

Objectives



Things to consider when analyzing various meeting spaces



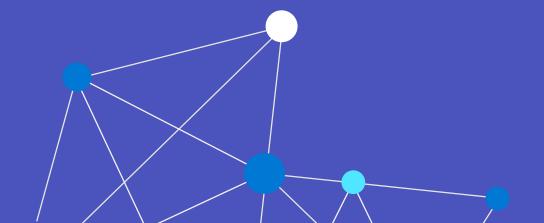
Learn about the different form factors and components that comprise Microsoft Teams Rooms



Understand the environmental considerations when designing Microsoft Teams Rooms.

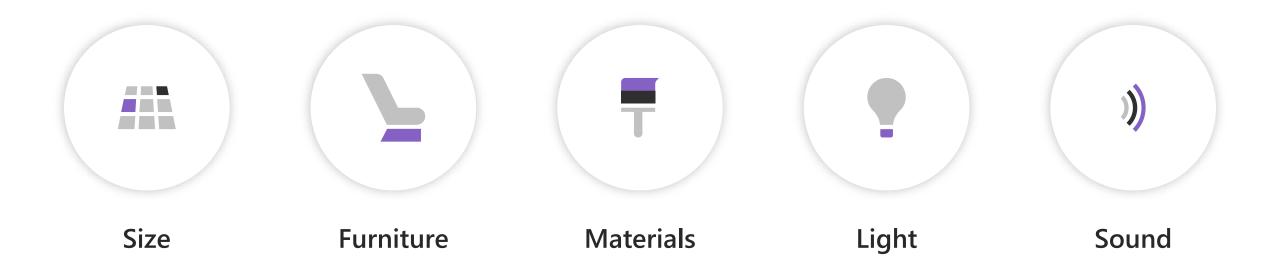


Spaces and considerations



Room assessment guide

Adopt & embrace

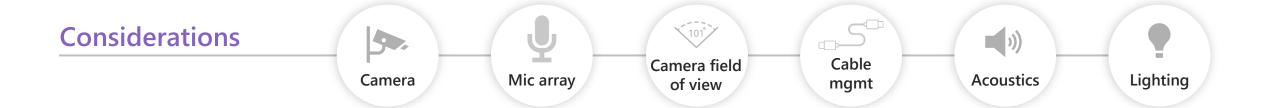


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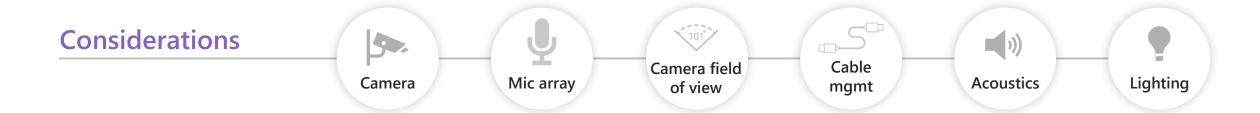




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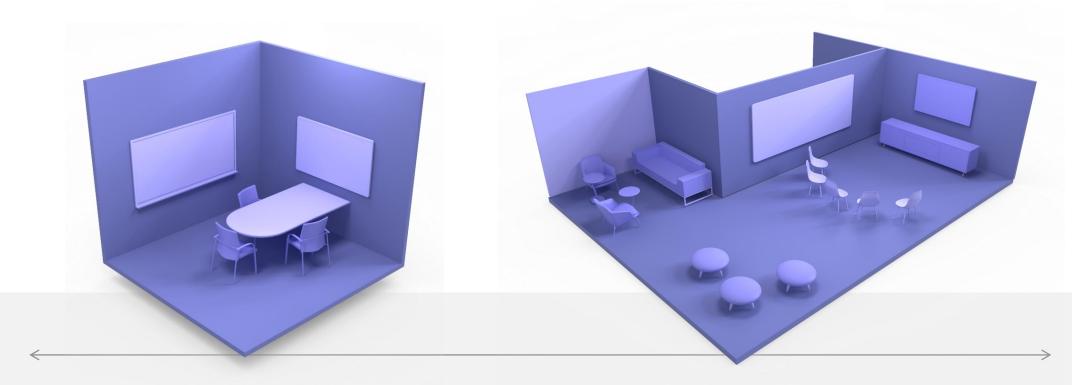






