

# Quick Start Guide to set up your Baracoda Bluetooth Barcode Scanner

This document will introduce to you what you need to install to be able to run a Baracoda Bluetooth Scanner. Its purposes is to clear what the first steps are.

All the software and detailed documentations are available on [www.baracoda.com](http://www.baracoda.com) (download area). We strongly advise you to read through the software and hardware documentation before using them.

You have two softwares available to be able to use the scanners:

- Baracoda Manager, an user-friendly software which enables to easily install and to configure the scanners. It also manages the automatic connection to the scanners. This software is working on the Bluetooth Widcomm and Microsoft stack (see Baracoda Compatibility Table for more information).
- Keyboard Emul, a simple software which makes keyboard emulation. This one is used when you do not have a Bluetooth Widcomm or Microsoft stack.

If you want to use the scanners with a PC or a PDA, these devices need to be Bluetooth, ie to have a bluetooth receiver. If not Baracoda can provide you with Bluetooth adapters (USB, RS232, CF cards...)

## 🕒 Is your terminal already Bluetooth?

Simply install the Baracoda Manager or the KB Emul.

## 🕒 Is your terminal not Bluetooth?

You have to install a Bluetooth adapter: please consider the following steps.

1. Install the Bluetooth driver of the adapter **without the adapter plugged into your terminal**
2. Restart your terminal , then plug the adapter and complete the installation.
3. Install the Software Baracoda manager or KB Emul

If your OS is **WINDOWS XP WITH SERVICE PACK 2** installed

Don't install Widcomm drivers, don't play the CD

Just plug the dongle, Windows will detect it and automatically install appropriate drivers

*For the use of the software please refer to the corresponding documentation.*

You may also consider using our completely **Plug&Scan solution (no software needed)**: the Baracoda RS232 Bluetooth adaptor and/or the USB Plug and Scan (all the Bluetooth drivers and the Baracoda software are already embedded in these devices).

Just plug it into your hardware, read with your Baracoda scanner the pairing barcode and installation will be completed (more information on [www.baracoda.com](http://www.baracoda.com) )

You still have questions on what to use and how to use it? Please contact our commercial contact.

Should you have any technical questions or encounter technical problem please contact our support department at [support@baracoda.com](mailto:support@baracoda.com).