



Performance & Use

AC1900



- WiFi speeds up to 600+1300Mbps†
- Dual core processor
- Advanced features for lag-free gaming
- Prioritized bandwidth for streaming videos or music
- Now with NETGEAR genie® with remote access

Dual Core Processor

Extreme Speed & Range

NEW! CLOUD APPS

ReadyCLOUD® & genie remote access

The NETGEAR Difference - R6900

- Beamforming+ improves range & performance for both 2.4 & 5GHz devices
- ReadyCLOUD® USB Access—Enjoy personal and secure cloud access to USB storage anytime, anywhere
- High-power amplifiers & antennas to extend your WiFi coverage
- Upstream & downstream QoS for best gaming & video streaming experience
- Airtime Fairness® prevents network lag when slower devices connect
- Free automatic backup software for Windows® PC & Time Machine® compatible for Macs
- Easy & automatic installation of the NETGEAR router with Internet provider gateway to upgrade your WiFi

GAMING | FOR THE WIN

Avoid character freezing & enjoy lag-free gaming with the ultimate in 11AC speed & performance. Nighthawk® delivers AC1900 WiFi, a powerful dual core processor, & advanced upstream QoS for optimized game play on consoles. When microseconds count, let Nighthawk® accelerate your game. For the win.



STREAMING | UNLIMITED HD

Stop buffering and start enjoying uninterrupted streaming media. With features like downstream QoS, Beamforming+ and built-in iTunes® server you'll begin to stream like you mean it. Access your stored media quickly with USB 3.0 and keep it safe with free automatic backup software for PCs & Time Machine® compatible for Macs.



MOBILE | UP TO 100% FASTER

Improve your mobile WiFi speeds by up to 100% with Nighthawk®! High power amplifiers & antennas help extend WiFi coverage throughout large homes & even backyards. For the first time Beamforming+ focuses WiFi signals to both 2.4 & 5GHz devices. With signals locked onto your device, experience what it really means to be mobile!



Speed

Get the fastest WiFi currently available & enjoy a blazing-fast, lag-free WiFi experience for gaming, video streaming or surfing.



WORLD'S FASTEST WIFI—Up to 600+1300 Mbps†



GIGABIT WIFI—Next-generation WiFi now at Gigabit speeds



GIGABIT WIRED—Ideal for HD gaming & video



DUAL CORE PROCESSOR—Boosts wireless, wired & WAN-to-LAN performance

WiFi Range

Got range? Homes come in all shapes and sizes and Nighthawk Smart WiFi Router provides WiFi coverage no matter where you connect in your home.



ULTIMATE RANGE—WiFi coverage throughout very large homes



ANTENNAS—High-power amplifiers with 3 external antennas

Sharing

With NETGEAR, sharing across your network is fun and easy, anything from accessing stored photos & music to wireless printing. And enjoy personal and secure cloud access to USB storage anywhere with ReadyCLOUD.



DLNA®—Find & play your media on DLNA TVs & game consoles



READYSHARE® USB ACCESS—Wirelessly access & share USB hard drive & printer via the USB port



ONE SUPERSPEED USB 3.0 PORT—Up to 10x faster than USB 2.0



READYCLOUD® USB ACCESS—Enjoy personal & secure cloud access to USB storage anytime, anywhere



READYSHARE PRINTER—Wirelessly access & share a USB printer



TIME MACHINE—Automatic Mac backup to a USB hard drive connected to the router



iTunes® COMPATIBLE—Play your USB-stored music using AirPlay or Apple Remote™

Reliable Connections

There's nothing more frustrating than lost connections! With NETGEAR's advanced features & best-in-class technology, you'll reduce interference & enjoy more reliable WiFi connectivity.



SIMULTANEOUS DUAL BAND—Reduces interference for better connections to more WiFi devices



ADVANCED QoS—Downstream & upstream QoS automatically recognizes & prioritizes streaming & gaming applications



AIRTIME FAIRNESS—Prevent network lag when slower devices connect



BEAMFORMING+—Boosts speed, reliability, & range of WiFi connections for 2.4 & 5GHz

Ease Of Use

Start enjoying your new device faster than ever. NETGEAR wants to make sure installation and management is simple & easy, so you can connect quickly & make sure you stay that way!



EASY INSTALL—Easy setup for iPad®, tablets, smartphones & computers



NETGEAR GENIE® APP—Personal dashboard to monitor, control & repair your home network. Includes remote access to manage your network away from home



PUSH 'N' CONNECT—Easy push button WiFi connections (WPS)



WIFI & POWER ON/OFF—Convenient power savings

Security

Maintain high security across your network to help ensure your privacy & family is safe while online. Whether it's preventing phishing & spyware or just limiting access for kids & guests, NETGEAR has you covered.



