

EasyWeather PC Software User Manual

1.0 General Information

This Weather Station is a high quality, easy to use weather monitoring system that reads, displays and records the weather data from internal as well as external sensors. Besides the internally measured values for indoor temperature, indoor humidity and air pressure the outdoor sensor will take data for temperature and humidity, wind and rainfall. Operation of these units is by wireless transmission to the Base Station.

After installing the "EasyWeather" program on this CD-ROM, your PC can display all indoor data as well as the weather data from the Base Station received from the external sensors. For operation, simply use the USB cable supplied and connect the Base Station to the PC. From now on you can start to track current and history weather information at your finger tips.

2.0 System Requirements

To install the "EasyWeather" software onto your PC, the minimum requirements are as follows:

Operating System: Windows NT4 (Service Pack >= 6a), Windows 2000, Windows XP, Windows Vista.

Internet Explorer 6.0 or above

Processor: Pentium III 500 MHz or above

Memory: at least 128MB, 256MB recommended

CD-ROM Drive

Base Station and PC must be connected by USB cable

3.0 Installation of the "EasyWeather" Software

Firstly, the Base Station and the Outdoor Sensors should be connected and checked for correct function (see **Operation Manual for WH1080 Touch Screen Weather Station** for setting up the Weather Station). After successful checking, install the "EasyWeather" software as follows:

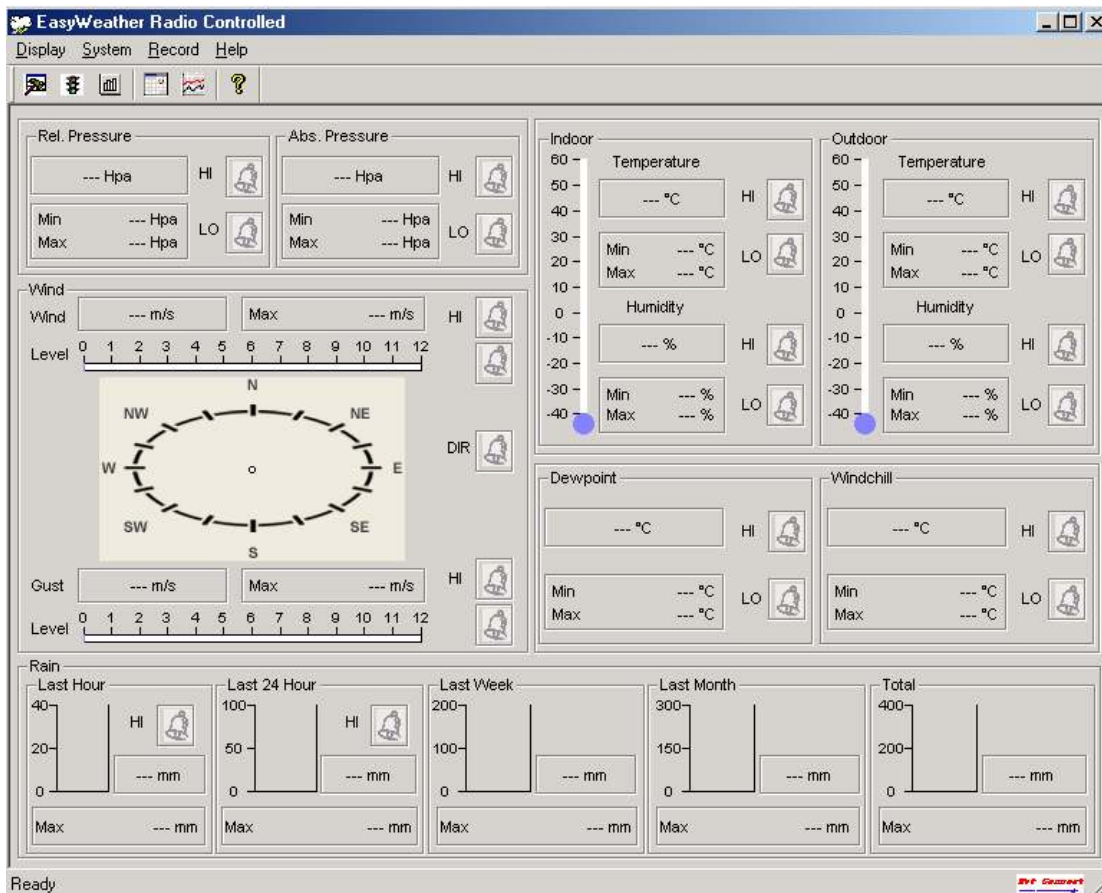
1. Switch on your PC and insert the CD-ROM into the CD-ROM Drive.
2. Double click "Setup.exe"
3. Select the installation process language option and click next
4. click next and select the destination folder(change directory when needed)
5. click next and the software will be installed automatically

6. press ok to finish the installation process
7. From “Start—All Programs—EasyWeather” path and double click the “EasyWeather” icon to start application.



