Getting the Software and Installing ArcGIS Desktop 10.X

1. Connecting to the Software Drive
   1.1. In order to get the installation software for ArcGIS Desktop, you need to be connected to the Clemson campus network.
   1.2. Once you are connected to Eduroam, open your file explorer and click on computer in the menu on the left.
   1.3. After clicking on computer, click Map Network Drive.
   1.4. In the blank space that says folder to the left of it, type `\software.clemson.edu\software`. The letter chosen in the Drive dropdown menu is arbitrary.
   1.5. Click Finish.
1.6. You will be prompted to enter a password. In the **Enter network credential** dialogue box, enter your Clemson userID and password. Click **OK**.

![Image of Enter network credentials dialogue box]

1.7. If necessary, click **Finish** again.

![Image of Map Network Drive dialogue box]

1.8. After connecting to the network drive, it should display in your computer window next to your (C:) Drive. It will be labeled `software(\software.clemson.edu)`. Double-click to open the drive.
2. Getting the Software installer

2.1. Open the Software folder.
2.2. In the Software folder, scroll until you see a folder labeled ESRI. Open the folder.

2.3. Open the Windows folder.
2.4. Open ArcGIS_for_Desktop.

2.5. Select the version of the software as per your need, following are the versions available:
2.7. Let’s suppose we are installing **ArcGIS_Desktop_10_X**.
2.8. Find the folder labeled **ArcGIS_Desktop_10_X** and open it.
2.9. Copy the folder on your local drive.

2.10. Double click on **ArcGIS_Desktop_107_167519** to run the installer

2.11. Click **Run**.
2.12. The destination should already be set for you. If you wish to change the destination folder click Browse. Otherwise click **Next**.
2.13. After the files have been extracted, you will see the Windows Installer and let it run.

2.14. After the installation files have installed successfully, click Close.
2.15. The ArcGIS Desktop setup program should open automatically. Then click Next.
3. Installing ArcGIS 10.X

3.1. Now, click on I accept the license agreement, and click next again.

3.2. When asked to choose installation type, choose Complete and click Next.

3.3. Click Next.
3.4. Click **Next**.
3.5. Click **Install**.
3.6. Let the installer run and then you will see this window, click Finish
4. **Authorizing your software** (for Single Use license)
   
   If the authorization window doesn’t come automatically, then go to Start -> All Programs -> ArcGIS -> ArcGIS Administrator -> Click on Desktop (on the left panel)

   OR

   If it comes automatically then you will see the window in the screenshot below.

   4.1. Select **Advanced (ArcInfo) Single Use**. Click on **Authorize Now**.

   ![Authorization Window Screenshot](image)

   4.2. Select the appropriate option. You will see the choices below:

   - **I have installed my software and need to authorize it.**
     
     - If you received an **authorization code**, select this option to proceed with the authorization process by entering the authorization code you received from Esri Customer Service.

   - **I have already authorized the software and need to authorize additional extensions.**
     
     - This option is used if you have already authorized the core ArcGIS for Desktop
and now want to authorize any extensions. Authorizing additional extensions acquired after authorizing core ArcGIS for Desktop can be done by starting ArcGIS Administrator from **Start > All Programs > ArcGIS**. Once in the ArcGIS Administrator utility, select the Desktop folder and select **Authorize Now**.

- **I have received an authorization file from Esri and am now ready to finish the authorization process.** *
  
  - Select this option if you have a **provisioning file** created from the Esri Customer Care portal.

  *At Clemson, we usually issue provisioning files. Browse to where you have stored the provisioning file and click **Next**.*
4.3. In Authorization Method window select **Authorize with Esri now using the Internet**. Click **Next**. In Authorization Information, click **Next**. You do not need to enter your information here. This part is already populated for you.
4.4. In **Authorization Information (continued)** window, enter your information and click on **Next**. In **Software Authorization Number** window click **Next**.

4.5. Once the software finishes authorizing, click **Finish**.

**Congratulations!** You can now begin using your ArcGIS software! Get to work, start a new project, or just click around and explore. The more you familiarize yourself with this software, the more of an asset you will become.