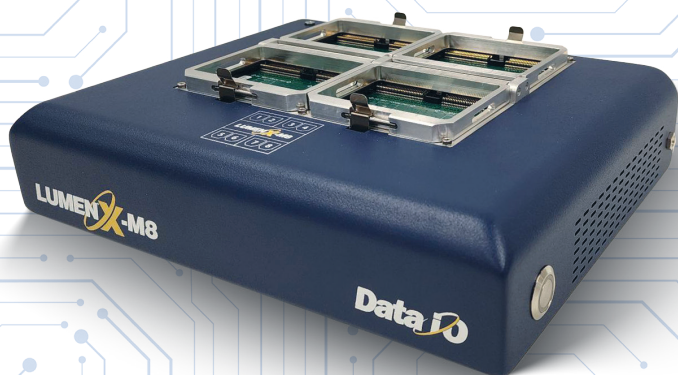


LUMEN[®]X-M8

Manual & Getting Started Guide



*Unified Programming Platform
from Design to Production and Beyond*



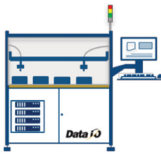
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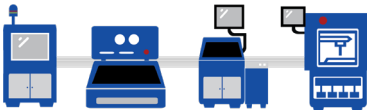


Low & Medium Volume Production

Medium-High Volume Production



- Media Input
- Inspection
- Erase
- Program
- Verify
- Mark
- Media Output



Post SMT Process, Test, QC, Rework

- Test
- Quality Checks
- Quality Assurance
- Rework
- Repair
- EOL Support

Unified Programming Platform

Data I/O offers manual and automated programming solutions that enable our customers to seamlessly transition their programming jobs throughout their preprogrammed parts supply chain on a single, reliable, and scalable platform.

The Lumen[®]X-M8 is designed to support manual programming for design & NPI builds to validate functionality prior to high-volume production runs. Programming Jobs created on the LumenX-M8 can be seamlessly transferred to any PSV System with LumenX for volume production.

Welcome to the Lumen[®]X-M8 Manual Programmer Model

Designed for programming first-article builds to validate functionality prior to high-volume production runs, the *Lumen[®]X-M8* is Data I/O's newest manual programmer. The LumenX-M8 uses the same LumenX programming platform used in the automated PSV Systems ensuring seamless transfer from Engineering to NPI/First-Article and into volume production.

Use this guide to:

- Set Up LumenX-M8 Programmer Hardware
- Install LumenX Data Management Software (DMS)
- Configure Host Network Adapter
- Add LumenX-M8 to LumenX DMS Host
- Download Algorithms from Data I/O
- Update LumenX-M8 Firmware
- Create and Run a Programming Job
- Verify Job Completion

LumenX-M8 Programmer Kit Contents

1. LumenX-M8 P rogrammer (with 4 Faraday cages/EMI shields)
2. Metric Hex Key Set
3. Vacuum Tweezers/Toolkit
4. Power Cord with 24V/4A adapter
5. 1 Gbps Ethernet/Cat6/RJ45 shielded network cable (5 ft, 26AWG)
6. Customer Service Letter 983-0762-001 and conformance documents

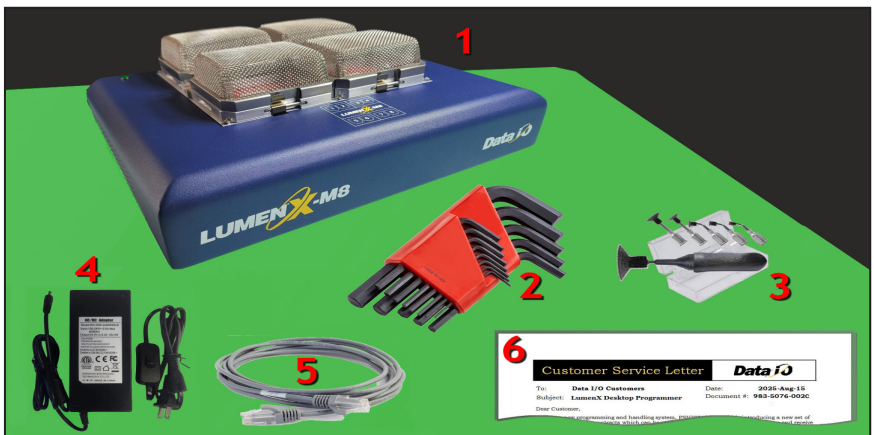


Figure 1: LumenX-M8 package contents.

