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Microsoft® Broadband Networking

Ethernet Adapter | MN-110/MN-120



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Does This Start Here Guide Apply to You?

Use the **Typical Setup method** described in this guide if all of these statements apply to you:

- You are adding a computer to an existing network that has a base station (gateway or router), a broadband modem, and an active Internet connection.
- This computer is running one of the following operating systems:
 - Microsoft® Windows® 98, Windows 98 SE, Windows Me, Windows 2000, or Windows XP.
 - The computer you want to add has an available, high-powered USB port or a PC Card slot, and is not already connected to another network.

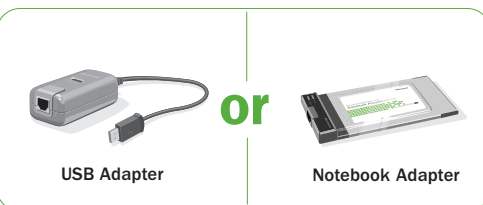
IMPORTANT If you also purchased a Microsoft Broadband Networking base station, set it up before you set up the adapter.

See Chapter 2 in the *User's Guide* to determine your setup method if either of these statements applies to you:

- Your computers are configured in any other way.
- You have already connected the adapter and have not yet installed the software.

Do You Have Everything You Need to Add a Computer to Your Network?

Included in the Box:



User's Guide and Start Here Guide



Setup CD-ROM
Install This First!

Also Required:

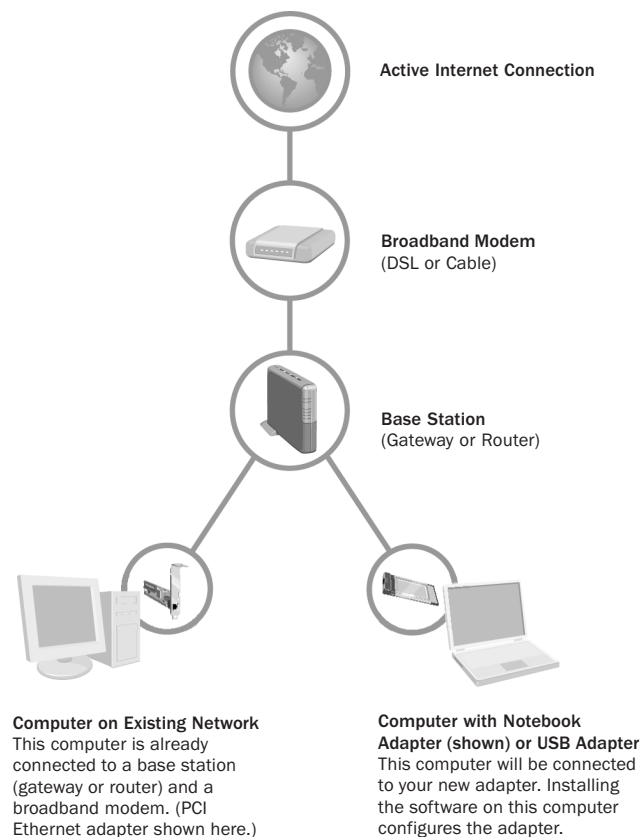


Ethernet Cable

Not sure which kind of cable you need?
See the section "About Ethernet Connections" in Chapter 1 of the *User's Guide*.

After you set up the adapter by using the Typical Setup method, your network will look like this:

IMPORTANT Install the software before you connect this adapter.



1 | install.

Setup Software

IMPORTANT If you have already connected the adapter and have not yet installed the software, see “Setting Up an Adapter by Using Plug and Play” in Chapter 3 of the User’s Guide for setup instructions.



To install the software, insert the Setup CD-ROM into the CD-ROM drive of the computer you want to connect to your network. If the Setup Wizard does not start automatically

after a few seconds, open **My Computer**, double-click the CD-ROM icon, and then double-click **Setup** or **Setup.exe**.

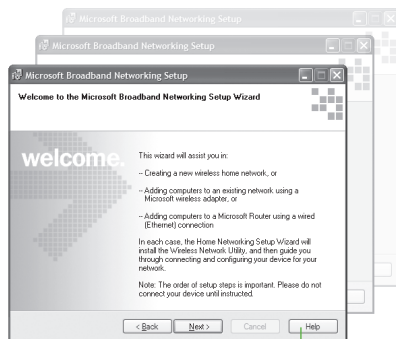


In the Setup Wizard...

Follow the steps in the Setup Wizard to install the software and set up the adapter on the computer you want to connect to your network.

When the wizard asks which device you are setting up, select the adapter.

Continue following the instructions in the Setup Wizard. When the wizard asks you to connect the adapter, proceed to the next page of this guide.



Have a question about Setup?
Click **Help**.

2 | connect.

