

Set Up Kodi IPTV on Android TV or Google TV

Install official Kodi, enable PVR IPTV Simple Client from Kodi's repository, then load an authorised M3U playlist with optional XMLTV EPG.

Official sources

Official Kodi Android downloads: <https://kodi.tv/download/android/>

Official Kodi Google Play listing: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=org.xbmc.kodi>

PVR IPTV Simple documentation: https://kodi.wiki/view/Add-on%3APVR_IPTV_Simple_Client

1. Install official Kodi

1. Open Google Play on Android TV or Google TV and install **Kodi** by the **Kodi Foundation**. The official Android download page also provides verified APK builds.
2. Open Kodi and allow the first-run setup to complete.

2. Install PVR IPTV Simple Client

1. In Kodi, open **Settings**, then **Add-ons**, **Install from repository**, **PVR clients**.
2. Select **PVR IPTV Simple Client**, choose **Install**, then open **Configure**. If already installed, find it under **My add-ons** and **PVR clients**.

3. Add the M3U playlist

1. In **General**, set playlist location to **Remote path**.
2. Paste the complete authorised M3U or M3U Plus URL into the playlist URL field.

4. Add the XMLTV programme guide

1. Open **EPG**, choose **Remote path**, then paste the XMLTV URL when one was supplied separately.
2. Select **OK** to save the configuration.

5. Enable TV and finish the import

1. Confirm IPTV Simple Client is enabled, then restart Kodi or reload PVR and guide data.
2. Wait for channels and EPG entries to import, open the **TV** section and test playback.

6. Know the login limitation

1. PVR IPTV Simple uses M3U and optional XMLTV. It does not provide a normal server/username/password Xtream Codes login screen.
2. When only separate Xtream credentials were supplied, request the authorised M3U URL or use a player that supports that login directly.

Tip: Kodi is a full media centre and takes longer to configure than a dedicated IPTV player. It suits users who already use Kodi and prefer M3U plus XMLTV.

Player apps do not include channels or a subscription. Only use playlists and streams you are authorised to access. Instructions and official sources checked 30 July 2026.