



Installation of the USB device driver for GSV-8

Windows 10

No driver installation is required for Windows 10. Once the GSV-8 that has been switched on is connected to the computer, Windows 10 assigns it an individual COM port.

Windows 7 and 8

Run the driver package's GSV-8 set-up and follow the instructions, or confirm the messages if you want to install the package and the driver with 'Yes', 'Next', 'Install', 'Continue', and at the end 'Finalise' and 'Finish'.

This should preferably take place before connecting the GSV-8 for the first time. If you then connect the GSV-8 to the PC for the first time, you will see the following status message that also provides you with the assigned COM port number at the same time:

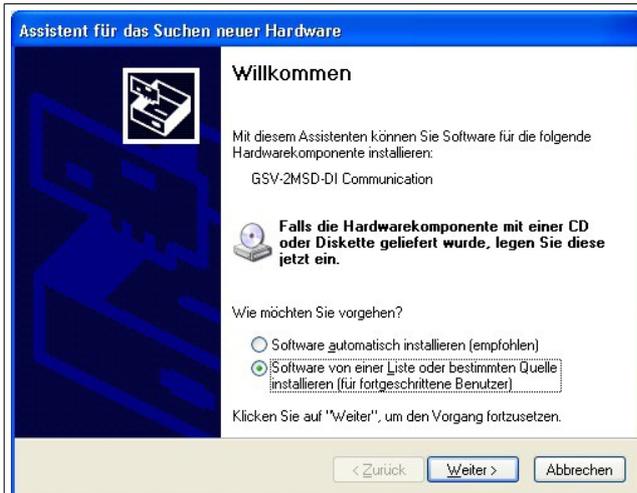


If you had already connected the GSV-8 however, the driver package will add the previously missing drivers (more precisely: it will inform Windows about the correct driver 'usbser.sys' provides).

Windows XP

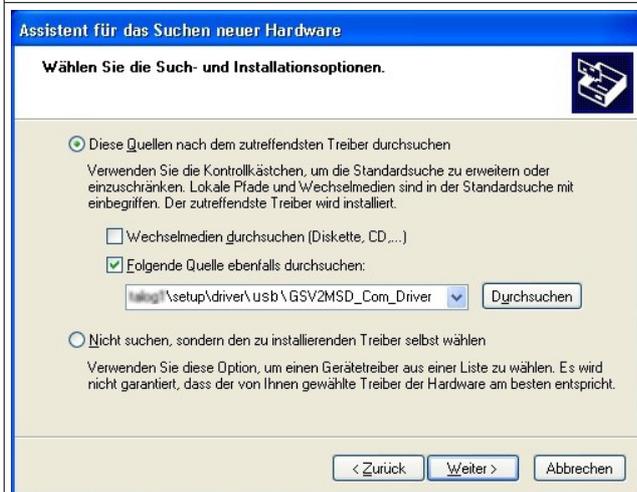
The driver package should be installed under Windows XP before connecting for the first time.

When first connecting the GSV-8 you should then proceed as follows:



Select 'Install software from a list or specific source (advanced users)'.

Click 'Continue >'.



Click 'Search for the most applicable driver in these locations'

Check the option 'Include this location in the search:'

and then click 'Browse'.

Select the following link:

<C:\MEsysDrv\inf>

Click 'Continue >'.



Click 'Continue installation' in the dialogue window

'Hardware installation'



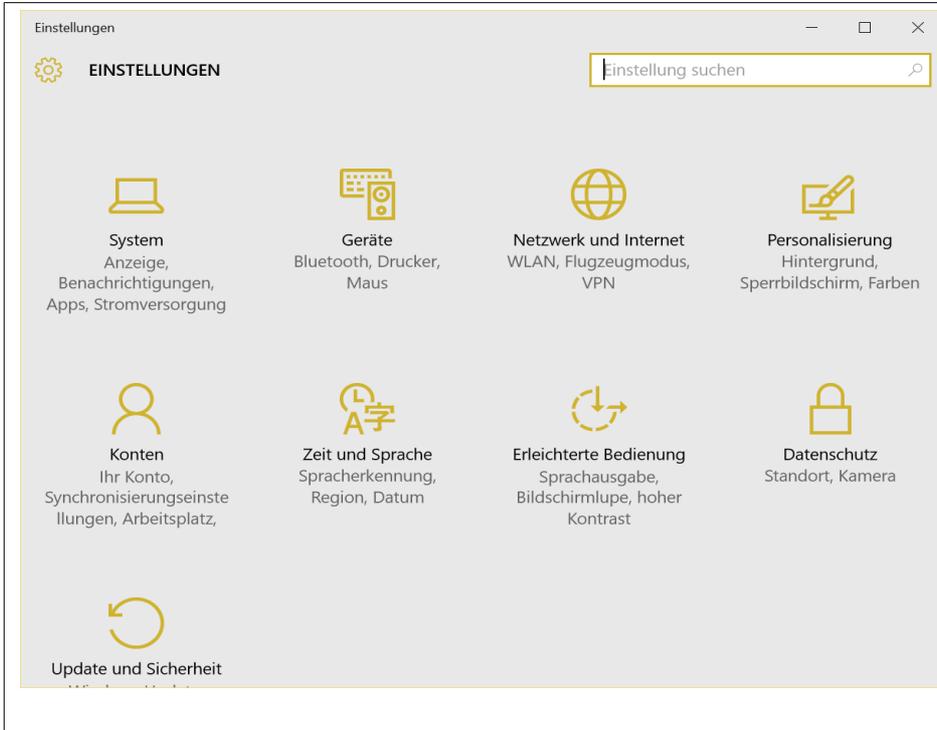
The driver was installed successfully.

