



ThunderLink™ FC Release v1.48– Windows®

1. General Release Information

These product release notes define the new features, changes, known issues and release details that apply to the ThunderLink FC Thunderbolt Adapters, version 1.48, which was released on February 28, 2019. This information pertains to Microsoft Windows Operating System including Windows 10.

2. Changes

- **Version 1.48 (Released 02/28/2019)**
 - **New Features & Enhancements**
 - Improve logging of out-of-resource errors
 - Extract CLI tools to remote system during remote installation
- **Version 1.47 (Released 11/05/2018)**
 - **New Features & Enhancements**
 - Improved stability when hot plugging devices with I/O in flight
- **Version 1.46 (Released 4/16/2018)**
 - **New Features & Enhancements**
 - Added support for a new flash bundle format that supports smaller download portions compatible with the maximum transfer size for the driver
 - Improvements to driver installation via setup.exe on 32-bit Windows
- **Version 1.45 (Released 12/18/17)**
 - Changed several default performance parameters for better out-of-box experience.
 - Fixed a potential error when doing extended link bounce testing
 - Updated stability for using IBM LT07 tape device when configured as PTP preferred
 - Added atdevinfo, atfcinfo, and atlocate CLI tools to the release package.
- **Version 1.40 (Released 05/03/17)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Added support for atinfo to display the SFP serial number
- **Version 1.35 (Released 12/20/16)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Added link cable beacon and host name registration feature.
 - Increased default resource allocation to allow more NPIV virtual ports to be allocated
 - Improved stability when pulling a cable under I/O load
 - Increased the default trace buffer size to 1 MB.
 - Fixed potential driver load failure due to limited memory and memory allocation type to improve performance.
 - Fixed issue with device discovery when resuming from sleep.
- **Version 1.30 (Released 09/30/16)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Optimized default transfer size to improve third party storage controller performance

- **Version 1.20 (Released 01/21/16)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Updates for events that are logged
 - Resolved an error that could result in an exchange used for a nameserver request completing for a port logged out
- **Version 1.16 (Released 10/06/15)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Added support for Windows 10
- **Version 1.15 (Released 08/06/15)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Adjusted the format of the flash revision to MM/DD/YYYY to conform to other drivers format
 - The fully qualified driver version is now displayed in the installer.
 - Made improvements to the target mode auto-logout implementation.
 - Integrated miscellaneous changes and bug-fixes.
- **Version 1.05 (Released 10/30/14)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Implemented a feature for FCP_RSP underrun only when the FCP_RSP frame indicates that the RSP_INFO data is present
 - Added support for PLOGIs in direct P2P after the initialization sequence is complete.
- **Version 1.05 (Released 10/30/14)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Corrected an issue where a cable pull could result in I/O failure with MultiPath Director instead of failing over to an alternate path
 - Address resource and performance issues concerning the number of logins being generated by NPIV ports
 - Address a firmware issue causing an error when two or more NPIV ports are querying a switch.
 - Increase the number of Requests (Registry parameter NumRequests) to 3000.
- **Version 1.00 (Released 09/02/14)**
 - **New Features, Enhancements and Changes**
 - Initial release of Windows driver for the ThunderLink FC 2082 and 2162 Desklink Device.
 - Supported OS
 - Windows 7
 - Windows 8
 - Windows 8.1
 - Windows Server 2008 R2
 - Windows Server 2012
 - Windows Server 2012 R2

3. Known Advisements

- *When interfacing the ATTO ThunderLink 2082 to a 16Gb Fibre Channel switch that uses SFP+ transceivers from Avago (including Avago SPFs re-branded by a switch manufacturer), a link-up delay of up to 60 seconds may be observed if the switch port is set to auto-speed detect. To rectify the delay, set the speed of the interfacing switch port to 8Gb, Avago Part #: 57-000088-01 Contact ATTO Tech Support for more information.*

4. Affected Products

Product Name	SKU
ThunderLink FC 2082	TLFC-2082-D00/DE0
ThunderLink FC 2162	TLFC-2162-D00/DE0

ThunderLink FC 3162	TLFC-3162-D00/DE0
ThunderLink FC 3322	TLFC-3322-D00/DE0

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