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4 port PCI 1394a FireWire Card - 3 External 1 Internal

PCI1394MP



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Introduction

Thank you for purchasing a StarTech.com PCI FireWire card. This card allows you to instantly connect your video camera, image scanner, digital still camera, or any other IEEE-1394 FireWire device to your PC and is perfect for experienced users who are looking for a no-nonsense way to add FireWire to their computers.

Features

- Compatible with most digital video camcorders including Sony, Canon, Panasonic, JVC, Samsung, and others
- · Supports hard disk drives, DVD drives, CD-R/RW drives, printers, and more
- · Data transfer rates up to 400 Mbits/sec.
- · Allows the connection of internal FireWire peripherals

System Requirements

- One available PCI slot
- Microsoft[®] Windows[®] 2000/ XP(32/64-bit)/ Server 2003(32/64-bit)/ Vista(32/64-bit)/ 7(32/64-bit), or Linux[®], or Apple[®] Mac OS[®] 8.6 and up

Packaging Contents

- 1 x PCI FireWire card
- 1 x Low Profile Bracket
- 1 x Instruction Manual



Installation



WARNING! PCI cards, like all computer equipment, can be severely damaged by static electricity. Be sure that you are properly grounded before opening your computer case or touching your PCI card. StarTech. com recommends that you wear an anti-static strap when installing any computer component. If an anti-static strap is unavailable, discharge yourself of any static electricity build-up by touching a large grounded metal surface (such as the computer case) for several seconds. Also be careful to handle the PCI card by its edges and not the gold connectors.

Hardware Installation

- 1. Make sure that your system is unplugged and you are grounded.
- Remove the cover of your system (see your computer's user manual for details, if necessary) and gently turn your computer onto its side.
- Locate an empty PCI slot (usually white in color) and remove the metal plate that covers the rear bracket. You may need a Phillips screwdriver to perform this step.
 Retain this screw! You will need it to secure the card later.
- 4. Gently insert the PCI card into the empty slot, making sure it is firmly seated.
- 5. Secure the card in place using the screw you removed in Step 3.
- 6. Put the computer case back on.

Driver Installation

Once you have connected your FireWire card, the next time you turn on your computer Windows will automatically detect that you have installed new hardware. Follow the instructions below to install the required software drivers.

Windows 2000

Windows 2000 will automatically locate and install the required drivers.

Windows XP

Windows XP will automatically locate and install the required drivers.

Verifying Your Installation

Windows 2000/XP

- 1. Go to Start > Settings > Control Panel.
- 2. Double click System.
- 3. Click the Hardware tab and choose Device Manager.
- 4. If the card does not appear with a red x or yellow exclamation point (!) next to it, Windows has not detected a problem with the installation and the card should function normally.



Specifications

Host Interface	32-bit PCl v2.1 (5V)
Form Factor	Full/ Low Profile
Chipset	Texas Instruments TI-TSB12LV26
Connectors	4 x 6-pin FireWire Female (1 internal, 3 external)
Supported Standards	IEEE-1394/ IEEE-1394A (FireWire 400)
Maximum Data Transfer Rate	400 Mbits/sec.
Compatible Operating Systems	Windows 2000/ XP(32/64-bit)/ Server 2003(32/64-bit)/ Vista(32/64-bit)/ 7(32/64- bit), Linux, Mac OS 8.6 and up



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