# LINEEYE

DATA LINE MONITOR

# *LE-110SA LE-120SA*

### **Quick Start Guide**

Thank you for your purchase of LE-series.

This booklet tells you only the basic operation. For more detailed information, please refer to the instruction manual (PDF) in the utility CD attached to the product.

# When you unpack the product, make sure you have all following items

Line Monitor	1	
DB9 Monitor Cable (LE-009M2)	1	
Trigger Input/Output Cable (LE-4TG)	1	$\dots$ only for LE-110SA
10pin External Input/Output Cable (LE-10ES1)	1	$\dots$ only for LE-120SA
Micro USB Cable	1	
AA-sized NiMH batteries	2	(Battery installed)
Utility CD	1	
Carrying Bag	1	
Quick Start Guide (this booklet)	1	
Warranty, Registration Card	1	

Please let us know if you find any damage to the product or accessories lacking.

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#### Safety Information

Please do not use the line monitor in the following conditions [Description of the symbol and mark]

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There is a possibility of getting hurt, such as a death or a serious injury.

A Caution:

There is a possibility of getting injured or damaging the product.

#### /\ Warning

- \* Do not disassemble, modify or repair the line monitor. This may result in an injury, electric shock, and ignition.
- \* Turn off the power and unplug the line monitor immediately when emanating smoke or odor.

Continuous use may result in an electric shock, burn and ignition.

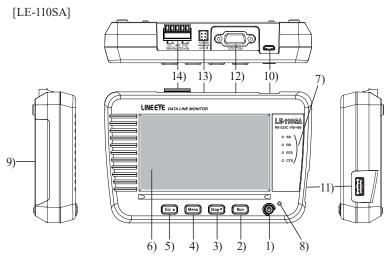
- \* Do not use the line monitor if there is inflammable gas. This may result in ignition and explosion.
- \* Turn off the power and unplug the line monitor immediately when liquid or foreign substance gets into the line monitor.

  Continuous use may result in ignition, electric shock and malfunction.
- \* Do not touch the line monitor with wet hand. This may result in an electric shock and malfunction.
- \* Do not put the line monitor in a fire or place near the heater. This may result in an injury, ignition and explosion.
- \* Do not use the batteries other than Ni-MH batteries or alkaline batteries.

This may result in generation of heat, ignition, leaking and malfunction.

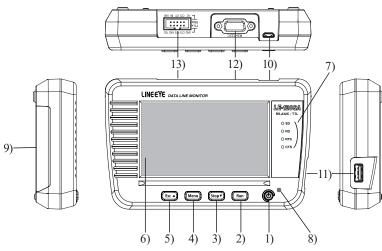
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- \* Do not give a strong impact to the line monitor.
- \* Do not place the line monitor in following conditions.
  - Not flat or vibrated place.
  - Temperature or humidity is above the specification.
  - Change the temperature rapidly. Have a direct sun or near the fire.
  - Magnetic field. Have static electricity.
- \* Do not use the line monitor near the following devices.
  - Medical device, such as a heat pacemaker.
  - Automatic control devices easily affected by radio waves.
  - Devices controlled by the radio waves.



	Name	Function
1)	Power Switch	Turn on / off the power
2)	[Run] key	Start monitoring / simulating
3)	[Stop] key	Stop monitoring / simulating
4)	[ Menu ] key	Display the top menu
5)	[ Esc ] key	Return to the previous display
6)	LCD	4.3 inch color LCD with touch panel
7)	Line State LED	Light in red when signal is active.
8)	Power LED	Light in green when turning on the power. Light in red: battery full charged. Blink in red: Still charging the battery.
9)	Battery Cover	Open when changing the batteries.
10)	USB Device Port	Micro-USB connector. Connect to the USB port of PC or USB battery charger.
11)	USB Host Port	Standard A USB connector. Connect to the USB flash drive.
12)	RS-232CPort	RS-232C measurement port.
13)	External Trigger Port	Input / output port for external trigger signals.
14)	RS-422 / 485 Port	RS-422 / RS-485 measurement port.