Meeting rooms (focus-huddle)

Microsoft Teams Rooms across all room sizes optimized for meetings



Focus

10 x 10 feet / 3m x 3m 100 sq. ft. / 9 sq. m 3-5 People

Huddle

8-10ft feet / 2.3-3m radius Open 3-5 People

Meeting rooms (small-large)

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Small

10ft x 15ft / 3m x 4.5m 150 sq. ft / 13.5 sq. m 5-7 People

Medium

15ft x 20ft / 4.5m x 6m 300 sq. ft / 27 sq. m ~11 People

Large

15ft x 28ft / 4.5m x 8.5m 420 sq. ft / 39 sq. m ~18 People

In room considerations













Camera

A camera is a critical element in any meeting room scenario. There are many aspects to consider around form factor, light handling, focus type (digital or mechanical), pan/tilt/zoom(PTZ), auto tracking, price, etc.

Mic array

The microphone in any room system deployment is the single most important element: voice and audio are the fundamentals of all calls. You will need to consider mic pickup, ceiling or table, integrated into a device or standalone. Not all mics are created equal and the Teams certified devices require the highest level of fidelity.

Camera field of view

The Field of View (FOV) is how much of the room you will see. This not only impacts how wide the view is, but also how well you will see the participants at the far end of the room.

Cable management

Cable management is becoming simpler, but you need to consider how you will get the cables from your system to peripherals – plenum, conduit, drop ceiling - and what is your method for deploying and ensuring that they are secure.

Acoustics

Many things impact acoustics from materials in the room to the size and shape of the space.
Understanding how echo and reverberation will impact the audio in the room is fundamental for successful meetings

Lighting

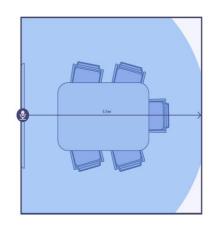
Lighting is a component that tends to be thought of last yet is a big part of the experience for remote participants.

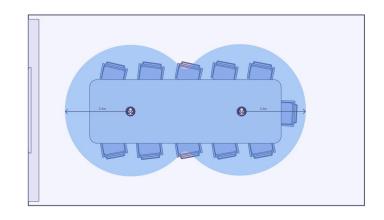
Audio peripherals

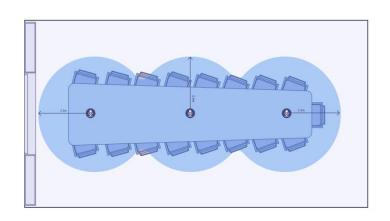
Room Type	Number of People	Recommended maximum distance from microphone to speaker	
Focus 10' x 9'	2 – 4	1.5 m	
Small 16' x 16'	4 – 6	2.0 m	
Medium 18' x 20'	6 – 12	2.3 m	
Large 15' x 32'	12 – 16	2.3 m (per microphone)	

Mic coverage visuals

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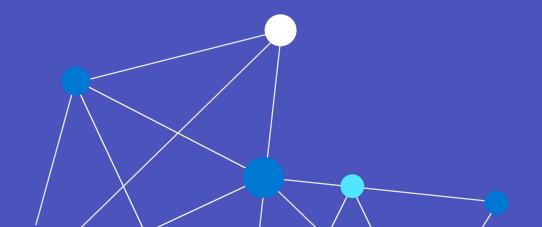
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Form factors and components



