



# Extend USB MIDI

## Optional Accessories



CAT-5 Cables

## USB MIDI Extender

### Extends any USB device up to 150 feet away from the computer.

The USB MIDI extender extends any USB device up to 150 feet from the location of your computer, eliminating the 16 feet distance limitation of USB. The USB MIDI sender and receiver units use one CAT-5 cable for extension. It is optimized for applications where two devices, such as the keyboard and mouse, must be operated remotely. The USB MIDI extender can even be used to extend surveillance cameras for security purposes. The USB MIDI Extender extends any MIDI device.

### How It Works

The USB MIDI extender sender unit is connected to the computer using the supplied USB cable. The remote peripheral(s) are connected to the receiver unit. A category-5 (CAT-5) cable is used to link the sender to the receiver.

### Features:

- Extends any USB device up to 150 feet (45 meters) using CAT-5 cable
- Requires no external power adapter
- Provides support for any full-speed 12 Mb/s or low-speed 1.5Mb/s USB device
- Use either PC or Mac with USB keyboard/mouse
- Ideal for USB MIDI interface devices

### Specifications:

- USB device support: full-speed 12 Mb/s Low-speed 1.5 Mb/s
- USB Input Connectors: type B
- USB Output Connectors: type A
- Link Connector: RJ-45
- Shipping Weight: 2 lbs.

### Package Includes:

- USB MIDI extender send unit
- USB MIDI extender receive unit
- 6.6' USB cable (A-B)
- User Manual



EXT-USB-MIDI



**USB MIDI  
Extender  
USER MANUAL**

## ASKING FOR ASSISTANCE

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# INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for purchasing the USB MIDI Extender. Extending your USB peripherals (i.e. computer keyboard, mouse or trackball) up to 150 feet away from the location of your Macintosh or PC computer are done easily with the USB MIDI Extender.

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## NOTES

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### READ THESE NOTES AND FEATURES BEFORE INSTALLING OR OPERATING THE USB MIDI EXTENDER.

- The USB MIDI sender and receiver were designed to operate on USB enabled computers and systems. **DO NOT** attempt to use this equipment with any other type of computer.
- Only dedicated Category 5 UTP type cable (CAT-5) is recommended for this application (pin to pin). Shielded CAT-5 cables are recommended for long distances to protect your signal from EMI.
- The length of cable used to connect the USB MIDI Extender **MUST NOT EXCEED** 150

## FEATURES

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## USB MIDI EXTENDER INSTALLATION

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1. Place the USB MIDI Receiver unit close to the USB devices at the remote end.
2. Connect the USB devices to the USB MIDI Receiver unit.
3. Place the USB MIDI Sender unit close to the host computer.
4. Connect the USB MIDI Sender unit to the USB MIDI Receiver unit using the desired length of CAT5 cable.
5. Connect the USB•100S unit to the host computer using the USB cable supplied with the unit. **This connection should be made last.**

## PANEL DESCRIPTION

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USB cable connects to computer



Reciever

Sender



# LINK CABLE - WIRING DIAGRAM

**RJ-45 Jack**



**White/Blue**

**Blue**

**White/Green**

**Brown**

**White/Brown**

**Green**

**White/Orange**

**Orange**

**1**

**2**

**3**

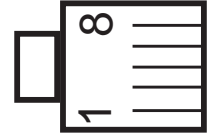
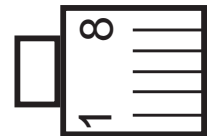
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## WARRANTY

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If equipment fails because of such defects and Gefen Inc. is notified within two (2) year from the date of shipment, Gefen Inc. will, at its option, repair or replace the equipment, provided that the equipment has not been subjected to mechanical, electrical, or other abuse or modifications.

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2. Customers outside the US are responsible for shipping charges to and from Gefen.
3. Copper cables are limited to a 30 day warranty and cable must be free from any scratches, markings, and neatly coiled.

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