

EDIMAX COMPUTER INC.

Edimax EW-7811Un

150Mbps Wireless IEEE802.11b/g/n Nano USB Adapter

Mac OSX

Quick Start

Manual

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Congratulations on your purchase of the Edimax EW-7811Un.

This is a detailed step-by-step installation instruction for Mac OSX 10.11 (El Capitan) and it is basically the same for OSX 10.7 (Lion), OSX 10.8 (Mountain Lion), OSX 10.9(Mavericks) and OSX 10.10 (Yosemite)

Assumptions:

1. You have the Edimax EW-7811Un Wireless USB adapter.
2. You have a Mac using OS X 10.7 to OS 10.11.
3. You have a computer which can get on Internet to download the latest Mac driver. You may need a different computer and a USB flash drive to download and copy the file to your Mac computer which will install EW-7811Un adapter.
4. You know the wireless network name and wireless security password of your WiFi network.

Before you start:

Go to the Finder. Check \Applications folder. If you see the Wireless Network Utility existed in \Applications folder, you will need to uninstall the old driver before you install the latest driver.



You can find the uninstall procedure at “Uninstall” which is the last section of this instruction.

Download the driver from www.Edimax.US web site.

If your Mac computer which will use the EW-7811Un can not get on Internet, please use another computer which can get on Internet and you need a USB flash drive.

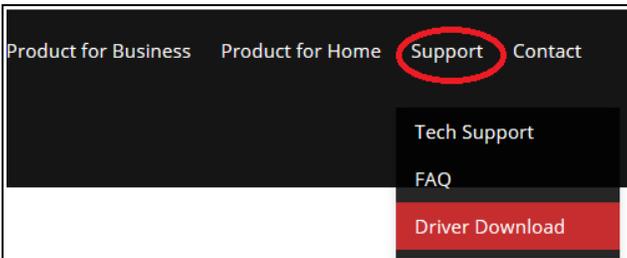


Fig. 1
Go to <http://www.edimax.us> Click on “Driver Download” under “Support” menu.

| Model | Driver |
|------------------------|--|
| 7. 802.11n 2.4Ghz only | 802.11n 2.4Ghz single band |
| EW-7811Un | 802.11n Nano USB Driver for Win 7, Win8, Win 8.1, Windows 10 |
| | EW-7811Un for Win XP 32/64, Vista 32/64 |
| EW-7722UTn v2.0 | 802.11n Mini USB Driver for Win 7, Win8, Win 8.1, Windows 10 |
| | EW-7722UTn v2.0 for Win XP 32/64, Vista 32/64 |
| EW-7811Un | 802.11n Nano USB Driver/Utility for Mac OS 10.4 / 10.5 / 10.8 / 10.7/10.8/10.9/10.10/10.11 |
| EW-7722UTn v2.0 | 802.11n Nano USB Driver/Utility for Mac OS 10.4 / 10.5 / 10.6/10.7/10.8/10.9/10.10/10.11 |

Fig. 2
Find the Mac driver 10.7/10.8/10.9/10.10/10.11 for EW-7811Un
Click on the link and it will start to download to your computer.

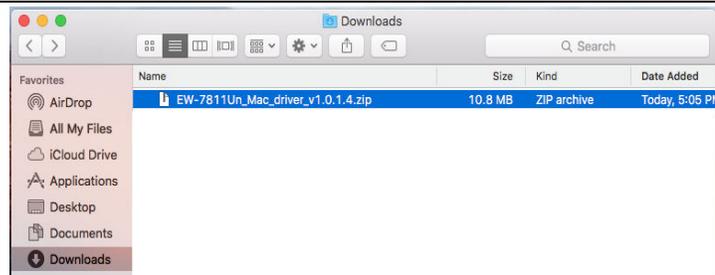


Fig. 3
Go to “Downloads” folder. You should see the EW-7811Un_Mac driver file.
If you download the file from another computer other than the Mac computer which needs the EW-7811Un adapter, please copy this file to USB flash drive then move the file to your Mac computer.