Microsoft Teams Rooms components

Touchscreen console











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Compute



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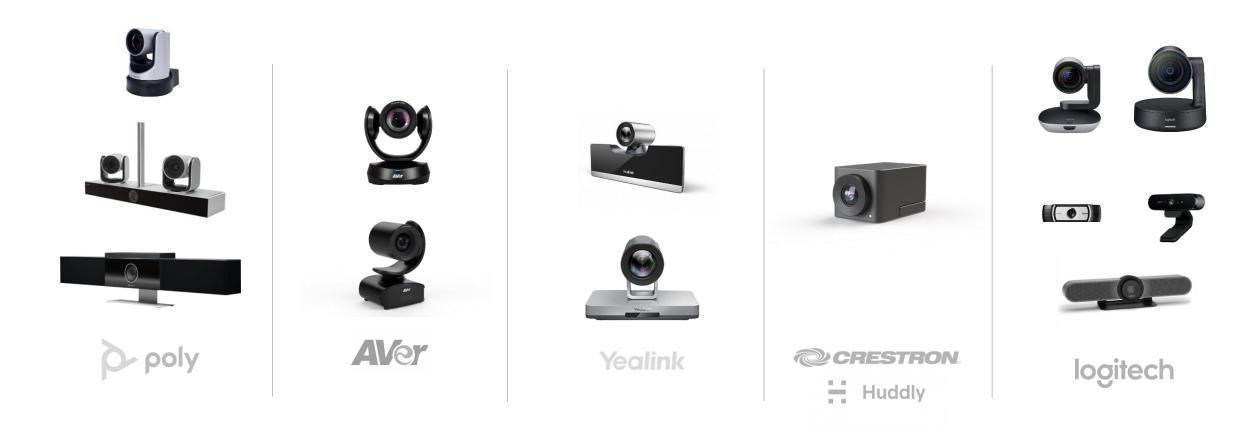




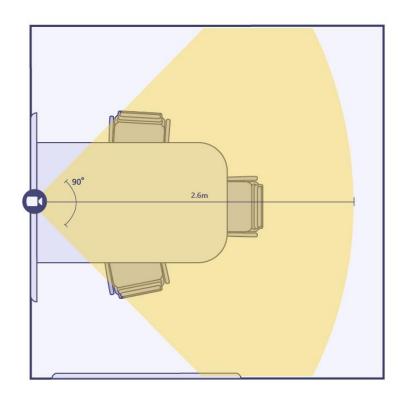


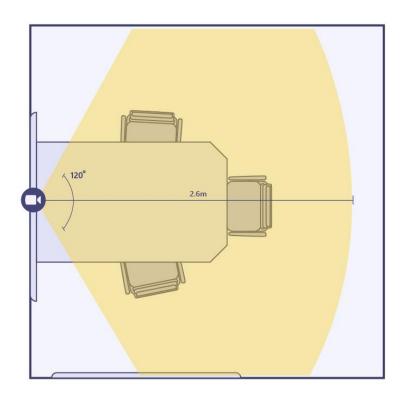
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Cameras

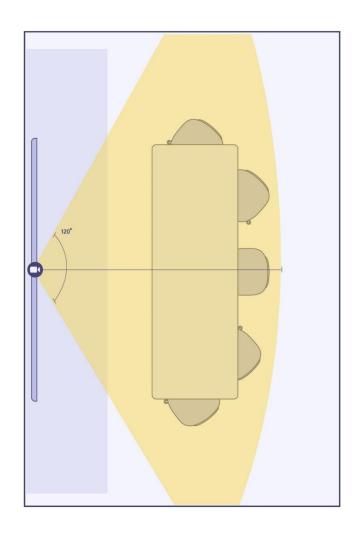


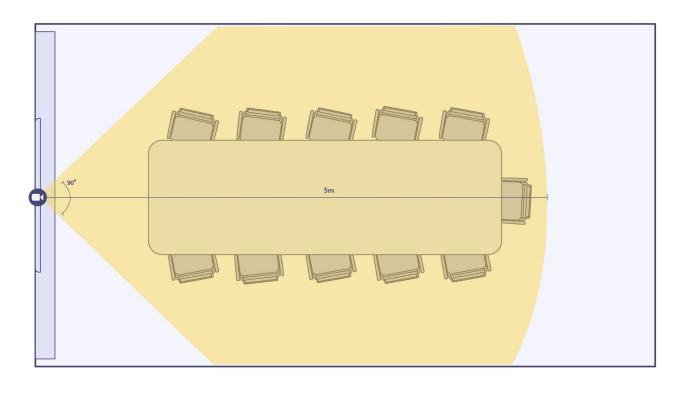
Camera field of view examples





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Content camera



Cameras that Support Content Capture



Logitech Brio 4K Webcam



Logitech C930e

Content camera whiteboard sizing

The size of the whiteboard used for sharing affects the placement of the camera.

