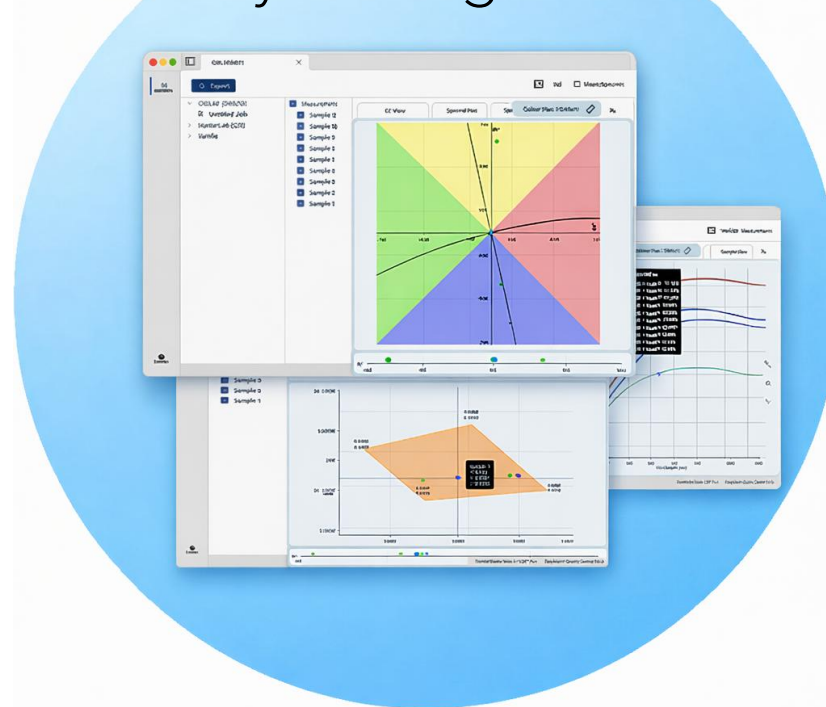




EasyMatch® Quality Central Color Quality Management Software



Software download instructions and setup

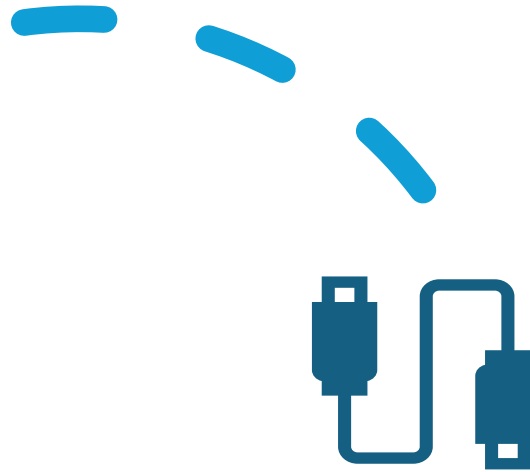
Before you Begin



The instrument must have a valid Quality Central license in Essentials L2 (v2026.1 or later) to be detected.

For best results, keep Essentials L2 updated to match Quality Central.

Note: *Direct Ethernet cable connection from instrument to PC is supported in Quality Central version 2026.3 and later.*



Before starting, make sure you have:

A Quality Central license (USB flash drive)

Access to download EasyMatch Quality Central from **support.hunterlab.com**

An instrument updated to Essentials L2 2026.3 or later. If your instrument is running an earlier version of Essentials L2, download and install the latest version from **support.hunterlab.com** before proceeding.

A PC connected to the same network as the instrument



Before you Begin



Minimum PC requirements:

Component	Minimum Requirements
Operating System	Windows 10 (64-bit), Professional or Enterprise Windows 11 (64-bit), Professional or Enterprise
Processor	1.5 GHz or faster, 64-bit processor
RAM	8 GB RAM minimum (16 GB recommended)
Hard Drive	20 GB available disk space minimum (SSD recommended)
Network	1 Gigabit Ethernet network adapter (built-in or USB-C adapter required for instrument communication)
Display	1920 × 1080 resolution or higher
USB Ports	At least one available USB port (for instrument connection if required)
Internet Access	Required for software updates and instrument connection (if applicable)

