

# HP Mini Remote Control (Select Models Only) User Guide

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# 1 Component functions

 **NOTE:** Your computer may include an updated remote control that functions differently than described in this guide. For the latest user guide for your remote control, go to the product support page for your computer at <http://www.hp.com/support/>.

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

Things to remember:

- The remote control operates within the Windows® operating system, within HP MediaSmart (select computer models only) and within QuickPlay (select computer models only). Button functions may vary, depending on the active program.

 **NOTE:** For information on using MediaSmart, select **Start > Help and Support**.


- Some remote control buttons perform the same functions as computer buttons. For example, the power button on the remote control and the power 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 guides for information on supported hotkeys.







To access the user guides, select **Start > Help and Support > User Guides**.












- Other remote control buttons provide functions that are not duplicated by computer buttons or preset key combinations.




## 2 Button quick reference

This section provides information on the button functions of the remote control.

 **NOTE:** The position of the buttons may vary, depending on your remote control model.

Button	Function
Power 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>When the computer is on, press the button to emulate the computer power button. Refer to the computer user guides for information.</li></ul> <p>To access the user guides, select <b>Start &gt; Help and Support &gt; User Guides</b>.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The remote control cannot be used when the computer is off.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>When the computer is in the Sleep state, briefly press the button to exit Sleep.</li><li>When the computer is in Hibernation, briefly press the button to exit Hibernation.</li></ul>
Windows Media Center 	<p>If the computer uses Windows Vista® Premium or Windows Vista Ultimate, press the button to open the Windows Media Center main menu. The Windows Media Center button has no function with other operating systems.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Refer to the label on the bottom of the computer to determine the operating system.</p>
MediaSmart 	<p>Press the button to launch MediaSmart (for models with MediaSmart preinstalled) or QuickPlay (for models with QuickPlay preinstalled).</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> If the computer has been set up to require a logon password, you may be asked to log on to Windows.</p>
Play/pause 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>When media is not playing, press the button to play the selected media.</li><li>When media is playing, press the button to pause the media.</li></ul>
DVD 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>If a DVD is playing, press the button to open the DVD disc menu.</li><li>If a DVD is not playing, press the button to open the default DVD player.</li></ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> If the computer has been set up to require a logon password, you may be asked to log on to Windows.</p>
Rewind 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Press the button to rewind the selected media.</li></ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The button does not work with some media files.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Press the rewind button and then press the play button to activate play.</li></ul>
Stop	Press the button to stop the current media activity.

Button	Function
	
Fast-forward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Press the button to fast-forward the selected media.</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The button does not work with some media files.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Press the fast-forward button and then press the play button to activate play.</li> </ul>
	
Previous	Press the button to move back one track or chapter.
	
Up	Navigation. Press the button to move up between menus, windows, or activities.
	
Next	Press the button to move forward one track or chapter.
	
Left	Navigation. Press the button to move left between menus, windows, or activities.
	
OK	Navigation: Press the OK button to select the desired action. The OK button functions like the <a href="#">enter</a> key on the computer keyboard.
	
Right	Navigation. Press the button to move right between menus, windows, or activities.
	
Back	Press the button to emulate the <a href="#">backspace</a> key on the computer keyboard.
	
Down	Navigation. Press the button to move down between menus, windows, or activities.
	
Settings	Press to display system information. The button may also be used to display settings menus for some multimedia software.
	
Volume down	Press the button to decrease speaker volume.

Button	Function
	
Mute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Press the button to mute speaker volume.</li><li>• If the volume is muted, press the button to restore speaker volume.</li></ul>
	
Volume up	Press the button to increase speaker volume.
	



