

# VGA Printer to DVI2USB 3.0

As technology changes, Epiphan periodically discontinues a product and substitutes it with a successor product. The following product comparison gives our customers the confidence to migrate from VGA Printer to using DVI2USB 3.0 with a laptop.

The new solution is faster, more flexible and less expensive than VGA Printer.



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Replaced by: DVI2USB 3.0, used with a laptop

	COMPARISON	Copletion
	VGA Printer	DVI2USB 3.0
PostScript Printer Support	<b>✓</b>	$\checkmark$
Non-PostScript Printer Support	-	✓
Print Speed	slow	laptop print speed
Print over Wi-Fi and USB	-	✓
Print over Ethernet	$\checkmark$	✓
Image preview before print	✓ (with monitor)	✓ (always)
Timestamp image	$\checkmark$	✓ (customizable)
Crop image	-	✓
Self-contained solution	✓	-
Price	higher	lower*

<sup>\*</sup>even with the addition of a low-cost laptop to run the DVI2USB 3.0 capture software, DVI2USB 3.0 is a lower cost solution than VGA Printer.



# PRINTING WITH DVI2USB 3.0

# **PREREQUISITES**

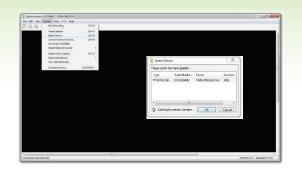
- 1. Your video source (document camera, ultrasound machine, microscope, etc.).
- 2. An Epiphan DVI2USB 3.0 video grabber.
- 3. A laptop (or desktop) computer with Epiphan's capture software installed.

### PHYSICAL CONFIGURATION



#### CAPTURE AND PRINT

- 1. Ensure the Epiphan capture tool is installed on the laptop.
- 2. Connect the source to the DVI2USB 3.0.
- 3. Connect the DVI2USB 3.0 to the laptop.
- 4. Open the Epiphan Capture Tool.
- 5. Click Capture > Select Device.
- 6. Choose DVI2USB 3.0 from the list of devices and click OK.
- 7. Your video source appears!
- 8. Press the Print button is to send a screen capture to the printer.
- 9. Or press the Save button 📮 to save the snapshot and print it later.



# OPTIONAL TIMESTAMP/BRANDING

- 1. Select Tools > Options...
- 2. Select the On-Screen Text tab.
- 3. Enable Timestamp and/or Static Text Options.
- 4. Choose the format, font, size, color, position, etc.
- 5. Click Apply.



# **OPTIONAL CROPPING**

- 1. Select Tools > Options...
- 2. Select the Capture tab.
- 3. Enable hardware cropping.
- 4. Specify the crop sizes for each side (in pixels).
- 5. Click Apply.



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