

The Complete National Geographic – Quick Start Guide

The Complete National Geographic external hard drive installation will guide you through installing these two software programs on your Windows or Mac computer:

- ❖ Adobe® AIR™ – This software is required to run The Complete National Geographic. If your computer doesn't already have Adobe AIR installed (or if it has an older version installed), you'll be asked to install it from The Complete National Geographic external hard drive to your computer.
- ❖ The Complete National Geographic – This software enables you to explore the *National Geographic* magazines on the external hard drive.

Installing on Windows or Mac

Follow these instructions to install Adobe AIR and The Complete National Geographic on your Windows or Mac computer.

1. Connect The Complete National Geographic external hard drive to your computer's USB port using the USB cable provided with the external hard drive.

There are two connectors on one end of the USB cable. Start by plugging in the connector that is attached to the thicker cable. If your computer doesn't recognize the external hard drive, it may require more power, which can be supplied by plugging in both connectors on the USB cable to your computer.

2. Do the following, depending on the type of computer you're using:
 - ❖ Windows users: You should see a dialog box asking you to install The Complete National Geographic. If you do not see this dialog box, navigate to the external hard drive labeled, "The Complete National Geographic" Then, open the *CNG-1.xx-windows-installer.exe* installer file to launch the Setup Wizard. If you see a dialog box with the title of "Autoplay" which scans the hard drive, you can click "Cancel."
 - ❖ Mac users: Navigate to the external hard drive labeled, "NATGEO120." Then, open the *CNG-1.xx-osx-installer.app* installer file to launch the Setup Wizard.

3. In the Setup Wizard welcome screen, click "Next."
4. If the Setup Wizard AIR Runtime Upgrade screen displays, select "Upgrade AIR Runtime," and then click "Next."

This screen displays only if you have an older version of Adobe AIR installed on your computer.

5. In the Setup Wizard Installation Directory screen, either leave the default directory as it is or click the folder icon to navigate to another directory, and then click "Next."
6. In the Setup Wizard Ready to Install screen, click "Next."
7. You are prompted to do one of the following, depending on whether the Setup Wizard finds Adobe AIR installed on your computer:
 - ❖ If a compatible version of Adobe AIR is not installed on your computer, the Adobe AIR Setup screen displays. Click "I Agree" in the Adobe AIR Setup screen. Then, click "Finish" when the Adobe AIR installation has completed.

- ❖ If a compatible version of Adobe AIR is already installed on your computer, you are not given the option to install it.

The Setup Wizard continues The Complete National Geographic installation. **Please wait for the installer to finish. It can take up to 5 minutes to complete.**

8. In the Setup Wizard screen that says the setup has finished, choose whether to launch The Complete National Geographic, and then click “Finish.”
9. Before using The Complete National Geographic, you are asked to accept the End User License Agreement. To enable the “I ACCEPT” button, use the scroll bar along the right side of the license agreement window to scroll to the bottom of the license agreement. Then, click “I ACCEPT” and wait for the installer to finish this process. It may take a minute for The Complete National Geographic to start.

Installation is now complete. You can start exploring the world with The Complete National Geographic! After installation, The Complete National Geographic should launch automatically. If it does not, you can start the application by finding it on your computer:

- ❖ Windows users: On the taskbar, click the Start menu, and then select Program Files > National Geographic > The Complete National Geographic.
- ❖ Mac users: In the Finder, open the Applications folder > National Geographic > The Complete National Geographic.

When application starts, it will ask you to “Please insert disc #1 and click OK.” There is no need to insert a disc. Just click “OK.”

Checking for Updates

After installation, you should periodically check for updates to The Complete National Geographic software. If your computer is connected to the Internet, check for updates by clicking “Check for Updates” from the Welcome Screen, or from the top of the Main Screen (Preferences button > Updates tab > Check for Updates Now). The Updates tab also allows you to schedule an automatic check for updates.

For further information, go to www.completenatgeo.com