



## Quick Installation Guide



**TPL-202E**  
**TPL-202E2K**

H/W: V1.1R

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# 1. Before You Start



## Package Contents

- TPL-202E
- Utility CD-ROM
- Quick Installation Guide
- 1 x Cat.5 Ethernet Cable (1.8m/5.9ft)

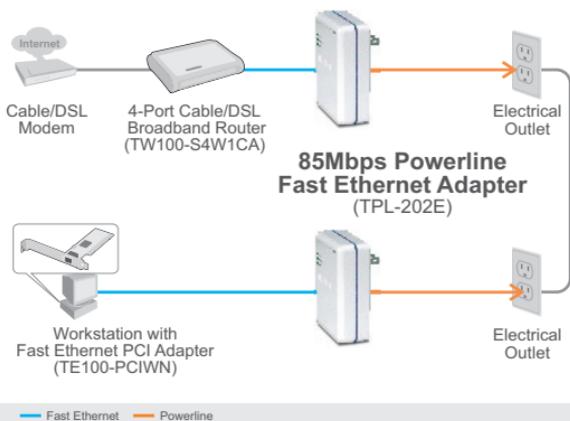
## System Requirements

- CD-ROM drive
- A Desktop or Laptop PC with Network Adapter Installed
- CPU: 300MHz or above / 800MHz or above (Windows Vista)
- Memory: 256MB RAM or above / 512MB RAM or above (Windows Vista)
- Existing 10/100Mbps wired network when TPL-202E is used as a bridge device

## Software Requirements

- Windows 98SE/ME/2000/XP/Vista

## Application



## 2. How to Install

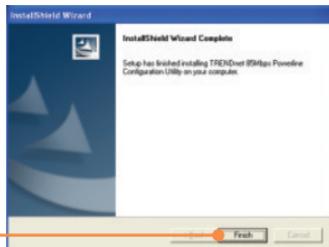
**Important!** DO NOT install the TPL-202E until instructed to do so

### For Windows Users

1. Insert the **Utility CD-ROM** into your computer's CD-ROM Drive and then click **Install Utility**.



2. Follow the **InstallShield Wizard** instructions and then click **Finish**.



3. Copy down the 12 digit device password for each TPL-202E.



#### Note:

1. DO NOT plug the TPL-202E into a power strip or surge protector.
2. In order for the TPL-202E to see each other, each unit must be on the same circuit breaker.
3. A maximum of 16 TPL-202E can be networked.

4. Plug a TPL-202E into an available power outlet.



5. Connect an Ethernet cable from the TPL-202E to an available LAN port on your router (e.g. TEW-633GR).



6. Then connect an Ethernet cable from an available LAN port on your router to your computer.



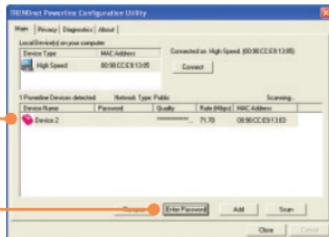
7. Plug the second TPL-202E into an outlet where your remote PC or network appliance is located.



8. Double-click the **TRENDnet Powerline Utility Icon** on your desktop.



9. Select the remote TPL-202E and click **Enter Password**.



**Note:** The remote TPL-202E refers to the TPL-202E that is connected to your remote PC or network appliance.

10. Enter the remote TPL-202E's 12-digit password and click **OK**. See step 3 to find the remote TPL-202E's password.



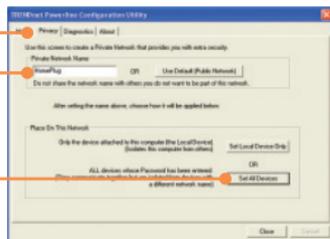
11. Click **OK**.



12. Repeat steps 8-10 for additional remote TPL-202E's.

**Note:** The default network name is **HomePlug**. If the network name of your existing Powerline network is NOT **HomePlug**, you must change this in the utility.

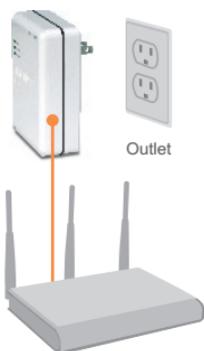
13. Click the **Privacy** tab. If you would like to change the **Private Network Name**, enter the desired Private Network Name, then click **Set All Devices**.



14. Click **OK**.



15. Connect a CAT 5 cable from the TPL-202E into your remote PC, or network appliance.



**Your installation is now complete.**

For detailed information regarding the TPL-202E configuration and advanced settings, please refer to the User's Guide included on the Utility CD-ROM or TRENDnet's website at [www.trendnet.com](http://www.trendnet.com)

**Q1: I inserted the TPL-202E CD-ROM into my computer's CD-ROM Drive and the installation menu does not appear automatically. What should I do?**

**A1:** If the installation menu does not appear automatically, click Start, click Run, and type D:\Autorun.exe where "D" in "D:\Autorun.exe" is the letter assigned to your computer's CD-ROM Drive. And then click OK to start the installation.

**Q2: I have verified that my Powerline device is connected to my workstation, but I cannot detect other Powerline devices. What should I do?**

**A2:** First, verify that you are using Cat-5 Ethernet cables. Second, open up the Powerline AV Utility and click scan. Third, verify the network name of your Powerline network. Then click on the security link in the TRENDnet Powerline Utility, type in the network name and click **Save changes**. Fourth, verify that the power outlet the TPL-202E is plugged into is on the same electrical power distribution and/or circuit breaker.

**Q3: I can detect my Powerline devices on my Powerline network, but I cannot connect to the Internet. What should I do?**

**A3:** First, make sure you are not connecting the device into a power strip or surge protector. Second, make sure that your Router is connected to the internet. Third, verify that the TCP/IP settings are set to **Obtain an IP address automatically**.

1. Go into the **Control Panel** and double-click the **Network Connections** icon, and then right-click the **Local Area Connection** icon and then click **Properties**.



2. Click **Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)** and then click **Properties**. Click on **Obtain an IP automatically** and then click **OK**.

**Q4: I tried changing the Private Network Name and applying it to all of my TPL-202E devices, but “Some devices could not be added to your network” error appears. I can no longer see any of the remote TPL-202Es. What should I do?**

**A4:** First, open up the TRENDnet Powerline Utility, click the **Privacy** tab, click **Use Default (Public Network)** and then click **Set Local Device Only**. Second, make sure to add each remote TPL-202E's password. See step 9 in Section 2 (How to Install).

**Q5: I have a HomePlug 1.0 or HomePlug turbo network. Can I use this with my network?**

**A5:** The TPL-202E is backwards compatible with HomePlug 1.0 or HomePlug turbo.

If you still encounter problems or have any questions regarding the TPL-202E, please refer to the User's Guide included on the Utility CD-ROM or contact TRENDnet's Technical Support Department.

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