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# Chapter 1

## Easy

### 1.1 Introduction

Introduction

With Easylink 1.0 it is possible to connect an Amiga and a PC Computer via a

nullmodem-cable

and to exchange data between them.

As Easylink works with a PAR-protocoll it is possible to use Easylink in multitasking environement.

### 1.2 Easylink 1.1

E A S Y L I N K 1.1  
Shareware Version

AMIGA VERSION

by

Peter Balmer

PC VERSION

by

Peter Balmer

&

Andreas Sporrer

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## 1.3 Requirements

Requirements

- Amiga 500/2000/1200/4000 with OS 2.0 or higher
- Harddisk
- PC
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Parallel nullmodem-cable

## 1.4 Usage

Usage :

1. Connect PC and Amiga via the parallel interface using a nullmodem-cable. Use a nullmodem-cable as it is common for PC-PC link-programs
2. Start Easylink on your Amiga
3. Start Easylink on your PC
4. Choose 'Connect' to establish the Connection.

Important : Use only a  
nullmodem-cable  
and not a printer cable !!!

## 1.5 Installation

Installation :

- Copy Easylink in any directory you like on your Amiga
- Copy EasyPC10.exe in any directory you like on your PC

## 1.6 Limitations of the shareware version

Limitations of the unregistered version:

- No options available (Text conversion etc. )
  - Filesize is limited to 100Kb
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## 1.7 Performance

Performance :

- PC->Amiga to RAM Disk ~ 15 KB/sec
- PC->Amiga to HD ~ 12 KB/sec
- Amiga->PC ~ 20 KB/sec

Note that, due to the requesters of the shareware version, the speed shown in the status window might be incorrect.

## 1.8 Registration

Registration :

Print the Order-Form, fill it and send it with  
US\$ 20.- to the following address:

Peter Balmer  
Dietlikerstrasse 57  
8302 Kloten  
SWITZERLAND

For questions or suggestions  
contact me by E-Mail or mail

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You receive :

- the latest version of Easylink
- No filesize limitations
- Various options
- Printed documentation with illustrations  
(includes description of a nullmodem-cable)
- After completion: a turbo version (requires  
a special cable) which will increase data transfer  
PC->Amiga up to 200%. This turbo version will be  
available to registered users!
- Update informations

## 1.9 Author of PC version of Easylink

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## 1.10 Planned enhancements

Planned enhancements :

- Copying of whole directories
- Performance improvements
- Selectable listsize
- Volume list
- AREXX Support
- Sorted lists

## 1.11 Parallel nullmodem cable

Parallel nullmodem-cable:

It is a cable which is used for example to exchange data between PC's. Not all Pins are connected and some of them are crossed. To use Easylink all you need is a nullmodem-cable which is commonly used in the PC World.

How to make your own parallel nullmodem-cable:

You need two male 25pole SUB-D-plugs and a single screened cable with 10 wires, which is not longer than 3 m.

The following pins must be connected:

Pin	Pin
2-----	15
3-----	13
4-----	12
5-----	10
6-----	11
10-----	5
11-----	6
12-----	4
13-----	3
15-----	2

Look at the graphic "Interface.iff"  
to see the numbers of the pins on the  
plugs.

If you are not able or not willing to make a cable and you cannot buy one,

contact me by E-Mail or mail

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## 1.12 Easylink Authors

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## 1.13 Copyright Information

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