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Thank you for purchasing the AQ6370 Viewer.  
This user's manual lists precautions that must be taken during use, and contains useful information about the functions and operating procedures of the software program. To ensure correct use, please read this manual thoroughly during operation.  
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In addition to this manual, the AQ6370 Viewer Installation Manual (IM 735371-02E) is provided for installing and running the AQ6370 Viewer.  
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- **AQ6370 Viewer Installation Manual (IM 735371-02E)**

- **CD-ROM**

The CD-ROM contains the following items.

- AQ6360 Viewer (software for AQ6360, included with CD-ROM Edition 14 or later)
- AQ6370 Viewer (software for AQ6370)
- AQ6370B Viewer (software for AQ6370B, included with CD-ROM Edition 5 or later)
- AQ6370C Viewer (software for AQ6370C, included with CD-ROM Edition 7 or later)
- AQ6370D Viewer (software for AQ6370D, included with CD-ROM Edition 9 or later)
- AQ6373 Viewer (software for AQ6373, included with CD-ROM Edition 6 or later)
- AQ6373B Viewer (software for AQ6373B, included with CD-ROM Edition 10 or later)
- AQ6374 Viewer (software for AQ6374, included with CD-ROM Edition 13 or later)
- AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376 Viewer (software for AQ6375, included with CD-ROM Edition 12 or later)
- AQ6377 Viewer (software for AQ6377, included with CD-ROM Edition 18 or later)
- OSA Viewer (common software, included with CD-ROM Edition 14 or later)
- AQ6370 Firmware Updater  
The updater is used when the AQ6370 firmware version is older than R02.01.
- AQ6370 Viewer User's Manual (this manual)

- **License sheet (1)**

You must enter the license code indicated on the license sheet when you start the software program. For details, see section 2.1, "Starting and Closing the Software Program."

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# System Requirements and Notes on Using the Software Program

## PC System Requirements

### PC

A PC running following operating system with at least 256 MB of memory (512 MB or more recommended).

### Operating System

- Windows Vista (32 bit/64 bit) (Service Pack 2 or later)
- Windows 7 (32 bit/64 bit) (Service Pack 1 or later)
- Windows 8/8.1 (32 bit/64 bit)
- Windows 10 (32 bit/64 bit)

### CD-ROM Drive

A CD-ROM drive is required to install this software program.

### Ethernet interface

A LAN port (100BASE-TX) is required to use the Optical Spectrum Analyzer in remote control mode or file transfer mode.

### Display, Mouse, and Printer

- Display: 1024 × 768 pixels, 65536 colors or more
- Mouse and printer: Those compatible with the operating systems above (the printer is required when printing a hard copy of the screen)

## Notes on Using the Software Program

### Storing the CD-ROM

Please store the original CD-ROM (containing the software program) in a safe place. During the actual operation, use the software program that is installed on the hard disk.

### Precautions to Be Taken When Using the Software Program

- Do not operate the Optical Spectrum Analyzer from the panel while you are controlling the Optical Spectrum Analyzer using this software program. If you do, operation errors can result.
- Only a single Optical Spectrum Analyzer can be controlled by this software program. In addition, simultaneous connection to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer from multiple PCs is not allowed.
- Limitations exist such as in the result of the analysis function if a waveform file other than that of the AQ6360/AQ6370/AQ6370B/AQ6370C/AQ6370D/AQ6373/AQ6373B/AQ6374/AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6377 is loaded into this software program. For details, see page 1-5.

# Installing and Uninstalling the Software Program

## Procedure

### Installing the Software Program

The CD-ROM contains viewers corresponding to the various optical spectrum analyzer models.

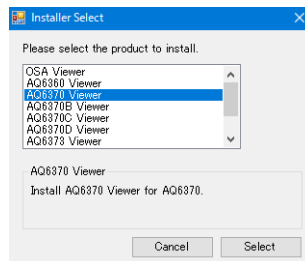
Select the viewer you want to install from the installation tool that starts automatically. If the installation tool does not start automatically, run Autorun.exe in the CD.

- To install AQ6360 Viewer: AQ6360 Viewer
- To install AQ6370 Viewer: AQ6370 Viewer
- To install AQ6370B Viewer: AQ6370B Viewer
- To install AQ6370C Viewer: AQ6370C Viewer
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- To install AQ6373 Viewer: AQ6373 Viewer
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- To install AQ6374 Viewer: AQ6374 Viewer
- To install AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376 Viewer: AQ6375&76 Viewer
- To install AQ6377 Viewer: AQ6377 Viewer
- To install OSA Viewer: OSA Viewer

The procedure below is for installing the software program on Windows 7.

