# CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5





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The Declaration of Conformity is based upon compliance of the product with the following harmonized standards:

EN55022/A1 Class A EN50082-1 IEC 801

IEC 801-2 IEC 801-3 IEC 801-4

### **IC Statement**

This Class A digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003

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## Disclaimer

While every precaution has been taken in the preparation of this manual, the manufacturer assumes no responsibility for errors or omissions. Neither does the manufacturer assume any liability for damages resulting from the use of the information contained herein. The manufacturer reserves the right to change the specifications, functions, or circuitry of the product without notice.

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## System introduction

Thank you for choosing the Rose Electronics<sup>®</sup> CrystalLink<sup>™</sup> USB 2.0 CAT5 extender. The CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender is the result of Rose Electronics commitment to providing state-of-the-art solutions for today's demanding workplace. The CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 has proven to be a valuable investment for any business, big or small, that has a need to access and extend their USB 1.1 or 2.0 peripherals from a remote location. This location can be up to 330 feet (100m).

The receiver unit's USB port connects to your USB peripheral. The number of peripherals can be increased by using a standard USB hub.

The USB peripherals can be USB 1.1 devices (low-speed or full-speed) or USB 2.0 high-speed devices operating up to 480 Mb/s. The receiver unit can supply up to 500 ma for driving high-power USB devices.

Plug-and-play installation makes installing the transmitter and receiver simple and easy. Connect the transmitter to the computers USB port, connect the USB port on the receiver to your USB device, connect the transmitter to the receiver with up to 330 feet of industry standard CAT5 or better cable, connect the power adapter to the receiver and power on the system. The USB devices will function normally as if they are directly connected to your computer's USB port even though they are up to 330 feet away.

#### Features

- Supports USB 1.1 (low and full speed) and USB 2.0 (high-speed)
- Extends USB devices up to 330 feet (100m) over CAT5 or better cable
- Single USB port on the receiver unit
- Standard USB hubs can be used to increase the number of connected USB devices.
- Up to 500 ma of power is available at the USB port for powering highpower USB devices
- Plug-and-Play installation, no configuration or set-up needed
- Operating system independent, supports all major operating systems

## **Package contents**

The package contents consist of the following:

- The CrystalLink USB 2.0 transmitter and receiver units
- Power adapter for the remote unit. (Auto-switching transformer)
- Installation and operations manual CD.

CAT5 and USB cables are usually ordered separately. If the package contents are not correct, contact Rose Electronics or your reseller, so the problem can be quickly resolved.

## **Rose Electronics web site**

Visit out web site at www.rose.com for additional information on the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extenders and other products that are designed for data center applications, classroom environments and other applications.

## About this manual

This manual covers the installation and operation of the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender.

## MODEL

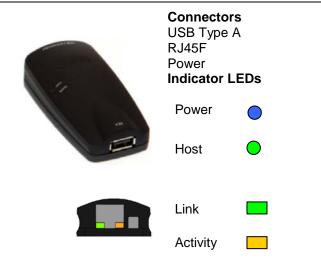
## CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 model

### Transmitter

Connectors USB Type A RJ45F Indicator LEDs	
Power	ightarrow
Host	
Link	
Activity	

Power LED (Blue)	On when power is supplied from the computer's USB port, Off when no power is supplied
Host LED (Green)	On when installed properly
Link LED (Green)	On when a link between the transmitter and receiver is established, Off when no link is detected
Activity LED (Amber)	Blinks when data is transmitted

#### Receiver



Power LED (Blue)	On when power is supplied from the computer's USB port, Off when no power is supplied
Host LED (Green)	On when installed properly
Link LED (Green)	On when a link between the transmitter and receiver is established, Off when no link is detected
Activity LED (Amber)	Blinks when data is transmitted

#### Cables

The only cable(s) needed are industry standard CAT5 or better cable(s). For surface cabling, do not exceed the maximum cable length of 330 feet (100m).

For Premise cabling, the maximum CAT5 cable length including patch cables should not exceed 330 feet (100m). The combined length of any patch cable using stranded conductors must not exceed 33 feet (10m).

## INSTALLATION

Figure 1 outlines the basic installation of the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender. The installation steps below are a guide to properly install the units and cabling.



