

Startup guide

Harmony Companion remote



Harmony Companion remote enables one-touch Activity based control of your home entertainment and home automation systems. It complements the Harmony mobile app and will keep in sync, regardless of where you start or stop an Activity.

Harmony Hub



Harmony Hub is the center of your home entertainment and home control solution. Placed near your television, set-top box, game console and other equipment, it uses Infrared (IR), *Bluetooth* and Wi-Fi to control your various devices.

Power adapter



Connect a power adapter to your Harmony hub. It takes 30 seconds for the hub to power on.

IR mini blaster



The IR mini blasters connect to the back of the hub and helps extend the coverage area for IR controlled devices.

Use this if your entertainment system has closed cabinets and you have devices behind cabinet doors.

Use of the IR mini blaster may or may not be required, depending on your setup.

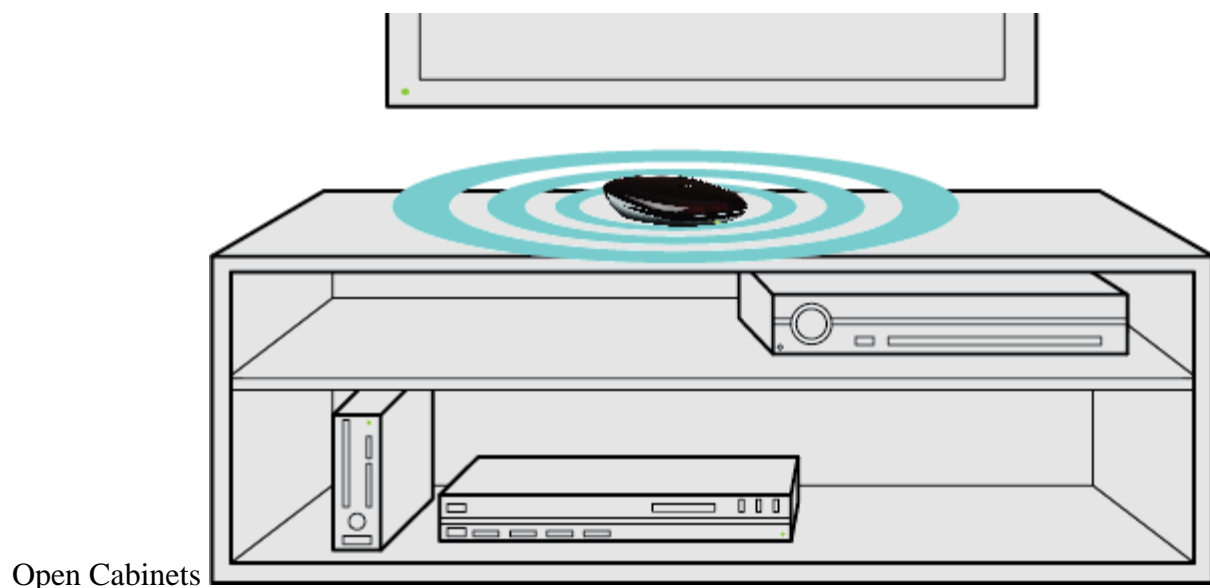
USB cable



If your mobile device doesn't support Bluetooth LE technology, the USB cable can connect Harmony Hub to your computer so your homes Wi-Fi credentials may be saved to the hub. Harmony Hub uses Wi-Fi to communicate with the Harmony mobile app which is used for both setup and additional control.

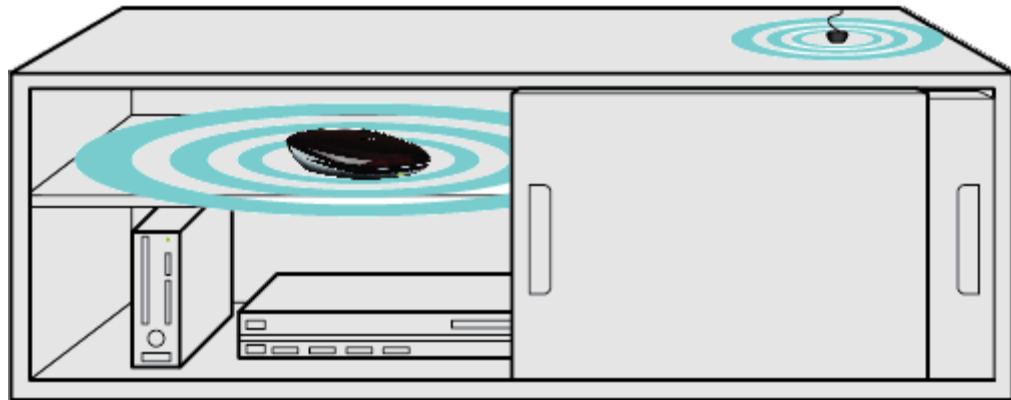
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Positioning Harmony Hub