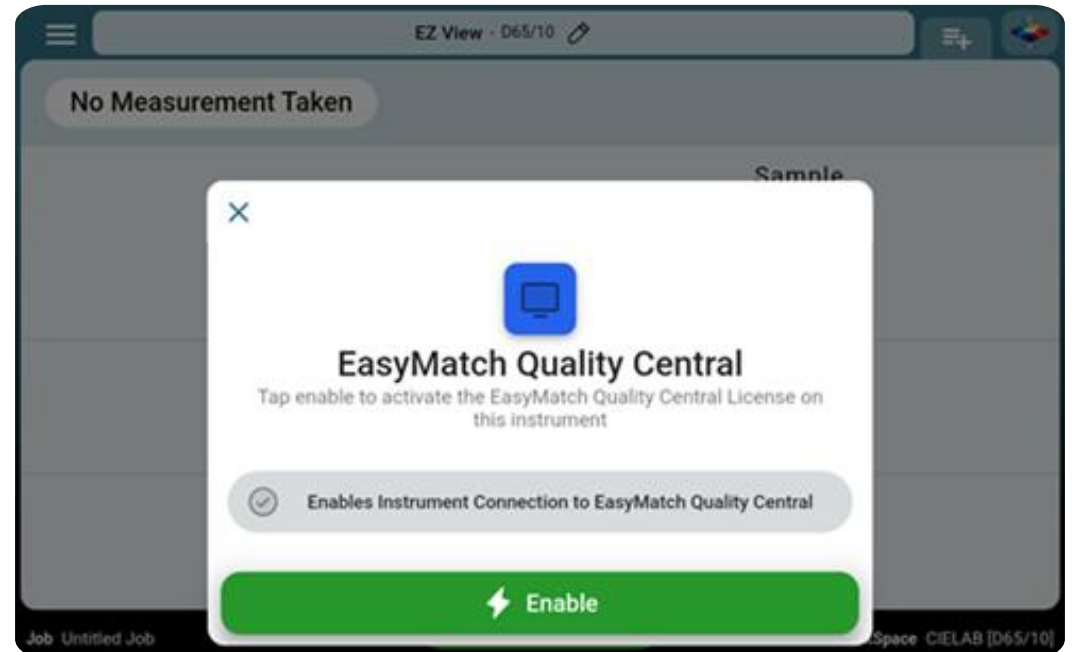


Activate the License on the Instrument

Insert the USB flash drive containing the Quality Central license into the instrument.

When the activation prompt appears on the Essentials L2 screen, select Enable.

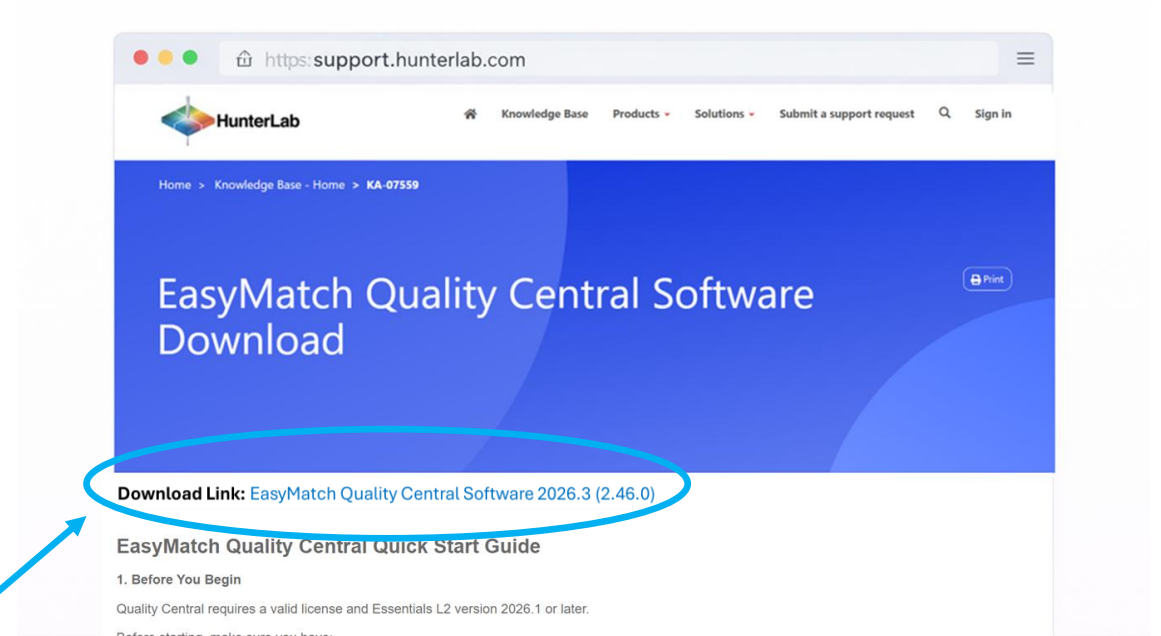
Once activated, the instrument is ready for connection to Quality Central.



