

The Complete National Geographic installation DVD 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, you'll be asked to install it from The Complete National Geographic DVD to your computer.
- » **The Complete National Geographic** – This software enables you to explore the National Geographic magazines on DVD.

Installing on Windows or Mac

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

While the installation of the software can appear complex, reasonable default actions are assumed, so clicking the "Next" button without changing any values is always the easiest way to proceed.

1. Launch the installer

Insert "The Complete National Geographic — Disc 1" into your computer's DVD drive, and then do the following, depending on the type of computer you're using:

Windows users:

- » Depending on your security settings, you may be asked what to do with the installation file on DVD. Select the option to open the file. The Setup Wizard opens on the desktop automatically.

Mac users:

- » If you're not logged in with an administrator account, you will be unable to complete the installation process. Please log into an administrator account before continuing.
- » On the desktop, double-click the DVD icon named "CNGDisc1." Then, double-click the "CNG OSX Installer.dmg" file. A second window will open. Click on the "CNG-1.xx-osx.installer" file to launch the Setup Wizard.

2. Select the installation location

In the Setup Wizard screen that says "Welcome to The Complete National Geographic Setup Wizard," click "Next," and then continue to follow the installation instructions on the Setup Wizard screens.

Windows Vista users:

- » Select the option to install The Complete National Geographic.

Windows XP users:

- » You are not given this option.

3. Install Adobe AIR (automatically skipped if not required)

If your computer already has the Adobe AIR runtime software installed, this step will be skipped and you can skip to section 4.

If your computer does not already have Adobe AIR installed, the Setup Wizard prompts you to install it.

3.1 Launch the Adobe AIR installer

Click the "Install Adobe AIR" button of the Setup Wizard, to launch the separate Adobe AIR installer.

3.2 Agree to the Adobe AIR End User License Agreement

Click "I Agree" to confirm that you have read and understand the terms and conditions of the Adobe AIR license agreement.

3.3 Complete the Adobe AIR installation to resume installing The Complete National Geographic

Click "Finish" to accept the successful installation of Adobe AIR, and then continue following the instructions on The Complete National Geographic Setup Wizard screens.

4. Install the 'Complete National Geographic' application.

4.1 Confirm the installation of the application.

Once the Adobe AIR software is installed, a dialog box will appear asking "Are you sure you want to install this app to your computer?" Click "Install."

4.2 Final installation configuration

The next screen will ask you about creating a Complete National Geographic icon on your desktop and starting the application after installation. Click on "Continue."

5. Exit the installer

In the Setup Wizard screen that says "Setup has finished installing The Complete National Geographic Setup Wizard on your computer," click "Finish."

6. Launch the Complete National Geographic for the first time.

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.

7. Accept the End User License Agreement

Before you can view any of the magazine content, you must agree to the terms of the End User License Agreement.

To enable the "I accept" button, use the mouse to scroll down to the very end of the agreement. The "I accept" button will then be enabled. Click on "I accept" to continue.

Installation is now complete.

You can start exploring the world with The Complete National Geographic!

Checking for Updates

After installation, and periodically thereafter, you should 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.

As of June 2012, the current version of the application is v1.66 (build 1251).

Copying DVDs to a Hard Drive

To speed up access to the magazine content, you can choose to copy the magazine archive content from the 6 DVDs to your hard drive. There are over a quarter million pages of content to copy, but resulting performance boost and convenience can be worth it.

Note: Please ensure you are v1.56 (or newer) of the application before attempting to copy from DVD to a Hard Drive.

Preparation – You will need:

- » 60GB of free space on your hard drive
- » A few hours of time. You'll just need to swap DVD discs every 60-90 minutes.
- » Patience! - Each disc takes about an hour to copy, even on the most recent computer systems, so don't expect to watch this operation quickly go from 0% to 100% complete in a few minutes.
- » Perhaps now would be a good time to catch up on unwatched episodes of Explorer on the National Geographic Channel.

After the application has installed using Disk 1, keep Disk 1 in the DVD bay.

1. Click on "Preferences" on the menu bar.
2. Click on "Install Options."
3. By default, the issues will be copied to the "CompleteNatGeo" folder within your default documents directory. If you want to install the issues to a different location, click on "Browse" and select the new location.
4. Click on "Install Issues from DVD." A progress bar will indicate the time remaining and what disk has completed and what disk should be copied next.
5. This process can take from 45 to 90 minutes per disk depending on your operating system and computer processor.

For further information go to www.completenatgeo.com 06/2012

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

» Windows®

- » Intel® Pentium® III 1.5 GHz or faster processor
- » 1 GB of RAM
- » Windows 7, Windows Vista®, Windows XP SP2, Windows 2000 SP4, and Windows 2003 Server (all 32 bit and 64 bit editions supported)

» Mac® OS X

- » Inter Core™ Duo 1.83 GHz or faster processor
- » 1 GB of RAM
- » Mac OS X 10.4.11, 10.5.4+, 10.6.3+, 10.7.1+

» 1 GB of free disk space

» Internet access required for some features, including Geobrowse