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# MODEL E58-CIFQ2 **USB-Serial Conversion Cable**

# **INSTRUCTION MANUAL**

Thank you for purchasing this E58-CIFQ2. This INSTRUCTION MANUAL describes the information such as function, performance, and how to use the product required for using the E58-CIFQ2.

For using this product, please follow keep the precautions as shown in the following: Please operate this product by the qualified specialist having the electrical know

- · Read this instruction manual with enough, and use the product correctly with
- enough understanding
- Keep this instruction manual close at hand and use it for reference during opera-

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# **Safety Precautions**

### Key to Warning Symbols

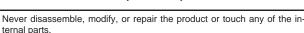


Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury or in property damage.

### Warning Symbols

# **⚠** CAUTION

Do not use any devices or cables that show signs of damage. Minor electric shock or fire may occasionally occur



Minor electric shock, fire, or malfunction may occasionally occur

Do not allow metal particles or wires to enter the connector. Minor electric shock, fire, or malfunction may occasionally occur



Keep the connector pins free of dust and dirt. Fire may occasionally occur.

### **Precautions for Safety Use**

- 1) Be sure to check the orientation of the connector before connecting it. Do not force the connector if it cannot be inserted easily. Doing so may result in damage.
- 2) Do not place heavy objects on top of the USB-Serial Conversion Cable, bend the Cable beyond its natural bending limit, or pull on the Cable.
- 3) Do not connect or disconnect the USB-Serial Conversion Cable during communications. Doing so will cause malfunction or failure.
- 4) Allow as much space as possible between the controller and devices that generate a powerful high-frequency or surge.
- 5) Use this product within the rated load and power supply
- 6) Make sure that the device's metal components are not touching the external power
- 7) Do not touch the connectors with wet hands. Electric shock may occur.
- 8) Noise may enter on the Cable, possibly causing equipment malfunctions. Do not leave the USB-Serial Conversion Cable connected constantly to the equipment.
- 9) Make sure that the indicators on the Temperature Controller are operating properly Depending on the application conditions, deterioration in the connectors and cable may be accelerated, and normal communications may become impossible Perform periodic inspection and replacement.
- 0) Do not use this product in the following places.
- Places directly subject to heat radiated from heating equipment.
- Places subject to splashing liquid or oil atmosphere
- Places subject to strong light, such as direct sunlight, fluorescent light, or incandescent light
- Places subject to dust or corrosive gas (in particular, sulfide gas and ammonia gas). Places subject to intense temperature change.
- Places subject to icing and condensation.
- Places subject to vibration and large shocks.
- ) Use/store within the rated temperature and humidity ranges.
- 12) The disk included with the product is designed for a personal computer CD-ROM drive. Never attempt to play the disk in a general-purpose audio player.
- 13) The personal computer requires time to recognize the cable connection after the USB connector is connected to the personal computer. This delay does not indicate failure. Check the COM port number before starting communications
- 4) The USB-Serial Conversion Cable may malfunction. Do not connect to a personal computer through a USB hub.
- 15) The USB-Serial Conversion Cable may malfunction. Do not extend the USB cable with an extension cable to connect to the personal computer.
- 16) Do not use paint thinner or similar chemical to clean with. Use standard grade

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### **Specifications**

DC 5V

450 mA max.

RH10 to 80 %

Personal computer : USB (type A plug)

Bus power (see note.)

Temperature Controller: Special serial connector

4.7 ± 0.2 VDC (Supplied from USB-Serial Con-

version Cable to the Temperature Controller.)

250 mA max. (Supplied from USB-Serial Con-

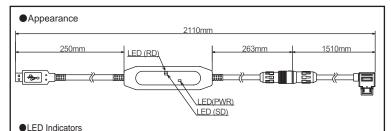
version Cable to the Temperature Controller.)

