

Features

With its widescreen display and preloaded maps of North America, nüvi 250W delivers directions on the go — wherever life takes you. For an additional cost savings, check out [nüvi 200W](#) which offers less map coverage at a lower price. Like the rest of the nüvi 200-series, nüvi 250W is affordably priced and simple to use.

See More

With nüvi 250W's widescreen display, you'll always get the big picture. View map detail, driving directions, photos and more in bright, brilliant color. Its sunlight-readable, 4.3-inch display is easy to read — from any direction.

Navigate with Ease

nüvi 250W comes ready to go right out of the box with preloaded City Navigator® NT street maps, including a hefty points of interest (POIs) database with hotels, restaurants, fuel, ATMs and more. Simply touch the color screen to enter a destination, and nüvi takes you there with 2-D or 3-D maps and turn-by-turn voice directions. In addition, nüvi 250W accepts [custom points of interest](#) (POIs), such as school zones and safety cameras and lets you set proximity alerts to warn you of upcoming POIs.

Take It With You

Like the rest of the nüvi 200-series, nüvi 250W sports a sleek, slim design and fits comfortably in your pocket or purse. Its rechargeable lithium-ion battery makes it convenient for navigation by car or foot.

Go Beyond Navigation

Navigation is just the beginning. nüvi 250W includes many travel tools including JPEG picture viewer, world travel clock with time zones, currency converter, measurement converter, calculator and more. It also comes with Garmin Lock™, an anti-theft feature, and is compatible with our free [Garmin Garage](#) where you can download custom vehicles that show your location on the map. Optional plug-in SD cards let you add additional features. Purchase Garmin Travel Guides for detailed data on attractions and our [SaversGuide](#) for information on nearby merchants offering discounts to customize nüvi for your travel needs.

nüvi 250W: It's a whole nü way to travel.

Product Images



Product Screen Shots



Physical & Performance:

Unit dimensions, WxHxD:	4.8"W x 2.9"H x .8"D (12.2 x 7.4 x 2.0 cm)
Display size, WxH:	3.81"W x 2.25"H (9.7 x 5.7 cm); 4.3" diag (10.9 cm)
Display resolution, WxH:	480 x 272 pixels
Display type:	WQVGA color TFT with white backlight
Weight:	6.1 ounces (172.93 g)
Battery:	rechargeable lithium-ion
Battery life:	up to 5 hours
Waterproof:	no
High-sensitivity receiver:	yes
RoHS version available:	yes

Maps & Memory:

Basemap:	yes
Preloaded maps:	yes
Ability to add maps:	yes
Built-in memory:	internal solid state
Accepts data cards:	SD card (not included)
Waypoints/favorites/locations:	500
Routes:	0

Features:

Voice prompts (e.g. "Turn right in 500 ft.):	yes (internal speaker)
Speaks street names (e.g. "Turn right ON ELM STREET in 500 ft.") :	no
Speech recognition (navigate with voice commands):	no
3D map view:	yes
Auto sort multiple destinations (provides most direct route):	no
Auto re-route (fast off-route and detour recalculation):	yes
Choice of route setup (faster time, shorter distance, off road):	yes
Route avoidance (avoid highways, tolls etc.):	yes
Custom POIs (ability to add additional points of interest):	yes
Hands-free calling with Bluetooth® wireless technology:	no
FM traffic compatible:	no

XM® Navtraffic (includes basic weather) & Radio for U.S. compatible:	no
MSN® Direct for U.S. compatible:	no
Where Am I? feature (find closest hospitals, police & gas stations, nearest address & intersection):	no
Car locator feature (marks position when removed from windshield mount):	no
MP3 player:	no
Audio book player:	no
Picture viewer:	yes
Configurable vehicle icons (select car-shaped icons for map navigation):	yes
World travel clock, currency & measurement converter, calculator:	yes
Touchscreen:	yes
Qwerty or ABC keyboard (choose keyboard layout):	no
Remote control:	no
FM transmitter:	no
Headphone jack/audio line-out:	no
Dead reckoning:	no
Garmin Lock™ (anti-theft feature):	yes
Motorcycle-friendly:	no
Additional:	This USB mass storage device is compatible with Windows® 2000 or later and Mac® OS X 10.4 or later.

What's in the Box:

- nüvi 250W
- Preloaded City Navigator® NT for [North America](#) or [Europe](#) (full coverage)
- Vehicle suction cup mount*
- Vehicle power cable
- Dashboard disc
- Quick start manual

*[Notice to Drivers in California and Minnesota](#)

Package contents may vary per version. See your local dealer for more information.

Compatible accessories for this item are:

[Datacards](#) | [Accessory Kits](#) | [Adapters](#) | [Cases and Covers](#) | [Cables](#) | [Mounts](#) |

Datacards



[Garmin SaversGuide® Membership Card & SD Card](#)

010-10775-01



[Garmin Travel Guide, Fodor's North America \(SD Card\)](#)

010-10672-01



[Garmin Travel Guide, Europe contains over 100,000 rich points of interest data for 20 countries](#)

010-10672-02



[Garmin Travel Guide, rich points of interest data for Central Europe](#)

010-10672-03



[Garmin Travel Guide, rich points of interest data for France](#)

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[Garmin Travel Guide, rich points of interest data for Scandinavia](#)

010-10672-05



[Garmin Travel Guide, rich points of interest data for Southern Europe](#)

010-10672-06



[Garmin Travel Guide, rich points of interest data for Northwestern Europe](#)

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Accessory Kits



[Suction cup mount/12-volt adapter kit](#)

010-10979-00

Adapters



[AC to 12V power adapter](#)

010-10723-08



[AC adapter cable: includes international adapters](#)

010-10723-00

Cases and Covers



[Carrying Case](#)

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[Carrying case](#)

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Cables



[USB cable \(replacement\)](#)

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[Vehicle power cable](#)

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Mounts



[Dash mount](#)

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[Vehicle suction cup](#)

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[Portable friction mount \(no installation required\)](#)

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[Vehicle suction cup mount](#)

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[microSD/SD data card, City Navigator NT, Spain & Portugal](#)

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[microSD/SD data card, City Navigator NT, Nordics](#)

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[microSD/SD data card, City Navigator NT Brazil](#)

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[microSD/SD data card, City Navigator Canada NT](#)

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