QUICK START GUIDE: Voice Processor 2x

What Ships in the Box

- A Voice Processor 2x hardware device
- A North American (NEMA) or Euro IEC power cable. You may need to substitute a cable appropriate for your locale.
- This Quick Start Guide.

What You Need to Provide

- A Windows PC with 1 GHz or higher processor and:
  - Windows XP or higher.
  - 250 MB free storage space.
- 1024x768 graphics capability.
- 16-bit or higher colors.
- Internet connection.
- 512 MB or more of RAM as required by your operating system.
- Network (Ethernet) interface.
- CAT5/6- cable or an existing Ethernet network.

Getting Help

Voice Processor 2x, the Windows application that controls the hardware, includes a help module which acts as a complete User’s Guide for both hardware and software. If you have questions beyond the scope of this Quick Start Guide or the help module, contact our Customer Support Group in the following ways:

Tel: +1.425.778.7728
6:00 am to 6:00 pm
Monday through Friday,
Pacific Time
Web: http://www.symetrix.co
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Important Safety Instructions

1. Read these instructions.
2. Keep these instructions.
3. Heed all warnings.
4. Follow all instructions.
5. Do not use this apparatus near water. This apparatus shall not be exposed to dripping or splashing and no objects filled with liquids, such as vases, shall be placed on the apparatus.
6. Clean only with dry cloth.
7. Do not block any ventilation openings. Install only in accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions.
8. Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
9. This apparatus shall be connected to a mains socket outlet with a protective earthing connection. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized or grounding-type plug. A polarized plug has two blades with one wider than the other. A grounding type plug has two blades and a third grounding prong. The wide blade or the third prong are provided for your safety. If the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.
10. Ensure proper ESD control and grounding when handling exposed I/O terminals.
11. Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the apparatus.
12. Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
13. Use only with the cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table specified by the manufacturer, sold with the apparatus. When a cart is used, use caution when moving the cart/apparatus combination to avoid injury from tip-over.
14. Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
15. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power-supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:
- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Modifications not expressly approved by the manufacturer could void the user’s authority to operate the equipment under FCC rules.

Cet appareil numérique de la classe B respecte toutes les Exigences du Règlement sur le matériel brouilleur du Canada.

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The RJ45 connectors labeled “ARC” are only for use with the ARC series of remotes. **DO NOT plug the ARC connectors on Symetrix products into any RJ45 connector labeled “DANTE” or “ETHERNET”**.

The “ARC” RJ45 connectors on Symetrix products can carry anywhere from 6 to 24 VDC which can damage Dante and Ethernet circuitry.
General Notes

1. The 2x boots up with DHCP enabled by default. This means that as soon as you connect it to a network, it will look for a DHCP server in order to obtain an IP address. If a DHCP server is present, the 2x will get its IP address from it. This process may take several minutes. With your PC attached to the same network and thus getting its IP address from the same DHCP server, all will be ready to go.

2. If your network does not have a DHCP server, the 2x will not be able to obtain an IP address. While waiting, the 2x will default to a private IP address in the range of 169.254.x.x where x.x is the last four alphanumeric characters of the 2x's MAC address (MAC address hex value is converted to decimal for IP address). The 2x's MAC address can be found on a sticker on the bottom of the 2x or within the front panel System menu. When there is no DHCP server present to assign IP addresses to either the 2x or your PC, you may need to configure your PC with a static IP in the range of 169.254.x.x with a Subnet Mask of 255.255.0.0 in order to communicate with the 2x in a direct connect mode. However, if your PC is using the default network settings, it should also have automatically self-assigned a similar private IP address in the range of 169.254.x.x, and if this is the case, you should be able to connect to the 2x directly. Even if the PC's default settings have been changed, the 2x will try to establish communications by setting up appropriate routing table entries to reach devices with 169.254.x.x addresses.

3. In the case of the first two methods (direct connection and indirect connection), the 2x software will attempt to set-up appropriate routing table entries for a seamless connection regardless of the IP addresses of your PC and 2x. However, under Windows® Vista, administrative privileges are required to allow the 2x software to modify the routing table. For best results, launch the 2x software while logged in as an administrator, or choose to run the software as an administrator. **Note:** To run a program as the Administrator under Vista, right click on the program's icon or shortcut and choose “Run as administrator”.