0 to 55 °C (Avoid freezing or condensation)

- ■Compatible Operating Systems
- Windows XP/Vista/7/8 ● Compatible Software Applications CX-Thermo ThermoMini E5□C Series E5CB Series Compatible models
- USB Interface rating Conforms to USB Specification 2.0 DTE speed 38400 hps
- ●Connector specifications
- Power supply Power supply voltage
- Current consumption Output voltage
- Output current
- Ambient temperature Ambient humidity
- Storage temperature
- -20 to 60 °C (Avoid freezing or condensation) Storage humidity RH10 to 80 % Altitude Max 2 000 m Weight Approx.120 a

Note: A high-power port is used for the USB port.

# Appearance and Component Names —



Indicators	Color	Status	Description
PWR	Green	Flashing	USB bus power is being supplied.
		OFF	USB bus power is not being supplied.
SD	Yellow	Flashing	Data is being sent from the USB-Serial Conversion Cable.
		OFF	Data is not being sent from the USB-Serial Conversion Cable.
RD	Yellow	Flashing	The USB-Serial Conversion Cable is receiving data.
		OFF	The USB-Serial Conversion Cable is not receiving data.

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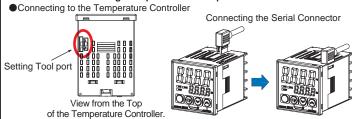
# ■Usage Methods

When the USB-Serial Conversion Cable is connected to the Temperature Controller, the following operations are possible even if the power supply to the Temperature Controller is not turned ON.

- · Setting up the Temperature Controller from the personal computer (Special software is required.)
- · Changing settings by using key operations on the Temperature Controller
- Displaying the present temperature on the Temperature Controller The control outputs and alarm outputs from the Temperature Controller will not operate unless the power supply to the Temperature Controller is turned ON. The following procedure is used to connect the Temperature Controller and personal computer with a USB-Serial Conversion Cable.

. Connect the Temperature Controller and personal computer as described below. The USB-Serial Conversion Cable communicates with the USB port on the personal computer as a virtual COM port.

1. Connect one end of the cable to the personal computer's USB port and the other end to the Setting Tool port on the Temperature Controller



Note: Hold the connector securely when connecting or disconnecting the cable.

### 2. Obtaining the Driver

When the CX-Thermo or ThermoMini Support Software for the Temperature Controller is installed, the driver for the USB-Serial Conversion Cable will be copied to the follow-

C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\USB\E58-CIF

Note: ThermoMini can also be downloaded from the following OMRON website. The driver is included in ThermoMini. http://www.omron-compo.com/tm2/

Install the driver to enable using the E58-CIFQ2 USB-Serial Conversion Cable with the personal computer.

When the cable is connected to the personal computer, the operating system will detect the E58-CIFQ2 as a new device. Install the driver according to the prompts

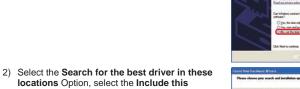
- Note1: OMRON recommends installing the driver separately for each USB port when using the E58-CIFQ2 for the first time. The E58-CIFQ2 will be assigned a COM port number for each USB port of the personal computer. The same COM port number can be used even if a different cable is connected to the USB port.
- Note2: If installation is cancelled before it has been completed, the driver will not be completely installed, which will result in abnormal communications. If this occurs, uninstall the driver and then reinstall the driver correctly

### Using Windows XP

1) Insert the E58-CIFQ2 USB-Serial Conversion Cable into the USB port of the personal computer. The "Welcome to the Found New Hardware" Wizard" will start. Select Install from a list or specific location (Advanced) and click the Next Button



If you are using Windows XP Service Pack 2 or Windows XP Service Pack 3, please select No. not this time and click the Next Button.



3) If the message "The software you are installing for this hardware has not passed Windows Logo testing to verify its compatibility with Windows XP" is displayed, ignore it and click

location in the search Check Box, and click

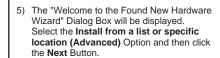
Select C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\

USB\E58-CIF and then click the Next Button.

the Browse Button

4) The "Completing the Found New Hardware Wizard" Dialog Box will be displayed. Click the Finish Button.

the Continue Anyway Button.



If you are using Windows XP Service Pack 2 or Windows XP Service Pack 3, please select No, not this time and click the Next Button.

6) Select the Search for the best driver in these locations Option, select the Include this location in the search Check Box, and click the Browse Button Select C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\

USB\E58-CIF and click the Next Button.