Before you install the CrystalView USB 2.0 CAT5 extender, it is recommended that you pre-plan you system layout, consisting of the placement of the computer, the routing of the CAT5 cabling, and the location of the USB device(s).

- 1. Connect the transmitters USB Type A cable connector to an unused USB port on the computer.
- 2. Connect the provided power adapter to the power jack on the receiver unit. Use only the furnished power adapter. Other power adapters may cause permanent damage to the receiver unit and void the warranty.
- Connect up to 330 feet (100M) of industry standard UTP CAT5 or better cable terminated with RJ45M connectors to the transmitter's and receiver's RJ45F port.
- Connect the provided power adapter to a 100/240 V AC 50 60 Hz power source.
- 5. Install any required software to operate the USB device(s).
- 6. Connect the USB peripheral to the USB Type A connector on the receiver unit.

Verifying the installation

- 1. Check that the USB device is detected and installed properly in the operating system.
- Verify that the CrystalView USB 2.0 extender has installed correctly by opening the Device manager and expand the USB controller section (click on the + sign). You should see the unit listed as a Generic USB Hub.
- 3. Verify the Power, Host, and Link LEDs are on and the Activity LED is blinking. If any LED is off, check the CAT5 cabling.

## **Operating Instructions**

Operating your CrystalLink USB 20 extender is no different than having your USB peripherals directly connected to your computer's USB port.

Any compatible USB 1.1 or 2.0 device can be totally controlled and operated normally with no special configuration or commands. USB printers, digital cameras, scanners, or any compatible USB 1.1 or 2.0 device will function properly. If more than 1 USB device needs to be remotely accessed, you can add a standard USB hub to increase the number of USB devices.

When using a USB hub, keep in mind that the USB port on the receiver can supply up to 500ma of current. Connecting a 4-port USB hub to the receiver port receives a max current of 500ma to the USB hub or 125ma per hub port. UP to 14 USB devices, including additional USB hubs can be connected to the receiver unit. Powered USB hubs may be need if several high powered USB devices are connected.

## **Troubleshooting Guide**

The troubleshooting section is used as a guide to understanding the capabilities of the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender and for general troubleshooting. If you have any problems or questions concerning the installation, operation or usage of the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender that is not covered in this manual, please contact Rose Electronics for technical support.

#### All LEDs on the transmitter or receiver are off

 Verify that the power adapter is connected to the unit and to a live power source

#### Link LEDs on the transmitter and receiver are both off

 Verify the CAT5 cable is securely connected to the transmitter and receiver RJ45 connectors

#### Host LED on the transmitter is off

- Verify the USB cable from the transmitter to the computer's USB port
- Verify that the computer supports USB hubs
- Verify that the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 is recognized in the device manager as a Generic USB Hub, if not, contact tech support

#### All LEDs are on but the USB device does not operate correctly

Connect the USB device directly to the computer's USB port. If the device functions properly, connect a different type of USB device to the receiver port the non-operating USB device was connected to. If this device does not function, the unit may be malfunctioning, contact tech support. If the device operates properly, the first USB device may not be compatible with the CrystalLink USB Fiber extender. Contact tech support for assistance.

# SAFETY

## Safety

The CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender has been tested for conformance to safety regulations and requirements, and has been certified for international use. Like all electronic equipment, the CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender should be used with care. To protect yourself from possible injury and to minimize the risk of damage to the Unit, read and follow these safety instructions.

- Follow all instructions and warnings marked on this Unit.
- Except where explained in this manual, do not attempt to service this Unit yourself.
- Do not use this Unit near water.
- Assure that the placement of this Unit is on a stable surface or rack mounted.
- Provide proper ventilation and air circulation.
- Keep power cord and connection cables clear of obstructions that might cause damage to them.
- Use only power cords, power adapter and connection cables designed for this Unit.
- Use only a grounded (three-wire) electrical outlet.
- Use only the provided power adapter.
- Keep objects that might damage this Unit and liquids that may spill, clear from this Unit. Liquids and foreign objects might come in contact with voltage points that could create a risk of fire or electrical shock.
- Operate this Unit only when the cover is in place.
- Do not use liquid or aerosol cleaners to clean this Unit. Always unplug this Unit from its electrical outlet before cleaning.
- Unplug this Unit from the electrical outlet and refer servicing to a qualified service center if any of the following conditions occur:
  - The power cord or connection cables are damaged or frayed.
  - The Unit has been exposed to any liquids.
  - The Unit does not operate normally when all operating instructions have been followed.
  - The Unit has been dropped or the case has been damaged.
  - The Unit exhibits a distinct change in performance, indicating a need for service.

