

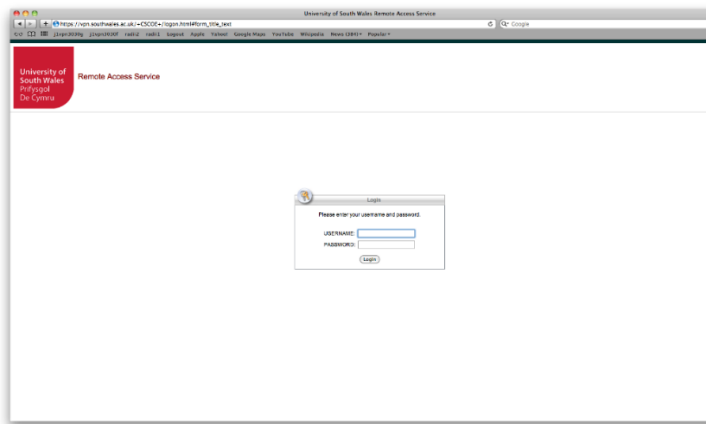
# Installing Cisco AnyConnect VPN Client on MacOS

## Important Notes:

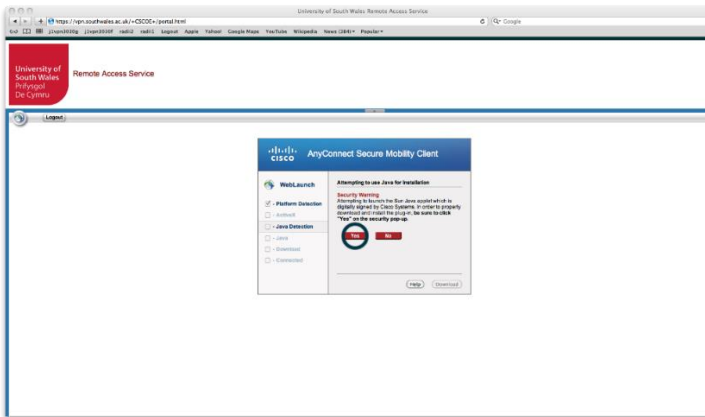
The installation process for the new Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility (VPN) client is now done through a website provided by the service, and the web browser used when installing the client can affect the installation process.

On a typical Apple MacOS device, the only option is to allow the automated web-installer to fail and then download and manually install the software.

In a web browser (Safari in this case) visit <https://vpn.southwales.ac.uk>



Login with your **UNI** username and password.



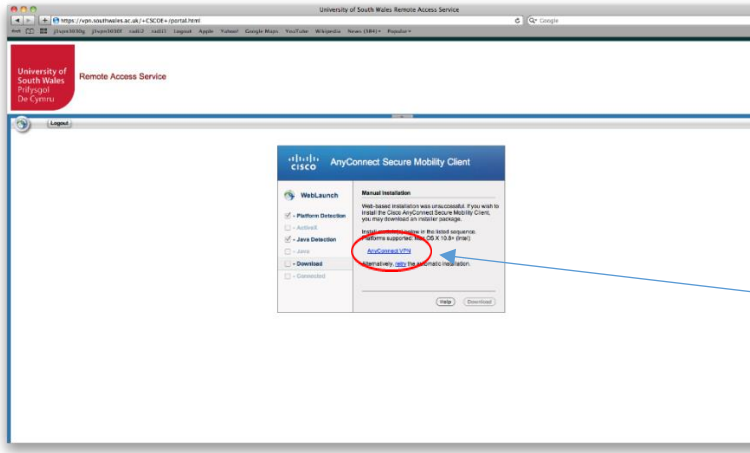
The process will now attempt to install the VPN client onto the computer automatically using Java to simplify and ease installation.

**Note:** In many cases, dependent on the browser configuration, this process may fail. If so, it will offer the download of the client.



Various pop-up windows will open to show the progress and ask for elements to be allowed to run.

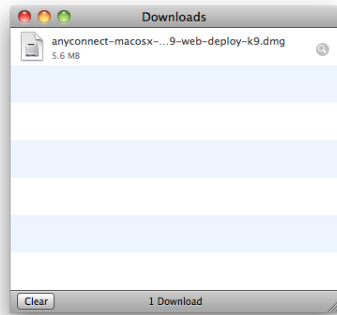
In this case click **Allow**



In this example, the web-based installer failed.

This screen now allows you to download the client and install it manually.

