Installing ProfiCore Ultra drivers on WINDOWS 8

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1 Scope

1.1 General

In MS WINDOWS 8 the drivers for the ProfiCore Ultra are not correct installed automatically. After the installation of ProfiTrace and connecting the ProfiCore Ultra the drivers must be installed manually.

The current drivers for the ProfiCore Ultra are not digitally signed. For previous versions of MS WINDOWS this was not necessary. This document describes how to install unsigned ProfiCore Ultra drivers on a MS WINDOWS 8 platform. Without the correct installation of these drivers ProfiTrace will not work.

This document is written based on the English version of MS WINDOWS 8.

This document does not apply for MS WINDOWS 8 RT.
2 Preparation

Before installation of the ProfiCore Ultra driver can start several steps need to be taken. These steps are described in this paragraph.

Step 1: Install ProfiTrace including ProfiCore Ultra USB drivers.

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Step 5: Select “General” and click “Restart now”.

Step 6: Click “Troubleshoot”.

Step 7: Click “Advanced options”.
Step 8: Click “Startup Settings”.

Step 9: Click “Restart”.

Step 10: Press the “7” key on the keyboard.
3 Installing the driver

After the preparations of the previous paragraph are done and the system is restarted the driver for the ProfiCore Ultra can be installed. This paragraph describes the steps to install the ProfiCore Ultra driver.

Step 1: Move the mouse pointer to the upper-right corner and click “Start”.

Step 2: Open the file-explorer, Select “Computer” and press the right mouse button, Click “Properties”.
Step 3: Open the device manager by clicking “Device Manager”.

Step 4: Select in “Other devices”, “ProfiCore Ultra”, Click the right mouse button and click “Update Driver Software”.
Step 5: Click “Browse my computer for driver software”.

Step 6: Browse to the map where the ProfiCore Ultra drivers can be found (normally c:\Program Files (x86)\ProfiTrace_V2_7\ProfiCore_Ultra_USB_Driver\Drivers). Then Click the “Next” button.
Step 7: Click “Install this driver software anyway”

Step 8: When the driver is successfully installed click “Close”.

The ProfiCore Ultra drivers are now installed.