

Basecamp Map Installation [PC]

Installing and Using Backroad MapBooks on a PC

1. Prerequisites

Item	What to do	Links
Garmin Basecamp	Install Basecamp to view and load maps.	Download Garmin Basecamp
7-Zip (optional)	If your OS can't extract ZIP files, install 7-Zip for free.	Download 7-Zip
Backroad MapBooks account	Sign up or log in to access your map downloads.	Backroad MapBooks Login
MicroSD card	Insert into the PC or GPS unit to access the unlock key (<code>.gma</code> file).	—

“ **Note** – All map files are delivered as a single `.zip` archive (e.g. `SECURED_BC2025_BRMB_BC2025?Win.zip`).

2. Downloading the Map Archive

1. Log in

- Navigate to the Backroad MapBooks website and sign in.
- If you don't have an account, click **Create New Account** and follow the prompts.

LOGIN

Email

customer@backroadmapbooks.com

Password

.....

[Forgot password](#)

Sign in

New customer? [Create an account](#)

2. **Navigate to “MY GPS Maps”**

- Click the **MY GPS Maps** button on the homepage to reach the registration page.

3. **Locate your product**

- Find the product title for your province (e.g., “BC2025”) and click the small arrow to the right of it to expand the product details.

British Columbia Backroad 2025 GPS Maps NO UPDATES

Your Maps are Up to Date [View User Guide](#)

We don't have any map updates at this time. [See complete version update list](#)

Map Update Available for Download

Download the 2025 GPS Maps Updater below:

Mac Updates PC Updates

Register Date: 3/24/25, 8:07:25 PM PDT
Update Expiry Date: 5/24/25, 8:07:25 PM PDT

The computer map links are only available for 60 days after your GPS Maps Registration or GPS Maps Update Purchase

Download Computer Maps (Free for 60 days) ⓘ

Click below to download the maps for Garmin Basecamp

Download for Mac Download for PC

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4. Download the ZIP

- Click the **Download for PC** button and choose a location to save the file (the default is usually the **Downloads** folder).
- The download link will point to something like: `SECURED_BC2025_BRMB_BC2025?Win.zip`.

3. Extracting the ZIP Archive

1. Locate the file

- Open the folder where you saved the archive.

2. Extract

- **Windows** – Right-click ? **Extract All...**
- If you're using 7-Zip, right-click ? **7-Zip ? Extract Here.**

3. Verify extraction

- After extraction you should see a folder named similar to `SECURED_BC2025_BRMB_BC2025?Win` containing an installer executable and a copy of the .gpi file:
`BRMBBC2025_2025.exe` (replace `BC` with your province code).
`BC2025.gpi` (replace `BC` with your province code).

4. Installing and Unlocking maps in Basecamp.

1. Insert the MicroSD card

- If you have the MicroSD card inserted into the PC or your Garmin GPS and plugged into the computer.
- The card will appear as a removable drive (e.g., `E:`).

1b. Download your .gma

- If you Downloaded the .gma file from your account.
- The file will be downloaded to "Downloads" or the location you choose.

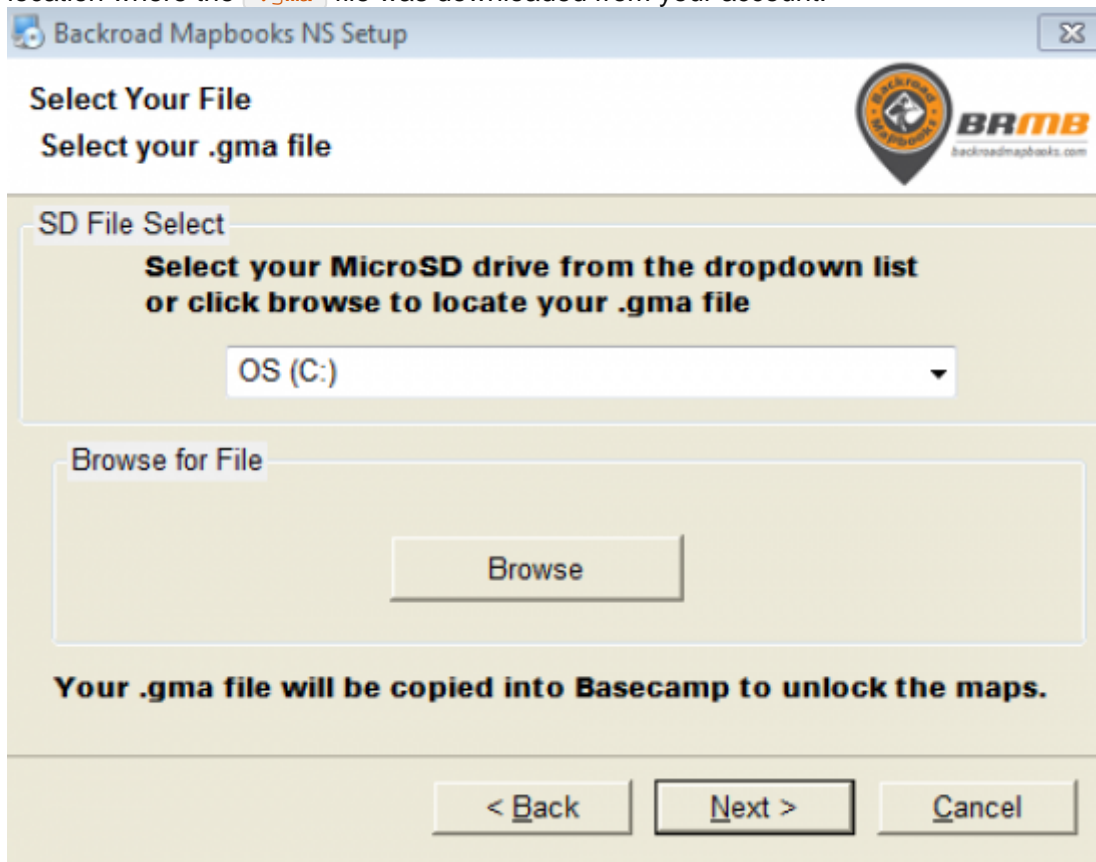
2. Launch the installer

- Double-click the executable (`BRMB####_2025.exe` , where `####` is your province code).
- A screen will appear guiding you through the installation, you can accept the default installation directory.
- A final screen will appear prompting you to provide a `.gma` file.



3. Select the .gma file

- **Option?A – SD File Select**
 - Pick your MicroSD drive from the drop-down list.
 - The installer will copy the unlock key to Basecamp automatically.
- **Option?B – Browse for file**
 - If the card isn't shown as a drive letter, click **Browse** and navigate to the card or to the location where the `.gma` file was downloaded from your account.



4. Complete the installation

- Click **Next ? Finish**.

- Basecamp will now contain the new map data.

5. Post-Installation

- **Launch Garmin Basecamp** – Verify that the new maps are visible.
- **Configure Basecamp** – Use the following resource for detailed configuration options:

<https://brmb.support/books/4configuring-garmin-basecamp>

6. Frequently Asked Questions

Question	Answer
<i>What if I can't find my MicroSD as a drive?</i>	Use the Browse for file option on the unlock screen to navigate to the card manually.
<i>Can I use the map on a mobile device?</i>	This guide is for PC only. For mobile devices see the BRMBMaps App .

7. Contact & Further Assistance

Need More Help?

- **Phone** – 1-877-520-5670
- **Submit Support Request** – > <https://backroadmapshelp.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/requests/new>

We're here to help you get your maps up and running as quickly as possible!

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