





Quick Installation Guide  

**TK-217i**  
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## Package Contents

- TK-217i
- Multi-Language Quick Installation Guide
- CD-ROM (Utility)

## System Requirements

- USB Keyboard
- USB Mouse
- VGA Compatible Monitor
- Computers with a VGA port
- Computers with a USB Port
- Windows 7(32/64-bit)/Vista(32/64-bit)/XP(32/64-bit)/2000/2003 Server/Me/98SE, Linux, and Mac OS

## Software Utility Requirements

Supported Operating Systems	CPU	Memory
Windows 7 (32/64-bit)	1GHz or above	1GB RAM or above
Windows Vista (32/64-bit)	800MHz or above	512MB RAM or above
Windows XP (32/64-bit)	300MHz or above	256MB RAM or above
Mac OS X (10.6)	Intel Processor	1GB RAM or above
Mac OS X (10.5)	867MHz or above	512MB RAM or above
Mac OS X (10.4)	333MHz or above	256MB RAM or above

## 2. How to Install

1. Properly turn OFF your computers and monitors.

2. Connect the shared keyboard, monitor and mouse to the KVM Switch's console ports.



3. Use the integrated KVM cables to connect both of your computers to the KVM Switch.



To Computer

To Computer



Computer 1

4. Turn ON the first computer and wait until startup completes.

5. Press the push button toggle switch to select the second computer (Optional).



6. Turn ON the second computer and wait until startup completes.



Computer 2

**Your installation is now complete**

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**Note:**

1. The TK-217i KVM Switch does not require any drivers or software (optional).
2. For Computer switching, you can use the KVM Switch's push button switch, a Hot-Key command sequence via keyboard, or the KVM Utility (Windows / MAC OS X (10.4~10.6) only). For more information on the KVM utility, please see section 4, Using the KVM Utility. Installing and using the KVM utility is optional.

**Push button switch**

Press the push button switch to switch to the other computer.

**Hot-Key Command Sequence**

After pressing the **Scroll Lock** key, you have 2 seconds to press the **Scroll Lock** key again. If you do not press a key within 2 seconds, the switch will exit hot-key mode.

**Universal Hot-Key Command**

Command	Hot-Key	Description
Select Computer	<b>Scroll Lock</b> + <b>Scroll Lock</b>	Switch to the other computer

### For Windows Users

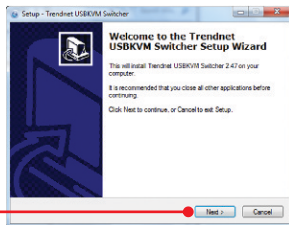
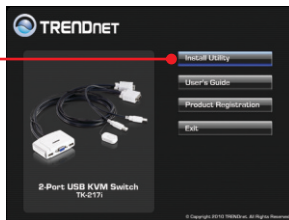
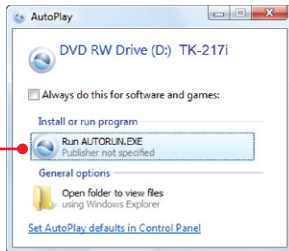
1. Insert the Utility CD-ROM into your CD-ROM Drive.

2. Click **Run AUTORUN.EXE**  
(Windows 7/Vista Only)

3. Click **Install Utility**.

4. Click **Next**. Then follow the **Setup Wizard** instructions.

5. Click **Finish**.



6. Double click on the USB KVM Switcher icon.



7. If you would like to modify the hot key, type in a character. You can enter any number, letter or symbol. Control keys such as Alt, Ctrl, Shift, CAPS LOCK, Tab, Esc, and Num Lock and function keys cannot be used. Example: CTRL + ALT + A.