Board size recommendations are:

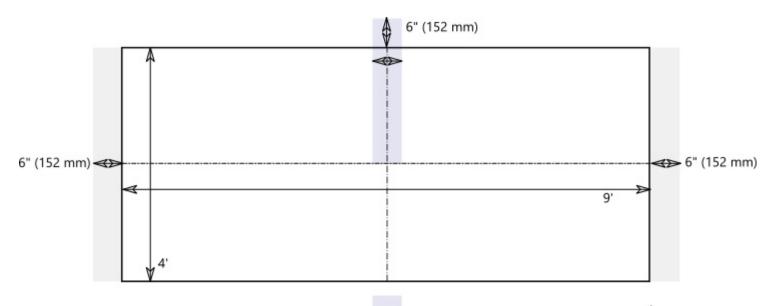
3–6 ft. (0.9–1.8 m) wide **Supported** 6–9 ft. (1.8–2.7 m) wide **Recommended**

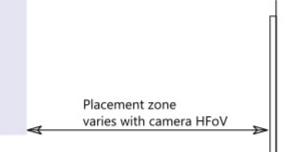
9–12 ft. (2.7–3.6 m) wide **Supported** Above 12 ft. (3.6 m) wide camera covers 9–12 ft. (2.7–3.6 m) and crops the rest.

Content camera distance from whiteboard

Camera HFoV	3 ft. (0.91 m)	6 ft. (1.8 m)	9 ft. (2.74 m)	12 ft. (3.65 m)	Max distance from Whiteboard
80°	1.79 ft. (0.54 m)	3.58 ft. (1.09 m)	5.36 ft. (1.6 m)	7.15 ft. (2.17 m)	7.51 ft. (2.28 m)
90°	1.5 ft. (0.45 m)	3.00 ft. (0.91 m)	4.5 ft. (1.37 m)	6.0 ft. (1.82 m)	6.3 ft. (1.92 m)
100°	1.26 ft. (0.38 m)	2.52 ft. (0.77 m)	3.78 ft. (1.15 m)	5.03 ft. (1.53 m)	5.29 ft. (1.61 m)
110°	1.05 ft. (0.32 m)	2.10 ft. (0.64 m)	3.15 ft. (0.96 m)	4.2 ft. (1.28 m)	4.41 ft. (1.31 m)
120°	0.87 ft. (0.26 m)	1.73 ft. (0.52 m)	2.60 ft. (0.79 m)	3.46 ft. (1.05 m)	3.64 ft. (1.10 m)

Content camera location





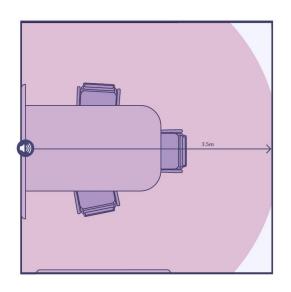
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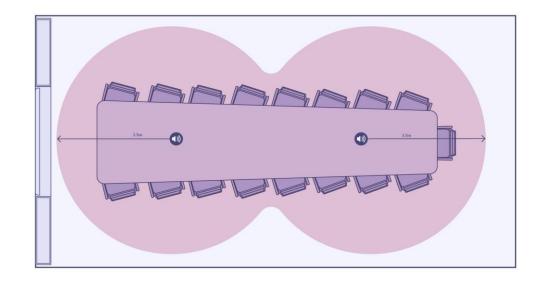


