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Quick Start Guide: HOBO® System Setup using Keyspan USB Server

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• Onset Part No: SERVER-US-4 Keyspan USB Server

#### Introduction

Thank you for your purchase. This guide provides a quick reference to the steps needed to use the Keyspan USB server (Onset Part No: SERVER-US-4) contained in this box with HOBO data loggers and HOBOware<sup>®</sup> software. Please refer to other documentation as noted in this guide for additional information.

### Step 1: Load Keyspan Server Software:

In preparation for installing the Keyspan software you should refer to the "*Keyspan USB Server Quick Start*" instruction sheet included in this box and follow the four installation steps. In Step 3 of the Keyspan instruction sheet, connect up to four loggers to the USB ports on the Keyspan server via Onset Part No. CABLE-USBMB or equivalent.

**Note:** If your network uses static IP addresses, ask your Network Administrator to assign an address for each USB server you will connect. If operating in Windows<sup>®</sup>, you may need to temporarily disconnect its firewall in order to configure the server (remember to turn the firewall back on afterwards). In order to install the Keyspan software on Windows 2000 or XP, you must have administrator privileges. If you do not have administrator privileges, or you are not sure if you have them, you will need the assistance of your Systems Administrator. Refer to the Networking section in the Keyspan USB Server user manual for more information.

Run Keyspan USB Server application, and make sure the loggers you want to monitor are "Connected" by clicking the "*Action*" button next to the logger description on the "*Keyspan Utility*" screen. The green "*Available*" symbol should turn to red and also "*Connected*" will appear. In some cases, you may need to use the "*Found New Hardware Wizard*" to add each logger as it is detected. In these cases, just follow the prompts.

#### Step 2: Load HOBOware Software:

Insert the HOBOware CD into your computer's CD-ROM drive. The installation program should start automatically. If not, refer to page 1 (*Getting started*) of the printed HOBOware software user's guide for further instructions. Follow the prompts to complete the installation and launching of HOBOware. Download updates if so indicated.

## Step 3: Launch the logger(s):

In HOBOware, click the "*Launch device*" icon  $\square$  on the toolbar. The "*Select Logger*" screen will appear and list the loggers that are connected to the Keyspan server(s) as if they were connected directly to your computer. Select a logger that you wish to launch from the list and then click '*OK*'. Input the desired launch parameters on the "*Launch Logger*" screen that appears next and then click "*Launch*" to begin logging. Repeat process until all loggers that you wish to launch have been launched.

You will now also be able to readout and check status of loggers. Refer to the appropriate help sections in the HOBOware software user's guide for other instructions and user features.

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