#### [LE-120SA]

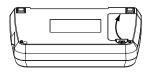


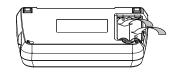
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This line monitor drives by batteries or bus power from a USB port.



Open the battery cover and insert the attached Ni-MH batteries.





Ni-MH batteries are used for time IC and memory IC.

To charge the Ni-MH batteries, use the battery charger for AA sized Ni-MH batteries.

LINEEYE has confirmed it works with "BQ-CC23" or "BQCC55" of Panasonic, and "TNHC-34SMC" or "TNHC-34HBC" of Toshiba.

The line monitor is able to charge the Ni-MH batteries by appropriate settings. Do not insert the alkali batteries to charge.



Warning (when using the line monitor with batteries)

- \* Do not short the electrode of batteries.

  It may cause the generation of heat, ignition, explosion, leaking and malfunction.
- \* Use the batteries and battery charger which LINEEYE recommends.

  If not, it may cause the generation of heat, ignition, electric shock and malfunction.
- \* Do not leave the batteries near children.
- \* Do not charge the Alkali batteries.

  It may cause leaking, generation of heart, explosion and malfunction.
- \* Do not touch directly when leaking the batteries. It may result in serious injury, such as losing eyesight.

#### Operation

There are 5 keys and touch panels to control the line monitor.

Touch panels enable to select settings by soft touch or to scroll the display by swipe.











Basic operations are made by key operations. Pressing 2 keys simultaneously have the special functions.

Operations	Function
[ 🐧]	Turn On/ Off the power of line monitor.
[ 0]	Press longer when turning off.
[Run]	Start monitoring/ simulating
[Stop]	Stop monitoring/ simulating.
[Зюр]	Scroll data (forward).
[Menu]	Display the top menu.
	Return to the previous display.
[Esc]	Scroll data (backward).
	Stop displaying data while measuring.
[Menu]+[Esc]	Capture the screen image in the USB flash drive. (* 1)
[Menu]+[Run]	Make brighter the screen.
[Menu]+[Stop]	Make darker the screen.
[Esc]+Turn on the power	Initialize the settings. Clear all.
[Stop]+[Run]+Turn on the power	Start the firmware loader. (* 2)

<sup>\*1:</sup> Insert the USB flash drive into the USB host port.

<sup>\*2 :</sup> To update the firmware, it is necessary to use the PC. → Refer to "PC link"

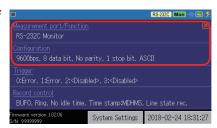
#### **Initial Settings**

Press [ **b**] to turn on the power. Select the language and set date & time.



\* The top screen will be "LE-120SA" for the model of LE-120SA.

Press [Menu] key to set the initial settings.



Measurement port / : Select a measurement port of line monitor and a function.

Function

Configuration : Select basic communication conditions.

Trigger : Select trigger factors and actions. Set the timer/counter for

trigger function.

Record control : The setting of how to use the capture buffer, time stamp,

idle time, recording condition of the line state, Auto save function, Auto backup function, and Auto measurement

condition.

System Settings : Select a mode for power saving, battery charging and so on.

Select "Measurement port / function" and "Configuration" according to the target interface.

#### e.g.: Monitor RS-232C

Speed: 38400bps, Data length: 8bit, Parity: Even, Stop: 1bit





e.g.: Simulate RS-485 [LE-110SA]

Speed: 460.8Kbps, Data length: 8bit, Parity: None, Stop: 1bit



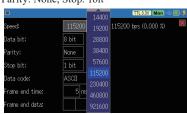


<sup>\*</sup>Register test data in the "Tx-data registration".

