Getting Started

Thank you for purchasing the Compaq iPAQ Connection Point CP-2E. The Connection Point is designed to easily connect your PC’s to the Internet and each other using fast Ethernet technology. You can share a single Cable or DSL Internet connection throughout your home or small office. You may also share files, printers, music, images and play head-to-head games while protected behind the Connection Point’s built-in firewall.

This Quick Setup Guide will lead you through initial installation and setup of your Connection Point. The guide assumes you will be installing Connection Point between your Cable or DSL Modem and a PC with an Ethernet adapter.

Please ensure you have the following before continuing with this Guide:

- External Cable or DSL Modem with an RJ45 Ethernet port
- Ethernet Adapter properly installed in your PC
- CD Drive on your PC
- Microsoft Windows 98 or higher
- Web Browser: Internet Explorer 4.0 or higher, Netscape Navigator 6.0 or higher or MSN Explorer

Connection Point items:

- iPAQ Connection Point CP-2E
- Power Adapter
- 10 ft Ethernet Cable
- Utility CD including User Guide
- Limited Warranty Information

Note: If you are running Internet sharing software on this PC, it must be removed now in order for Connection Point to operate properly. Consult your Internet connection sharing software’s documentation for removal.

Install Hardware

1. Power down Cable or DSL modem. Disconnect existing Ethernet cable from PC.
   - Connect to the CP-2E port labeled “Internet”.
   - Power on Cable or DSL Modem.

2. Install Hardware
   - Connect one end of the supplied Ethernet cable to the CP-2E port labeled “1” and the other end to the existing Ethernet port on your PC.
   - Plug in Connection Point power adapter.

The Power LED and LAN 1 Link light on the front panel should turn on immediately. Other LED’s may turn on as well.

PC Client Setup

Windows XP Setup

3. PC Client Setup
   - Windows XP automatically configures itself to connect to CP-2E. If you are having problems connecting to the network, verify the client setup by following the steps below:
   - From the taskbar, select Start > Control Panel. Double-click the Network Connections icon. Double-click the icon for the individual connection you wish to configure. Click Properties.
   - Select Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) from the list.
   - Click Properties.
   - Click the Obtain an IP address automatically radio button. Click the Obtain DNS server address automatically radio button. Click OK. The Network Connection Properties window is displayed. Click OK.
In the list of installed network components on the Configuration tab, double-click TCP/IP. If more than one TCP/IP entry is listed, select the entry for the network adapter you will use to connect to the Connection Point CP-2E. The TCP/IP Properties window is displayed.

From the taskbar, select Start > Settings > Control Panel. Double-click the Network icon. The Network window is displayed.

Click the IP Address tab. Click the Obtain an IP address automatically radio button. Click OK. The Network window is displayed again. Click OK. Restart the PC to complete the process.

Note: You must restart your PC before continuing, even if you are not prompted to reboot.

Finish Installation

Load CD into CD-ROM.

Choose “Install Firmware Update Utility” and follow the wizard instructions. This utility will be used for emergency system recovery.

Choose Product Registration. Register your Connection Point for complete product support.

Congratulations! Your Connection Point is installed and functioning. It is providing firewall protection to your home or small office network as you share Internet access, files, printers, music, images and play head-to-head games. Please consult the User Guide to bring additional clients onto your network.

For Connection Point support see the trouble shooting portion of the User Guide or visit www.compaq.com/support/files.