



***USB to Serial Cable  
Installation Guide  
for Microsoft® Windows® XP***

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## Follow these easy steps to install the USB to serial cable:

**Caution:** You must install the USB to serial driver BEFORE the PC Loader software can be used.

### Step 1

- ◆ Insert the USB to serial cable into a spare USB slot in your PC.
- ◆ The following message bubble will appear on the task bar:



- ◆ Next, the following Wizard is activated:



- ◆ Insert the driver CD supplied then click 'Next'. The Wizard will locate the CD and automatically search through to find and install the necessary drivers for the cable to work. The following window will appear once the drivers have been installed:



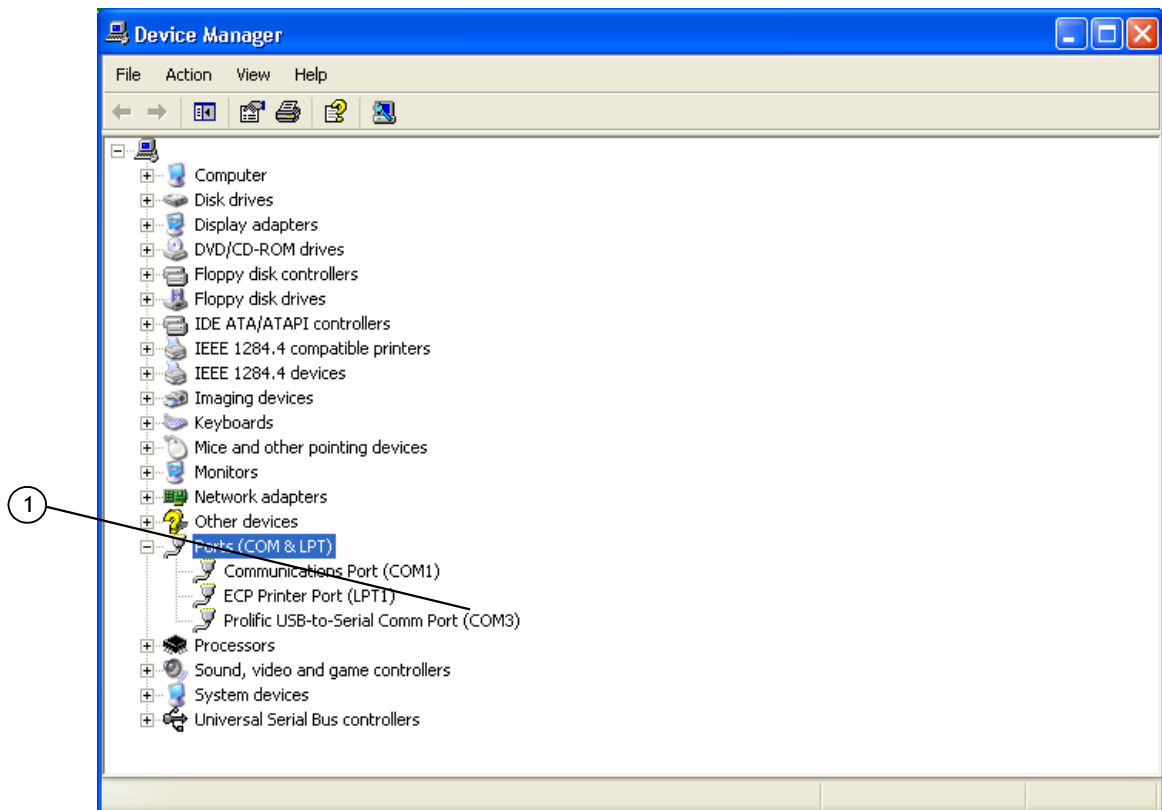
- ◆ Click 'Finish' and restart your PC.

## Step 2

◆ Once you have restarted your PC, click on the following selections:

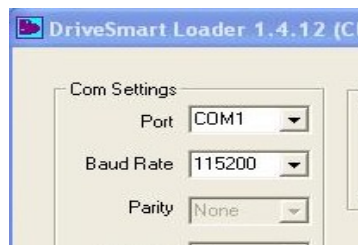
- ◆ Start button (bottom left-hand corner)
- ◆ Control Panel
- ◆ Performance & Maintenance
- ◆ System
- ◆ Hardware
- ◆ Device Manager
- ◆ Ports (Com & LPT)

Make a note of the Com Port number for the device 'Prolific USB to Serial' within this section:



◆ Run the DriveSmart PC Loader software on your PC and change the Com Port to match the number shown in your PC's Device Manager.

◆ Ensure that the Baud Rate is set to 115200 - the system maximum for most modern PCs.



**Note:** If you are using Microsoft® Windows® 95 or 98, the Windows® USB drivers may or may not work, this is due to conflicts with Windows® itself. If this happens on your PC contact DriveSmart and we will send you an appropriate serial cable for your PC free of charge.