Note: The graphic function needs the software to be installed under the administrator account. If it is installed under limited user accounts, the graphic function of the software might not be working correctly.

4.0 Basic Settings of the “EasyWeather” Software

After the “EasyWeather.exe” program has been started, the following main window will appear on the PC screen:



All the settings from the base unit is mirrored into the PC software, so once you have done your setting on the base unit, then you don't need to make any setting changes on the PC software. However you can still easily make any setting changes you wanted from the PC and download the changes into the base station(the setting change will be refreshed when next full minute arrives on the base station).

When base unit is connected to PC, the icon of  will be displayed. If no base station is connected, then  will be displayed.

Function button:




: display and setup system configuration

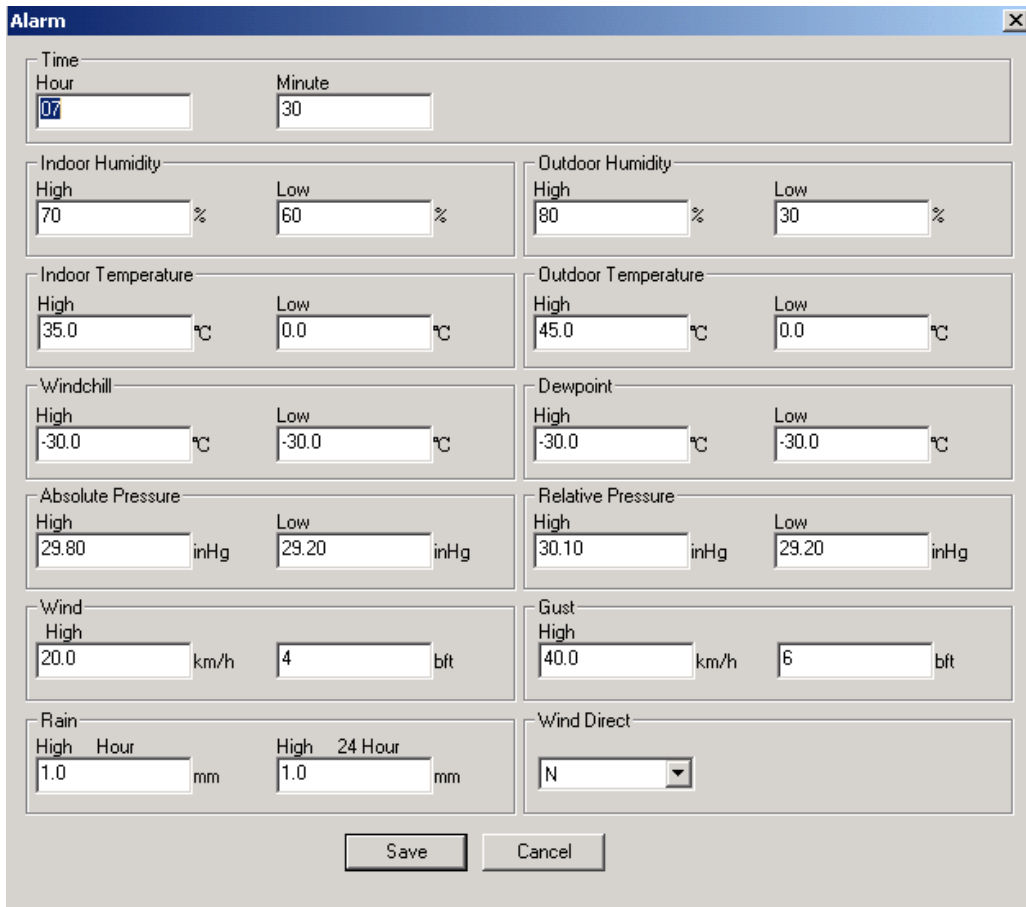
The 'Setup' dialog box contains the following sections:

- Time Zone:** A dropdown menu.
- Interval:** A text input field followed by the label 'Minute'.
- Unit:**
 - Indoor Temperature: °C
 - Outdoor Temperature: °C
 - Pressure: Hpa
 - Wind Speed: m/s
 - Rainfall: mm
- Display:**
 - Format: Full Date
 - Day: mm-dd-yy
 - Time: 24H
 - Axis: 12 Hours
 - Outdoor Temperature: Temperature
 - Pressure: Absolute
 - Velocity: Wind
 - Rainfall: Hour
- Alarm Enable:** A grid of checkboxes for various alarm functions:
 - Time
 - Indoor Humidity Low
 - Indoor Humidity High
 - Indoor Temperature Low
 - Indoor Temperature High
 - Indoor Humidity Low
 - Indoor Humidity High
 - Indoor Temperature Low
 - Indoor Temperature High
 - Windchill Low
 - Windchill High
 - Dewpoint Low
 - Dewpoint High
 - Absolute Pressure Low
 - Absolute Pressure High
 - Relative Pressure Low
 - Relative Pressure High
 - Wind Speed High
 - Gust Speed High
 - Hour Rainfall High
 - Day Rainfall High
- Pressure:**
 - Relative: ... Hpa
 - Absolute: ... Hpa

Buttons: Save, Cancel

This section is used to set up PC software display, base station units, as well as able or disable the corresponding alarm function. Once you made your choice, press Save to make the setting effective.

 : display and setup system alarm value



The image shows a software dialog box titled "Alarm" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The dialog is organized into several sections, each with a title and two input fields for high and low values. At the bottom, there are "Save" and "Cancel" buttons.

Time	
Hour	Minute
07	30

Indoor Humidity		Outdoor Humidity	
High	Low	High	Low
70 %	60 %	80 %	30 %

Indoor Temperature		Outdoor Temperature	
High	Low	High	Low
35.0 °C	0.0 °C	45.0 °C	0.0 °C

Windchill		Dewpoint	
High	Low	High	Low
-30.0 °C	-30.0 °C	-30.0 °C	-30.0 °C


Absolute Pressure		Relative Pressure	
High	Low	High	Low
29.80 inHg	29.20 inHg	30.10 inHg	29.20 inHg

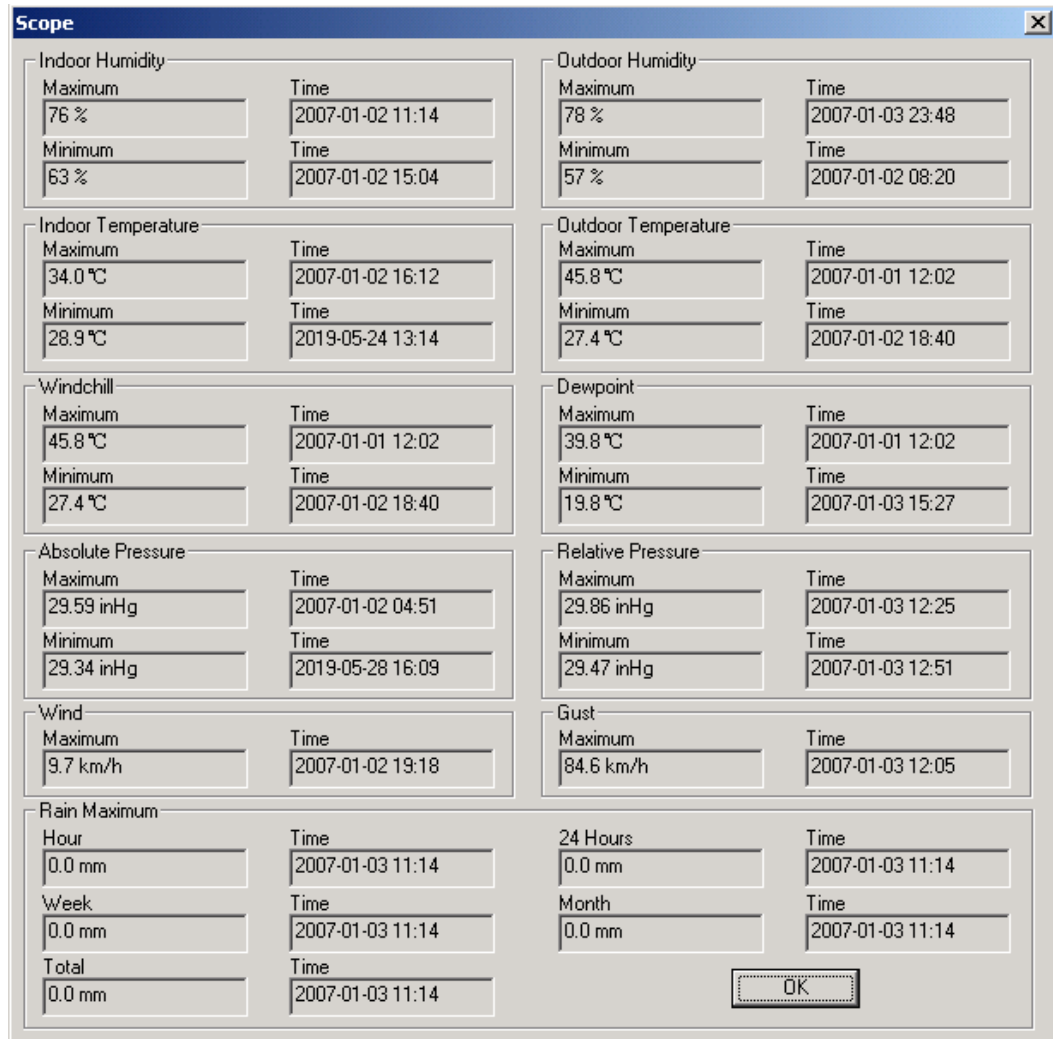
Wind		Gust	
High	Low	High	Low
20.0 km/h	4 bit	40.0 km/h	6 bit

