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Quick Installation Guide

300Mbps Wireless N USB Adapter

MODEL NO. TL-WN821N

7106506492 REV8.0.0

For Mac OS X

1 Connect to a Computer

Option 1: Directly

Option 2: Via the USB Extension Cable
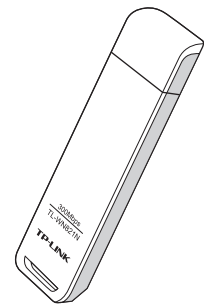
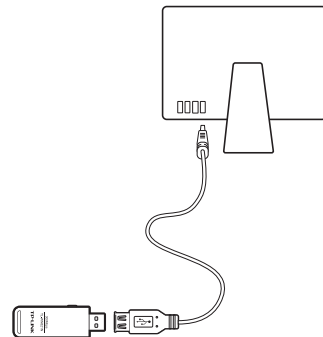This USB Adapter can be powered only by computers that comply with Limited Power Source (LPS).
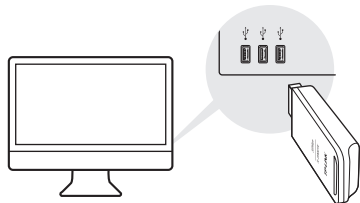
2 Install Driver and Utility

a. Insert the CD.

Note: You can also download the driver and utility at **http://www.tp-link.com**.

b. Browse the CD, go to **TL-WN821N > Mac OS X Driver**, unzip the **Mac OS X version.zip** file and run the Installer.
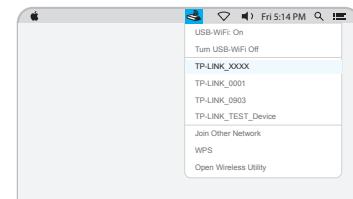
c. Follow the wizard to complete the installation.

Installer.pkg

SHELL
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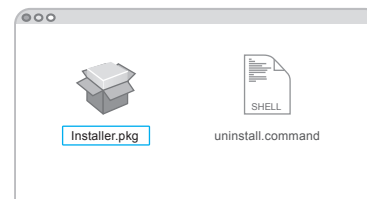
3 Join a Wireless Network

Option 1: Via TP-LINK Utility

a. Click (TP-LINK Wireless Configuration Utility) on the menu bar.

b. Select your Wi-Fi network and enter the Wi-Fi password when prompted.

USB WiFi: On
Turn USB WiFi Off
TP-LINK_XXXX
TP-LINK_0001
TP-LINK_0803
TP-LINK_TEST_Device
Join Other Network
WPS
Open Wireless Utility

Option 2: Via Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS)

a. Press the WPS button on your router.

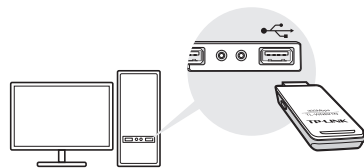b. In 2 minutes, press and hold the WPS button on the adapter until the WPS Progress screen appears.

WPS
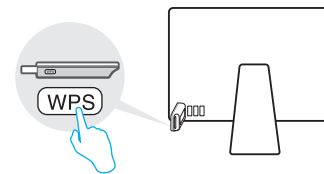
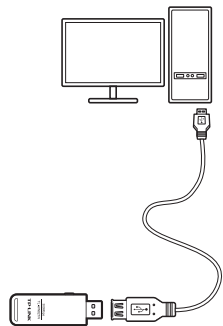c. When you are prompted "WPS Protocol Finished!", click **OK**.

1 Connect to a Computer

For Windows

Option 1: Directly

Option 2: Via the USB Extension Cable

Note: In Windows XP, a **Found New Hardware Wizard** window will appear when the adapter is detected. Please click **Cancel**.

2 Install Driver and Utility

a. Insert the CD and run the **Autorun.exe** from the pop-up Autoplay window.

Notes:
1. You can also download the driver and utility at **http://www.tp-link.com**.
2. In some operating systems, the CD screen will pop up automatically. Otherwise, run the CD manually.

b. Select **TL-WN821N** and click **Install Driver**, then follow the InstallShield Wizard to complete the installation.

Note: During the installation, select **TP-LINK Wireless Configuration Utility and Driver** if you want to use TP-LINK Utility and WPS function.

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Install Driver
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⊕ Browse CD   ⊕ EXIT
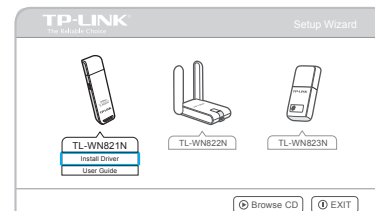
3 Join a Wireless Network
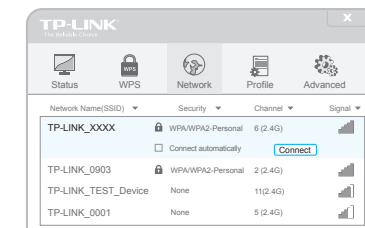
Option 1: Via Windows Wireless Utility

Click 📶 or 📶 (Network icon) on the task bar, select your Wi-Fi network, and click **Connect**.

Note: In Windows XP, you need to close the TP-LINK Utility before using the Windows Wireless Utility.

Networks
Wi-Fi
TP-LINK_TEST_Device
TP-LINK_0903
TP-LINK_XXXX
☑ Connect automatically   Connect
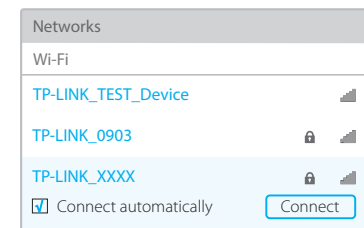
Option 2: Via TP-LINK Utility

Select your Wi-Fi network from the utility window and click **Connect**. The symbol 📶 indicates a successful connection.

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Status	WPS	Network	Profile	Advanced

Network Name(SSID) ▼	Security ▼	Channel ▼	Signal ▼
TP-LINK_XXXX	🔒 WPA/WPA2-Personal	6 (2.4G)	
	☐ Connect automatically	Connect	
TP-LINK_0903	🔒 WPA/WPA2-Personal	2 (2.4G)	
TP-LINK_TEST_Device	None	11 (2.4G)	
TP-LINK_0001	None	9 (2.4G)	

Network
📶 TP-LINK_XX
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Option 3: Via Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS)

a. Press the WPS button on your router.

b. Within 2 minutes, press and hold the WPS button on the adapter until the configuring screen appears.

WPS

c. When you are prompted "Successfully connected to the network by WPS!", click **OK**.

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