7) If the message "The software you are installing for this hardware has not passed Windows Logo testing to verify its compatibility with Windows XP" is displayed, ignore it and click the Continue Anyway Button















8) The "Completing the Found New Hardware Wizard" Dialog Box will be displayed. Click the Finish Button to complete installation.



When the installation is finished, a COM port number will be allocated automatically To see that COM port number has been allocated, use Confirming Automatically **Assigned COM Port Number** 

### Using Windows Vista

1) Insert the E58-CIFQ2 USB-Serial Conversion Cable into the USB port of the personal computer. The "Found New Hardware" Dialog Box will be displayed. Select Locate and install driver software (recommended)



2) In the "Found New Hardware" Dialog Box, select I don't have the disc. Show me other



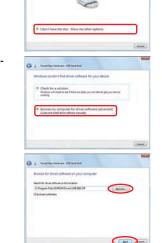
3) Select Browse my computer for driver software (advanced)

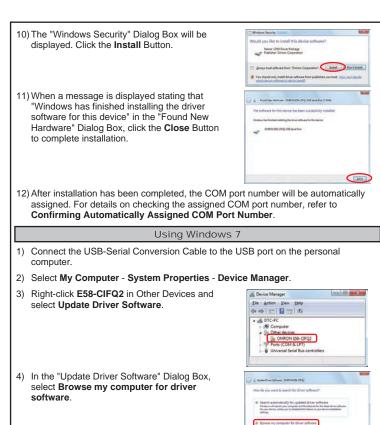


Click the Browse Button, select C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\USB\ E58-CIF, and then click the Next Button.



- 5) The "Windows Security" Dialog Box will be displayed Click the Install Button
- 6) When a message is displayed stating that "Windows has finished installing the driver software for this device" in the "Found New Hardware" Dialog Box, click the Close Button
- In the "Found New Hardware" Dialog Box. select I don't have the disc. Show me other
- 8) Select Browse my computer for driver software (advanced)
- 9) Click the Browse Button, select C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\USB\ E58-CIF, and then click the Next Button.





5) Click the **Browse** Button, select

C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\USB\

E58-CIF, and then click the Next Button.

6) The "Windows Security" Dialog Box will

be displayed. Click the Install Button.

7) When a message in the "Update Driver

click the Close Button.

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Software" Dialog Box says "Windows has

successfully updated your driver software".

8) Right-click USB Serial Port in Other Devices

in the "Device Manager" Dialog Box and

9) In the "Update Driver Software" Dialog Box,

select Browse my computer for driver

C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\USB\

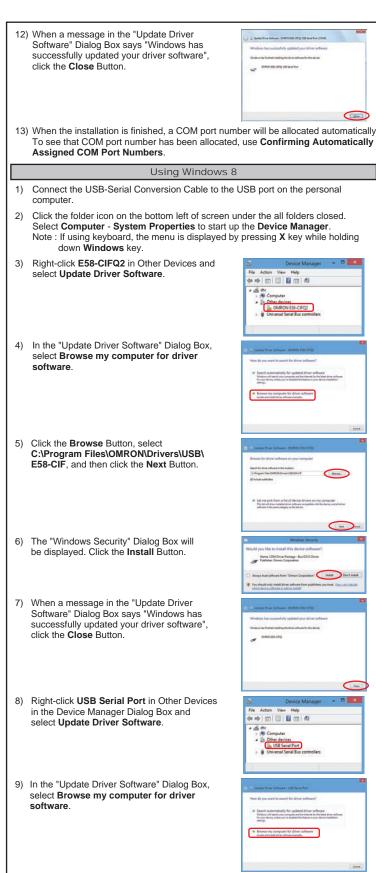
E58-CIF, and then click the Next Button.

11) The "Windows Security" Dialog Box will be

displayed. Click the Install Button

select Update Driver Software.