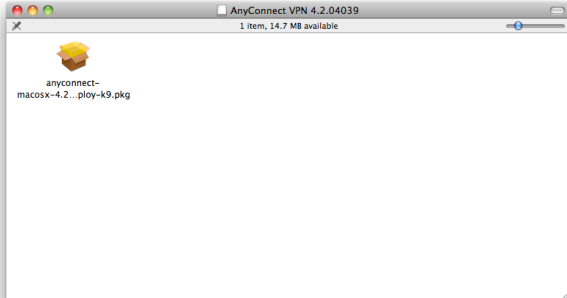
Click **AnyConnect VPN** to download the client software.



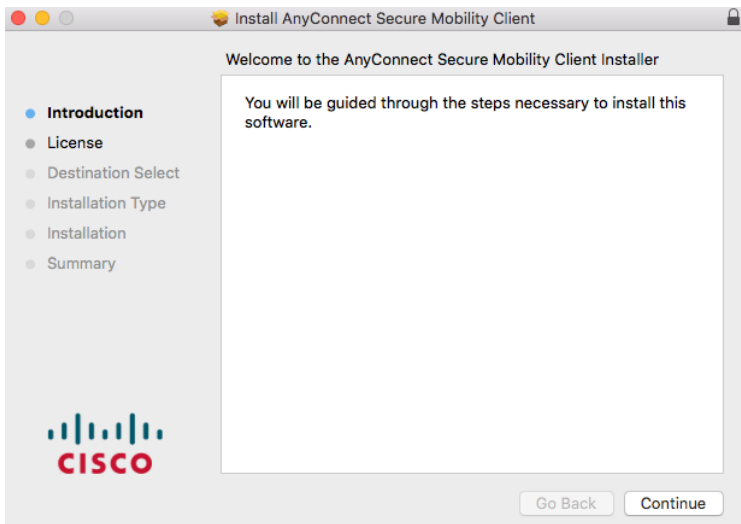
Download the client and install as you would normally for any other application of this type, for your own OS version.

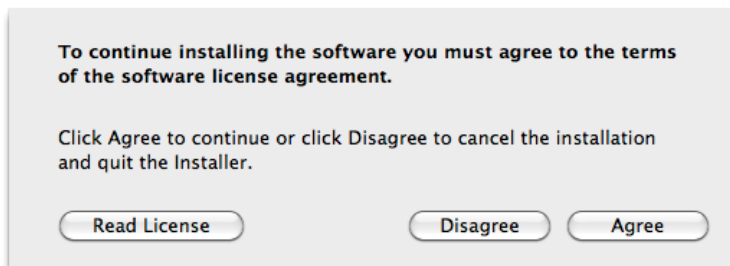
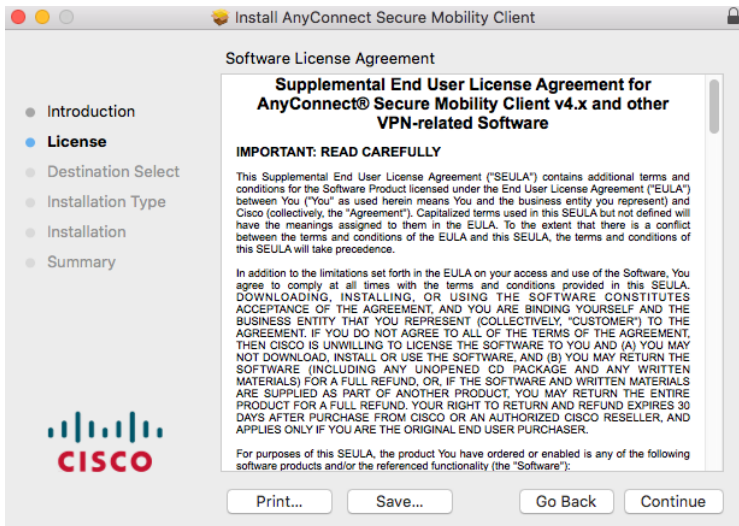
A typical example is included below.