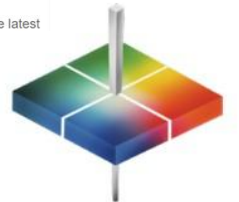
Install EasyMatch Quality Central on PC

Download the installer from support.hunterlab.com and run it on your PC.

Follow the installation prompts and launch the application when installation completes.



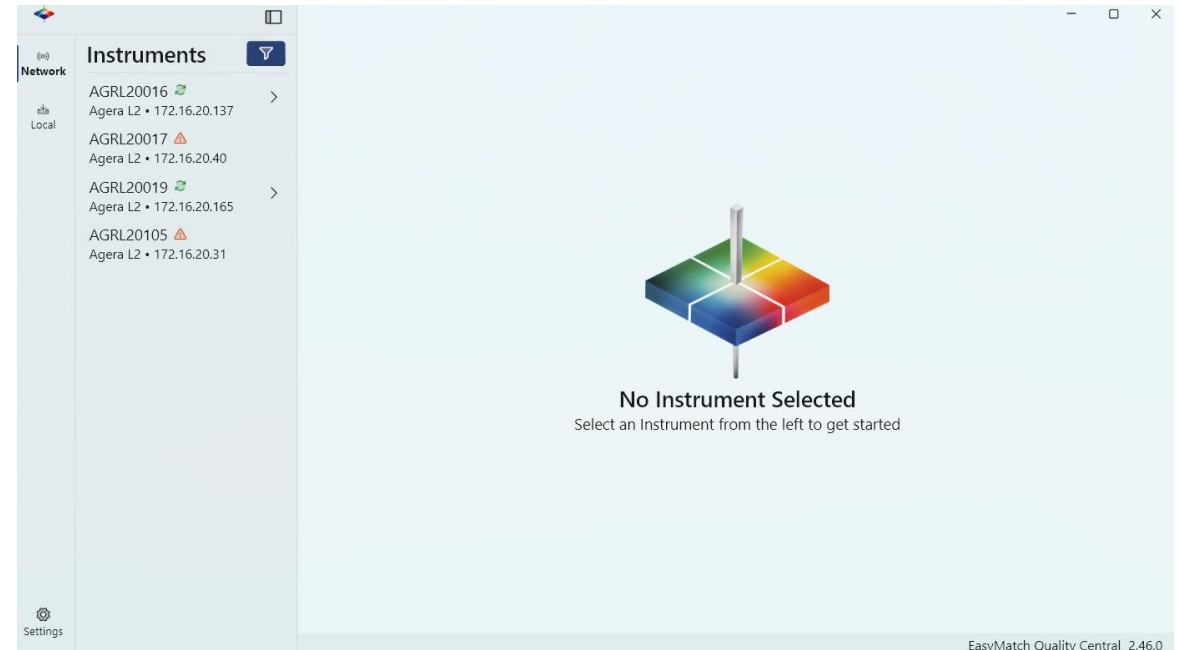
Download Link: [EasyMatch Quality Central Software \(latest version\)](#)



Connect the Instrument

When Quality Central opens, available instruments appear in the Instruments panel.