Requirements

COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS

- **Operating System:** Microsoft Windows 10 (64-bit)
- **Hard disk space:** 200 MB for LumenX Data Management Software
 - 2.0 GB for Algorithm files
 - 10.0 GB for LumenX-M8 firmware (update packages)
 - 200 MB for SentiX Product Creator
 - Also additional space for your jobs and image/data files
- **Network:**
 - Access to your Corporate LAN / Internet access
 - A 1000 Mbps NIC (dedicated, private, Static IP Address) for LumenX-M8
 - (optional) 1000 Mbps Ethernet switch box if networking more than one LumenX-M8 (each LumenX-M8 requires a unique IP address)
 - Access across TCP Ports 5002 and 9000 (License Mgr web and service)
TCP Port 8090 (LX serialization)
TCP Ports 8100 and 8101 (LX-AH and LX event client)
UDP Ports 9080 and 9081 (LX discovery send and receive)

ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

- **Operating voltage:** 100–240 VAC
- **Power Consumption:** 100 watts max
- **Frequency Range:** 50 to 60 Hz

PROGRAMMING REQUIREMENTS

- Your target device(s)
- Socket Adapter for the device
- LumenX Algorithm for the device
- A ground connection

ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- **Operating Temperature:**
+10° to +30° C (50° to 86° F)
- **Humidity:** ≤ 90%

REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

- **Applicable EC Directives:**
 - Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU Class A
 - EC Electromagnetic Compat 2014/30/EC Class ASee the “*EC Declaration of Conformity*” certificate included with your LumenX-M8.

Safety First

CAUTION: Electrostatic Discharge Hazard!

Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) may damage equipment and integrated circuits. Discharge static electricity to a common ground. Use ESD prevention devices with 1 M-Ω to 10 M-Ω current-limiting resistors.

Using the equipment in a manner **NOT** specified by Data I/O may impair the protection provided by the equipment.

1. Set Up LumenX-M8 Hardware

- 1-1. Plug the power cord into the LumenX-M8 (and 100-240 VAC outlet).
- 1-2. Connect the network cable between the LumenX-M8 and Host PC.

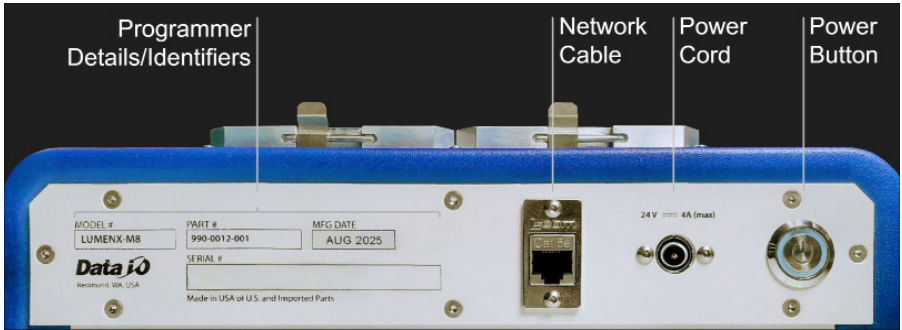


Figure 2: Connect Power and Network for your LumenX-M8.

- 1-3. To prevent electrostatic discharge (ESD), plug a wrist ground strap into the programmer which has two grounding ports (one on each side).
- 1-4. Pull up to remove the Faraday cage/EMI shield on top (held by magnets).
- 1-5. To install a Socket Adapter, pull out slightly on any LumenX 'spring clip' and lift open the socket clamp (which secures one or two Socket Adapters).

