

CAUTION: The programmers are designed to work on Windows XP/Vista/7/8 operating system. Drivers must be installed beforehand.

A. Driver & software installation

- 1** The AR95x drivers can be found on the CD supplied with the programmer. If you do not have the CD, you can download the software as well as the drivers from our website:
<http://www.apar.pl/en/download/software>



CAUTION! (concerns AR955) for Windows 7/8 you should first disable automatic drivers update

(Control panel->Advanced System Settings->Hardware-> Device installation settings->->Select "No, let me choose what to do."->Click Save

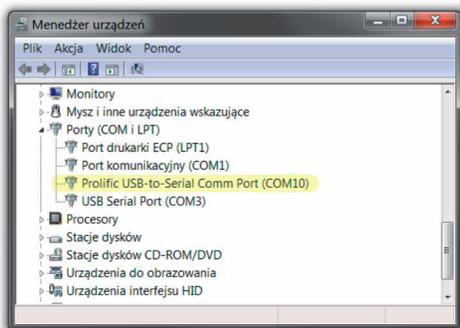
- 2** Start the driver installation program. Depending on the type of cable, it is the APAR CD in the following folder:
- \Drivers\AR956,
 - \Drivers\AR955-USB\P2 (lub P1\PL-2303),
 - \Drivers\AR955-USB\01\OTi-6858

- 3** Connect the programmer to the computer's USB port.



If the drivers have been installed correctly in the Windows Device Manager, another item will appear under the COM and LPT ports branch:

- USB Serial Port (COMx) for the AR956 programmer
- Prolific USB-to-Serial Comm Port (COMx) for the PL-2303 (AR955/P2) cable
- OTi USB-to-Serial Comm Port (COMx) for the OTi-6858 (AR955/OTi) cable

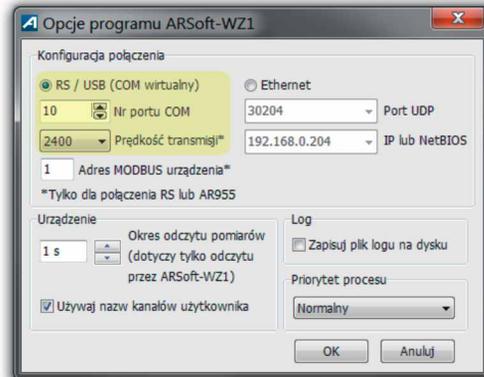


- 4** Install ARSoft-WZ1 software from the APAR CD. The installer can be found in the \Software folder. Check for updates available on our website:
<http://www.apar.pl/en/download/software>

B. Programming devices

- 5** Connect the power supply to the device to the device which you wish to program, then install the programmer plug. In the case of programming with the AR956 programmer, the converters are powered directly from the USB port and do not require any additional power supply.

- 6** Start ARSoft-WZ1 and in the "Program options" window set the number of the assigned COM port (see section 3) and the bandwidth depending on the type of programmed device:
 -2400 bit/s for transmitters (e.g. AR580, AR592, AR593),
 -19200 bit/s for other devices (e.g. AR6x2 controllers).



- 7** Click "Connect" and then, after connecting to the device, click "Parameters"



- 8** Set all the parameters that need to be changed, and click confirm changes after finishing. After closing the "Edit parameters" window, click "Disconnect". You can start the configuration of the next device.

