Welcome to MediaPortal!

These step-by-step Setup Guides will help you to get MediaPortal up and running with basic features.

If you do not wish or need to use a feature, you may skip that step or section.

If you have not installed MediaPortal yet, see Getting Started > Preparing your System and Installing MediaPortal .

You can also use the **'Help'** button at the top right of any page in MediaPortal (or TV-Server) Configuration to view the related wiki page for information about the settings and options available on that configuration page.

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