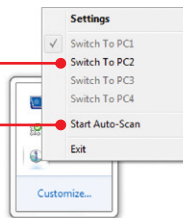
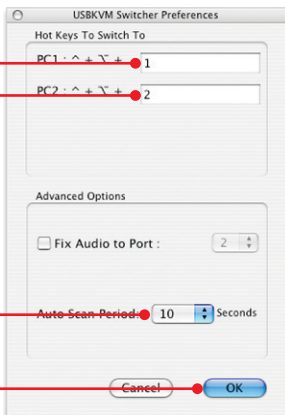
8. Select a desired Auto Scan period (10~60). Options are in increments of 5 seconds.

9. Once you made all desired changes, then click OK.

10. Right click on the KVM utility icon in the system tray. If your computer is connect to computer 1 port, you should see an icon with the number 1. If your computer is connected to computer 2, you should see an icon with the number 2.

11. Select the computer that you want to switch to.

12. Click **Start Auto-Scan** to start Auto-Scan. Right click the KVM Utility icon and select **Stop Auto-Scan** to stop Auto-Scan.



## For Mac OS X (10.4~10.6) Users

1. Insert the Utility CD-ROM into your CD-ROM Drive.

2. Double-click on the TK-217i CD-ROM icon on your desktop.



TK-217i

3. Double-click on the Macintosh folder.



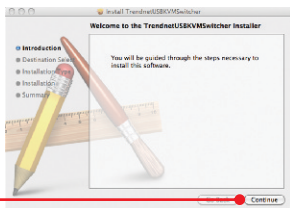
Macintosh

4. Double-click on TrendnetUSBKVMSwitcher.pkg.

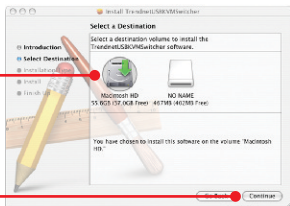


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witcher.pkg

5. Click **Continue**.

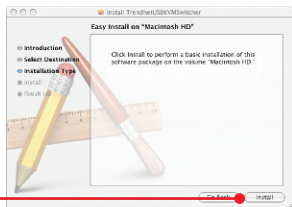


6. Select a destination and then click **Continue**.

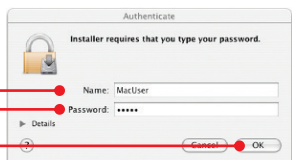




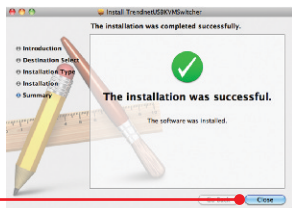
7. Click **Install**.



8. When the **Authenticate** screen appears, enter the **Name** and **Password** for your computer and then click **OK**.



9. Click **Close**.



10. Double click on the Macintosh HD icon.



11. Double click on the Applications icon.



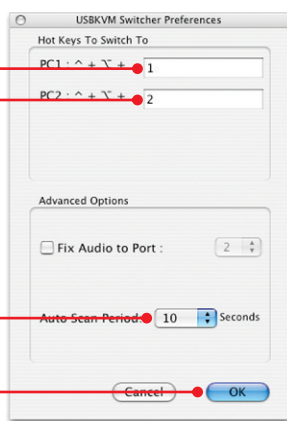
12. Click on Trendnet USB-KVM Switcher.



13. Double click on the USB-KVM Switcher icon in the Dock. If your computer is connect to computer 1 port, you should see an icon with the number 1. If your computer is connected to computer 2, you should see an icon with the number 2.



14. If you would like to modify the hot key, type in a character. You can enter any number, letter or symbol. Control keys such as Alt, Ctrl, Shift, CAPS LOCK, Tab, Esc, and Num Lock and function keys can not be used. Example: CTRL + ALT + A.



15. Select a desired Auto Scan period (10~60). Options are in increments of 5 seconds.

16. Once you made all desired changes, then click **OK**.

17. Right click on the the USB-KVM Switcher icon in the dock. If your computer is connect to computer 1 port, you should see an icon with the number 1. If your computer is connected to computer 2, you should see an icon with the number 2.

