Control (PC Card version)

This chapter provides information on the PC Card remote control.



Inserting the battery (PC Card version)



WARNING! Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type. Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

To insert the battery into the HP Mobile Remote Control (PC Card version):

1. On the back of the remote control, turn the battery compartment cover counterclockwise (1) and remove it (2).



2. With the positive side of the battery facing up, insert the battery into the compartment.



3. Insert the tabs on the battery compartment cover into the slots in the battery compartment and turn the cover clockwise to close.



Storing the remote control in the PC Card slot

The HP Mobile Remote Control (PC Card version) can be stored in the PC Card slot of the computer for convenience and safety.

CAUTION To prevent damage to the computer and remote control, do not insert the PC Card version of the remote control or a PC Card into the ExpressCard slot (select computer models only).

The PC Card slot or slot insert may display the following icon.



To store the remote control:

NOTE Your computer model may look different than the illustrations in this section. Refer to the computer user guide for the location of the PC Card slot.

1. Remove the PC Card slot insert.

2. Gently slide the remote control into the PC Card slot until it is firmly in place.



CAUTION If the remote control does not easily slide into the slot, be sure you are inserting the remote control into the correct slot.



To remove the remote control from the PC Card slot:

- 1. Press the PC Card slot eject button to release the remote control.
- 2. Pull the remote control out of the slot.

Button quick reference (PC Card version)

This section provides information on the button functions of the HP Mobile Remote Control (PC Card version).

When the computer is off:

- Press the power button (1) to start the computer in Windows.
- Press the DVD Menu button (2) to open QuickPlay DVD mode (select computer models only).
- Press the Music button (3) to open QuickPlay music mode (select computer models only).



Button	Function in Microsoft® Windows®	Function in QuickPlay (select models only)
Power	If the computer is	Press to turn QuickPlay off.
0	• On, briefly press to initiate hibernation.	
<u> </u>	 In standby, briefly press to resume from standby. 	
	 In hibernation, briefly press to restore from hibernation. 	
DVD Menu	If the computer is	In QuickPlay music mode, press to switch to QuickPlay DVD mode
	On, press to open the default Windows DVD player.	 When a DVD is playing, press to view the manu of the DVD.
	 On and playing a DVD, press to view the menu of the DVD. 	

Button	Function in Microsoft® Windows®	Function in QuickPlay (select models only)
	 In standby, press briefly to resume from standby. 	
	In hibernation, press to open QuickPlay DVD mode (select computer models only).	
Music	 In Windows, press to open the default Windows music player. 	In QuickPlay DVD mode, press to switch to QuickPlay music mode.
(J)	 In standby, press briefly to resume from standby. 	
	 In hibernation, press to open QuickPlay music mode (select computer models only). 	
Stop	Press to stop the current media activity, such as	Press to stop the current media activity, such as
	playing, rewinding, etc.	playing, rewinding, etc.
Rewind	Press to rewind the selected media.	Press to rewind the selected media.
Play/Pause	• Media not playing, press to play the media.	• Media not playing, press to play the media.
	• Media playing, press to pause the media.	 Media playing, press to pause the media.
Fast Forward	Press to fast forward the selected media.	Press to fast forward the selected media.
Volume Up	Press to increase system volume.	Press to increase system volume.
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Volume Down	Press to decrease system volume.	Press to decrease system volume.
Mute	• Press to mute system volume.	• Press to mute system volume.
۲	• If muted, press to restore system volume.	• If muted, press to restore system volume.
Previous	Press to go back to the previous track or chapter.	Press to go back to the previous track or chapter.
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Next	Press to go to the next track or chapter.	Press to go to the next track or chapter.
Up	Navigation. Press to scroll up.	Navigation. Press to scroll up.

