



Downloading Images from a digital camera

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Camera via USB cable

- Connect the USB cable to the camera
- Connect the other end of the USB cable to the computer using a free USB port, noting the cable can only be inserted one way
- Switch the camera on
- Microsoft Windows auto download wizard should commence on screen
- Follow direction for downloading into a folder of choice
- When complete, advise the PC you intend unplugging by clicking on the USB icon in the system tray and selecting / clicking on the USB to be removed
- Unplug when the PC instructs it is safe to do so or if the camera automatically switches off
- Switch the camera off and unplug from the USB port
- Remove the USB cable from the camera

USB connection



Memory Card via card reader

- Remove the memory card from your camera (whilst it is switched off)
- The memory card within a camera is usually next to the batteries or under a flap marked with the memory card type
- Insert into an appropriate memory card reader (various different types of memory card with SD being the most common, it should be shown on the memory card or consult your camera handbook)
- Plug the memory card reader into a free USB port on the PC
- Microsoft Windows download wizard should commence – follow instructions
- As per instructions for the previous camera via USB cable notes
- No need for power / batteries and is safer for the camera

Memory card reader





Wi-fi

- Many modern cameras have in-built wi-fi for connecting to network
- Images can be downloaded from the camera without the need for cables
- Camera and network have to be set to work together
- Understanding of the network is required along with passwords etc.
- Clicking a button on the camera to download is all that is needed
- Nowadays, images can be sent from the camera via wi-fi or mobile telephone network to Facebook, Flickr or other online services (even Dropbox)
- PC can access online services as can mobile devices such as laptops, tablets etc.

Connecting directly to a printer

- Images can be printed directly from a camera using:
 - Pictbridge
 - Wireless (wi-fi)
 - USB cable
 - Memory card
 - Connecting online

- SD being Secure Digital
- SDHC being Secure Digital High Capacity
- SDXC being Secure Digital Extra Capacity
- CF being Compact Flash
- xD Picture Card
- Memory Stick pro
- MMC being Multi Media Cards
- CFast