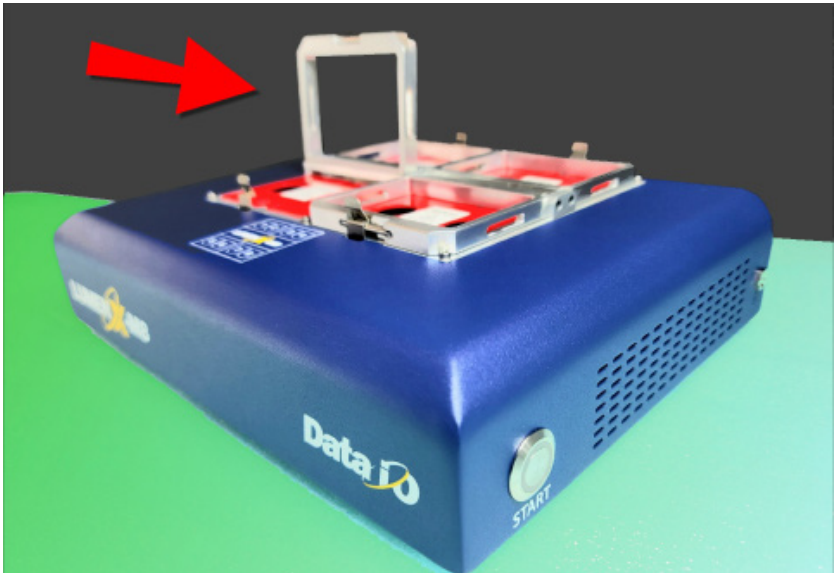


Figure 3: One of four (4) socket clamps open.

CAUTION: Possible programmer damage! Bent or damaged pins can reduce yields or prevent programming. Do not touch connector pins.

- 1-6. Remove/discard the red protective insulators (for shipping only).
- 1-7. Rotate the Socket Adapter so the chamfered (angled) corners match the diagram on the circuit board; refer to Figure 3 & Figure 4. Position all locations in the same orientation.

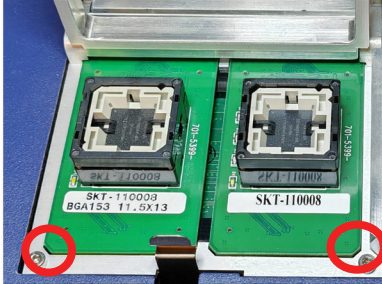


Figure 4: Angled adapter corners fit into programmer socket.

NOTE: The adapter must align with the guide pin at each corner with the holes in the adapter. Refer to Figure 5.

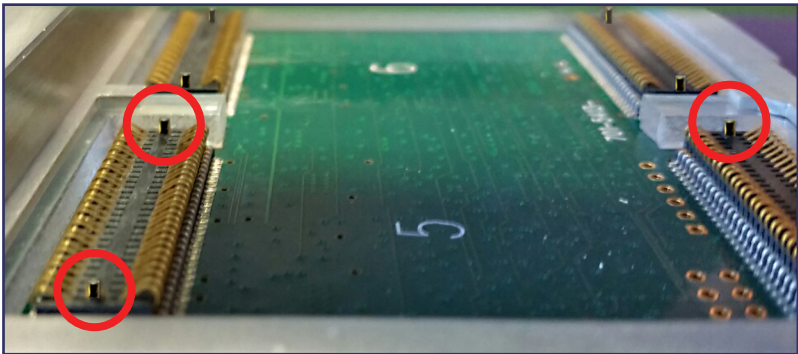


Figure 5: Alignment pins (three of four shown, circled).

- 1-8. Close the socket clamp.
- 1-9. Re-attach the Faraday cage(s) that were removed in step 1-4 above.

2. Install LumenX DMS from Data I/O

- 2-1. Visit <https://www.dataio.com/Support/LumenX-Release> and click **Download LumenX Software Release** (banner above page footer).
- 2-2. Select **Save file** and then click **OK** to download the current software release file: **LumenXDataManagementSoftware_2.5.0.xx.zip**
- 2-3. Right-click the downloaded zip file and select **Extract Files**.
- 2-4. In the folder of extracted files, right-click the **LumenX_Data_Management_2.5.0.xx.exe** file, then click **Run as administrator**. Ex:

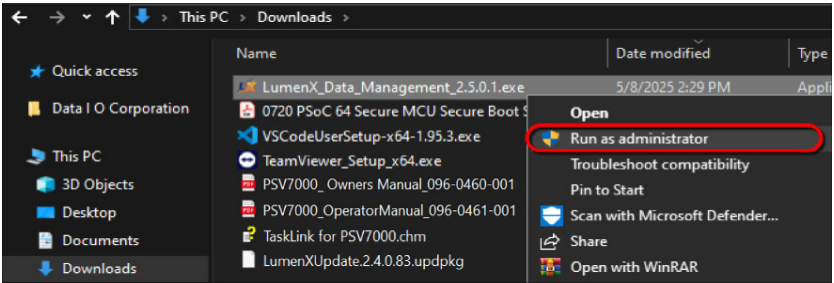


Figure 6: The *Run As Administrator* command in right-click submenu.