Rain		Wind Direct	
High	Hour	High	24 Hour
1.0 mm		1.0 mm	
		N	

Buttons: Save, Cancel

This section is used to set the desired time, high or low alarm value for the base unit. Once you made your choice, choose Save to make the setting effective. If you don't want to make any change, just press Cancel and exit without change.

 : display min and max recorded value



The screenshot shows a software window titled "Scope" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The window is divided into several sections, each containing a table of recorded minimum and maximum values with their corresponding timestamps. The sections are:

- Indoor Humidity:**

Maximum	Time
76 %	2007-01-02 11:14
Minimum	Time
63 %	2007-01-02 15:04
- Outdoor Humidity:**

Maximum	Time
78 %	2007-01-03 23:48
Minimum	Time
57 %	2007-01-02 08:20
- Indoor Temperature:**

Maximum	Time
34.0 °C	2007-01-02 16:12
Minimum	Time
28.9 °C	2019-05-24 13:14
- Outdoor Temperature:**

Maximum	Time
45.8 °C	2007-01-01 12:02
Minimum	Time
27.4 °C	2007-01-02 18:40
- Windchill:**

Maximum	Time
45.8 °C	2007-01-01 12:02
Minimum	Time
27.4 °C	2007-01-02 18:40
- Dewpoint:**

Maximum	Time
39.8 °C	2007-01-01 12:02
Minimum	Time
19.8 °C	2007-01-03 15:27
- Absolute Pressure:**

Maximum	Time
29.59 inHg	2007-01-02 04:51
Minimum	Time
29.34 inHg	2019-05-28 16:09
- Relative Pressure:**

Maximum	Time
29.86 inHg	2007-01-03 12:25
Minimum	Time
29.47 inHg	2007-01-03 12:51
- Wind:**

Maximum	Time
9.7 km/h	2007-01-02 19:18
- Gust:**

Maximum	Time
84.6 km/h	2007-01-03 12:05
- Rain Maximum:**

Hour	Time
0.0 mm	2007-01-03 11:14
Week	Time
0.0 mm	2007-01-03 11:14
Total	Time
0.0 mm	2007-01-03 11:14
- 24 Hours:**

24 Hours	Time
0.0 mm	2007-01-03 11:14
- Month:**

Month	Time
0.0 mm	2007-01-03 11:14

An "OK" button is located at the bottom right of the window.

This section is used to display the recorded min and max value recorded with time stamp. Min/Max reset can only be done through key operation on the base station.



: display listed history data


The screenshot shows a window titled "History Data" with a search interface and a data table. The search interface includes a "Condition" dropdown set to "fan hour", "StartTime" (2007-07-10 11:25:58), and "EndTime" (2007-07-10 12:25:58). The table below contains 28 rows of data with columns for No., Time, Interval(mi), Indoor Humidity(%), Indoor Temperature(°C), Outdoor Humidity(%), and Outdoor Tem. The data shows a steady increase in indoor humidity and temperature over time, while outdoor conditions remain relatively constant.