AQ6370 Viewer is used for this example. For other viewer, substitute "AQ6360/AQ6370B/AQ6370C/AQ6370D/AQ6373/AQ6373B/AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/OSA/AQ6377" wherever "AQ6370" appears.

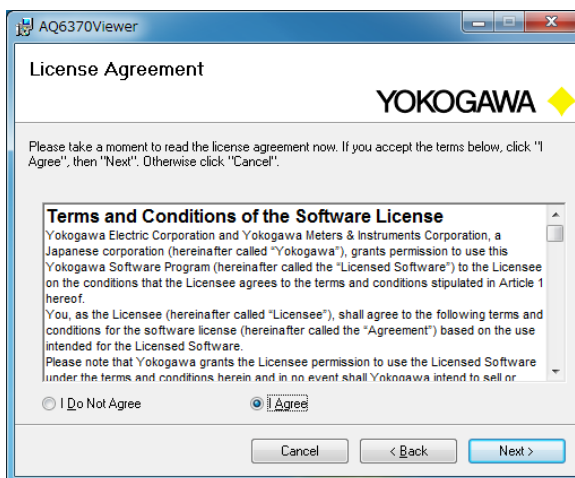
1. Start Windows and log on with administrator privileges. If AQ6370 Viewer is already installed, uninstall it first.
2. Load the disc into the CD-ROM drive.  
The installation tool starts automatically.
3. Select AQ6370 Viewer, and then click **Select**. The installation begins



4. Press the **Next** button.



5. Read the license agreement carefully. If you agree to the terms, click the **I Agree** option button and then click **Next**.



6. Select the installation destination drive and folder, and click **Next**. The installation destination setup screen shown below opens. The default installation destination is C:\Program Files\Yokogawa\.



7. In the installation destination confirmation screen, click **Next**. The software installation starts. A progress bar is shown in the screen while the installation is in progress.

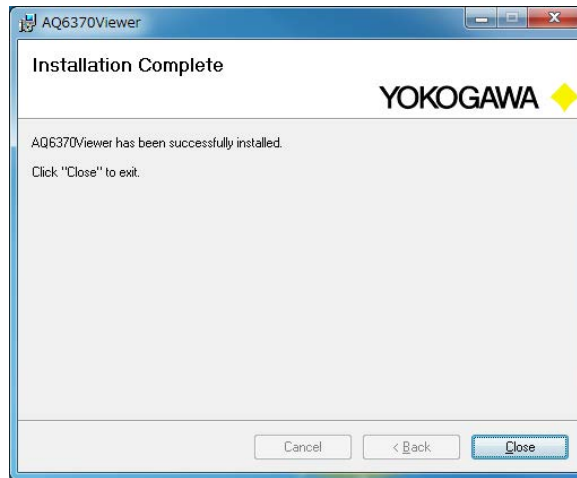




## Installing and Uninstalling the Software Program

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8. Click **Close** to finish the installation.  
Yokogawa > AQ6370 Viewer is added to Programs in the Start menu in the task bar, and a AQ6370 Viewer shortcut icon is created on the desktop.



### **Note**

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- When you run the AQ6370 Viewer for the first time, a license confirmation screen opens. Click Input License code, and enter the license code indicated in the license seal to open the main screen. For details, see section 2.1, "Starting and Closing the Software Program."
  - AQ6360 Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 14 or later.
  - AQ6370B Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 5 or later.
  - AQ6370C Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 7 or later.
  - AQ6370D Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 9 or later.
  - AQ6373 Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 6 or later.
  - AQ6373B Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 10 or later.
  - AQ6374 Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 13 or later.
  - AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376 Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 12 or later.
  - AQ6377 Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 18 or later.
  - OSA Viewer is included with CD-ROM Edition 14 or later.
  - Multiple different models of Viewers can be installed on the same PC.
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## Uninstalling the Software Program

The procedure below is for uninstalling the software program on Windows 7.

1. On the task bar, click the Start button and choose Control Panel.
2. Double-click **Uninstall program of Programs** from the Control Panel.
3. In the Programs and Features window, select AQ6370 Viewer, and click **Uninstall**.  
A confirmation dialog box for deleting the program opens.
4. Click **Yes**.  
The software program is uninstalled.

### **Note**

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The files that the user saved (waveform files, etc.) remain in the following folder even if you uninstall the software program.

My Document\AQ6370Viewer Data

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# 1.1 Operation Modes

## Model-specific Software and Common Software

This software product contains two types of software:

- Model-specific software
- Common software (OSA Viewer)

### Model-Specific Software

The model-specific software has the following three operation modes.

The relationship between these modes will be explained using the AQ6370 Viewer window as an example.

