



## A10012 rinLINK

### Optical link for a Temporary Serial Connection

#### Description:

The rinLINK provides an optical serial connection onto the front of an indicator or remote (R400, R300, X320, D300, D640 and D740) and a USB connection to your computer.

#### Driver Installation:

When using a USB rinLINK for the first time on a PC, the driver will have to be loaded. The driver is located in

- The Rinstrum Support Page <http://www.rinstrum.com/support.php>

Connect the USB end of rinLINK to PC and optical head to unit for connection.

The serial connection can now be used to:

- Reflash the unit with new firmware (refer to manual R000-613)
- Provide a connection to the PC running Viewer (refer to R000-612 Viewer Manual) for quick indicator configuration – both rinLINK and Viewer software is in the download section
- [View300 \(www.rinstrum.com/product.php?id=61\)](http://www.rinstrum.com/product.php?id=61)
- [View400 \(www.rinstrum.com/product.php?id=49\)](http://www.rinstrum.com/product.php?id=49)

#### Driver Support:

The current rinLINK drivers will support the following Windows operating systems both 32bit and 64bit:

- Windows XP SP2 and above
- Windows Vista
- Windows 7
- Windows 8 and 8.1
- Windows 10

Note for Windows 8, 8.1 and 10 operating systems:

The older XA chipset in the rinLINK is not supported by Windows 8, 8.1 or 10.

When using an older device you will get a Windows Error code 10, this is hardware issue not a driver fault. It is recommended upgrading your rinLINK to the new TA chipset rinLINK.

The TA chipset rinLINK can be distinguished by the short heat shrink sheath over the cable exiting the rinLINK magnetic head as shown.

