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Subject: Re: Large Screen TV or Projector

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Let me expound on the issue with the center channel. My expertise is loudspeakers.

You can get great sound without a center channel speaker. When the left and right mains generate relatively constant directivity and they are setup where their forward axes cross in front of the listening position, they make a fantastic phantom center. This is the holy grail of stereo, and it makes a very good impression of realism even without a center channel speaker.

That said, it's better to also have a center channel speaker if it doesn't require a compromised loudspeaker configuration. That means having a center channel speaker that matches the left/right mains.