- 2-5. Complete the Setup Wizard by accepting all of the default options.

3. Configure Host Network Adapter

Configure the Host adapter for Ethernet connection to LumenX-M8.

- 3-1. On the Win10 host, click **Start**, type **control panel**, and press ENTER.
- 3-2. In **Control Panel > Network and Internet > Network and Sharing Center**, click **Change Adapter Settings**.
- 3-3. Right click **Local Area Connection** (to programmer) > **Properties**.
- 3-4. Select **Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4)**, and then click **Properties**.

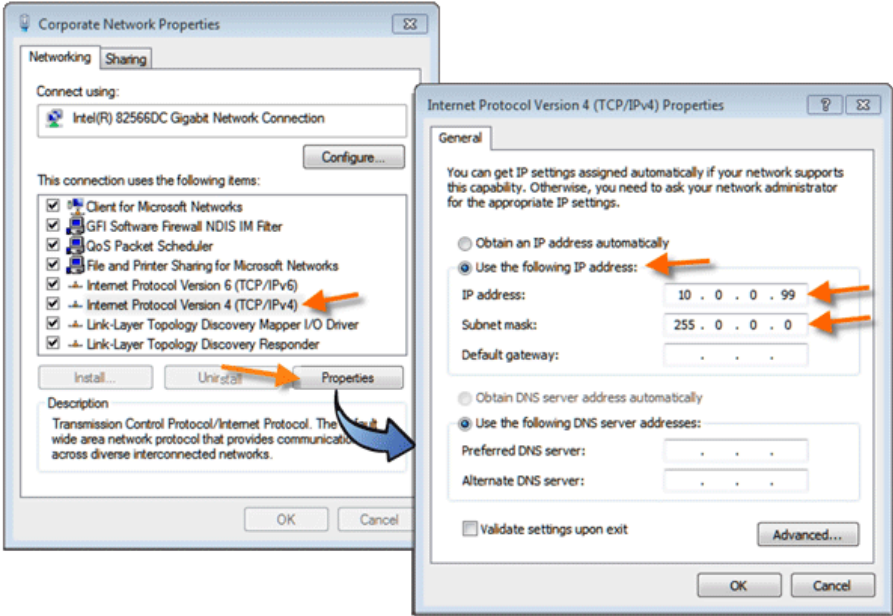


Figure 7:

LumenX-M8 Network Settings on host Win10 PC.

- 3-5. Select **Use the following IP address**.
- 3-6. Enter IP address **10.0.0.99**, and Subnet mask **255.0.0.0**.
- 3-7. Click **OK** and **Close**.

4. Add LumenX-M8 to LumenX DMS Host

- 4-1. With your target Socket Adapter(s) installed and the power cable plugged in, push the Power button on the back of LumenX-M8 to turn it ON.

NOTE: Before proceeding, **wait until the white LED on each socket adapter goes off**. LEDs illuminate at startup and go off when done.

- 4-2. On the Host PC, start **Data Management Software**, click **Settings** (at top), and then click **Programmiers**.
- 4-3. In the **Programmer Management** window, click **Discover**.

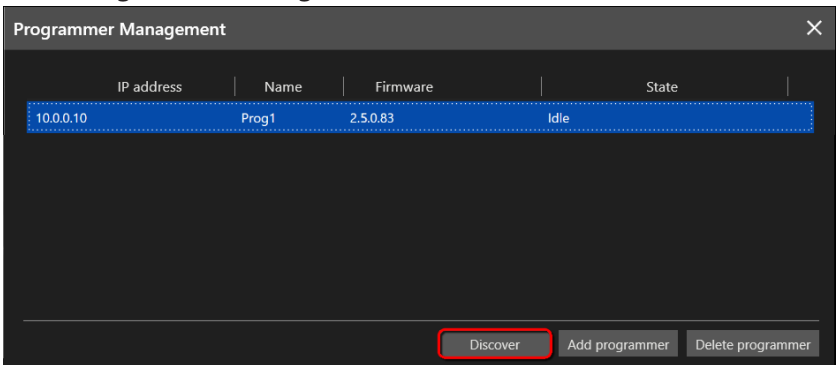


Figure 8: Host can automatically detect LumenX-M8 programmers.