Click 'Finish'.

Interface number / determine COM-Port

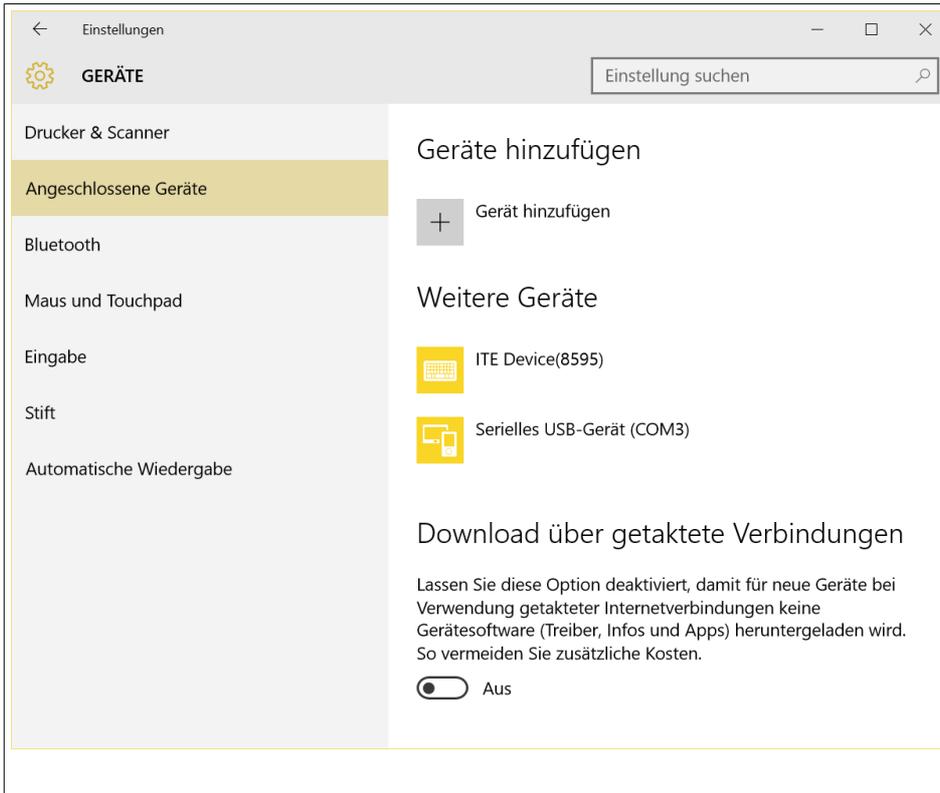
If the driver is installed successfully, it is useful to know the number of the virtual COM port assigned by Windows so that this can be specified to the communication program to allow it to open the interface. The GSV-8 must be connected to the computer for this purpose. Then proceed as follows:

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Swipe the right edge of the screen and click 'Settings'.

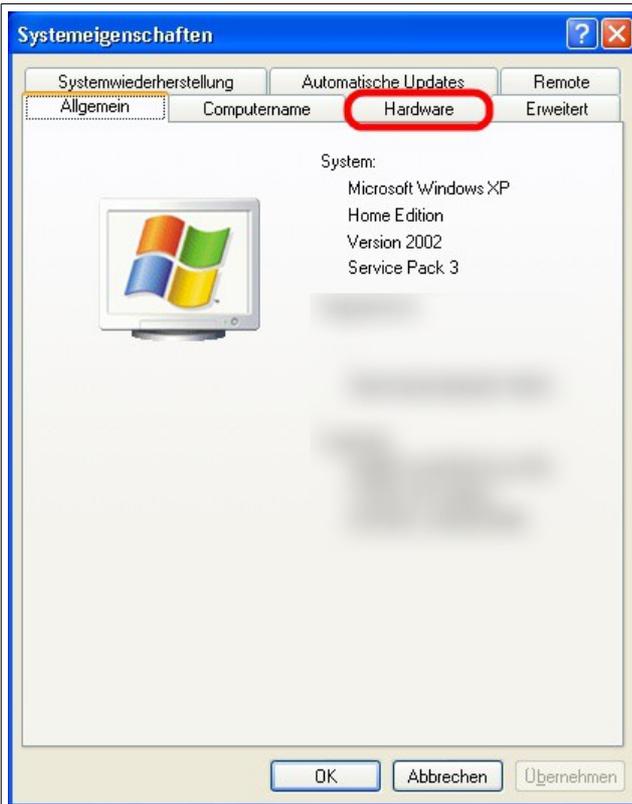
Proceed by clicking 'Devices'



