DI-71x Ethernet Installation to a DHCP Network Problems and Resolutions for Windows 2000 and XP

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Symptoms

While installing WinDaq for your DI-71x Ethernet device on a **DHCP** network you encounter the following message:

"No DATAQ Instruments Devices Found"

Note: On a DHCP network an IP address is automatically assigned to your device every time it is powered up. On a static network you must manually assign the device an IP address. Check with your network administrator if you are unsure of your network configuration (DHCP or Static).

Cause

This could be the result of one or more of the following:

Outdated installation software The DI-71x has been assigned a static ip address Network broadcasts are blocked (firewall settings)

Resolution

To resolve these issues follow the steps below.

Verify that your WinDaq Resource CD is dated September 2005 or later

If your WinDaq Resource CD is dated earlier than September 2005 download the latest revision of WinDaq at: http://www.dataq.com/support/upgrades/record/g12level2.php.



Run the WinDaq installation program. Did WinDaq install properly? If not proceed to the next step.

Set your DI-71x to DHCP

Make sure your DI-71x is set as a DHCP device.

1. Click the "Add IP" button in the "No Devices Found" window.



2. Select your DI-71x (the MAC address of the instrument is located on the bottom of the device) from the "Manage IP Addresses" dialog box and click the "Set DHCP" button.

3	Manage IP Addresses	
	MAC Address IP /	Address
	10.20.44.04.00.02	2.100.0.120
	New IP Address: 192 168	0
	Set Static Set DHCP	Add Remote Cancel

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Verify Firewall Settings

You must be able to send and receive data over your local area network in order to install and run WinDaq for your DI-71x Ethernet device.

We require and use the following ports:

These ports cannot be blocked for TCP or UDP. Check with your IT department to verify that network broadcasts are not blocked for these ports.

Also, make sure that your Windows firewall does not block the WinDaq Installation Manager.

1. Double-click on "Security Center" in the Windows "Control Panel."

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2. Under "Manage security settings for:" select "Windows Firewall."

💔 Windows Security Center			
		Security Center Help protect your PC	
Resources (*)	Virus Protection		
 Get the latest security and virus information from Microsoft Check for the latest updates from Windows Update 	You've told us you're using antivirus software that you will monitor yourself. To help protect your computer against viruses and other security threats, make sure that your antivirus software is turned on and is up to date. <u>How does antivirus software help protect</u> my computer?		
Get support for security-related Manage security settings for:			
Get help about Security Center	🐴 Automatic Updates 😡 Int	ternet Options	
Change the way Security Center alerts me	Windows Firewall	~	
At Microsoft, we care about your privacy. I	Please read our <u>privacy statement</u> .	>	



3. Select the "Exceptions" tab from the "Windows Firewall" window and make sure that "InstallManager" is checked.

🖗 Windows Firewall 🛛 🛛 🔀				
General Exceptions Advanced				
Windows Firewall is blocking incoming network connections, except for the programs and services selected below. Adding exceptions allows some programs to work better but might increase your security risk.				
Name				
☑ Debug710				
☑ Debug710				
☑ File and Printer Sharing				
✓ Firefox				
HardwareManager				
✓ InstallManager				
☑ IP Manager				
Remote Assistance				
Add Program Add Port <u>E</u> dit <u>D</u> elete				
Display a notification when Windows Firewall blocks a program				
What are the risks of allowing exceptions?				
OK Cancel				

Run the WinDaq installation program. Did WinDaq install properly? If not proceed to the next step.

Create a Debug710.log file

The Debug710.log file will provide information pertinent to your installation issue. The support staff at DATAQ Instruments will review the Debug710.log file and reply via phone or email with a solution.

1. Right-click on the shortcut that you use to run the DATAQ Instruments Hardware Manager and select "Properties" (default is *Start* > *Programs* > *WINDAQ* > *Dataq Instruments Hardware Manager*).

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2. Add the word *debug* to the end of the "Target:" line.



- 3. Run the DATAQ Instruments Hardware Manager. This will generate a debug710.log file in the directory where WinDaq is installed.
- 4. Email the Debug710.log file along with a description of the problem to support@dataq.com.

Applies To

All DI-71x Ethernet devices being installed under Windows 2000 or XP