- If LumenX DMS does not locate the programmer by Discovery, then try adding it manually: click **Add programmer**, then specify its IP address.
- If LumenX DMS does not detect the programmer nor add it with the specified IP address, then ensure it is reachable by the Host PC itself:
 - A. start a Command Prompt window as Admin (**start** > type **cmd** > right-click cmd and click **Run as administrator**)
 - B. type **ping 10.0.0.10** and press ENTER
 - If you see a reply from the IP address, then the Host PC has connectivity with the programmer so please try Discover again.
 - If the **ping** cmd times-out or otherwise receives no response, then the Host PC cannot contact the programmer so please re-check hardware (ex. cable securely attached at both ends and functions properly with other devices..).

5. Download Algorithms from Data I/O

- 5-1. Start LumenX **Data Management Software** (if not open already).
- 5-2. Click **Tools** (at the top), then click the **Algorithm Updater** menu item.
- 5-3. In **Algorithm Updater**, click the **Remote** tab, then click **Update list**.

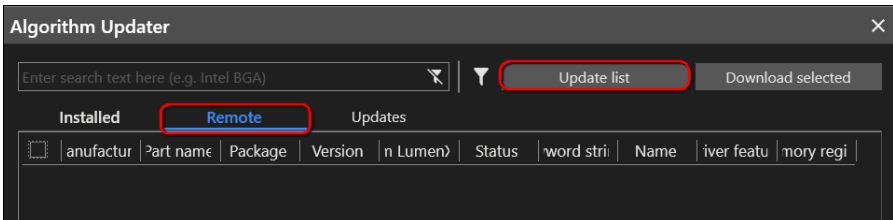


Figure 9: Check remote server for updated algorithms.

- 5-4. After the list updates, download specific algorithms by typing keywords in the search box, then check the corresponding box(es) in the first column, and then click **Download selected**.

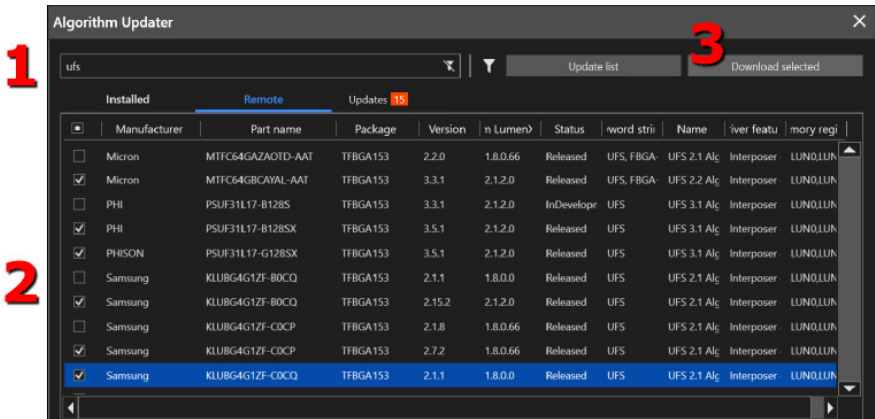


Figure 10: Update LumenX algorithms.

Or, to download all available algorithms, check the top-most box in the first column (to Select All), and then click **Download selected**.

6. Update Programmer Firmware

- 6-1. From **Tools** (at the top), click the **Update Programmer(s)** menu item.
- 6-2. In the left pane, check the box for the programmer(s) to update.
- 6-3. From the **Choose Update Version To Install** drop-down list, select the update version to apply, then click **Update**. This step may take 2 minutes.

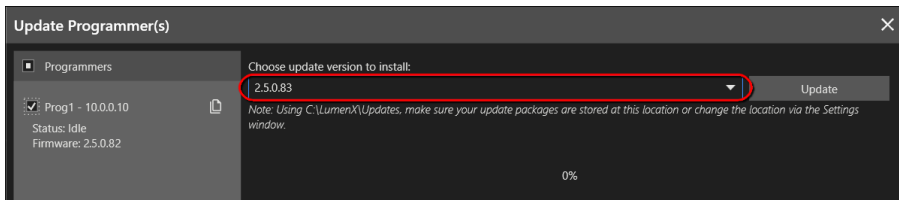


Figure 11: Update firmware version on programmer.

