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2 Port PCI Express Gigabit Ethernet Network Card

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Introduction

Packaging Contents

- 1 x 2 Port Network Card
- 1 x Low Profile Bracket
- 1 x Driver CD
- 1 x Instruction Manual

System Requirements

- Available PCI Express x4 or higher (x8, x16) slot
- Windows® 8 (32/64bit), 7 (32/64), Vista(32/64), XP(32/64), Windows® Server 2008 R2, 2003(32/64), Linux 2.4.x/ 2.6.x

Installation

Hardware Installation

WARNING! PCI Express cards, like all computer equipment, can be severely damaged by static electricity. Be sure that you are properly grounded before opening your computer case or touching your PCI Express card. StarTech.com recommends that you wear an anti-static strap when installing any computer component. If an anti-static strap is unavailable, discharge yourself of any static electricity build-up by touching a large grounded metal surface (such as the computer case) for several seconds. Also be careful to handle the card by its edges and not the gold connectors.

- Turn your computer off and any peripherals connected to the computer (i.e. Printers, external hard drives, etc.). Unplug the power cable from the rear of the power supply on the back of the computer and disconnect all peripheral devices.
- 2. Remove the cover from the computer case. See documentation for your computer system for details.
- Locate an open PCI Express slot and remove the metal cover plate on the rear of the computer case (Refer to documentation for your computer system for details.). Note that this card will work in PCI Express slots of additional lanes (i.e. x8 or x16 slots).
- 4. Insert the card into the open PCI Express slot and fasten the bracket to the rear of the case.



Note: If installing the card into a low profile desktop system, replacing the preinstalled standard profile bracket with the included low profile (half height) installation bracket may be necessary.

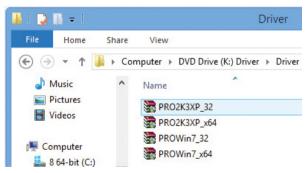
- 5. Place the cover back onto the computer case.
- 6. Insert the power cable into the socket on the power supply and reconnect all other connectors removed in Step 1.

Driver Installation

Windows

Note: The card may auto-install using native drivers, however it is recommended to use the procedure below to update to the latest version and have access to advanced features.

- Upon starting Windows, if the "Found New Hardware" wizard appears on the screen, cancel/close the window and insert the included Driver CD into the computer's CD/ DVD drive.
- 2. AutoPlay should automatically launch and display all of the folders on the CD or prompt you to view files. If AutoPlay is disabled on your system, open a Computer window and navigate to your CD/DVD drive.
- 3. Choose the appropriate driver for your version of windows and double-click to run the installer.



4. Choose the driver options you would like installed and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the installation.



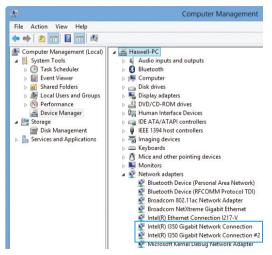


Please visit www.startech.com/ST2000SPEXI for product specifications and further information on advanced driver functions.

Verifying Installation

Windows

- Open the Device Manager by right-clicking on Computer, and then select Manage. In the new Computer Management window, select Device Manager from the left window panel (For Windows 8, open the Control Panel and select Device Manager).
- Expand the "Network Adapters" section. On a successful install, you should following devices in the list with no exclamation points or question marks.





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