

## HearID Quick Start — Installation Notes for HearID 5.x

These Quick Start Notes complement, but do not take the place of the manuals. We recommend reading the full installation manual before installing HearID. We also recommend reading the General User's manual and the manuals specific to each measurement module before testing any patients.

### Where do I find the manuals?

- Before installation, the Install manual (in PDF format) may be read from the installation CD. Insert the CD-ROM into the CD-ROM drive. If the installer starts automatically, cancel it. Go to **My Computer** or use Windows Explorer to navigate to the CD drive. The file is "Install Manual.pdf".
- After installation, choose a manual from the **Help** menu in HearID. The manuals are in electronic pdf format (use a pdf reader like the free Adobe Reader™ to view them).
- There is an Install Manual, a General User's Manual, and a separate manual for each measurement module: MEPA, DP, and TE.
- The manuals are located in the Documents folder in the HearID program folder.

### Computer Hardware and System requirements for USB Audio Processing Unit

- IBM™ compatible laptop computer that is EN60950 (IEC950) compliant.
- Microsoft Windows™ XP (Service Pack 3), Windows™ Vista/7 (32 or 64 bit).
- For Windows™ XP systems: at least 1 GB RAM and at least 50 GB hard drive.
- For Windows™ Vista or Windows™ 7 systems: at least 2 GB RAM and at least 80 GB hard drive.
- Pentium™ class processor at least 1.80 GHz.
- Color laptop screen and a CD-ROM drive.
- Recent version of Adobe Reader™ (for displaying the electronic manuals).

### Installing HearID Software

- **Do not plug in the Audio Processing Unit until the driver software installation is complete.**
- Start the installation process from a freshly re-booted computer with no other programs running.
- Insert the Mimosa Acoustics HearID CD-ROM into the CD-ROM drive.
- The setup program automatically runs. If it doesn't, manually start the installer by activating the Windows **Start** button, selecting **Run** and typing in **DriveLetter:setup.exe** (where DriveLetter is the letter for your CD-ROM drive, e.g., D:setup.exe) in the **Open** field.
- Follow the onscreen instructions to install the software.

### Installing the USB Audio Processing Unit

- After installing the HearID software, plug the USB unit into a free USB slot in the computer.
- Wait until the blinking blue power light on the unit turns green.
- It may take up to a minute for the device to be detected. Do not unplug the unit.
- Win 7/Vista: Drivers install automatically. A tool-tip indicates when the card is ready to use.
- Win XP: The Add New Hardware Wizard appears. Do not connect to Windows Update to search for the drivers. Follow the onscreen instructions. Choose Continue Anyway to the message that the driver has not passed Window's XP logo testing.

### Software Activation

- Run HearID by double-clicking the **HearID icon** on the desktop or choose it from the **Start** menu.
- The first time the software runs, the **Activation** screen appears. There are two pieces of information necessary to properly activate your system—**Institution Name** and **Activation Key**. You will find both items on the CD case or the information will be provided by your vendor. Please enter them into the Activation screen exactly as they appear on the label.