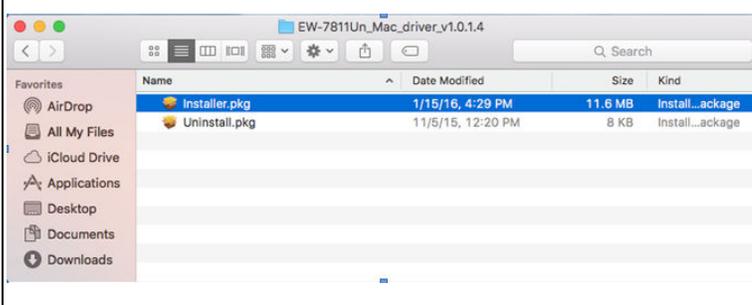


Fig. 4
Now your Mac computer which needs EW-7811Un should have the EW-7811Un Mac driver file.
Double click on the zipped driver file.
There are two packages files. One is for Installer. The other one is for Uninstall.

We are ready to run the software to install the driver to the Mac computer

Install the driver software

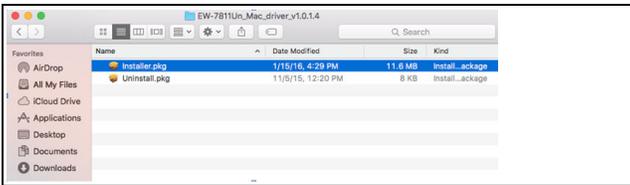
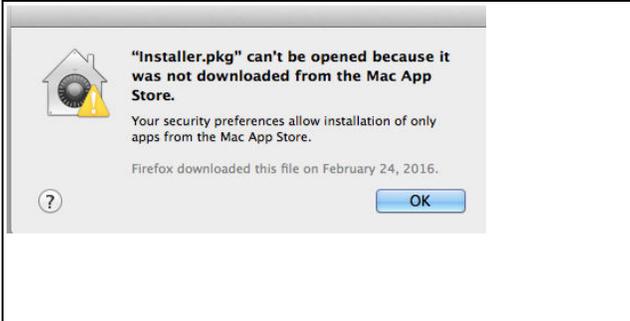
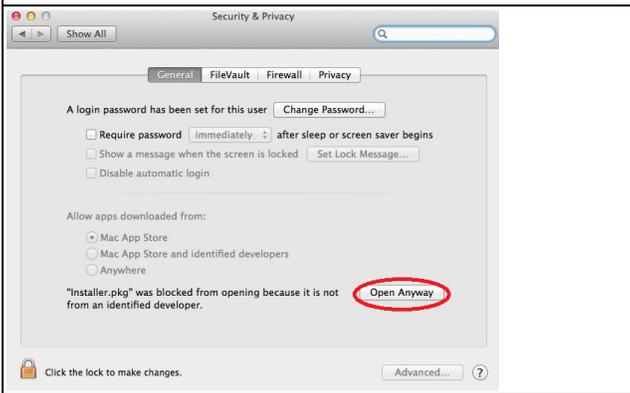
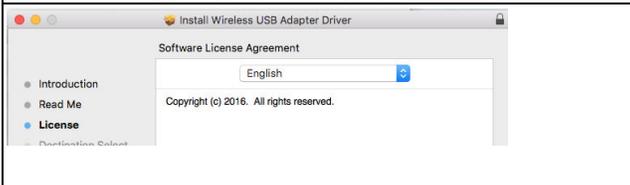
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|  | <p>Fig. 1 Double click on “Installer.pkg” file</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 2 You may encounter this warning message because your download the driver from our web site rather than from Mac App Store. Click on OK to close this warning message. 1. Simply hold the Control key then click the mouse on the Installer.pkg file, then select “Open”. 2. Or you can go to System Preferences >> Security & Privacy as in next two figures.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 3 Go to System Preferences. Go to Security & Privacy.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 4 Click on “Open Anyway” under General tab. Then the installation package will be open automatically.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 5 Welcome Screen appears. Click on “Continue” button.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 6 Read the information. Click on “Continue” button.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 7 Next page is the License agreement page. Click on “Continue” button.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 8 Click on “Agree” button.</p> |



Fig. 9

Click the line “Install for all users of this computer”. Then click on “Continue” button.