#### e.g.: Monitor TTL (UART 3.3V) [LE-120SA]

Speed: 115.2Kbps, Data length: 8bit, Parity: None, Stop: 1bit



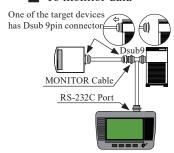


#### [Connect to RS-232C]

Connect the RS-232C connector of target device and the RS-232C port of line monitor, using included cable or appropriate cable.



#### ■ To monitor data



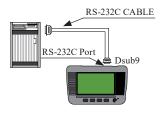
Connect the target devices and the line monitor using the included monitor cable (LE-009M2)



Connect the target devices and the line monitor using the optional Dsub25-9pin adapter (LE-259AD2) and Dsub25pin monitor cable (LE-25M1).

#### To simulate data

Select "Simulate" mode and press [Run]. RS-232C port of line monitor will be DTE specification (equivalent to COM port). Check the DTE/DCE specification of target device and connect to the line monitor, using straight or cross cable.



Target Device (DCE specification) --- Straight cable --- line monitor
Target Device (DTE specification) --- Cross cable --- line monitor

#### [Connect to RS-422/RS-485] (LE-110SA)

Connect the signals of target device to the corresponded RS-422/485 port of line monitor.

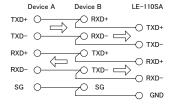
- LINEEY recommends using the twisted pair cable. (Pair: TXD+/-, RXD+/-)
- Need to have a terminal control (100 to 120Ω) if the line monitor becomes the terminal device.



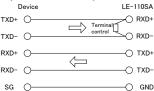
\* RS-422/485 port is the removal terminal. Remove it from the line monitor first to connect the signals, and then put it back to the line monitor.

#### ■ RS-422 Full Duplex Communication

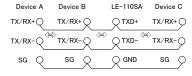
#### When monitoring between A and B



### When simulating data (send/receive test)



## RS-422 Half Duplex Communication When monitoring/ simulating



#### [Connect to TTL interface] (LE-120SA)

Connect the TTL (UART) signals of target device to the corresponded TTL port of line monitor.

TTL Port  GND CTS RTS RXD TXD				
TTL >				
	NC OT2 OT1 IN GND			

	MIL box type 10pin cable	*1		Cable color	*2
	Signal name	Pin	Input/	LE-10ES1	LE-5LS
ı			output		
	TXD TTL monitor input	1	I	Brown	Brown
I	RXD TTL monitor input	3	I	Orange	Red
	RTS TTLmonitor input	5	I	Green	Orange
	CTS TTLmonitor input	7	I	Purple	Yellow
	Signal ground	9	-	White	Green
	Signal ground	2	-	Red	
	IN trigger input	4	I	Yellow	
	OT1 trigger output 1	6	О	blue	
	OT2 trigger output 2	8	О	Gray	
	NC Not Connected	10	-	Black	
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<sup>\*1: 2</sup> lines.2.54mm pitch. Equivalent to "HIF3FC-10PA-2.54DS(71)" of HIROSE Electric. CO., LTD.

Use 10pins external input / output cable (LE-10ES1) if the signals of target device are long enough to connect.

Use optional 5lines probe cable (LE-5LS) to pinch the signal of target device.

TTL signal port (TXD, RXD, RTS, CTS) of LE-120SA is only for monitoring.

10pins external input/ output cable (LE-10ES1) 5lines probe cable (LE-5LS)



length: 300mm



length: 360mm

When using near the devices which are easily influenced by the radiation noise from this device, use the shielded cable as possible and attach a ferrite core to the cable to reduce the radiation noise.

<sup>\* 2 :</sup> Lead colors of attached cable (LE10ES1) and optional cable (LE-5LS).

#### Measurement Start and Stop

#### Press [Run] to start measuring.

#### [Monitoring]

The line monitor displays the communication data in real time and records data in the capture buffer.

Transmission (TXD) and receiving (RXD) data are displayed in two lines.



#### [Simulating]

Transmission data from the line monitor is displayed in TXD line, and reception data from the target device is displayed in RXD line. Pre-registered data in the transmission data and some fixed data (FOX message etc) can be transmitted.



