BAFO Technologies USB to Serial Adapter

Tested using Windows 2000 and Windows XP. The same procedure applies to both versions.

Don't Jump Ahead

If you have already connected your BAFO Technologies USB-Serial Adaptor to your computer prior to installing the drivers, you will see the Found New Hardware Wizard.



Click Cancel.

Install the USB-Serial Adapter drivers

Disconnect the BAFO Technologies USB-Serial Adapter from your computer, and insert the mini-CD into your computer's CD Drive. Be careful to seat the disc precisely in the center of your CD tray, there should be a small depression which it will fit into. The installation program should launch automatically after a few seconds after inserting the CD. If it does not, open up My Computer and double click on your CD Drive to start the installation.



Click Install Products.



Click USB-SERIAL ADAPTER.



Click Install.





Click Finish.

Connect to ActiveSync

Make sure Microsoft ActiveSync is installed on this computer. If it is not, you can download it from Microsoft's website at http://www.microsoft.com/windowsmobile/activesync/default.mspx

Connect the Tracker to your computer using the BAFO Technologies USB-Serial Adaptor. You need to use the normal download cable between the Tracker and the USB-Serial Adaptor Cable.



Open up your ActiveSync window as usual, by clicking on the ActiveSync icon located in your System Tray, or by going to Start > All Programs > Microsoft ActiveSync.







Click Next>



ActiveSync will begin cycling through all available COM ports on your computer, including the virtual COM Port which was installed for the USB-Serial Adapter. While it is doing this, double-tap the **PC Link** icon on your Tracker.

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On your Tracker, you will see the Connecting to Host screen. If this screen flashes off very quickly, keep double tapping on **PC Link** until ActiveSync is looking on the correct port and able to detect it. You should see this Connecting to Host screen stay up for a while.

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If you see this screen, click **Next>** and try again with repeatedly double-tapping **PC Link**. If it still does not connect after three tries, warm boot the Tracker (Start > Programs > Tools > Warm Boot) and restart your computer then try again.