Fig. 10

Click on “Install” button.

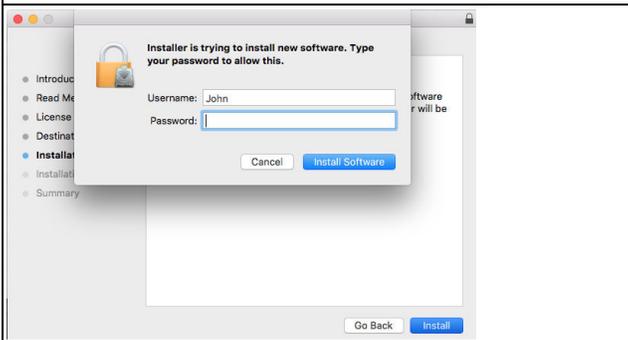


Fig. 11

Enter the username and password of your Macintosh computer to allow the software to run in your computer.

Click on “Install Software” button.



Fig. 12

The message reminds you the computer will be restarted after the installation.

Click on “Continue Installation” button.

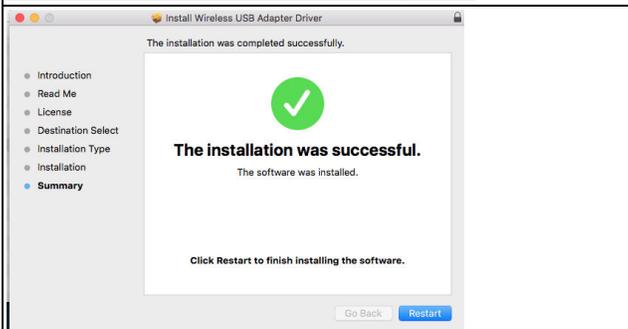
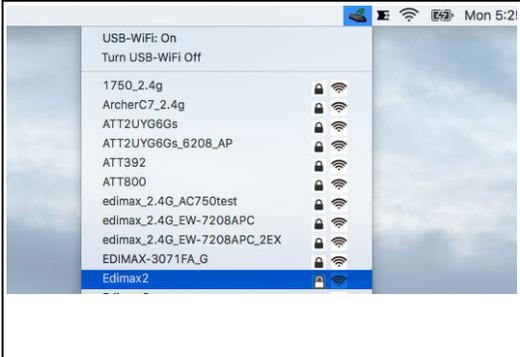
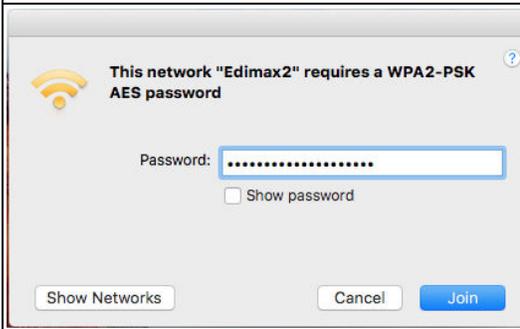
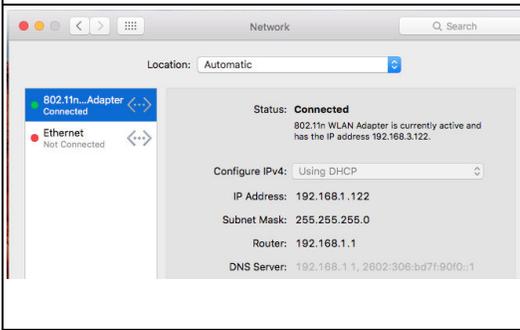


Fig. 13

The installation will be done in 1-2 minutes. Click on “Restart” button to reboot your computer.