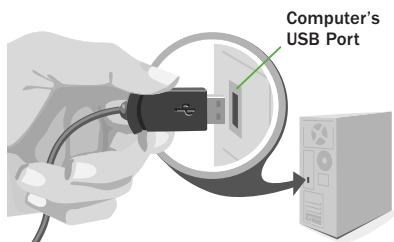
USB or Notebook Adapter



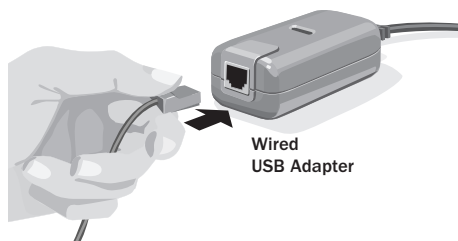
In the Setup Wizard...

When the wizard asks you to connect the adapter, do one of the following:

If You Have a USB Adapter:



To USB Adapter

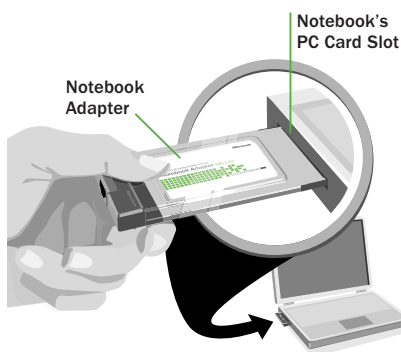


To Base Station (Gateway or Router)

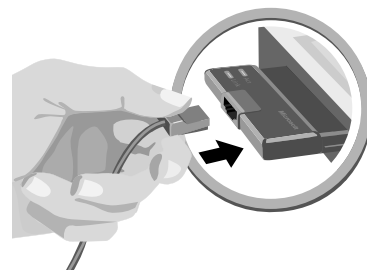
- 1 Connect the adapter cable** to an available, high-powered USB port on your computer. Note that USB ports on keyboards and monitors typically are not high powered.

- 2 Plug one end of the Ethernet cable** into the USB adapter and the other end into the Ethernet port on your base station (gateway or router).

If You Have a Notebook Adapter:



- 1 Insert the adapter** into the PC Card slot on your notebook computer.



To Base Station (Gateway or Router)

- 2 Plug one end of the Ethernet cable** into the notebook adapter and the other end into the Ethernet port on your base station (gateway or router).

3 | configure.

USB or Notebook Adapter

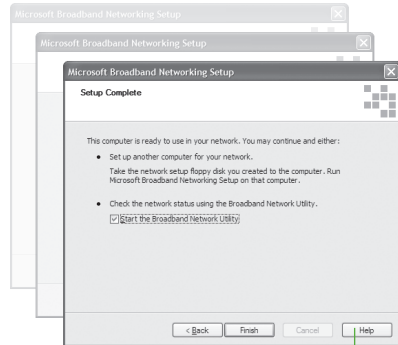


In the Setup Wizard...

Continue following the instructions in the Setup Wizard to configure your adapter.

When you reach the end of the Setup Wizard, click **Finish**.

To test your network to see if it's working properly, proceed to step 4 on the next page of this guide.



Have a question about Setup?
Click **Help**.

4 | test.

Internet Connection

Perform this simple test to confirm that your network is working properly:

Try accessing the Internet by opening your Web browser and visiting a Web site, such as www.microsoft.com. If your adapter is working properly, you

will be able to access the Internet from the computer that you just added to your wireless network.

Troubleshooting

The following resources can help you solve problems with your base station or network:

- **Can't connect to the Internet?**
If you are setting up your adapter on an existing network that has a non-Microsoft gateway or router, see "Network and Internet Problems" in Chapter 6 of the *User's Guide*.
- The **User's Guide** contains basic troubleshooting instructions and technical support information.
- The **Broadband Network Utility** provides comprehensive Help and troubleshooting. See the next page for more information about the Broadband Network Utility.
- Our **Web site** at www.microsoft.com/broadbandnetworking/ includes the most recent troubleshooting information and software updates.

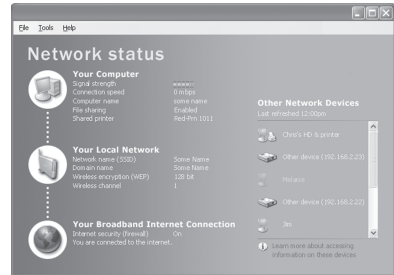
→ | what's next?

Now that you have set up the adapter, you're ready to begin using your network.

- ❑ **Use the Broadband Network Utility** to modify network settings or monitor your network status.

For detailed information about using the Broadband Network Utility, see Chapter 5 of the *User's Guide*.

- ❑ **Make files and printers accessible** to other computers on your network or play multiplayer games. For more information, see Chapter 4 of the *User's Guide*.



TIP To access the *Broadband Network Utility*, double-click this icon in the *Windows taskbar*.