18. Select the computer that you want to switch to.

19. Click **Start Auto-Scan** to start Auto-Scan. Right click the KVM Utility icon and select **Start Auto-Scan** to stop Auto-Scan.

#### Preferences ...

- Switch to PC 1
- ✓ Switch to PC 2
- Switch to PC 3
- Switch to PC 4

● Start Auto-Scan

Keep In Dock  
Open at Login  
Show In Finder  
Hide  
Quit



### Your installation is now complete

For detailed information regarding the **TK-217i**, configuration and advanced settings, please refer to the Troubleshooting section, User's Guide on the Utility CD-ROM, or TRENDnet's website at <http://www.trendnet.com>.

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## Technical Specifications

Hardware	
<b>Controls</b>	2 Computers
<b>Cable</b>	2 sets of VGA and USB combination cables ( length: 77 cm, 31 in.)
<b>Computer Connectors</b>	2 x USB Type A ports (male) 2 x 15-pin VGA ports (female)
<b>Console Connectors</b>	1 x 15-pin VGA (male) 2 x USB Type A ports (female) (mouse and keyboard connections)
<b>Video Resolution</b>	Up to 2048 x 1536
<b>Port Selection</b>	Push Button switch (with 1.45 m, (57 in.) cable length Hot Key commands and Auto Scan
<b>Power Type</b>	USB Bus Powered
<b>Dimensions</b>	89x 64x 25 mm (3.5 x 2.5 x 1.0 in.)
<b>Weight</b>	315g (11.2 oz)
<b>Temperature</b>	Operating: 0° ~ 40° C (32° ~ 104° F) Storage: -20°C ~ 60°C (-4°F ~140°F)
<b>Humidity</b>	Max. 90%, (non-Condensing)
<b>Certifications</b>	CE, FCC

### **1. Where is the power supply? I did not find one in the box.**

The TK-217i does not require a power supply. It draws power from your computer's USB connections. As long as your KVM switch is connected to the USB port, it will receive the necessary power to function.

### **2. I have the TK-217i connected properly, but my keyboard and mouse don't work.**

1. Make sure your USB ports are working properly by connecting your mouse and keyboard directly to the USB ports on your computers.
2. Once you confirm that your computer's USB port is functional, please reboot all computers, and try to use the KVM switch again.

### **3. Can I connect and disconnect the USB cables while the computers are turned on?**

Yes, you can connect or disconnect the USB cables while the computers are turned on, because the USB interface is Plug-and-Play and Hot-Pluggable.

### **4. Will the KVM switch remember the keyboard settings between computers?**

Yes, the KVM switch will remember the keyboard settings when switching between your computers. (i.e.: Caps Lock, Num Lock, etc.)

### **5. How do I switch from one computer to another with the KVM switch?**

PC User: Push button switch, Universal Hot-Key Commands, or USB KVM Switcher Software

Mac User: Push button switch or USB KVM Switcher Software (Mac OS X 10.4~10.6)

Linux User: Push button switch or Universal Hot-Key Commands

If you still encounter problems or have any questions regarding the **TK-217i**, please contact TRENDnet's Technical Support Department.

# Declaration of Conformity



## Company Information:

Company Name:  
TRENDnet, Inc.

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USA

## Product Information:

Product Description:  
2-Port USB KVM Switch

Model Number:  
TK-217i



Brand name:  
TRENDnet

## Technical Standards:

EN 55022 : 2006 + A1 : 2007  
EN 55024 : 1998 + A1 : 2001 + A2 : 2003

## Declaration:

*The product is herewith confirmed to comply with the requirements of Directive 2004/108/EC of the Council (European Parliament) on the EMC directive.*

*I hereby declare that the products and devices mentioned above are consistent with the standards and provisions of the guidelines.*

Sonny Su

Full Name

October 25, 2010

Date

Director of Technology

Position / Title

Signature

## Certifications

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with FCC and CE Rules.

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- (2) This device must accept any interference received. Including interference that may cause undesired operation.



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