



## Vodafone Mobile as a Modem

### Mobile Connect via the phone software

Getting Started Guide:

PC Internet via the phone Software Install





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## Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone software

This software enables you to use your existing phone to connect your laptop or desktop computer to the internet over the Vodafone high-speed mobile phone network<sup>1</sup>, so you can browse the web or collect your emails. Simply plug and go!

We'll now take you through the simple process of setting up your phone as a modem, and help you to get started – so you can make the most of now.

**Please ensure you have a suitable Vodafone Data Plan before using your phone as a modem, as downloading large volumes of data, such as music albums or video streaming, without a suitable plan may incur high charges. If you are in any doubt please call us on 1555 from a Vodafone mobile or on 1300 650 410 from any other phone.**

### *System requirements*

Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone software

A compatible handset plus the USB cable.

A computer running Microsoft Windows Vista (32 bit or 64 bit) or Windows XP SP2.

At least 20MB free disk space, 256 MB RAM, and a recommended Pentium 300MHz processor performance.

A USB or USB 2.0 socket on the PC.

## What can I do with it?

### *Browse the web*

You can now access the web from your PC wherever you are, as long as there is a data signal – and at 3G and 3G Broadband speeds (depending on your handset capability). This means you only need the Vodafone via the phone software and your phone to have all the information and services on the internet in front of you, on any computer, wherever you are. You can use your handset with either a laptop or desktop computer.

### *Pick up emails*

Keep up to date with your emails, wherever you are.

### *Make and receive voice calls*

You can still make and receive voice calls whilst your phone is connected to your computer. Just use your phone in the usual way.

### *Charge your phone*

Don't worry about your phone's battery life. Many phones will charge from your computer whilst they are connected via the USB charger cable.

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<sup>1</sup> Vodafone Mobile Broadband operates on Vodafone's 3G broadband network which is subject to network limitations and availability. Outside Vodafone's 3G broadband areas the Vodafone Mobile Connect 3G Broadband Card will operate at slower access and download speeds on Vodafone's 2.5G network. See [vodafone.com.au/coverage](http://vodafone.com.au/coverage) for details.

## Getting started

Before you can use your Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone software you will need to have downloaded the install file from the Vodafone website. Ensure the SIM is inserted in your phone, the phone is charged, and both the phone and computer are switched on.

To download the software, visit [vodafone.com.au/business/mobilebroadband](http://vodafone.com.au/business/mobilebroadband)

### *Connecting your phone to your computer*

1. Connect your phone to the USB cable which was supplied with your phone.
2. Plug the other end into your computer's USB port – make sure it is fully inserted.
3. On some phones you may need to select the correct mode first. Please see the table at the end of this Getting Started Guide for more information.



### *Setup the software*

1. Locate the install file you have downloaded and double click on the icon to begin installation.
2. Select your preferred language and follow the instructions on the screen.
3. When the via the phone install manager screen appears, click "Start", and then follow the simple instructions to complete the once-only installation of the software.

### *Making a connection the first time*

Once the software setup process is complete, the Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone window will appear.

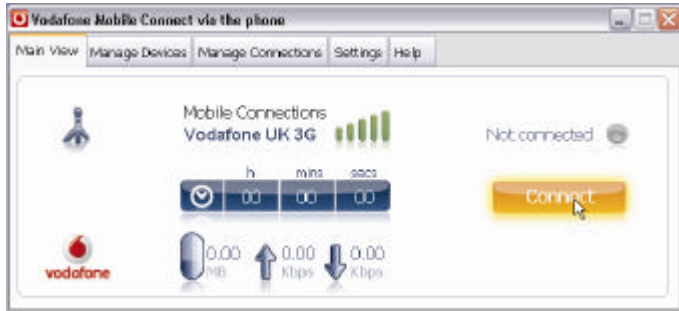
On the first running of the software only, you may be asked to select your type of data tariff (either contract or pre-pay). All the correct settings for your local network and contract type will now be automatically stored in the software ready to connect you again at any time in the future. If you change your type of contract, you can modify it in the Settings screen in the software.

A new icon will appear in the bottom right of your computer screen. This indicates Vodafone Mobile Connect is ready to connect to the Vodafone network.



## Connecting to the network

Simply click on the Connect button to connect to the internet via the Vodafone network.

