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Set-up guide.

Get online at home, or on the move.

Mobile Broadband is really simple. It's broadband without a fixed line, which means you can get online straightaway whether you're at home or out and about.

About this Set-up guide.

The initial set-up is easy and this guide will take you through the steps to get your dongle software installed. You only need to do it once, then you're ready to go online whenever you want.

If you need more help and have access to the internet visit Three.co.uk/broadband. If you can't get online, call us for free on 500 from your Three phone or call us on 0843 373 0500 from a UK landline (charged at 5p per minute from a BT landline, other networks may vary).

Before you do anything.

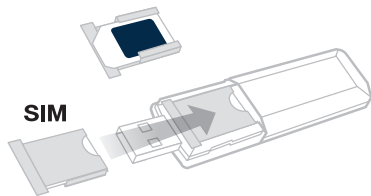## Before you begin the set-up, you need to check that:

1. You're running either Windows XP / Vista / 7 for a PC or OS X for a Mac.

2. Your computer meets or exceeds the minimum operating requirements for your operating system (Windows or Mac OS X).

3. Your computer has a display resolution of at least 800 x 600.

4. You have the log in details and any password needed to install software (business users may need 'administrator rights').

5. If you have anti-virus protection or a firewall, you may need to switch these off when installing your dongle software or 'allow' installation.

Inserting your SIM.

Step 1.

To get started you'll need to put your SIM in the dongle.

1. Remove the cap on the end.

2. Pull out the SIM card holder.

3. Put your SIM card into the holder with the gold contacts facing outwards.

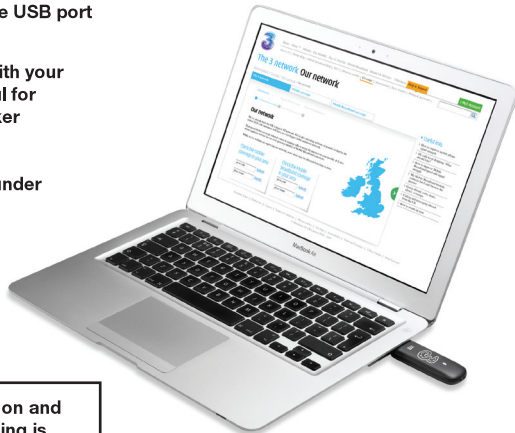4. Place the SIM card holder back in your dongle with the gold contact facing inwards.

SIM

Step 2.

Before you install the dongle software, you need to connect the dongle to your computer. You can do this in two ways:

1 By plugging your dongle into the USB port

   or

2 By using the cable that came with your dongle, this is particularly useful for improving performance in weaker network coverage areas

Once you're connected, the light under the Three logo on your dongle will change from green to blue. Then follow the on-screen instructions.

You've switched your computer on and connected your dongle but nothing is happening? Make sure you've given your computer enough time to finish starting up before you insert your dongle.

Installing the dongle software.

Step 3.

On a PC

Once connected, you may have to wait a few minutes before anything happens. Then:

- Read and accept the User Licence Agreement, if it pops up
- Follow the Wizard and the software will be installed automatically

  (Don't follow the Windows Driver Installation Wizard if offered because that won't fully install the software)

The software may take a few minutes to install, depending on your computer. On completion, the 3Connect icon will appear on your desktop.

On a Mac

Once connected, you should see a 3Connect icon on your desktop. Click on it. Then:

- Open the 3Connect Installer software
- Read and accept the User Licence Agreement, if asked
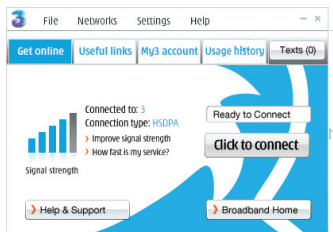- Enter your password or admin log in, if asked

The 3Connect software will be automatically installed in your Applications folder.

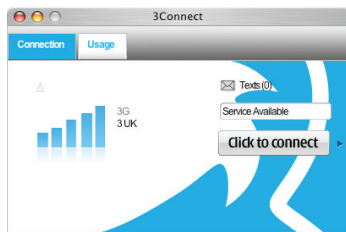> Your computer can't detect your dongle? Try putting it into another free USB port.

Getting online.

Once the software is installed, to get online plug in your dongle and wait for the following screen to appear (takes about 30 seconds). When it opens, click on 'Click to connect'.

PC version

Mac version

Once you're connected to the network, the button will change to Connect. You're then ready to start using the internet as you would normally. Once you've finished, to disconnect from the network just go back to the above screen and press 'Disconnect'.

What do the different colour lights on the dongle mean?

🔴 **Red Light**   Your dongle has not picked up the network

🟢 **Green Light**   Your dongle has now picked up the network

(🟢) **Green Flashing Light**   You're connected and you can start using the internet

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Won't let you connect? Make sure you've put your SIM into your dongle correctly.

Keep track of your spending at My3.

My3 lets you keep control of your Three account. You can check your balance or buy Top-ups and Add-ons (if you're a Pay As You Go customer). My3 is completely free to use, which means it won't use up your data allowance.

You can access My3 any time at Three.co.uk/my3 and if you're using your dongle, you'll be logged on automatically.
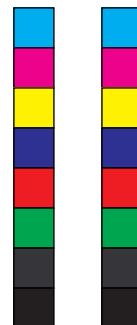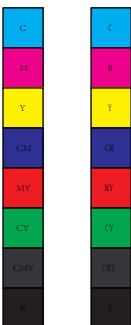
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