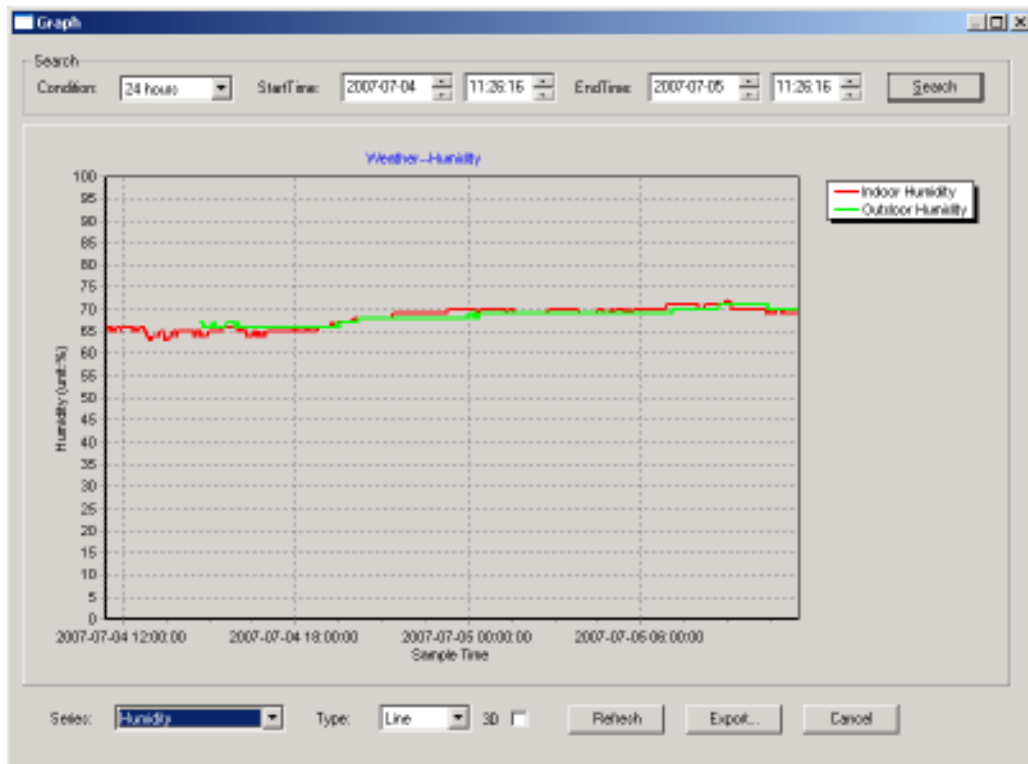
No	Time	Interval(mi)	Indoor Humidity(%)	Indoor Temperature(°C)	Outdoor Humidity(%)	Outdoor Tem
34	2007-07-10 11:59	1	65	32.8	65	32
35	2007-07-10 12:00	1	65	32.8	65	32
36	2007-07-10 12:01	1	65	32.8	65	32
37	2007-07-10 12:02	1	93	33.5	65	32
38	2007-07-10 12:03	1	93	33.5	65	32
39	2007-07-10 12:04	1	93	33.5	65	32
40	2007-07-10 12:05	1	95	34.1	65	32
41	2007-07-10 12:06	1	95	34.1	65	32
42	2007-07-10 12:07	1	95	34.1	65	32
43	2007-07-10 12:08	1	95	34.1	65	32
44	2007-07-10 12:09	1	94	34.0	65	32
45	2007-07-10 12:10	1	95	34.3	65	32
46	2007-07-10 12:11	1	90	33.9	65	32
47	2007-07-10 12:12	1	96	34.0	65	32
48	2007-07-10 12:13	1	92	33.4	65	32
49	2007-07-10 12:14	1	93	33.6	64	32
50	2007-07-10 12:14	1	84	33.0	64	32
51	2007-07-10 12:15	1	74	32.9	64	32
52	2007-07-10 12:16	1	70	33.0	64	32
53	2007-07-10 12:17	1	66	33.1	64	32
54	2007-07-10 12:18	1	66	33.1	64	32
55	2007-07-10 12:19	1	65	33.1	64	32
56	2007-07-10 12:20	1	65	33.1	64	32
57	2007-07-10 12:21	1	64	33.1	64	32
58	2007-07-10 12:22	1	64	33.1	63	32
59	2007-07-10 12:23	1	63	33.0	63	32
60	2007-07-10 12:24	1	63	33.0	63	32
61	2007-07-10 12:25	1	63	33.0	63	32

This section is used to display recorded history data in a spread sheet. If you wanted to see all history data in a desired time period, choose the time duration and press Search to reload the history data. With the Export button, you can export the selected history data into text format file for other application purpose.