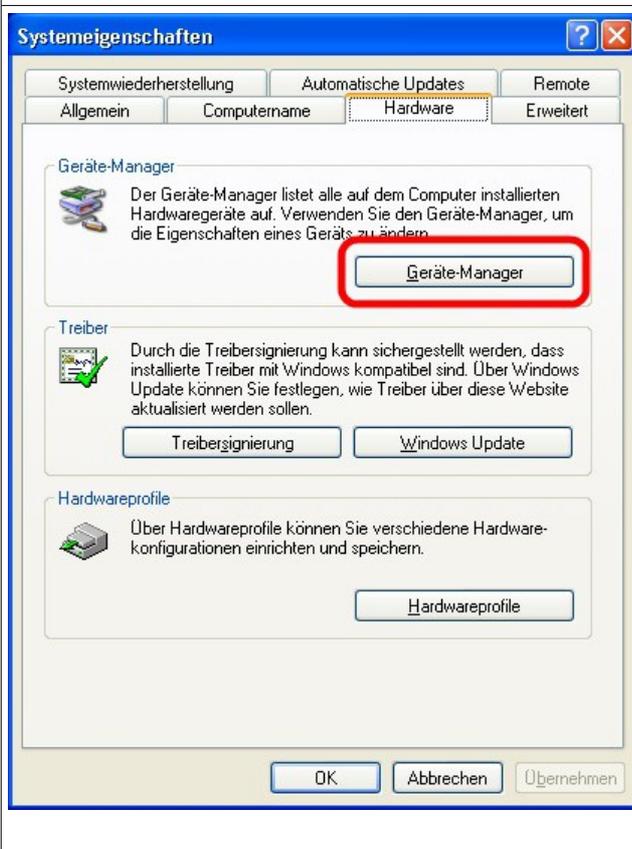
Mark 'Connected devices'. You will then see an entry on the right 'Serial USB device (COM <no.>); in the example to the left it is COM no. 3.

Windows XP, Windows 7

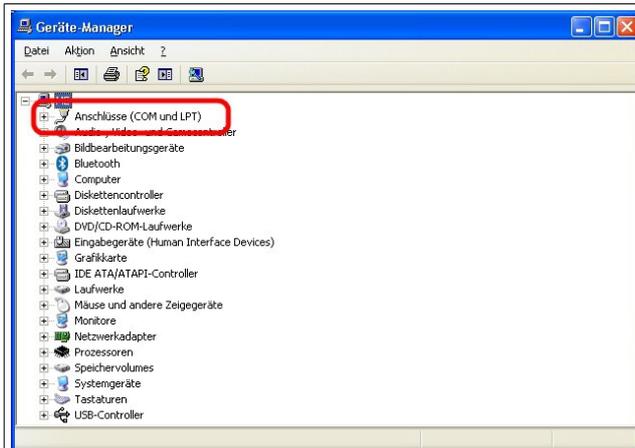
 <p>Arbeitsplatz</p>	<p>Press the right mouse button and click 'Workstation'.</p>
 <p>Arbeitspl.</p> <p>Öffnen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">ExplorerSuchen...Verwalten <hr/> <p>Netzlaufwerk verbinden...</p> <p>Netzlaufwerk trennen...</p> <hr/> <p>Verknüpfung erstellen</p> <p>Löschen</p> <p>Umbenennen</p> <p>Eigenschaften</p>	<p>Select 'Properties' in the context menu.</p>



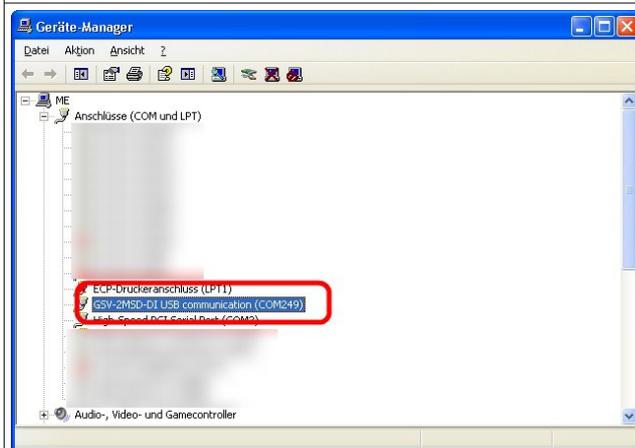
Click the 'Hardware' tab in the 'System properties' window displayed.



Click the 'Device Manager' button.



Click the plus sign next to 'Connection (COM and LPT)' in the device manager to display the connection overview.



Search for the title 'GSV-2MSD-DI USB communication (COM<Number>)', whereby <Number> indicates the number of the COM port that you are searching for. You require this COM port number to use the GSV-8 with the terminal program, for example.