

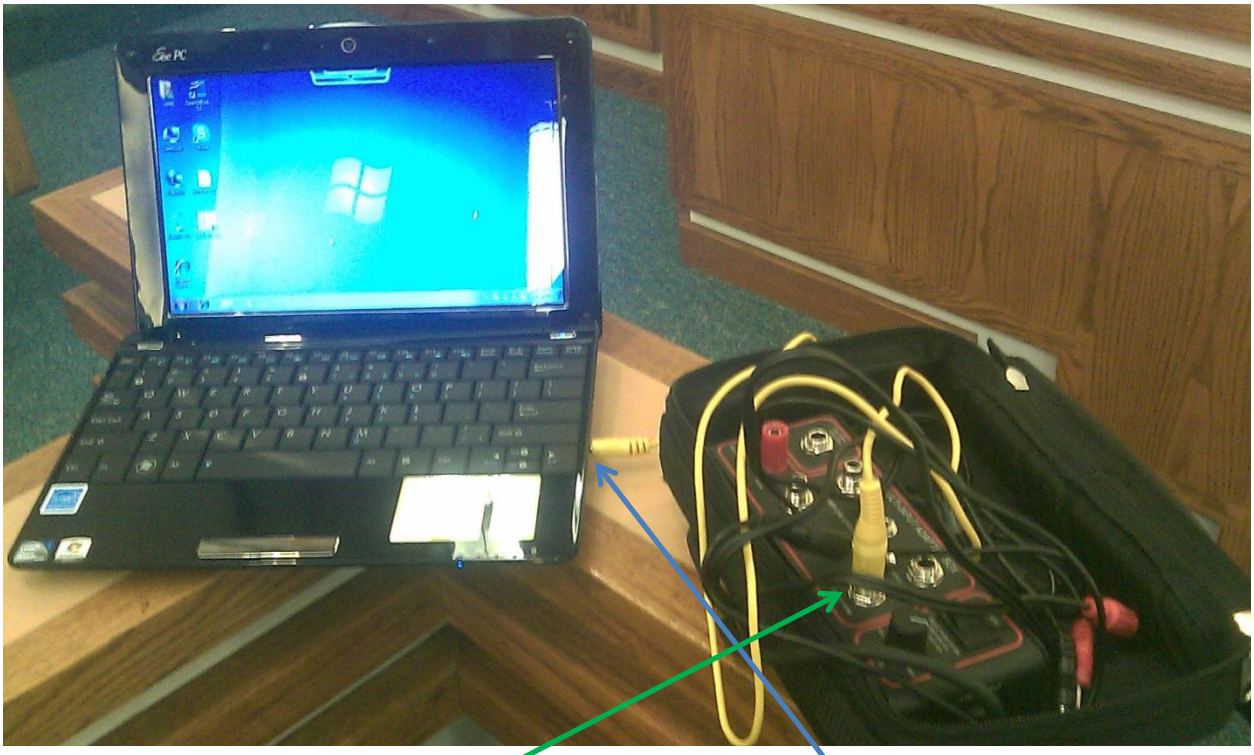
The picture above is the church meetinghouse issued EJ-8 'CRAB' unit. Some meetinghouses might have the EJ-10, but both perform the same functions. They take audio from multiple sources like a headphone jack, MP3 player or a VCR/DVD player RCA connections and translate them into a microphone connection. The output of the unit is then plugged into the chapel sound system like a typical microphone is plugged in.

When receiving a webcast from the Stake or Region, you will need the following:

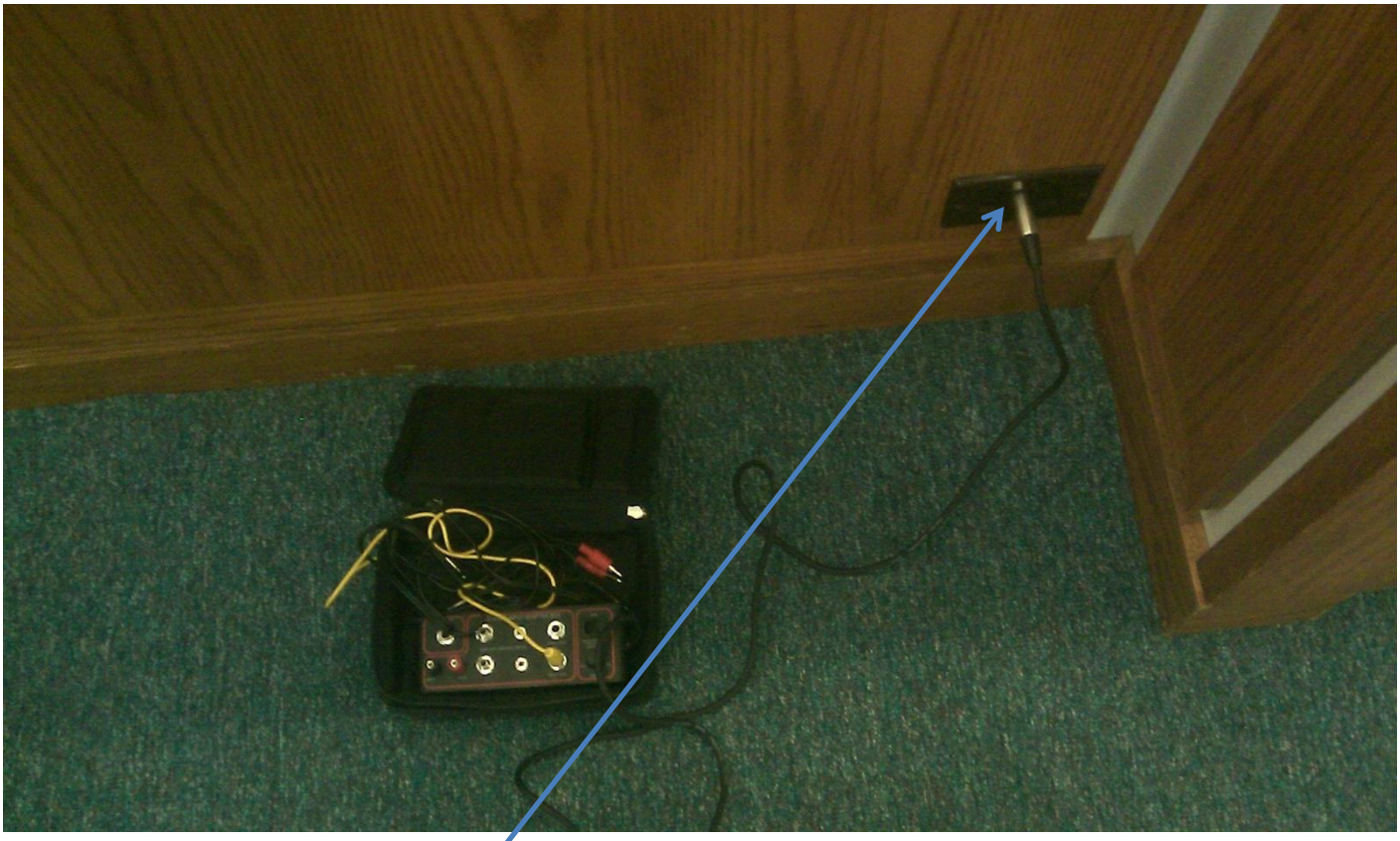
1. Laptop with an updated copy of Windows Media Player (Windows 7 is preferable)
2. A projector which can connect to the laptop (or computer monitor for small gatherings)
3. A reliable Internet connection
4. Proper cables to connect Projector to Computer *(prepare in advance, you may need to purchase an extension cable to hide the equipment from the viewing area, so the equipment doesn't take away from the spiritual nature of the broadcast)*
5. LDS issued CRAB (used to connect sound from computer to meetinghouse sound system)
6. Qualified person to operate above equipment
7. Pre-tested prior to the broadcast using the continual streams provided by the church
    a. http://stream.lds.org/webcast
    b. http://stream.lds.org/webcast2

Below are some visual aids to assist you in setting up a laptop to connect through the CRAB unit into the chapel sound system. The CRAB unit has many cables to hook up different devices to the unit. Look for the cable (usually yellow) that has a Mini 1/8 inch headphone jack that plugs into the computer, where the other end ¼ inch plugs into the device. The Microphone cable then plugs into the Chapel Audio System.

Make sure the chapel sound system is turned on and that the audio from the computer is coming out in the chapel sound system.



This top picture shows a laptop plugged into the EJ-8 or CRAB box using the **1/8 inch** headphone jack connecting to the **¼ inch** jack connected to the CRAB unit.



This picture shows the **CRAB** unit output plugging into a chapel microphone connection