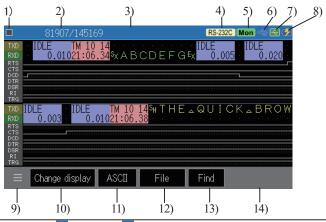
- Able to select the transmission data by pressing [Menu] or [...] displayed in the bottom.
- Register data from [Menu] → [Measurement port/ function] → "Simulation" → "Tx-data registration"

#### Special Code (errors and break)

special code	meaning	
PE	Parity error	
FE	Framing error	
PF	Parity error and Framing error	
В	Break (start bit, character bit, stop bit are all zero)	

#### Press [Stop] to end measuring.

It is able to stop measurement automatically by setting the trigger or capture memory setting (full stop).



1)	Measuring [ ], Pause [ ]		
2)	Position of data/ all data. Able to input the position of data. Speed and character framing while measuring (e.g. B8-PO-S1) <sup>(*1)</sup>		
3)	Other status		
4)	Measuring (selected) interface.		
5)	Selected Mode. [Mon]: Monitoring, [Sim]:Simulating		
6)	Status of USB device mode (Green: Connected)		
7)	Status of Host port (Green: Connected) <sup>(*2)</sup>		
8)	Level of remained battery. [ 2 ] indicates "bus power"		
9)	Display more items.		
10)	Change displayed mode of measured data. Normal -> Line state -> Frame -> Normal		
11)	Selected data code. Change data code.		
12)	Save data. Select a file to read.		
13)	Find specific data and errors		
14)	Other operations.		

<sup>\* 1: [</sup>B: Data length], [P: Parity (E: Even, O: Odd, N: None)], [S: Stop bit]

Swipe down the display to see backward (old) data.

Swipe up the display to see forward (new) data.

Swipe quickly to scroll data fast. It is able to type any numbers in (2), to check data in different positions.

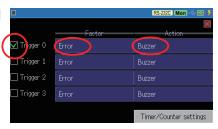
<sup>\* 2:</sup> It becomes in red while accessing to the USB flash drive.

#### ■ Trigger Function

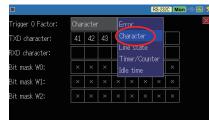
Trigger function is for starting a specific action upon occurrence of a specific event as a trigger.

e.g.: Stop measuring when transmitting "41h, 42h, 43h" in the TXD line.

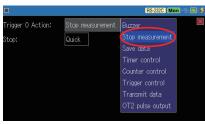
Press [Menu]  $\rightarrow$  [Trigger]  $\rightarrow$  Mark on "Trigger0".



Select "Factor" → "Character" and input "41h, 42h, 43h" in the TXD character.



Press [Esc] and select "Stop measurement" as trigger action.

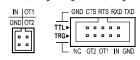


e.g.: Output a pulse to the external device when receiving a specific error.

[LE-110SA] [LE-120SA]

Trigger Factor : Error

Trigger Action: OT2 pulse output



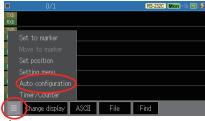
Output a low pulse for about 1ms in the external trigger terminal "OT2".

#### Auto Configuration

Auto configuration function estimates the communication conditions of target device. It is useful if knowing nothing about the target

conditions.

Press [ ] and select "Auto configuration". Measurement will start after setting the communication conditions (speed, data length, parity).





To have the right communication

conditions, following conditions are necessary.

- Several data are found in the communication lines.
- There is not any error in the communication lines.
- Data includes "101" or "010" of bit pattern.

#### Auto Save

The function records the data in the capture memory and simultaneously automatically saves them into the USB memory continuously as a measurement log file (auto save file) of the specified size.



#### Auto backup

When the measurement is stopped, the function automatically saves the data of the capture memory into the built-in SRAM which is backed up by the battery (for about 30K bytes of the data which was recorded at last)



or into the USB memory (all the data of capture memory to the AUTOBUn. DAT file).