Open Cabinets

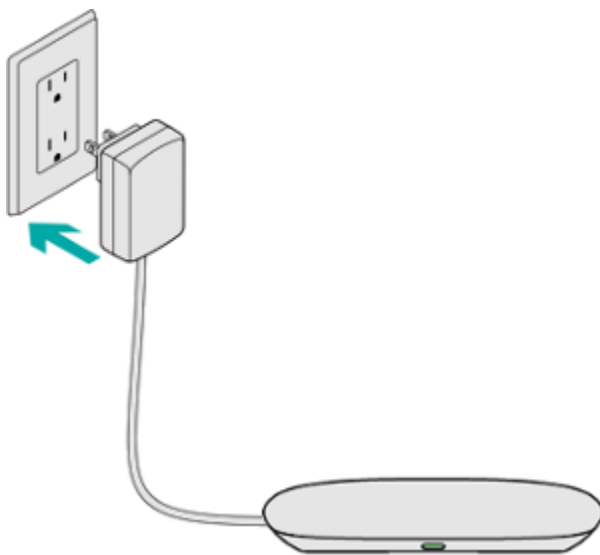
- Position Harmony Hub on top of your cabinet, or on a large, open shelf that's unobstructed.
- IR signals sent from the hub will reflect off of walls and other surfaces before reaching your devices. Direct line of sight is generally not required.



Closed Cabinets

- Position Harmony Hub inside the cabinet, on or beside the majority of your devices.
- IR signals sent from the hub will reflect off of walls, cabinet interiors and other surfaces before reaching your devices. Direct line of sight is generally not required.
- Plug the IR mini blaster into the back of the hub and position it on top of your cabinet so it may send IR signals to your television.

Powering on Harmony Hub



Plug the supplied power adapter into Harmony Hub. The hub takes 30 seconds to power on.

Downloading the Harmony app and Wi-Fi setup

1. Visit the iTunes App Store or Google Play and search for the Harmony app.



2. Launch the app and select **Set Up New Hub**.

Have an older iPhone?

iPhone 4, iPad 2 or iPod Touch 5 and earlier require that you first set up your Harmony hub using a computer. Download the [Harmony desktop software](#), create an account, connect your hub and proceed with Wi-Fi setup. Once complete, setup will continue using your phone or tablet.

3. Continue through the various screens following the instructions:
 - Ensure Bluetooth is enabled on your iPhone.
 - Ensure your phone is connected to your home's Wi-Fi network.
 - Ensure Harmony Hub is powered on.
 - The Harmony app should find your hub after several seconds.

Having trouble?

Try disabling and re-enabling *Bluetooth* on your phone.

View our support article:

[The Harmony app is unable to discover Harmony Hub.](#)

4. Once your phone and hub have paired over *Bluetooth* you will be asked to enter your Wi-Fi credentials.



Adding Devices, Activities and Home Control

1. If you already have a Harmony account, sign in.

Otherwise, select **CREATE ACCOUNT**.

2. You'll be guided through several screens explaining how Harmony Companion works.
3. If you have a previous Harmony remote and want to import its devices and Activities, you'll be able to copy them over to your new Harmony. If you don't have a previous Harmony remote, select **No, Set Up New**.
4. Enter your devices:
 - Harmony will first try to detect some of your connected devices such as Sonos, Roku and Philips hue.
 - Press the **Add Device** button at the bottom of your screen to add additional home entertainment and home automation devices.
 - If required, Harmony will ask you to enter the username and password for some of your services so we may communicate with them.
 - Having trouble finding your model number? This article may help: [Finding your device's model number](#)
5. Harmony will either automatically create Activities or guide you through creating them based on the devices discovered to help set up your one-touch experience. If you'd like to

further modify any of these Activities by adding additional commands, please take a look at our article regarding [adding commands to your Activities](#).

6. You'll now be able to configure up to 50 Favorite TV Channels. Enter your zip code to help find local service providers, then select from a pre-populated list of channels.
7. That's it!