Button	Function in Microsoft® Windows®	Function in QuickPlay (select models only)
Left	Navigation. Press to scroll left.	Navigation. Press to scroll left.
Ok	Navigation. Press to select an item on the screen.	Navigation. Press to select an item on the screen.
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Right	Navigation. Press to scroll right.	Navigation. Press to scroll right.
Down	Navigation. Press to scroll down.	Navigation. Press to scroll down.
Back	Press to emulate the "back" function of the alt +left arrow command in the active application.	 In music mode, press to move up one directory level in the My Music display.
t		• In DVD mode, this button is inactive.
Information	Press to view information about a selected item in	Press to display battery and volume status.
1		If playing a DVD, the DVD title, chapter, and time information is also displayed.
Print	Press to open the print options window of the	None
Photo	Press to open the default Windows picture application.	None
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Media	Press to open the default Windows media application.	None
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Switch Screens	Press to switch the computer image between the computer display and an external display.	Press to switch the computer image between the computer display and an external display.

HP Mobile Remote Control (PC Card version) component functions

The infrared lens on the remote control links the remote control to the computer. The link requires a lineof-sight path between the infrared lens on the remote control and the infrared lens on the computer.

Things to remember:

• The HP Mobile Remote Control operates within Microsoft® Windows®, QuickPlay (select computer models only), and InterVideo Home Theater software (select computer models only). Each button responds according to which application is active.



NOTE Refer to the InterVideo Home Theater on-screen Help for remote control information.

NOTE For information on using QuickPlay, refer to the QuickPlay online Help.

- Some remote control buttons perform the same functions as computer buttons. For example, the DVD button on the remote control and the DVD button on the computer have the same functions and can be used interchangeably.
- Some remote control buttons perform the same functions as computer hotkeys. Refer to the computer user guide for information on supported hotkeys.
- Other remote control buttons provide functions that are not duplicated by computer buttons or preset key combinations.

3 HP Mobile Remote Control (ExpressCard version)

This chapter provides information on the ExpressCard remote control.



Inserting the battery (ExpressCard version)



WARNING! Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type. Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

To insert the battery into the HP Mobile Remote Control (ExpressCard version):

1. On the back of the remote control, lift the battery compartment cover (1) and remove it (2).



2. With the positive side of the battery facing up, insert the battery into the compartment.



3. Align the battery compartment cover (1) with the battery compartment and press down to close the cover (2).



Storing the remote control in the ExpressCard slot

The HP Mobile Remote Control (ExpressCard version) can be stored in the ExpressCard slot of the computer for convenience and safety.

CAUTION To prevent damage to the computer and remote control, do not insert the ExpressCard version of the remote control or an ExpressCard into the PC Card slot (select computer models only).

The ExpressCard slot or slot insert may display the following icon.

To store the remote control:

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NOTE Your computer model may look different than the illustrations in this section. Refer to the computer user guide for the location of the ExpressCard slot.

- 1. Remove the ExpressCard slot insert.
- 2. Gently slide the remote control into the ExpressCard slot until it is firmly in place. Ensure that it lies flush with the edge of the computer.



CAUTION If the remote control does not easily slide into the slot, be sure you are inserting the remote control into the correct slot.



To remove the remote control from the ExpressCard slot:

- If the ExpressCard slot has an eject button:
 - a. Press the ExpressCard slot eject button to release the remote control.
 - b. Pull the remote control out of the slot.
- If the ExpressCard slot does not have an eject button:
 - a. Gently push in on the remote control to release it.
 - b. Pull the remote control out of the slot.

Button quick reference (ExpressCard version)

This section provides information on the button functions of the HP Mobile Remote Control (ExpressCard version).

When the computer is off:

- Press the power button (1) to start the computer in Windows.
- Press the Media button (2) to open QuickPlay (select computer models only).
- Press the DVD Menu button (3) to open QuickPlay DVD mode (select computer models only).
- Press the Music button (4) to open QuickPlay music mode (select computer models only).