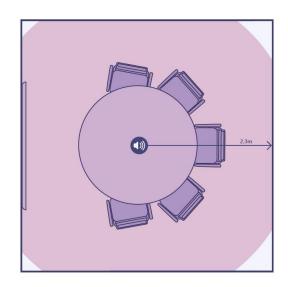




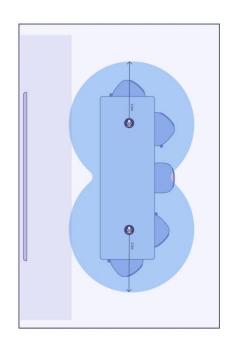
Speaker radius examples

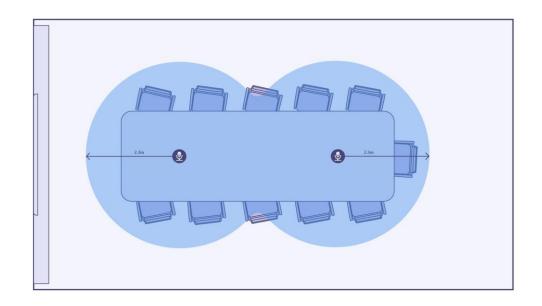


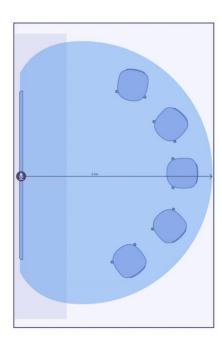




Microphone coverage examples

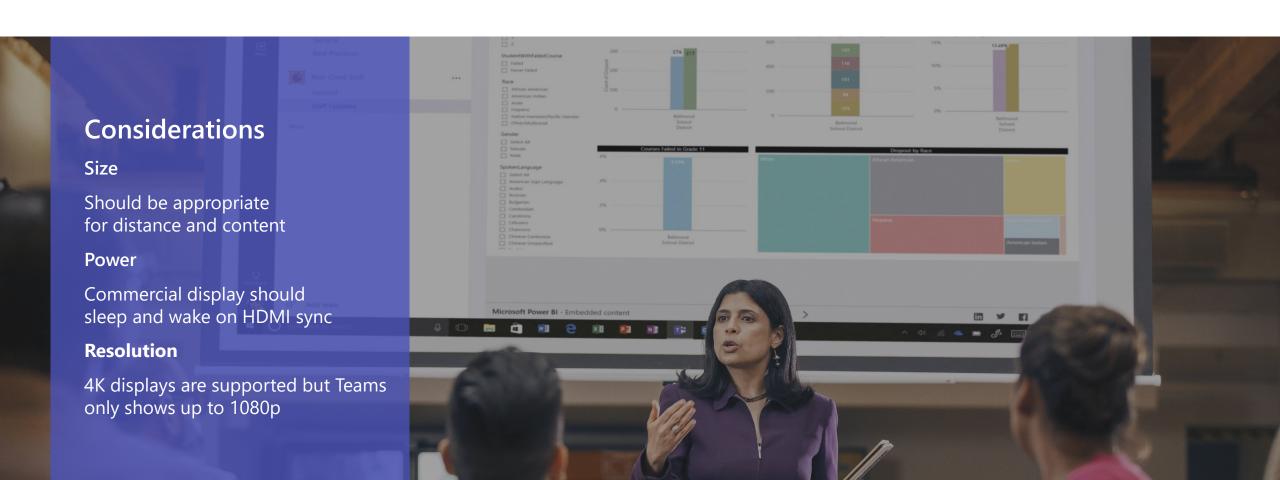






Displays

Choosing the right equipment



Single vs dual monitor

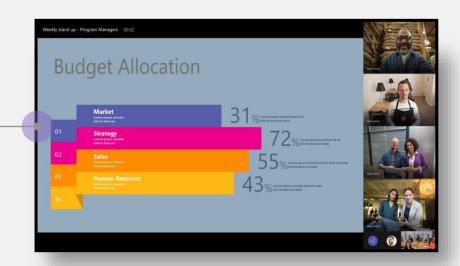
Single monitor is good primarily for small rooms

Single monitor is useful if your primary focus is on content sharing

VS.