VPN SUPPORT—Secure access to your home network



PARENTAL CONTROLS—Web site filtering for all your connected devices



GUEST NETWORK ACCESS—Separate & secure access for guests



SECURE WIFI CONNECTIONS—High level wireless security with WPA/WPA2



OPEN SOURCE SUPPORT—Download open source firmware from www.myopenrouter.com



PERSONAL FTP SERVER—Customized free URL to create FTP server

BEAMFORMING+—FORE MORE RELIABLE CONNECTIONS

Unlike typical WiFi routers that just blast the WiFi signals in all directions, with Beamforming+ the router & device communicate with each other, so the router can directly beam the WiFi signal to the device. Boosting speed, reliability, and range for both Implicit and Explicit 2.4 & 5GHz WiFi devices, the result is a stronger, faster, more reliable connection that is locked in even when the device is moved around the home.

- WiFi Signal Focus—Focuses signals from the wireless router to WiFi devices like smartphones, tablets & laptops
- Automatic Signal Management—Checks with your device to keep WiFi signal at its optimal strength
- Device Connections—Designed for home environments to support multiple WiFi device connections for highest quality
- WiFi Coverage—Reduces dead spots, & boosts signal strength

NETGEAR genie®—HOME NETWORKING SIMPLIFIED

NETGEAR genie® makes getting the most out of your home network fun & easy. NETGEAR genie® allows you to easily monitor, connect & control your home network from an iPhone®, iPad® or Android® devices. With NETGEAR genie® you can share & stream music or videos, diagnose & repair network issues, set up parental controls & more.

- Network Map—Allow or block access to your network using real-time map of connected devices
- Traffic Meter—Track your internet data usage
- My Media®—Find & play media files in your network
- EZ Mobile Connect—Scan QR code to connect to your home network
- For iPhone®, iPad® or Android® devices
- Remote access to manage your network away from home. View the network map, block WiFi devices, set up guest WiFi & manage Parental Controls—anytime, anywhere

Connection Diagram



USB 3.0



Gigabit Ethernet

Internet

Power On/Off

Nighthawk® AC1900 Smart WiFi Router—Dual Band Gigabit

Data Sheet

R6900

PACKAGE CONTENTS

- Nighthawk AC1900 Smart WiFi Router (R6900v2)
- Three (3) detachable antennas
- Ethernet cable
- Quick start guide
- Power adapter

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- Dimensions: 11.22 x 7.26 x 1.97 in (285 x 184.5 x 50 mm)
- Weight: 1.65 lb (750 g)

STANDARDS

- One (1) USB 3.0 port
- IEEE® 802.11 b/g/n 2.4GHz + 256 QAM support
- IEEE® 802.11 a/n/ac 5.0GHz
- Five (5) 10/100/1000Mbps—(1 WAN & 4 LAN) Gigabit Ethernet ports

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- AC1900 (600 Mbps @ 2.4GHz with 256 QAM support + 1300 Mbps @ 5GHz 11ac)[†]
- Simultaneous Dual Band WiFi—Tx/Rx 3x3 (2.4GHz) + 3x3 (5GHz)
- Implicit & Explicit Beamforming
- Powerful dual core processor
- High-power amplifiers—Three (3) external antennas
- Memory: 128 MB flash and 256 MB RAM
- Downstream & upstream QoS—Automatically recognizes & prioritizes applications
- ReadySHARE® USB—Share your USB hard drive and printer
- ReadyCLOUD® USB Access—Enjoy personal & secure cloud access to USB storage connected to your Nighthawk® WiFi Router anytime, anywhere
- IPv6 Support (Internet Protocol Version 6)
- On/off LED lights option

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

- Microsoft® Windows® 7, 8, 10, Vista®, XP®, 2000, Mac OS®, UNIX®, or Linux®
- Microsoft® Internet Explorer® 5.0, Firefox® 2.0, Safari® 1.4, or Google Chrome™ 11.0 browsers or higher

SECURITY

- Customized free URL to set up personal FTP server
- VPN support—Secure remote access
- Guest network access—Separate & secure
- WiFi Protected Access® (WPA/WPA2—PSK)
- Double firewall protection (SPI and NAT)
- Denial-of-service (DoS) attack prevention

WARRANTY

- www.netgear.com/about/warranty

SUPPORT

- 90-day complimentary technical support*



This product comes with a limited warranty that is valid only if purchased from a NETGEAR authorized reseller.

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[†]Maximum wireless signal rate derived from IEEE 802.11 specifications. Actual data throughput and wireless coverage will vary and may be lowered by network and environmental conditions, including network traffic volume and building construction.

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