After the computer restarts, plug in the EW-7811Un adapter if it is not plugged in yet. You should see the blue light of EW-7811Un lit up.

How to make Wi-Fi connection

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|  | <p>Fig. 1 You will find a new USB-WiFi icon in the top menu bar.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 2 Click on the USB-WiFi icon on the top menu bar. If you get the message “No Wireless NIC Plug in”, please unplug the Edimax USB adapter from your computer and plug it back in. The wireless USB adapter will be detected by your computer.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 3 The first line “USB-WiFi” indicates the Status. “USB-WiFi: On” means the usb adapter is enabled. The second line is the command line to turn off/turn on the wireless function of usb adapter. The list shows all the available wireless networks in your location. Click the Wi-Fi network you want to connect to.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 4 Type in the wireless security password of your Wi-Fi network. The password is case-sensitive. You may check the “Show password” box to display the text you entered. This “show password” in this page will help you verify the password is entered correctly. It does not mean other wi-fi devices would see your password. Click on “Join” button.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 5 If the Wi-Fi connection is successfully connected, the USB Wi-Fi icon will be changed to bar chart icon.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 6 Click on the USB Wi-Fi icon. There is a check in front of your Wi-Fi network indicates the wireless adapter is connected to your network.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 7 Go to System Preferences. Go to “Network” icon.</p> |
|  | <p>Fig. 8 You should see a new 802.11n adapter on the left box. Click on “Apply” button. If there is a green dot on the 802.11n adapter and there are IP address/subnet mask/router address information, the usb wireless adapter has received IP address from your WiFi router and it is ready for Internet.</p> |
| <p>Congratulations, all the setup is completed. You may open web browsers to get on Internet.</p> | |

How to uninstall Edimax wireless software

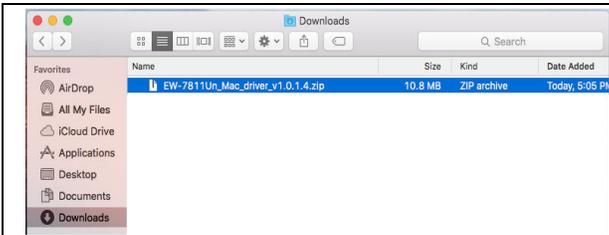


Fig. 1

Open the EW-7811Un_Mac driver file.

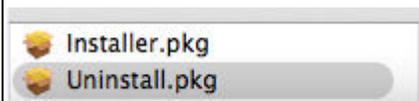


Fig. 2

Run the Uninstall package.

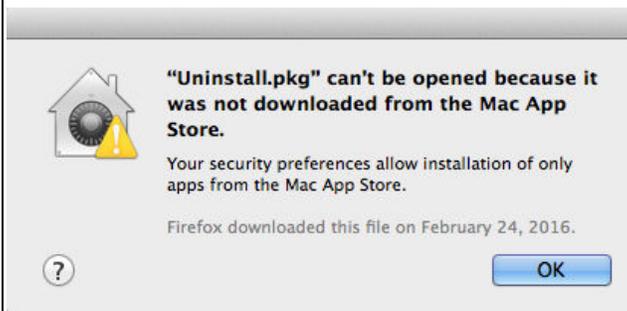


Fig. 3

You may encounter this warning message because you download the driver from our web site rather than from Mac App Store. Click OK to close this message.

1. Simply hold the Control key then click the mouse on the Uninstall.pkg file, then select "Open".
2. Or you can go to System Preferences >> Security & Privacy as in next two figures.



Fig. 4

Go to **System Preferences**. Go to **Security & Privacy**.