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## 3 Inserting or replacing the battery

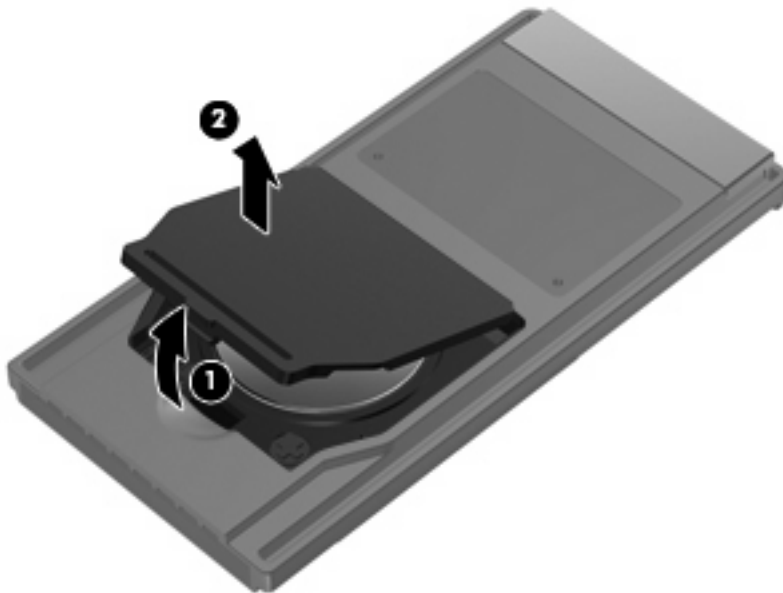
⚠ **WARNING!** To reduce potential safety issues, use only the battery provided with the remote control, a replacement battery provided by HP, or a compatible battery purchased from HP.

Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions in the *Regulatory, Safety and Environmental Notices* located in Help and Support. To access Help and Support, select **Start > Help and Support > User Guides**.

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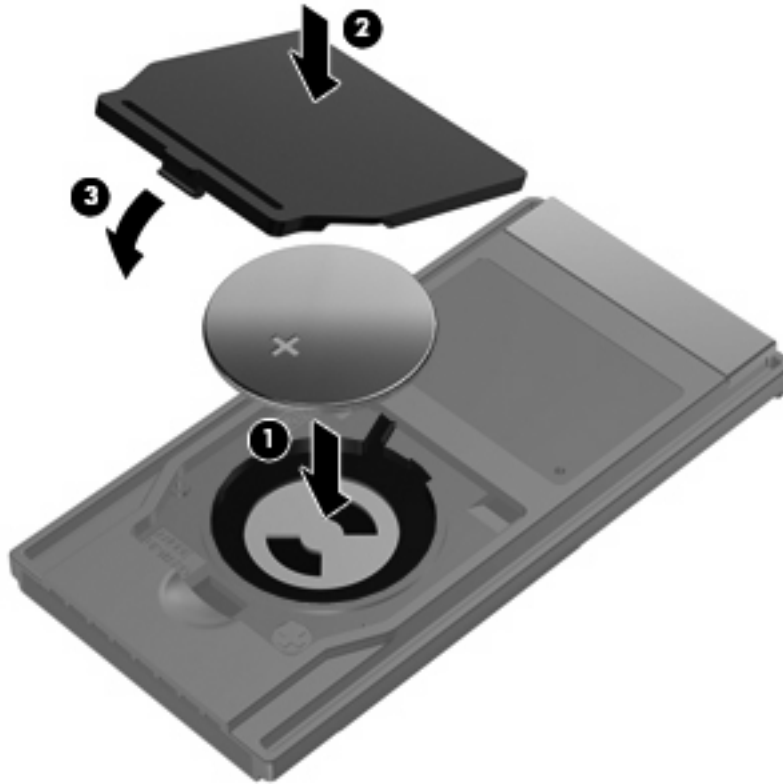
To insert or replace the battery in the remote control, follow these instructions:

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 (1).

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



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## 4 Troubleshooting

Try the following solutions if your remote control does not function properly:

- Be sure that 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 that the battery is properly installed and has a charge. Replace the battery if necessary.
- Be sure that you are using the remote control with a supported computer or expansion product.

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