- 6-4. In the left pane, verify that the **Status** of the programmer changes:
 - Idle > Updating > Verifying > Rebooting > Idle
- 6-5. Under **Programmers**, verify that the **Firmware** version is updated.

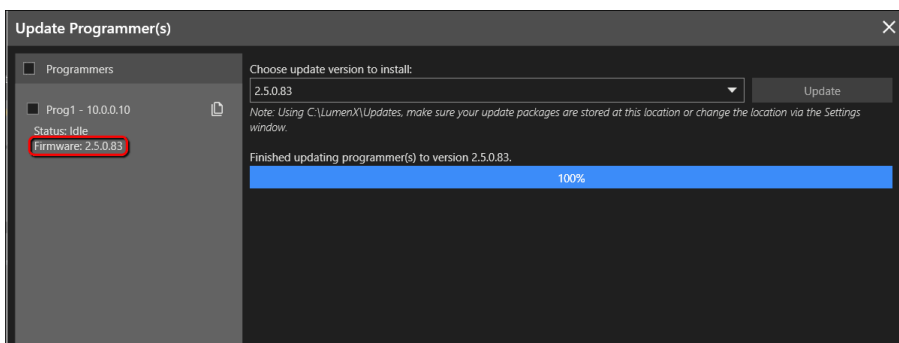


Figure 12: Confirm new firmware version on programmer.

Congratulations! Your LumenX DMS host and LumenX-M8 programmer are now ready to program devices. In the next section, you create a job in LumenX DMS to configure device settings and image data.

7. Create and Run a Job

- 7-1. At the main window, click **Settings** (at top), and then open **Settings**.
- 7-2. On the **General** tab, from the **Presenter Mode** drop-down list, select **Desktop Mode**, and then click **Save** (bottom).
- 7-3. Close the **Settings** page (“X” in upper-right corner).
- 7-4. On the **Jobs** page, click **New** (lower-right corner).
- 7-5. On the **Devices** page, select a device, and then click **Next**.
- 7-6. On the **Algorithms** page, select an algorithm, and then click **Next**.
- 7-7. On the **Create Job** page, type a job name, description, and any notes.
- 7-8. In the **Device** group, from the **Adapter Id** drop-down list, select the desired adapter. Similarly, from the **Settings** drop-down list, select the desired functions for the programming job (ex: Device Erase, or the specific processing supported by the device and algorithm).

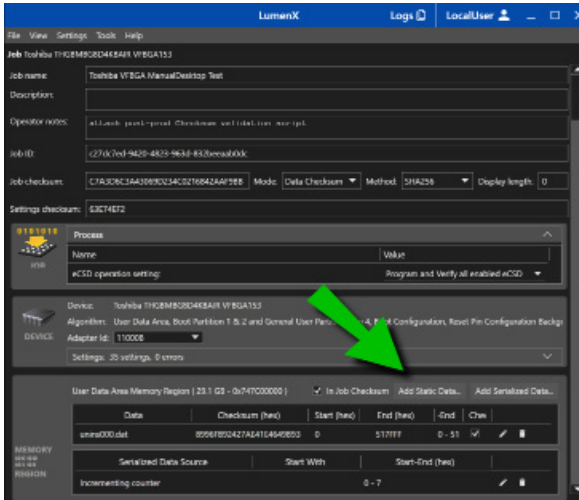


Figure 13: Select desired settings, static data/image file, and processes.

- 7-9. In the **Memory Region** group for which the image file is intended (ex. **User Data Area**), click **Add Static Data** (Green arrow) > **Browse**, navigate to your image file, select it, and then click **Open**.
- 7-10. Repeat the previous step for any/each additional file, then click **Save**.

7-11. Manually actuate the socket and use the vacuum tweezer/tool to place device(s) into the programmer. Pin1 location is indicated on the device.

7-12. In the **Programmers** (left) pane, ensure intended programmer(s) are checked, then click **Run** (job downloads to programmer for processing).

