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### 5 Channel Low Profile PCI Sound Card – 24 Bits

### PCISOUND5LP



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# Introduction

This 5 Channel PCI Sound Adapter Card is the ideal sound solution for low profile/small form factor PC computers, supporting full-duplex operation with 6 outbound streams and 2 simultaneous input streams. Offering everything you need to take your multimedia experience to the next level, the 5-channel sound card supports the latest Dolby Digital EX and DTS 5.1 Channel DVD soundtracks, and 96Khz/24bit audio playback.

The sound card includes Windows WDM supported drivers, which save both time and hassle, allowing you to add high quality audio in minutes. Equipped with a low profile bracket, the 5-channel Sound Card also includes a standard profile (full-height) mounting bracket and is PCI v2.2 compliant, so it can be installed in virtually any PCI-capable PC regardless of the size of the computer case - a cost-effective HTPC (Home Theater PC) solution! This high quality 5.1 Surround Sound card is backed by StarTech.com's 2-year warranty and free lifetime technical support.

### Packaging Contents

- 1 x PCISOUND5LP adapter card
- 1 x Full Profile Bracket
- 1 x Driver CD
- 1 x User Manual

### System Requirements

- Available 5V compatible PCI slot
- Windows 2000/ XP(32/64-bit)/ 2003(32/64-bit)/ Server 2008 R2/ Vista(32/64-bit)/ 7(32/64-bit)

# Installation

It is recommended that you remove any previously installed sound card and drivers/software prior to installing the PCISOUND5LP sound card to avoid any conflicts. If previously installed drivers are not removed, the PCISOUND5LP sound card may not function properly. (Note: If your computer has on-board sound you may need to disable it on the motherboard. For more information please see your computer's documentation or contact your computer's manufacturer.)



### Hardware Installation

- Turn your computer off and any peripherals connected to the computer (ie. Printers, external hard drives, etc.). Unplug the power cable from the rear of the power supply on the back of the computer.
- 2. Remove the cover from the computer case.
- 3. Locate an open PCI slot and remove the metal cover plate on the rear of the computer case.
- Insert the card into the open PCI slot and screw the bracket to the rear of the case.
  NOTE: If the computer takes full profile expansion cards, the low profile bracket on the card will need to be changed with the included full profile bracket.
- 5. Place the cover back onto the computer.
- Insert the power cable into the socket on the power supply and reconnect your other peripherals.

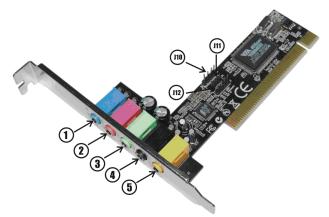
### **Driver Installation**

#### Windows 2000/XP/Server 2003/Vista/7

- 1. After installing the card in the PC, power up the PC. You will be presented with the Found New Hardware prompt. Cancel this prompt.
- Place the Driver CD into the CD-ROM drive. Click the Start button on the taskbar and click Run. Type "D:\SOUND\VT1723\setup.exe". (Assuming you have placed the CD in CD-ROM drive D:).
- 3. Follow any on-screen instructions to complete the software installation.
- 4. Restart your system.
- 5. Once you have rebooted the computer, the PCISOUND5LP sound card will be ready to use.



## **Physical Layout**



- 1. Line In (blue) Connect to the audio output of a stereo receiver, CD player, etc.
- 2. Mic In (pink) Connect to the microphone (Mono).
- Front-Speaker (green) Connect to front speakers or earphones or audio-in of a stereo receiver.
- Rear-Speaker (black) Connect to the rear speakers when 4 or 6 channel speaker mode is enabled.
- Center/Sub-woofer (orange) Connect to the center speaker and sub-woofer when 6 channel speaker mode is enabled.

#### Internal Header Connectors

J10	Analog CD/IN (L-G-G-R)		
J11	Analog CD/IN (G-R-G-L)		
J12	Aux In		



# Specifications

Bus Interface	PCI v2.2 (5V)
Internal Connectors	1 x Aux-In header
	2 x Analog CD/IN header
External Connectors	5 x 3.5mm Mini Jack (Line-In, Mic, Front Out, Rear Our, Center/Sub Out)
Chipset	VIA Tremor VT1723
Duplex Mode	Full Duplex: 6 output streams, 2 input streams
M	Playback: 96k/24-bit
Maximum Sampling Rate	Recording: 48k/16-bit
	Windows 2000/ XP(32/64-bit)/
Support Operating Systems	2003(32/64-bit)/ Server 2008 R2/ Vista(32/64-bit)/ 7(32/64-bit)



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