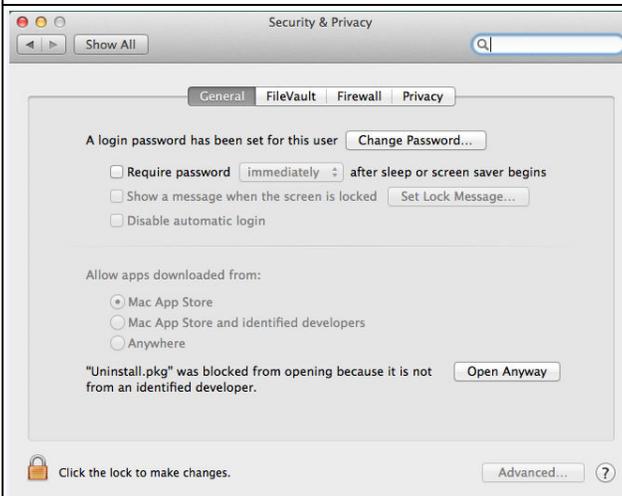


Fig. 5

Click on "Open Anyway" under General tab. Then the Uninstall package will be open automatically.

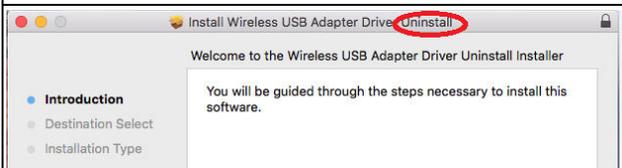


Fig. 6

The procedure is very similar to install a package. The title indicates this is Uninstall package. Click on "Continue".

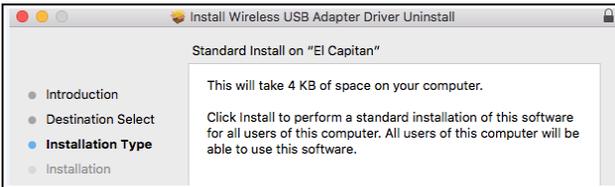


Fig. 7

Click on “Install”.

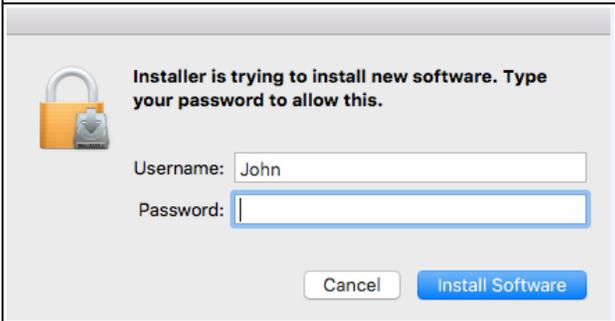


Fig. 8

Enter the username and password of your Macintosh computer to allow the software to modify your computer.

Click on “Install Software” button.

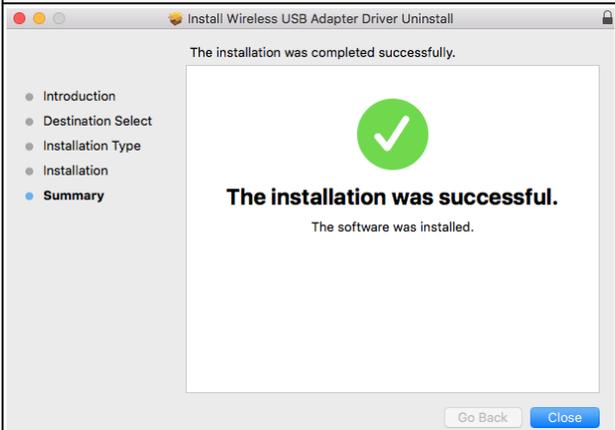


Fig. 9

In a few seconds, you will get to the last window.

Click on “Close” button.



Fig. 10

The USB-WiFi icon has been removed from the top menu bar.

Congratulation, the uninstall process is finished. You can unplug the Edimax USB wireless adapter from your system.