When memory on base station is full, press "Clear Memory" button to refresh the memory space on the base station (remember to upload all data before pressing this button).

If you wanted to start a new weather history record, press "Clear Data" button to clear up the data base, all history weather data will be deleted (if you would like to keep a back up history file before deleting all weather data, you can make a copy of the "EasyWeather.dat" file into another folder or just rename the "EasyWeather.dat" file, such as "Jan-07.dat", for future reference.

 : display history data in graph mode



In this section, you can see the history data plotted in graph format for easier observation. If you want to see more details, just use your mouse to select the area you wanted and the display will be automatically updated in more detailed scale:





Also you can see the graph in 3D mode by selecting the 3D check box:

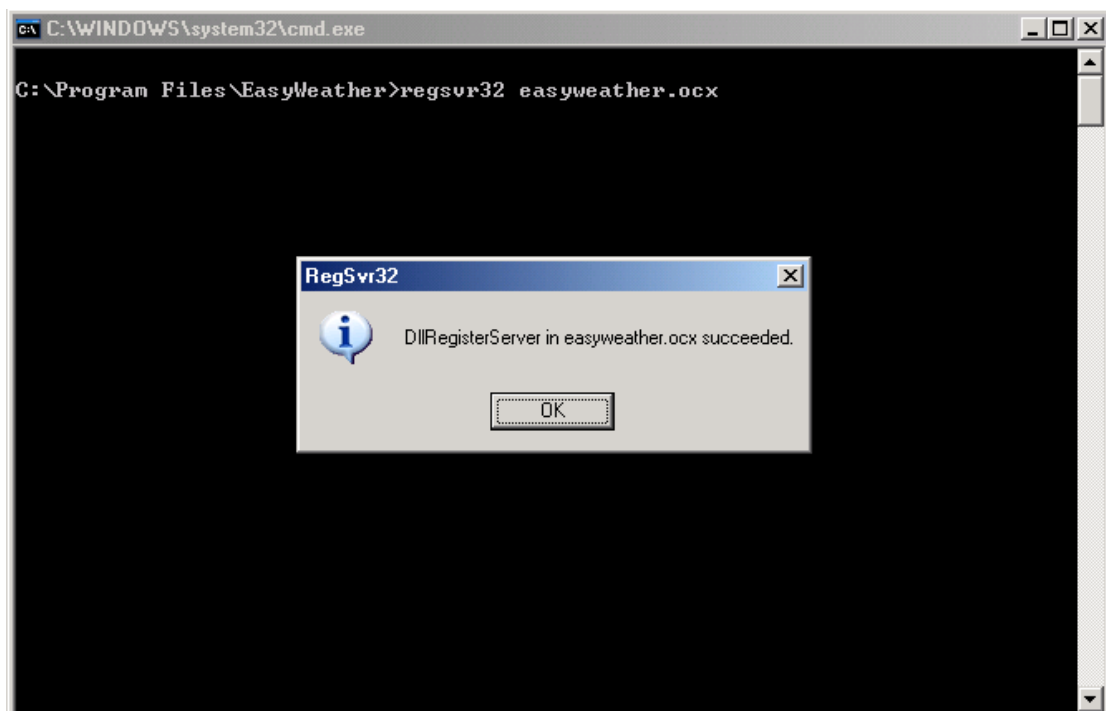


You can change the Y axel by scrolling the mouse up and down roller.

What to do if graph function is not working

This is the most encountered problem with this software. To make the graph function working properly, please check the following step:

- 1, find the folder where the "EasyWeahter.exe" file is located
2. Create a file name "reg_graph.bat" file with wordpad or notepad editor program
3. type "regsvr32 easyweather.ocx" and save the reg_graph.bat file
4. Double click "reg_graph.bat" file and it should register the graphic driver again. If successful, then the following window will be displayed:



Special Notes about time synchronization between PC and sub-station:

The PC software obtained its own time scale through the time interval marker from the base station history data, and the PC software automatically synchronizes the weather data with a time stamp calculated. Thus the history data file can have different time when the PC time and base station time is not same. In order to make the time scale correct, remember to set the PC time and base station time same, and further to this, no weather data is allowed to be missed or over-written. If history weather memory on the base station is cleared by manual setting, then the history weather data since last uploading is lost permanently.

Before memory is used up(memory icon on LCD display showing 100% full), remember to upload weather history data to PC periodically.

If there is a reset happened for the rain fall on the base station, then there will be rain fall value discrepancy between PC and base station.

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