0) Click the **Browse** Button, select



Desir. The David mon" (mad) Don't hale o B X di Device Manager 10) Click the Browse Button, select C:\Program Files\OMRON\Drivers\USB\ E58-CIF, and then click the Next Button. 11) The "Windows Security" Dialog Box will be displayed Click the Install Button on "Ormon Corporation". Install Bon't Install

12) When a message in the "Update Driver Software" Dialog Box says "Windows has successfully updated your driver software", click the Close Button. Windows key.

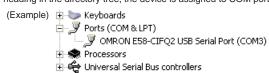


- 13) When the installation is finished, a COM port number will be allocated automatically To see that COM port number has been allocated, use Confirming Automatically Assigned COM Port Numbers
- 4. Confirming Automatically Assigned COM Port Numbers

### Using Windows XP

Select My Computer - View System Information to display the System Properties Window. Click the Hardware Tab and then click the Device Manager Button. Select **Devices by Type** from the View Menu.

For example, if "OMRON E58-CIFQ2 USB Serial Port (COM3)" is displayed under the "Ports (COM & LPT)" heading in the directory tree, the device is assigned to COM port 3



### Using Windows Vista / 7

Select Computer - System Properties to display the Device Manager For example, if "OMRON E58-CIFQ2 USB Serial Port (COM4)" is displayed under the "Ports (COM & LPT)" heading in the directory tree, the device is assigned to COM port 4



### Using Windows 8

Click the folder icon on the bottom left of screen under the all folders closed Select Computer - System Properties to start up the Device Manager Note: If using keyboard, the menu is displayed by pressing X key while holding down

For example, if "OMRON E58-CIFQ2 USB Serial Port (COM3)" is displayed under the "Ports (COM & LPT)" heading in the directory tree, the device is assigned to COM port 3



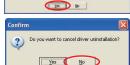
5. In the software communications settings, select the COM port number that was confirmed in the device manager and then start communications.

# ■Uninstalling the Driver

## Using Windows XP

- 1) Double-click FTClean.exe to start "FTDI Clean Utility V1.0". FTClean.exe is included in the E58-CIF driver.
- 2) "FTDI Clean Utility V1.0" has started, set the "VID (HEX)" Field to Other and enter 0590 in the field onthe right, and 00A0 in the "PID (HEX)" Field. Click the Clean System Button.
- 3) When the "Information" Dialog Box is displayed, disconnect the E58-CIFQ2 USB-Serial Conversion Cable from the computer and click the OK Button.
- 4) When the "Confirm" Dialog Box is displayed with a message "You are about to uninstall all FTDI drivers...", click the Yes Button.
- 5) When the "Confirm" Dialog Box is displayed with a message "Do you want to cancel driver uninstallation?", click the **No** Button.
- 6) Check that the "FTDI Clean Utility V1.0" displays "Status: System clean completed". Click the Exit Button to complete







### Using Windows Vista / 7 / 8

- 1) Insert the E58-CIFQ2 USB-Serial Conversion Cable into the USB port of the personal computer
- 2) Start up Device Manager
- 3) Right-click the **OMRON E58-CIFQ2 USB Serial Port (COM**□**)** under the "Ports (COM & LPT)", and select Uninstall.
- 4) The "Comfirm Device Uninstall" Dialog Box will start. Select Delete the driver software for this device, and click the OK Button.



- 5) Right-click **OMRON E58-CIFQ2** in the Universal Serial Bus Controllers, and select
- 6) The "Comfirm Device Uninstall" Dialog Box will start. Select Delete the driver software for this device, and click the OK Button.



# Suitability for Use

OMRON shall not be responsible for conformity with any standards, codes, or regulations that apply to the combination of the products in the customer's application or use

Take all necessary steps to determine the suitability of the product for the systems, machines, and equipment with which it will be used.

Know and observe all prohibitions of use applicable to this product

NEVER USE THE PRODUCTS FOR AN APPLICATION INVOLVING SERIOUS RISK TO LIFE OR PROPERTY WITHOUT ENSURING THAT THE SYSTEM AS A WHOLE HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO ADDRESS THE RISKS, AND THAT THE OMRON PROD-UCT IS PROPERLY RATED AND INSTALLED FOR THE INTENDED USE WITHIN THE OVERALL EQUIPMENT OR SYSTEM.

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