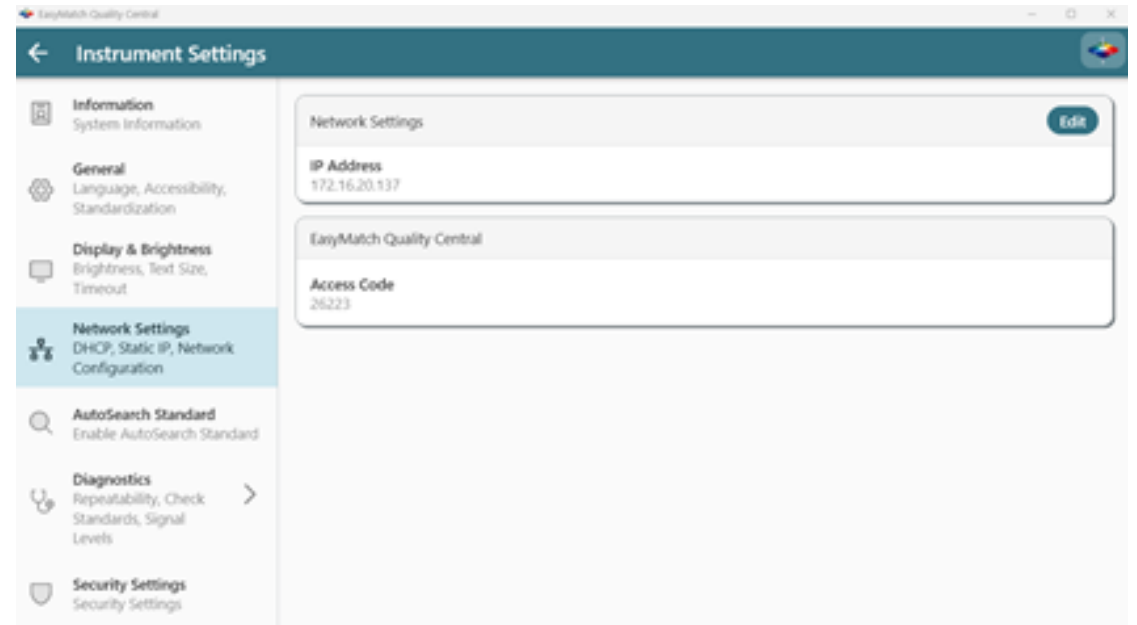
- Double-click the instrument you want to connect to.
- For proper communication, both the Essentials L2 software and Quality Central software must be running the same version.



Connect the Instrument

The first time you connect, you will be prompted to enter an access code. On the instrument, navigate to:

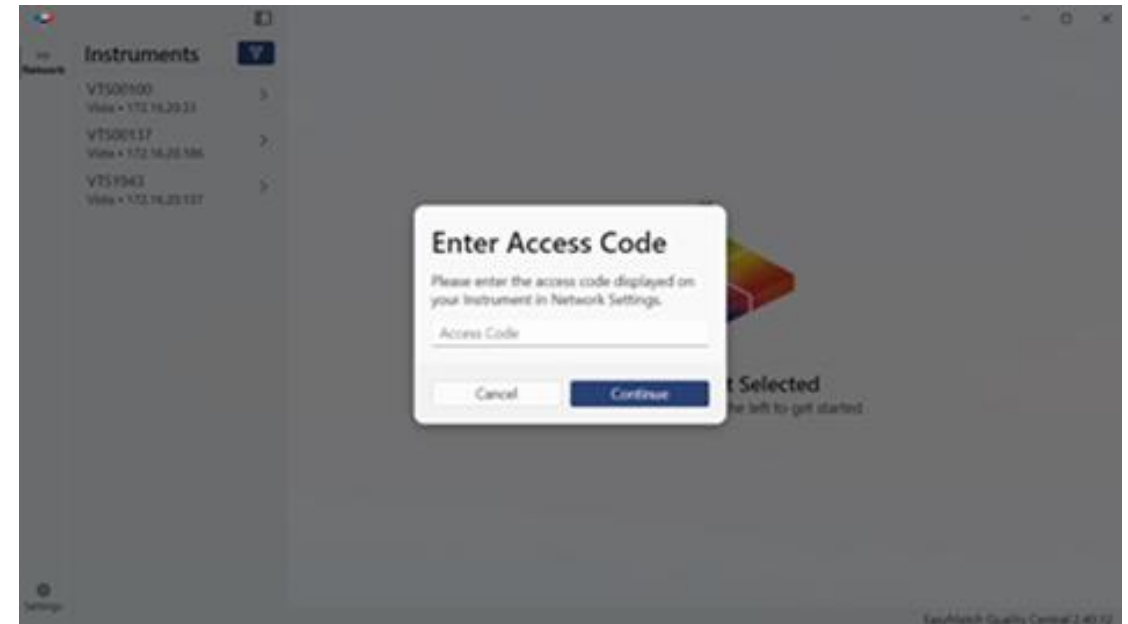
Essentials L2 System Menu →
Instrument Settings → Network
Settings



