

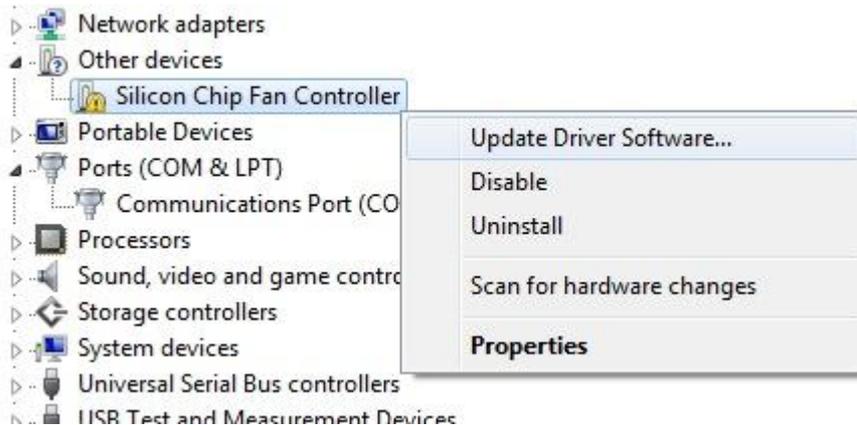
# Installing the USB Serial Port Device Driver

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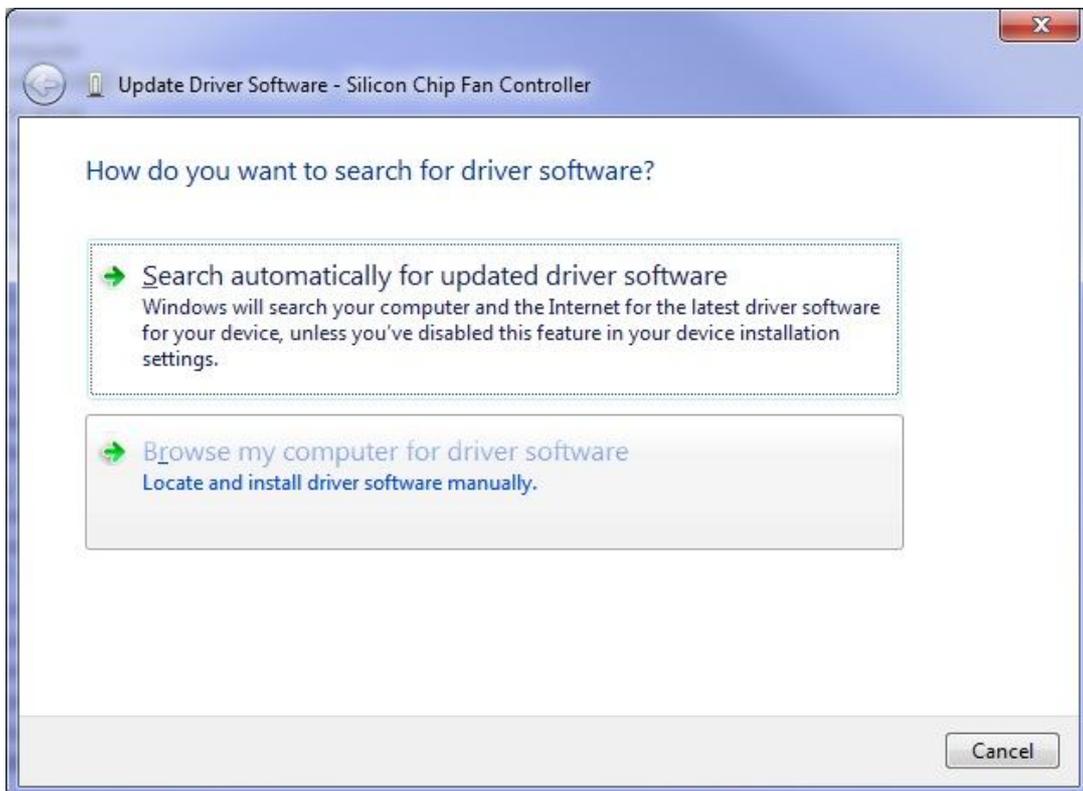
This device driver will work with all modern versions of Windows (XP, Vista and Windows 7) in both 32 and 64 bit modes.

Download the driver and unzip the files into a temporary folder. The method of installing the software varies between versions of Windows but essentially, when you plug the Fan Controller into an USB port the operating system will prompt for a driver. You should then point it to the temporary folder and install from there.

If, for some reason, you are not prompted to install the driver you can navigate to Device Manager and you should see an entry under Other Devices called “Silicon Chip Fan Controller”. Right click on that and select Update Driver Software.



Select “Browse my computer for driver software”.



Select the location of the files that you have unzipped:



Select "Install this driver software anyway":



After processing you should receive confirmation:



After you have successfully installed the driver you should see the Fan Controller listed in Device Manager under Ports (COM and LPT) as “Communications Port - Silicon Chip USB Serial Port”. Take note of the COM port number allocated by the operating system, you will need this when configuring software to work with the Fan Controller.