### Safety and EMC Regulatory Statements

Safety information

<u>_!</u>	Documentation reference symbol. If the product is marked with this symbol, refer to the product documentation to get more information about the product.
WARNING	A WARNING in the manual denotes a hazard that can cause injury or death.
CAUTION	A CAUTION in the manual denotes a hazard that can damage equipment.

Do not proceed beyond a WARNING or CAUTION notice until you have understood the hazardous conditions and have taken appropriate steps.

#### Grounding

There must be an un-interruptible safety earth ground from the main power source to the product's input wiring terminals, power cord, or supplied power cord set. Whenever it is likely that the protection has been impaired, disconnect the power cord until the ground has been restored.

#### Servicing

There are no user-serviceable parts inside these products. Only servicetrained personnel must perform any servicing, maintenance, or repair.

The user may adjust only items mentioned in this manual.

## **Service Information**

#### Maintenance and Repair

This Unit does not contain any internal user-serviceable parts. In the event a Unit needs repair or maintenance, you must first obtain a Return Authorization (RA) number from Rose Electronics or an authorized repair center. This Return Authorization number must appear on the outside of the shipping container. See Limited Warranty for more information.

When returning a Unit, it should be double-packed in the original container or equivalent, insured and shipped to:

Rose Electronics Attn: RA\_\_\_\_\_\_ 10707 Stancliff Road Houston, Texas 77099 USA

#### **Technical Support**

If you are experiencing problems, or need assistance in setting up, configuring or operating your CrystalLink USB 2.0 CAT5 extender consult the appropriate sections of this manual. If, however, you require additional information or assistance, please contact the Rose Electronics Technical Support Department at:

Phone: (281) 933-7673 E-Mail: <u>TechSupport@rose.com</u> Web: <u>www.rose.com</u>

Technical Support hours are from: 8:00 am to 6:00 pm CST (USA), Monday through Friday.

Please report any malfunctions in the operation of this Unit or any discrepancies in this manual to the Rose Electronics Technical Support Department.

# **APPENDICES**

## Appendix A. General Specifications

Max distance	330 feet (100 meters) over CAT 5 (or better) stranded or solid conductor cable
USB device support	High-speed devices (480 Mb/s) (USB 2.0) Full speed devices (12 Mb/s) (USB 2.0 & 1.1) Low speed devices (1.5 Mb/s) (USB 2.0 & 1.1)
USB hub support	Any single chain can include up to 4 USB hubs plus one Receiver
USB host support	EHCI (USB 2.0) and OHCI/UHCI (USB 1.1
Maximum USB devices Supported (Incl. USB Hubs)	14 USB Devices including any additional USB hubs connected to the receiver.
AC adapter Use only the AC adapter provided	Input: 100/240 V AC, 50 – 60 Hz Output: 5 V DC, 1.5 A
Power available to USB device at receiver unit	500 mA
USB cable length (Transmitter to Computer)	0.15 meters (0.49 ft)
USB connectors	1 x USB Type A connector
Link connectors	1 x RJ45
Dimensions (Transmitter / Receiver	1.72" x 3.43" x 0.95" 44 mm x 87 mm x 24 mm
Transmitter weight	0.06 kg ( 0.13 lbs)
Power consumption	500 mA Maximum (Transmitter)
Receiver weight	0.05 kg ( 0.11 lbs)
Power consumption	Approx. 500 mA (No Load). 1A (Full load)
Operating temperature	32°F – 122°F (0°C – 50°C)
Regulatory testing	FCC Class A, IC, CE Class A
ESD rating	EMC EN-61000-4-2 4kV Contact, 8kV Air

## Appendix B. Part Numbers and Cables

Part Number	Description
CLK-1U2TP-100M/PE	USB 2.0 CAT5 Transmitter & Receiver Kit



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