Dual monitor configuration is good for larger rooms

Dual monitor configuration is also good for collaboration when one of the screens is touch-enabled





Touch screen

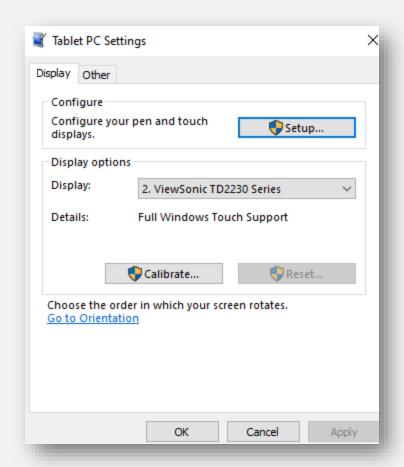
Requirements

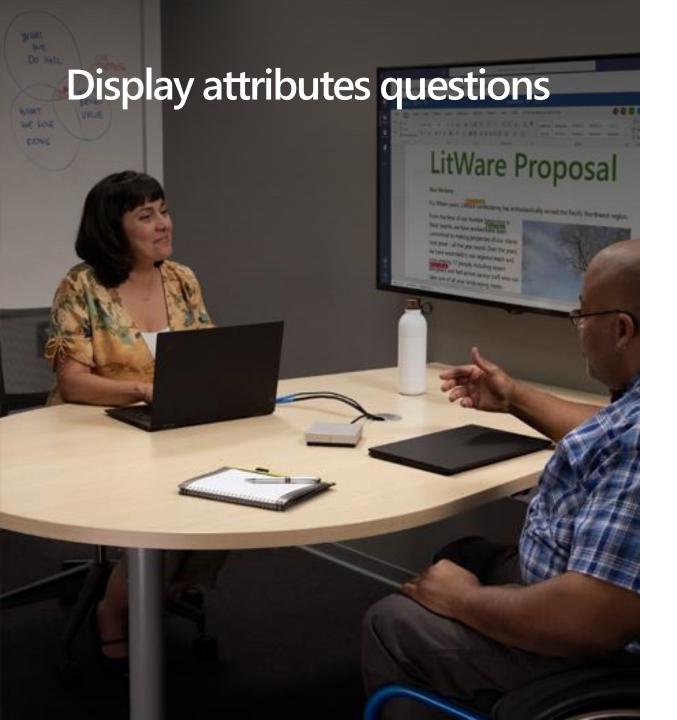
If a monitor is touch capable, it can be used as a white board within a Teams Rooms meeting. Collaborate with remote meeting attendees directly on the Teams Rooms display.

Touch screen

Whiteboard enabled in tenant

Tablet PC enabled





Will it be possible to mount displays on the desired wall if needed?

Current or desired location of display 1

Current or desired location of display 2 (if applicable)

Display 1 make and model (LCD or projector)

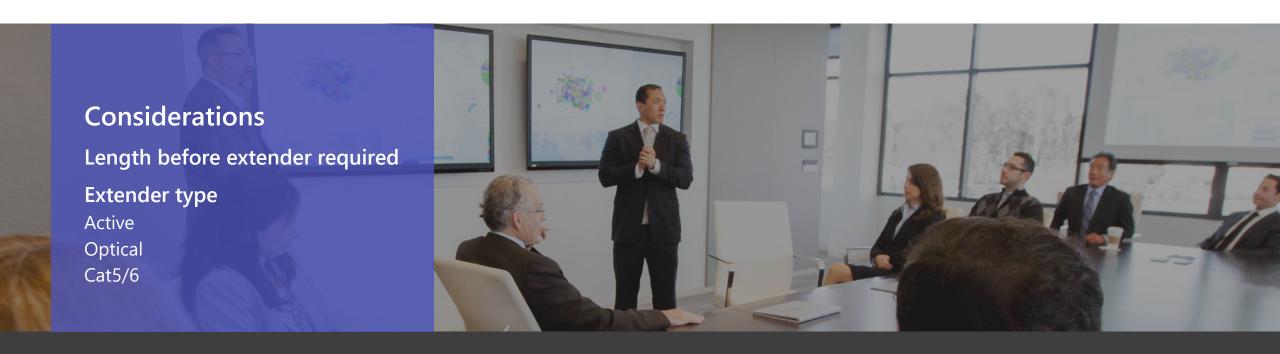
Display 2 make and model (LCD or projector)

Any additional displays (additional content displays for example)?