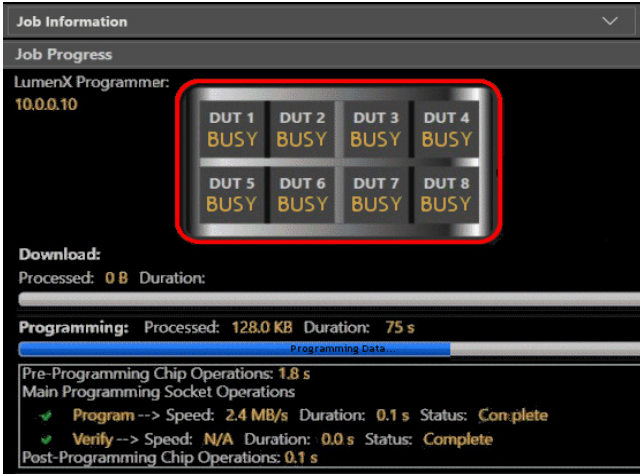
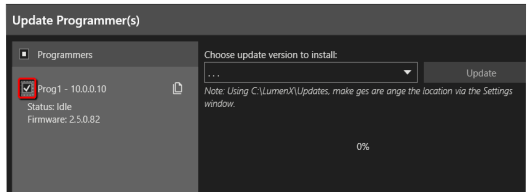


Figure 14: The **Job Progress** dialog displays the following status:

- DUT** = Device Under Test = Socket
- IDLE** = the job is downloading or there is no activity in the slots.
- BUSY** = the job is programming.
- PASS** = programming job successfully completed/ready.
- FAIL** = if errors occur.

7-13. To check socket(s) progress at any time, click **Show statistics**.

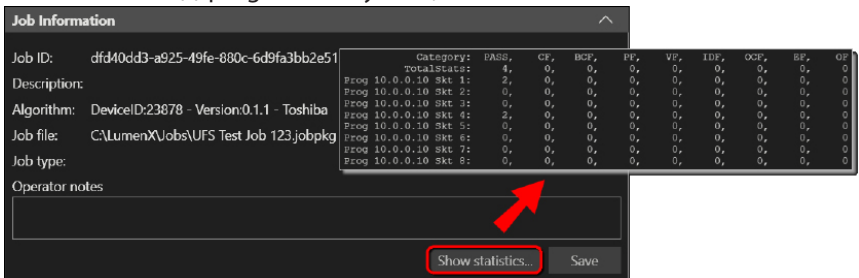


Figure 15: View socket statistics for any job in-progress.

8. Verify Job Completion

- 8-1. On job completion, LumenX automatically displays a Session Log.
- 8-2. Ensure (on the left) that the **Status** of each programmer has returned to **Idle**, and (on the right) that the status of each socket shows **PASS**.

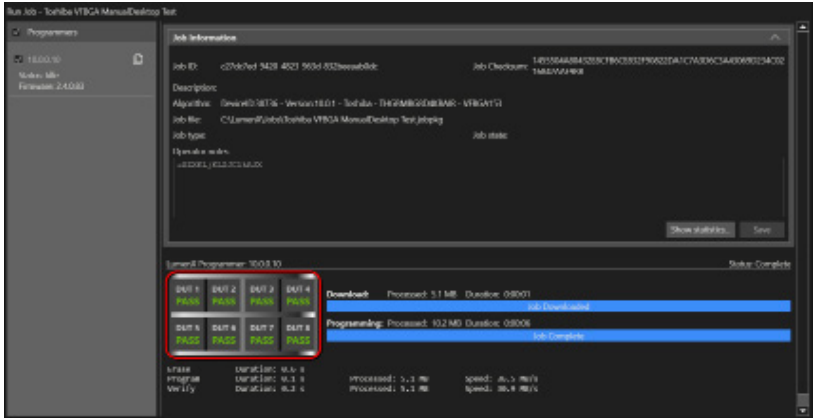


Figure 16: Job has completed and PASSED.

- 8-3. To repeat the same programming job for the same device/part, push the **Start** button located on the right side of your LumenX-M8:

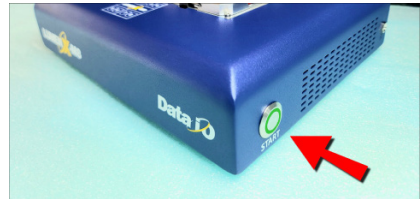


Figure 17: Push the **Start** button to continue programming.