Connect the Instrument

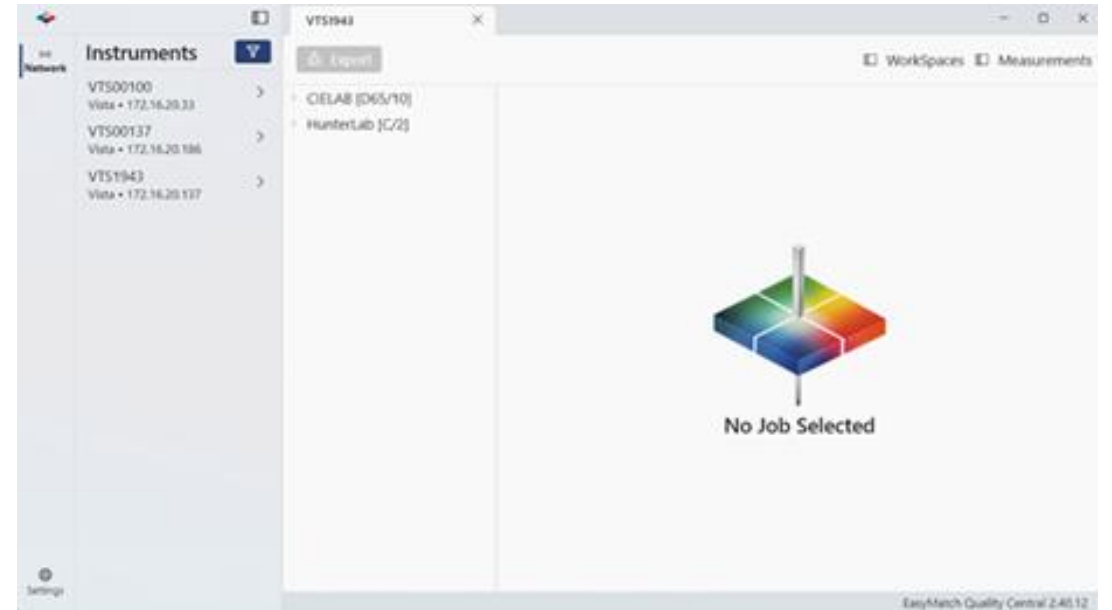
Access code displayed in Essentials
L2 Network Settings

Enter this Access code in EasyMatch
Quality Central



Viewing Measurement Data

All WorkSpaces and Jobs on the instrument are synchronized automatically in Quality Central.



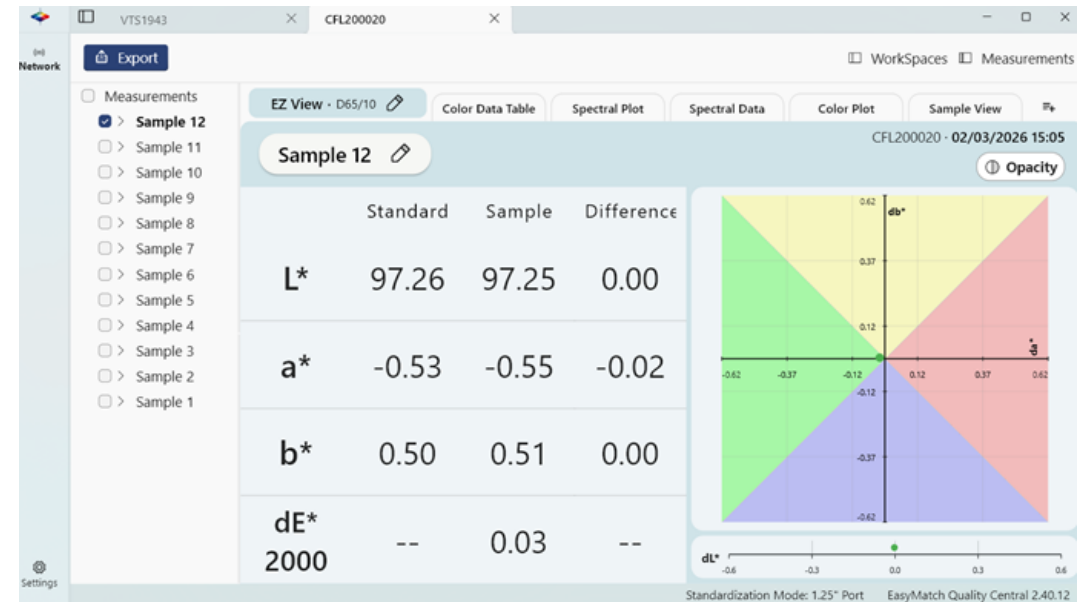
Viewing Measurement Data

Open a Job: Double-click a Job to load its measurements.

