

QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE

VIKING COMPONENTS 56K USB MODEM (WINDOWS 95^(OSR2) & 98)

VERIFYING YOUR SYSTEM IS USB READY

Before installing the software for your new Viking USB fax/modem, you will need to verify your system is USB ready.

1. With your system on, insert the supplied "Viking USB Modem Installation Disk" into your computer's floppy drive.
2. From your desktop, open "My Computer" and then open your 3.5" floppy drive. Locate the icon labeled "USBready" and double click on it to launch.
3. On the "Intel USB System Check" window, click on the "Yes" button to continue.



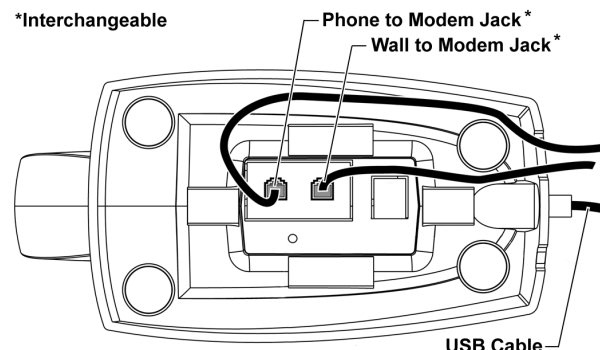
4. Click on the "Exit" button, if you have received the message that your computer has full support for USB. Then proceed to the hardware installation section. If you have received a message that your computer does not have full support for USB, click on the "Details" button for instructions. Also refer to chapter 5, "Troubleshooting" in the supplied "Viking USB Modem User's Guide."



HARDWARE INSTALLATION

Warning: The phone jack you use must be for an analog phone line. If you are in an office building, it may use digital phone lines. If you are not sure of the type of phone lines your office building has, contact your phone system administrator.

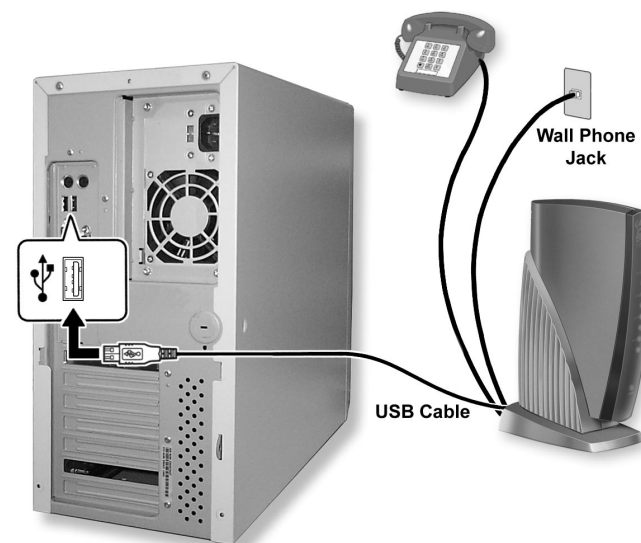
1. Rest the modem on its side. Locate the two phone cord jacks toward the center of the bottom panel. These jacks are interchangeable when connecting the modem to a wall jack and a phone. Plug one end of a phone cord into one of the jacks and the other end to the phone jack located on the wall. If you wish to use your modem and phone through the same wall phone jack, plug the cord from your phone into the remaining jack on the modem.



Note: You can not use the phone and the modem at the same time if they share the same phone line.

2. Return the modem right side up and feed the phone cables through the back of its base.
3. Power on your computer.
4. Locate an available USB port on your computer and connect it with the USB cable on the back of the modem. This port is usually located on the back of your system. If you are not familiar with the location of the USB ports on your computer, please refer to your systems "Owner's Guide" for detailed instructions.

Note: The Viking Components USB modem must be connected to a USB port on your computer or to a powered USB hub.



Your hardware setup is now complete. To complete the setup of your modem, please proceed to the section "Software Installation" in this guide.

SOFTWARE INSTALLATION

Windows 95 (OSR2) Software

1. You will be prompted with the "New Hardware Found" message. Click on the "OK" button.
2. The "Update Device Wizard" window will appear. The device found should read: "Unknown Device." With the "Viking USB Modem Installation Disk" still in the floppy drive, click on the "Next" button.

Note: If the diskette was not included or lost, the drivers can be downloaded from our Web site at: www.vikingcomponents.com

3. Your system will retrieve the necessary drives off the driver diskette. Note that the "Device Found" has changed from "Unknown Device" to the "Viking USB Modem Board." Then click on the "Finish" button.

4. You will be asked to insert the "Viking USB Modem Installation Disk." In the "Copy Files From" field, type: **A:** and then click on the "OK" button. The remaining drivers will be loaded automatically. Your installation is now complete.

Windows 98 Software

1. You will be prompted with the "New Hardware Found" message. Then "Add New Hardware Wizard" window will appear. A message in the window will read "This wizard searches for new drivers for: V.90/K56flex USB MODEM." Click on the "Next" button.

2. A new message inside the "Add New Hardware Wizard" window will read "What do you want Windows to do?" Select "Search for the best driver for your device. (Recommended)." Then click on the "Next" button.

3. The next message that should appear in the "Add New Hardware Wizard" is "Windows will search for new drivers in its driver database on your hard drive, and in any of the following selected locations. Click Next to start the search." Select "Floppy disk drives." With the "Viking USB Modem Installation Disk" still in the floppy drive, click on the "Next" button.

Note: If the diskette was not included or lost, the drivers can be downloaded from our Web site at: www.vikingcomponents.com

4. The next message should read "Windows driver file search for the device: Viking USB Modem Board." The bottom of the window will show your drive A:\ or diskette drive as the location of the modems driver. The "Location of driver" should read, "A:\USBMODEM.INF." Click on the "Next" button.

5. The final message in the "Add New Hardware Wizard" should show your new Viking modem "Viking USB Modem Board" at the top. A message "Windows has finished installing the software that your new hardware device requires" should also appear. Click on the "Finish" button.

Your installation is now complete.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The following information can be found in the supplied Viking "User's Guide": software installation (with screen shoots), specifications, requirements, technical notes, USB basics, basic troubleshooting, basic AT Commands, modem drivers, firmware upgrades, contacting technical support, communication regulations and warranty.



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