HP Halo Collaboration Studio

Base Price Components and Services

Real-time clarity. Dependable simplicity. Worldwide consistency.

A fully managed end-to-end video exchange solution from Hewlett-Packard, Halo brings team members and clients from across the globe into an environment that looks, sounds and feels as if they are just across the table. The HP Halo Collaboration Studio is HP's ultimate collaboration solution, enabling companies with geographically dispersed teams to accelerate decision-making, maximize productivity and enhance personal connections. Halo breaks down the barriers to global communication, providing secure, broadcast-quality collaboration and data sharing in real-time. Anytime.

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The Halo difference—it's in the network

The Halo Collaboration Studio provides users with an unparalleled immersive experience through HP's private Halo Video Exchange Network (HVEN), a network designed specifically for optimal video performance. Through the HVEN, meeting participants can depend on a consistent "no-perceived-delay" experience, whether they're connecting across town or halfway around the globe. Additionally, Halo is an end-to-end managed solution. There's no need to upgrade existing network infrastructure or hire specially trained IT personnel to manage Halo studios. HP takes care of everything and provides 24x7 concierge service.

The Halo Collaboration Studio—Standard Features

- **Halo Multipoint capabilities:** Collaborate with participants located across the country or around the world. Halo Multipoint features 3-axis control operation that automatically adjusts to provide superior eye contact and geometric consistency.

- **Dedicated, high-definition collaboration channel:** Share presentations, video or Computer-Aided Design (CAD) images from your laptop computer. View hard copy documents or handheld objects via an overhead object camera. The dedicated collaboration channel includes a high-definition collaboration screen and proprietary software. Share a variety of multimedia materials--such as DVDs or audio presentations--in full stereo sound.

- **Proprietary Graphical User Interface (GUI):** Connect one studio location to another with a few mouse clicks. Halo studios feature a user-friendly HP proprietary graphical user interface and software widely considered to be the best in the industry.

- **Studios designed for optimal collaboration:** Immerse yourself in the "same room" experience only Halo can deliver. Halo takes telepresence into a new dimension with a combination of state-of-the-art studio design and precision components. This includes specially designed sound absorbing wall coverings, fully-duplexed spatial audio with echo cancellation, a graphic eye lighting control system, and an executive table with chairs.

- **High-definition overhead object camera:** The high-definition overhead object camera included with the Halo Collaboration Studio is capable of displaying 1280x960 or 720HD, with a max zoom of 64x.

- **Construction consulting:** Utilize the expertise of a Halo construction specialist. Your consultant will provide advice and recommendations during the construction of the studio, evaluating customer preferences during every phase of the build.

- **Integrated equipment room:** The Halo equipment rack can be integrated into the front wall of a studio, with easy access through a door next to the plasma monitors. This reduces studio site preparation costs by eliminating the need for a separate equipment room, while providing ease of access to the studio equipment.

- **Technology Refresh:** As part of the Halo managed service, HP assures that the Collaboration Studios never become obsolete by rolling out new features and technologies as they become available. New features being rolled out to new and existing Halo customers, at no additional charge, include: AES-256 encryption, 15 different GUI language options and direct connect audio from a laptop.

- **HP on-site installation:** HP's team works with you to ensure a remarkable collaborative experience, from pre-construction site survey to final delivery of a ready-to-use Halo studio.

- **24x7 installation:** Minimize disruptions to normal business activities by scheduling your studio installation for non-working hours, including weekends.

Interoperability with standards-based videoconferencing

Through its alliance with TANDBERG, HP offers interoperability between Halo studios and existing standards-based videoconferencing equipment. Expand your collaboration efforts to include remote employees and business partners. Anyone with videoconferencing capabilities can participate, and each location uses a best-fit solution that meets its needs cost effectively. Contact your local Halo sales representative for more details.

Standard components checklist—Halo Collaboration Studio:

- (3) Broadcast-quality cameras and lenses
- (4) Plasma screen monitors, including a high-definition collaboration screen for real-time data sharing. Mounting accessories also included.
- Dedicated collaboration channel, including a VGA connection for sharing content via laptop
- (1) High-definition overhead object camera with mounting bracket
- (1) Front curved wall
- (6) Executive conference chairs
- (1) Executive table with wood veneer top
- (3) Speakers
- (1) HCS equipment rack: Equipment housed on the equipment rack includes, but is not limited to, an audio mixer, a frame grabber, CODEC, a scan converter, a server, collaboration client software, third-party device driver software and an HCS connection user interface.
- (1) Network router typically located at the site demarcation point
- (7) ELP ceiling light fixtures, including lamps
- (1) Graphic eye lighting control system
- Custom designed, HP proprietary software and graphical user interface
- (3) Studio benches
- Integrated equipment room

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