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TOPIC -----

This article answers several questions about the Macintosh TV's controls and its remote control.

DISCUSSION -----

- Q) Can the TV tuner work without the computer being on?
- A) No. The computer and television share the same power source and video circuitry. You must turn on the computer to access the TV features. (You can use the remote control to turn the computer on.)
- Q) What does the remote control do?
- A) You can use the remote control to:
- Change television stations
 - Control volume and mute sound
 - Shut down or restart the computer
 - Switch between computer and television mode
 - Play, pause, fast forward, rewind, or eject an audio CD
- Q) Will other remote controls work if I lose my remote control?
- A) Yes, a standard replacement remote control, available from consumer electronic stores, can be used to control a Macintosh TV. Any remote that can control a Sony television can work with Macintosh TV.
- Q) What software controls the television receiver in Macintosh TV?
- A) The TV Setup Control Panel is used to:
- Automatically enable channels that have valid signal strength

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Turn on closed caption capabilities

Configure a "hot key" to switch to and from TV mode

Set a password for switching to TV mode

Play sound from television or video source in computer mode

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