- 8-4. If an error occurs, click the alert indicator in the lower-right corner:

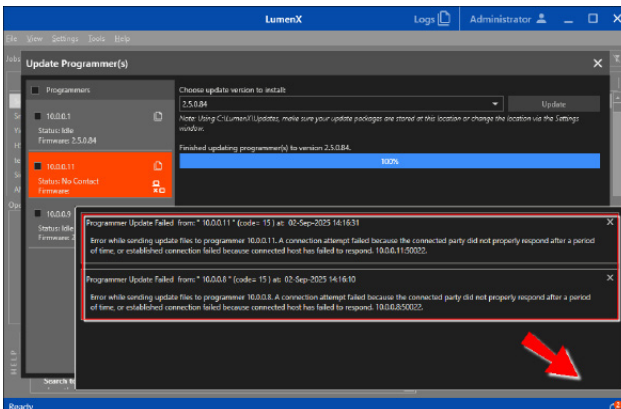


Figure 18: Click the Error Alerts (red arrows) to read the message. Each Adapter's red LED also illuminates for errors.

Socket Adapter LEDs

GREEN = PASS

YELLOW = BUSY

RED = FAIL

WHITE = CONTINUITY ERROR



Figure 19: All LEDs flash on startup.

On LumenX-M8 startup, the Power-On Self-Test (POST) beeps for 4 seconds, then all LEDs flash for 5 seconds and go dark when startup completes.

Similarly on the right-side of LumenX-M8 itself: the physical Run button lights Green when done/ready. In contrast, the physical Run/push button only illuminates in Green (no Yellow, Red, or White as on socket adapter boards).

Revision History

| Version | Date | Change |
|---------|----------|--|
| 001A | FEB 2014 | Initial LumenX Manual Desktop Programmer release |
| 001B | NOV 2019 | Updated Auth/Security roles and cmd line usage |
| 001C | MAR 2023 | Updated requirements and screenshots |
| 002A | JUL 2025 | Initial LumenX-M8 release |
| 002B | AUG 2025 | Added network ports and safety protection clause |
| 002C | SEP 2025 | Updated hardware and software graphics |

Technical Support

First check the **Troubleshooting** section of the product documentation at:
[C:\Program Files \(x86\)\Data IO\DMS\Help\Web\articles\troubleshooting.html](C:\Program Files (x86)\Data IO\DMS\Help\Web\articles\troubleshooting.html)

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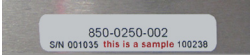
- <https://www.dataio.com/Contact-Us/Representative-Search>

To submit a service request (requires account registration), please login to our MAX Customer Portal:

- <https://myaccount.dataio.com>

FOR QUICK ACCURATE SUPPORT, PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING:

- LumenX Desktop Serial number (see label)



- Software Version (**Help > About**)
- Detailed description of the problem you are experiencing (if any)
- Event logs and/or error messages (if any)
- Device manufacturer, part number, pkg style, number of pins, etc.
- Name, telephone number, address, and e-mail address

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Self Help

To view Help in LumenX Data Management Software:

- click the **Help** menu item (at the top), then click **Help**; OR
- open browser to [C:\Program Files \(x86\)\Data IO\DMS\Help\Web\index.html](C:\Program Files (x86)\Data IO\DMS\Help\Web\index.html)

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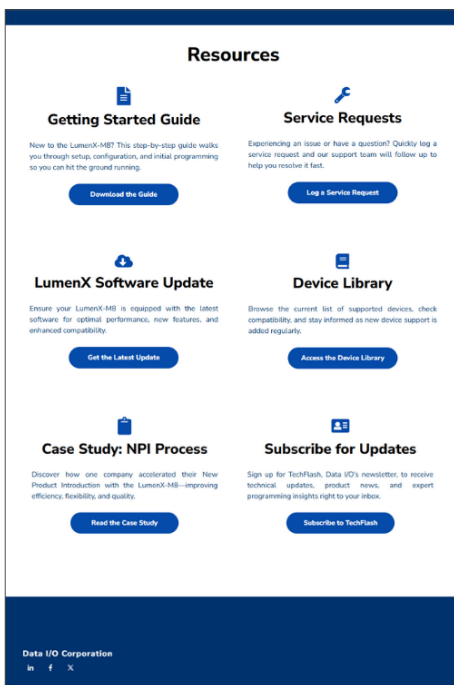
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