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Getting started with FilmStar Optical Thin Film Software

Thank you for purchasing or updating FilmStar Optical Thin Film Software.

Please install FilmStar before attaching the USB security module. This ensures that appropriate drivers are available when Windows automatically locates the device. If CD-ROM installation is not automatic, run `..\install\setup32.exe`. Note that Administrator rights may be required. If the ID Module is not recognized, try exiting and restarting Windows.

Updates may be downloaded from our web site. Support e-mails include licensing and installation passwords at the bottom (same passwords for CD-ROM and web download). Please bookmark our Updates page, <http://ftgsoftware.com/updates.htm> so you can easily access support. You can also use the links in any FilmStar Help menu.

You can print manuals supplied on the CD-ROM in Adobe format (*.pdf). The same manuals are available on our Updates page.

<p>MEASURE users should review <i>Getting started with FilmStar</i> MEASURE before installing.</p>
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In addition to its Windows point and click interface, FilmStar includes development modules BASIC, Workbook, FSPlot and Report Generator. The modules are described in on-line help and illustrated in examples, especially in `c:\winfilm\basic32`.

Contact FTG Software if you have any problems installing or running FilmStar. Please keep FTG informed if your e-mail address changes and if there any other users who should receive support e-mails (we can add any number of users as cc).

Vista users should visit http://ftgsoftware.com/issues_vista.htm.

We suggest that you do not install FilmStar database support until you understand exactly what it does (see <http://ftgsoftware.com/database.htm>). Install FileMaker support (FM8Setup.exe) after installing both FilmStar and FileMaker Pro.