4. The 2x will display its current IP address, subnet mask, and gateway as well as other useful information on the front panel display when in System Mode. To enter System Mode, hold down the Menu button for 5 seconds. Then the up and down arrow keys can be used to move between various displays. This information may be useful for troubleshooting.

Declaration of Conformity

We, **Symetrix Incorporated**, 6408 216th St. SW, Mountlake Terrace, Washington, USA, declare under our sole responsibility that the product: **Voice Processor 2x**

to which this declaration relates, is in conformity with the following standards:

IEC 60065, EN 55103-1, EN 55103-2, FCC Part 15, RoHS

The technical construction file is maintained at:

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Date of issue: February 1, 2009
Place of issue: Mountlake Terrace, Washington, USA
Authorized signature:

[Signature]

**Julia Ogden, COO, Symetrix Incorporated.**
The Symetrix Limited Warranty

By using Symetrix products, the Buyer agrees to be bound by the terms of this Symetrix Limited Warranty. Buyers should not use Symetrix products until the terms of this warranty have been read.

What is Covered by this Warranty:

Symetrix, Inc. expressly warrants that the product will be free from defects in material and workmanship for five (5) years from the date the product is shipped from the Symetrix factory. Symetrix’ obligations under this warranty will be limited to repairing, replacing, or partially crediting original purchase price at Symetrix’ option, the part or parts of the product which proves defective in material or workmanship within the warranty period provided that the Buyer gives Symetrix prompt notice of any defect or failure and satisfactory proof thereof. Symetrix may, at its option, require proof of the original date of purchase (copy of original authorized Symetrix Dealer’s or Distributors invoice). Final determination of warranty coverage lies solely with Symetrix. This Symetrix product is designed and manufactured for use in professional audio systems and is not intended for other usage. With respect to products purchased by consumers for personal, family, or household use, Symetrix expressly disclaims all implied warranties, including, but not limited to, warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose. This limited warranty, with all terms, conditions and disclaimers set forth herein, shall extend to the original purchaser and anyone who – purchases the product within the specified warranty period from an authorized Symetrix Dealer or Distributor. This limited warranty gives the Buyer certain rights. The Buyer may have additional rights provided by applicable law.

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1. Damage caused by improper use, care, or maintenance or failure to follow the instructions contained in the Quick Start Guide or Help File.
2. Symetrix product that has been modified. Symetrix will not perform repairs on modified units.
3. Symetrix software. Some Symetrix products contain embedded software or apps and may also be accompanied by control software intended to be run on a personal computer.
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5. Damage caused by improper or unauthorized repair of a unit. Only Symetrix technicians and Symetrix international distributors are authorized to repair Symetrix products.
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7. Conditions caused by normal wear and tear or otherwise due to the normal aging of Symetrix products.
8. Damage caused by use with another product.
9. Product on which any serial number has been removed, altered or defaced.
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Buyer Responsibilities:

Symetrix recommends the Buyer make backup copies of site files before having a unit serviced. During service it is possible that the site file will be erased. In such an event, Symetrix is not responsible for the loss or the time it takes to reprogram the site file.

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The remedies set forth herein shall be the Buyer’s sole and exclusive remedies with respect to any defective product. No repair or replacement of any product or part thereof will extend the applicable warranty period for the entire product. The specific warranty for any repair will extend for a period of 90 days following the repair or the remainder of the warranty period for the product, whichever is longer.

Residents of the United States may contact the Symetrix Technical Support Department for a Return Authorization (RA) number and additional in-warranty or out-of-warranty repair information.

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Products may be returned by Buyer only after a Return Authorization number (RA) has been obtained from Symetrix. Buyer will prepay all freight charges to return the product to the Symetrix factory. Symetrix reserves the right to inspect any products which may be the subject of any warranty claim before repair or replacement is carried out. Products repaired under warranty will be returned freight prepaid via commercial carrier by Symetrix, to any location within the continental United States. Outside the continental United States, products will be returned freight collect.