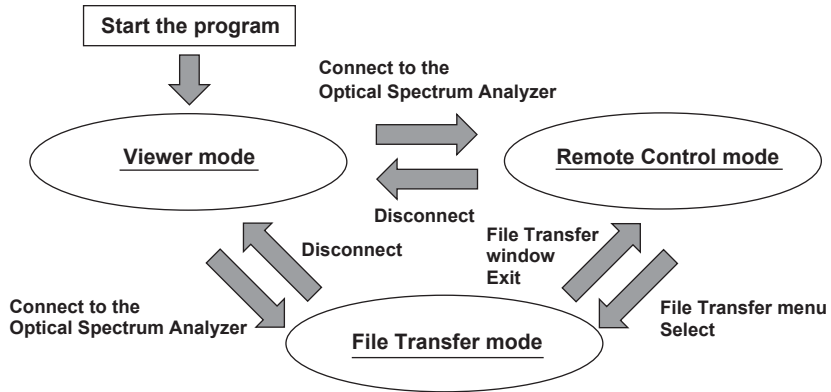
An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.

The software application has the three operation modes listed below.

The program starts in Viewer mode.

The mode switches to Remote Control if you connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.

Select FileTransfer in the main menu to switch to File Transfer mode.

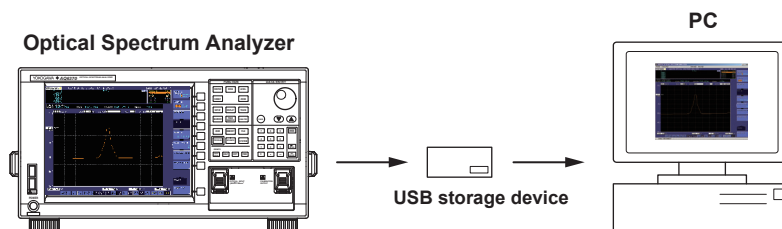


### Viewer Mode

The Optical Spectrum Analyzer display is shown on the PC display. You can use the mouse and keyboard to operate the display in the same manner as with the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.

You can carry out the following operations in Viewer mode.

- Load the waveform data that was saved on the AQ6360/AQ6370/AQ6370B/AQ6370C/AQ6370D/AQ6373/AQ6373B/AQ6374/AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6377 to the USB storage device and display the waveform in the screen.  
Waveform data saved on the AQ6317 or AQ6319 can also be loaded.
- Perform marker operations and analysis on the displayed waveform and display the result.
- Create and edit programs and template data.
- Save the created data to a file.



## 1.1 Operation Modes

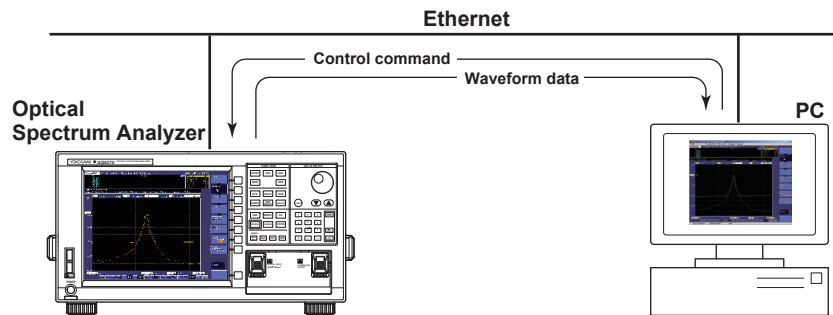
### Display Examples



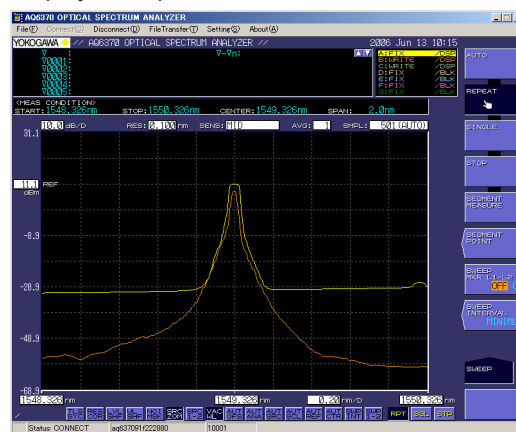
### Remote Control Mode

The same display as the display on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer connected via the Ethernet interface is shown on the PC display. You can use the mouse and keyboard to operate the display in the same manner as with the Optical Spectrum Analyzer unit. You can carry out the following operations in Remote Control mode.

- Set the measurement conditions on the target Optical Spectrum Analyzer and execute measurements.
- Display the waveform data that is measured on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer on the PC display.
- Perform marker operations and analysis on the displayed waveform and display the result.