#### PC link

With PC link software, it is able to control the line monitor from a PC (remote control), update a firmware and so on. Install a USB driver before connecting the line monitor and a PC.

#### USB driver

Install a USB driver from attached CD ("Driver" folder) or LINEEYE webpage.

Execute "setup.exe" before connection the line monitor and a PC.

\* Refer to the instruction manual in the utility CD.

#### ■ PC link software

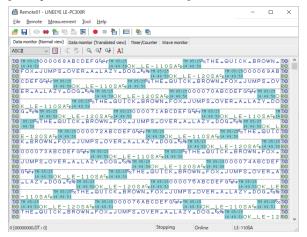
PC link software enables to control line monitor from a PC (remote control) and convert data into text format in the PC. The light (limited) version of PC link software is available from LINEEYE webpage. Decompose the file and execute "setup.exe".

\* Refer to the "on-line help" for operation of PC link software.

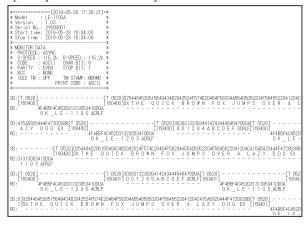
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#### [Example of Key emulation Screen]

#### [Example of Remote Monitor Screen]



#### [Example of text conversion]



#### ■ Update Firmware

The latest firmware will be available in the LINEEYE webpage. https://www.lineeye.com/html/download\_update.html
Download the firmware first, then transfer it to the line monitor using the transferring software "le8firm.exe" in the utility CD ("Utility" folder).

### Specifications of Function and Hardware

Item	LE-110SA	LE-120SA	
Interface	RS-232C,RS-422/485	RS-232C,TTL	
Signal level	None	1.8V,2.5V,3.3V,5V	
Protocol	ASYNC	ASYNC, UART	
Capture memory	16M bytes (about 500K data) Two-division use and automatic backup at the end of measurement are available		
Speed(bps)	50, 75, 150, 300, 600, 1200, 14400, 19200, 28800, 3840 460800, 921600 (**4) and user	0, 57600, 115200, 230400,	
Monitor function	Display in real time and red idle time, time stamp, and li		
Simulation function <sup>(*2)</sup>	Send test data, ON/OFF of RTS/DTR	Send test data, ON/OFF of RTS/DTR <sup>(*3)</sup>	
Additional functions <sup>(*4)</sup>	Auto save function, Time specified auto RUN / STOP function, power-on RUN function		
External trigger	1 input and 2 outputs		
Line state LED	Logical state display of SD(TXD), RD(RXD), RTS, and CTS		
LCD	4.3 inch TFT color display (480x272dot) 28 characters x 6lines.		
Touch screen	Capacitive touch screen		
USB2.0 device port	Micro B connector. Connect	ed to PC or USB charger.	
USB2.0 host port	Standard A connector. For USB flash drive. (*5)		
Power	USB bus power 5V/500mA, two AA Ni-MH batteries, or two AA alkaline batteries		
Drive time <sup>(*6)</sup>	AA sized Ni-MH batteries: about 5 hours AA sized alkaline batteries: about 2 hours		
Temperature & humidity 0 - 40 degrees Celsius (-10 to 50 degrees Celstorage), 85%RH		to 50 degrees Celsius for	
Standard	( ( )		
Size & weight	158mm x 100mm x 31mm, 3	00g(including batteries)	

<sup>\* 1:</sup> User defined speed might have a margin of error.

<sup>\* 2:</sup> Only DTE mode is available.

<sup>\* 3:</sup> Only RS-232C. The TTL port is only for monitoring.

<sup>\* 4:</sup> Firmware Ver.1.05 or later.

<sup>\* 5:</sup> Not all the USB flash drives are supported.

<sup>\* 6:</sup> Under the normal operation.

#### For any technical issues

Read "FAQ" in our website or email us. https://www.lineeye.com/html/contactus.html

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