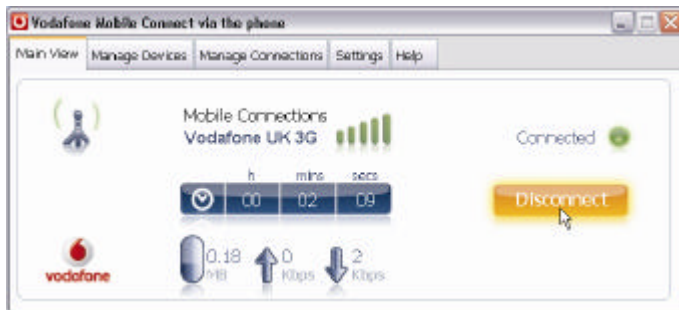


The main window will now show your connection status and other information.

You will now be able to use your usual web browser and email programs as normal.

## Disconnecting from the network

To close the connection, click Disconnect.



## Making a connection on subsequent occasions

Next time you want to connect to the internet, just follow these simple steps:

1. Switch on your computer and then plug your phone into it using the USB cable.
2. When the Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone software appears, click on the Connect button in the main window.

*On some phones you may need to select the correct mode first. Please see the table at the end of this Getting Started Guide for more information.*

## Other Settings

If you are an advanced user, you may wish to customize your settings using the Manage Devices, Manage Connections and Settings screens.

Note : Most users will not need to change these settings, but some businesses may require specific security settings to access their internal computer networks.

## Troubleshooting

First check you that you are using a compatible phone. We are constantly supporting new phones, so check [vodafone.com.au/business/mobilebroadband](http://vodafone.com.au/business/mobilebroadband) for the latest handsets.

If nothing happens when you plug your phone, make sure both the phone and the computer are switched on, and try using another USB port.

If you can't make a data connection, make sure that your SIM is enabled for data connections. If you're not sure please call us on 1555 from a Vodafone mobile or on 1300 650 410 from any other phone and say "data services".

If you get an error message: "Error: you must be on the Vodafone network to make a connection", please check that you are using a Vodafone SIM card. You can only use Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone software with Vodafone operators.

If the software fails to load onto your computer at the first attempt, please make sure that you are logged in as an administrator when you first connect your phone to your computer.

For any other problems, first try the Help menu in the Vodafone Mobile Connect via the phone software main screen.

For further help, please visit [vodafone.com.au/business/mobilebroadband](http://vodafone.com.au/business/mobilebroadband) or please call us on 1555 from a Vodafone mobile or on 1300 650 410 from any other phone and say "data services".

## Phone Mode Settings

On some phones you may need to select the correct mode before you can use your phone as a modem. Please consult the table below for details on how to do this.

Supported Phone	Correct Mode Setting on Phone	How to Find It
Nokia 6020	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A
Nokia 6120 Classic	USB PC Suite	Go to: Settings >Connectivity >USB > PC Suite (or set Ask on connection mode to Yes then press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia 6230i		
Nokia 6234	USB data cable default mode	Go to: Settings >Connectivity >USB data cable> default mode (or press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia 6280	USB data cable default mode	Go to: Settings >Connectivity >USB data cable> default mode (or press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia 6288	USB data cable default mode	Go to: Settings >Connectivity >USB data cable> default mode (or press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia 6300	USB data cable Nokia mode	Go to: Settings >Connectivity > USB data cable> Nokia mode (or press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia 6630	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A
Nokia 6680	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A
Nokia 7610	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A
Nokia E65	Data cable PC Suite	Go to: Connectivity > Data cable> PC Suite (or Ask on connection mode then press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia N70	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A
Nokia N72	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A

Nokia N73	Data cable PC Suite	Go to: Connectivity > Data cable> PC Suite (or Ask on connection mode then press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia N80	Data cable PC Suite	Go to: Connectivity > Data cable> PC Suite (or Ask on connection then press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Nokia N95		Go to: Tools>Settings>Connection>USB>USB mode>PC Suite (or set Ask on connection to Yes then press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Samsung ZV10	Phone selects mode automatically	N/A
Samsung ZV60	USB Samsung PC studio	Go to: Settings>Phone Settings>USB>Samsung PC studio (or Ask on connection then press shortcut key when prompted by the phone)
Samsung E250	USB settings modem	Go to: Settings>Phone settings>USB settings> Modem
Blackberry Bold 9000	Mobile Network On	Go to: Manage Connections>Mobile Network>On

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