Display Data: Select one or more measurements to display them in the available views, including:

- EZ View
- Color Data Table
- Spectra Plot
- Spectra Data Table
- Color Plot
- Sample Image.

You may collapse the Workspace or Measurement panels to enlarge the data display area.



Data Output

Copy and Paste

- Measurement data shown in the Color Data Table or Spectra Data Table can be copied directly into a spreadsheet.
- After selecting the desired measurements, right-click and choose Copy or Copy with Header. Standard keyboard shortcuts are supported.

Export Measurements

- Measurements can be exported in a configured format per WorkSpace.
- Select the measurements and use the Export function to choose file format and destination. The export configuration is saved with the WorkSpace.



Data Output

Automatic CSV Export (File Sync)

Quality Central can automatically export measurements to CSV files.

- Enable File Sync in the WorkSpace settings, then configure the destination folder and export rules under Settings → Integrations.
- Once enabled, CSV files update automatically when new measurements are taken.

File Sync cannot be enabled on default WorkSpaces. A custom WorkSpace must be created first.



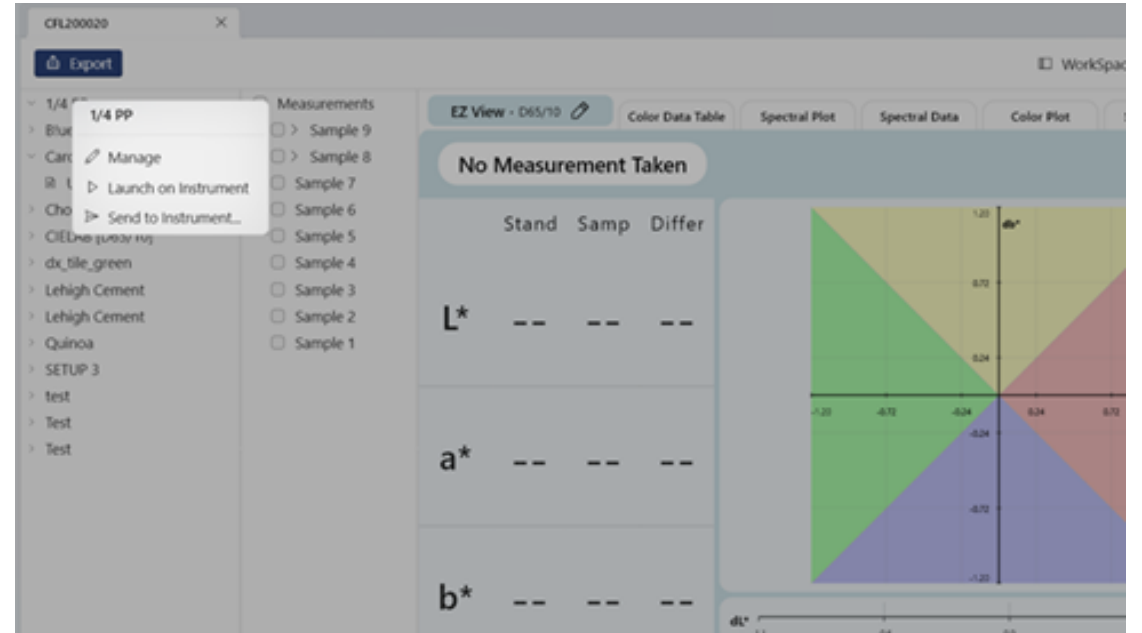
Launch/Send WorkSpace: Quality Central to Essentials L2

Launch on Instrument

A WorkSpace or Job can be opened directly on the instrument Essentials L2 from Quality Central.

Send to Instrument

You can also send a WorkSpace to another Essentials L2 instrument, allowing standardized setup across multiple devices.



Legacy Data Import and Standard Migration

To preserve historical EasyMatch QC data in Quality Central, import legacy EasyMatch® QC jobs through

Settings → EasyMatchQC Import

Standards saved in EasyMatch® QC can be pushed to Essentials L2 instruments as WorkSpaces for consistent setup across instruments.



Congratulations!

You are now ready to:

- Synchronize measurement data continuously
- Monitor multiple instruments from one PC
- Copy and export data efficiently
- Automatically export measurement data
- Share WorkSpaces between instruments
- Import legacy EZMQC jobs and migrate standards

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