Button	Function in Microsoft® Windows®	Function in QuickPlay (select models only)
Power	If the computer is	Press to turn off QuickPlay.
٢	• On, press to emulate the computer power button. Refer to the computer documentation for information.	
	 In standby, briefly press to resume from standby. 	
	 In hibernation, briefly press to restore from hibernation. 	
Switch Screens	Press to switch the computer image between the computer display and an external display.	Press to switch the computer image between the computer display and an external display.
Media	Press to open QuickPlay (select computer models only) or the default music application.	None

Button	Function in Microsoft® Windows®	Function in QuickPlay (select models only)
DVD Menu	If the computer is	In QuickPlay music mode, press to switch to QuickPlay DVD mode
	 On, press to open QuickPlay for Windows DVD Mode (select models only) or the default media application. 	 When a DVD is playing, press to view the menu of the DVD.
	 On and playing a DVD, press to view the menu of the DVD. 	
	 In standby, press briefly to resume from standby. 	
	 In hibernation, press to open QuickPlay Display DVD mode (select computer models only). 	
Music	If the computer is	In QuickPlay DVD mode, press to switch to QuickPlay music mode
	 On, press to open QuickPlay for Windows Music mode (select models only) or the default media application. 	
	 In standby, press briefly to resume from standby. 	
	 In hibernation, press to open QuickPlay Display music mode (select computer models only). 	
Channel/ Page Up	 Press to change channels in ascending order. 	Press to navigate backward a page.
٦	• Press to emulate the pg up key on a keyboard.	
Channel/ Page Down	 Press to change channels in descending order. 	Press to navigate forward a page.
٢	 Press to emulate the pg dn key on a keyboard. 	
Stop	Press to stop the current media activity, such as playing, rewinding, etc.	Press to stop the current media activity, such as playing, rewinding, etc.
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Rewind	Press to rewind the selected media.	Press to rewind the selected media.
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Play/Pause	• Media not playing, press to play the media.	• Media not playing, press to play the media.
	 Media playing, press to pause the media. 	 Media playing, press to pause the media.
Fast Forward	Press to fast forward the selected media.	Press to fast forward the selected media.
Previous	Press to go back to the previous track or chapter.	Press to go back to the previous track or chapter.

Button	Function in Microsoft® Windows®	Function in QuickPlay (select models only)
Next	Press to go to the next track or chapter.	Press to go to the next track or chapter.
Up	Navigation. Press to scroll up.	Navigation. Press to scroll up.
Left	Navigation. Press to scroll left.	Navigation. Press to scroll left.
Ok	Navigation. Press to select an item on the screen.	Navigation. Press to select an item on the screen.
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Right	Navigation. Press to scroll right.	Navigation. Press to scroll right.
Down	Navigation. Press to scroll down.	Navigation. Press to scroll down.
Back	Press to emulate the "back" function of the backspace key command in the active	 In music mode, press to move up one directory level in the My Music display.
t	application.	 In DVD mode, this button is inactive.
Information	Press to display system information.	Press to display information and settings for QuickPlay programs.
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	Press to decrease system volume.	Press to decrease system volume.
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Mute	• Press to mute system volume.	• Press to mute system volume.
۲	• If muted, press to restore system volume.	• If muted, press to restore system volume.
Volume Up	Press to increase system volume.	Press to increase system volume.
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4 Troubleshooting the remote control

Problem	Possible solution	
My remote control is not working.	• Be sure you have a clear line of sight from the remote control to the IR port on the computer or expansion product.	
	• Be sure that you are within range of the IR port on the computer or expansion product.	
	• Be sure the battery is properly installed and has a charge. Replace the battery if necessary.	
	• Be sure you are using the remote control with a supported computer or expansion product.	
My remote control will not fit into the slot for storage.	Be sure you are inserting the remote control into the proper slot on the computer. A PC Card remote control must be inserted into the PC Card slot and an ExpressCard remote control must be inserted into the ExpressCard slot.	
I cannot remove the remote control from the slot.	Refer to the removal instructions in this guide for your remote control model.	

Refer to the following table for help in troubleshooting remote control problems.

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