

Re: How to make a USB 2.0 male x male data link

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Greetings "ctops.legal" et. al...

I couldn't agree with Jerry more! Even if configured for data transfer, USB is bandwidth limited for data of any substantial size. This is why our networks have notoriously been Ethernet based. The good thing about two computers that sport an Ethernet connection is you don't require a hub or a switch if you merely want to connect the two together.

In front of me right now is a Belkin package for a CAT5e Crossover cable M/N: T3532G/A. Many other companies are making the same type of cable – probably for less money. Connect this cable between two computers having an Ethernet port and you'll typically have 10 or 100MBit/sec. connection and something less than that regarding the actual data transfer, considering the overhead, but it will usually be more than adequate for PC use. This is the way to establish data transfer at a better bandwidth with a protocol that was established for broadband reliable data transfer.

Cheers,
Mr. Mentor

"Jerry G." <jerryg50@xxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:ea926490-52e1-4a16-850a-f47193e799c2@xx
I would not advise USB to USB to transfer files. USB was not designed for this.

It is best done through the Ethernet port. There is a lot of information available about how to make a simple network between two computers for transferring files.

Jerry G.

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On Apr 18, 2:41 pm, "ctops.legal" <ctops.le...@xxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

I have a need for a site that describes this procedure, thanks
in
advance.

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