Require general contractor to install?

Cables and extenders

Choosing the right equipment





Considerations: Certified mic pickup range, mic/speaker location, wiring, full room coverage

Cabling considerations

Maximum distance per the cable type before requiring an extender solution.

Connection head size. Some are large and therefore difficult to connect to some MTR systems.

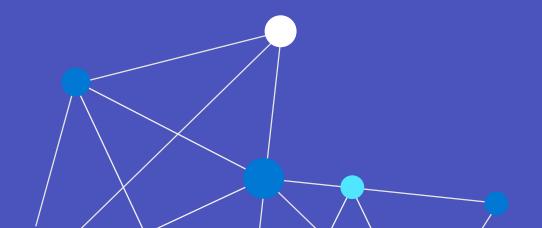
Connection locking capabilities.

Overall build quality.

Plenum rated for in-wall or conduit installation.



Environmental considerations



Room attributes

Number of Is it an Are there conduits available for cable Will cables walls? Fully executive What are the enclosed with a pulling in the desired locations need to be run Are there any goals for this meeting space? door? Can (under table to front of room would on top of the acoustic issues room? Is it in an open floor? walls support be most common) area? display weight? Does the room include a Will this room require any external Does the room Does the room have any apparent What is the size physical white ambient noise issues (open space automation controls, such as have lighting of the room board? If so, concerns? noise, HVAC, other)? Crestron/Extron lighting/shades etc.? (LxWxH)? where is it located?

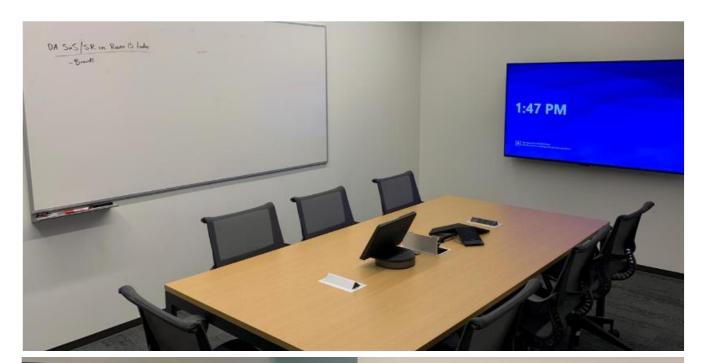
Photos!

Take photos of the entire room. This will help find areas that can be standardized.

If working with a System Integrator, photos will help them design the rooms properly as they may not be able to visit every location.

Take a photo of outside the room, looking toward the door or open space.

Take a wide shot from each corner of the room.





Photos!

Photos of the ceiling.

Photos of the table, including grommets.

Photos of underneath the table, enough to see possible cable routing locations and equipment mount points.

Include table surface features.



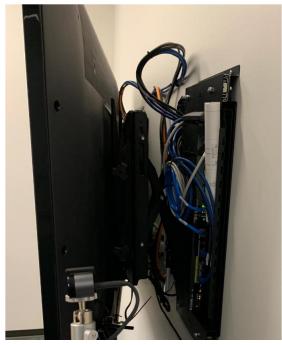
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Detailed photos of any existing technology in the room, including stickers that include device models etc. TVs, phones, USB devices, audio/video equipment, etc.

Photos of any in-floor cable routing holes/outlets/boxes/conduit outlets.

Photos of any on-wall cable outlets or routing points, network/video/conduit/etc.

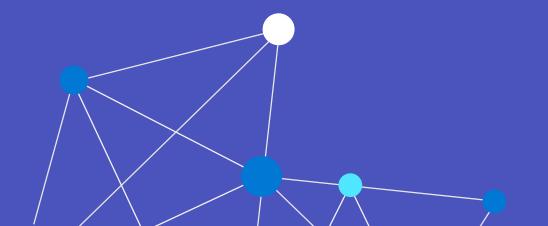








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Teams Rooms can fit in any sized meeting room.



Be aware of requirements for different sized spaces.

Take inventory of everything in the room – desks, power locations, cabling options, etc.



Document all rooms in the same, standardized way.



Questions?