In this case, running Mac OS Snow Leopard (10.6), double-clicking on the downloaded **.dmg** file will mount the image file and open the following window:



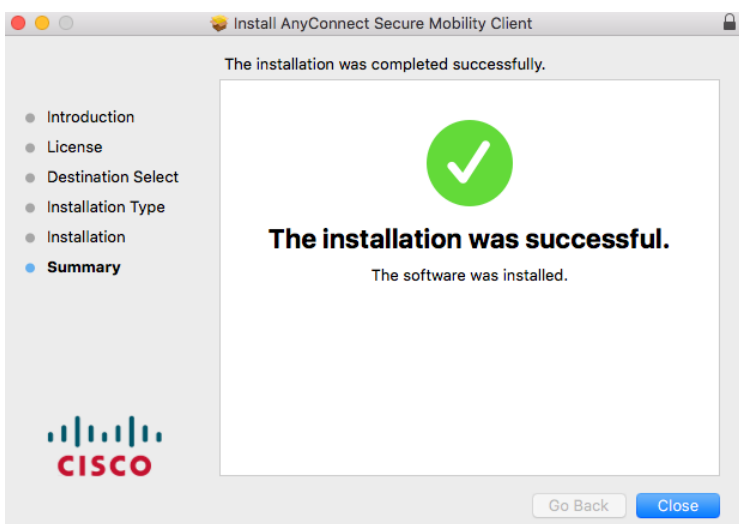
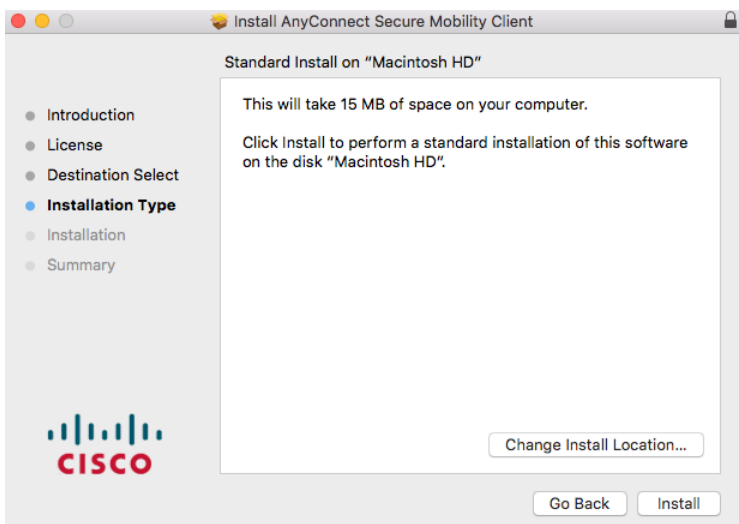
Double-click on the **.pkg** package file will begin the installation of the VPN client.





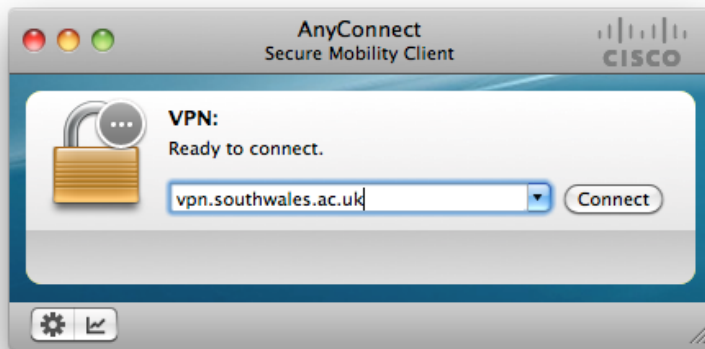
It is likely that you'll be asked to agree to the licensing agreement.

Click **Agree**



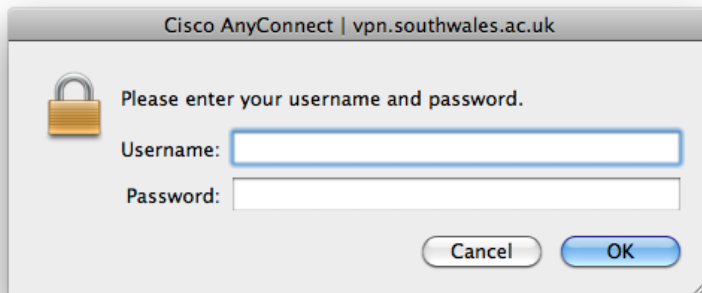
After installation is complete, the **.pkg** window and **.dmg** mount point can be closed/ejected.

The installer would have now created a Cisco AnyConnect Secure Mobility client icon in a **Cisco** subfolder of the Applications folder (shown below). Click on the icon to start the new VPN client.



Type **vpn.southwales.ac.uk** into the box (as shown).

Click **Connect**



Type in your **UNI** username and password.

Click **OK**



On successful authentication, the window shown opposite will close, leaving a new AnyConnect taskbar icon.



This new icon can now be used to open the client window, to connect and disconnect from the VPN service.