### Display Examples

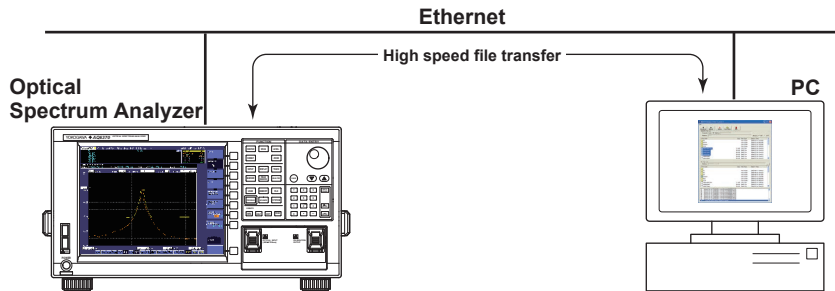


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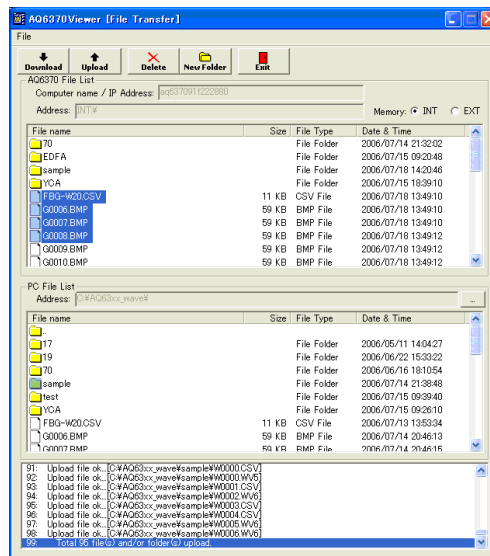
The waveform data that can be loaded in Remote Control mode is the data stored on the PC in which this software program is installed. In addition, waveform data can be saved in Remote Control mode only to the PC in which this software program is installed.

### File Transfer Mode

Files that are stored in the Optical Spectrum Analyzer can be transferred at high speeds to the PC via the Ethernet interface. Files also be transferred from the PC to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.



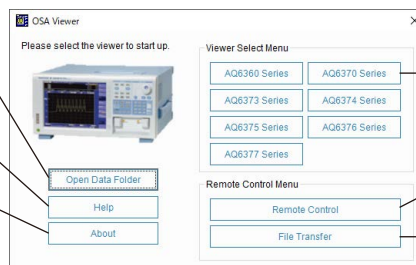
### Display Examples



### Common Software (OSA Viewer)

When you start OSA Viewer, the top menu appears. For this top menu, you can start various software applications such as Viewer, Remote Control, and File Transfer. These applications provide functions that are nearly equivalent as the Viewer, Remote Control, and File Transfer modes of the model-specific software.

- Displays the data save destination folder (user folder)
- Displays the user's manual
- Displays the version and license information of this software



- Starts the Viewer software of each model
- Starts the Remote Control software
- Starts the File Transfer software

OSA Viewer supports the AQ6360 Series (AQ6360), AQ6370 Series (AQ6370D/AQ6370C), AQ6373 Series (AQ6373/AQ6373B), AQ6375 Series (AQ6375/AQ6375B), AQ6373 Series (AQ6374), AQ6376 Series (AQ6376) and AQ6377 Series (AQ6377). It does not support the AQ6370 or AQ6370B.

## 1.2 Functional Difference in Operation Modes and Loadable Files

### Functional Differences in Operation Modes

The functions that you can execute vary depending on the operation mode as follows:

- **Viewer Mode**  
Almost all the functions except the sweep function can be executed. Some commands do not operate in the execution of the program function.
- **Remote Control Mode**  
Almost all the functions except the program function can be executed. However, the waveform displayed on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and the waveform displayed on the PC display may not match during remote control.
- **File Transfer Mode**  
Only file transfer between the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and the PC is possible.

### Main Operation Differences in Viewer and Remote Control Modes

For details, see section 4.3, “Soft Key Menu in Viewer Mode” and section 5.3, “Soft Key Menu in Remote Control Mode.”

Front Panel Key Menu	Viewer Mode	Remote Control Mode	Note
CENTER	Yes	Yes	
SPAN	Yes	Yes	
LEVEL	Yes	Yes	
SWEEP	No	Yes	AUTO, REPEAT, SINGLE, STOP, and SEGMENT MEASURE cannot be used in Viewer mode.
ZOOM	Yes	Limit	Waveform magnification and reduction can be carried out only on the PC in Remote Control mode.
SETUP	Yes	Yes	
TRACE	Yes	Limit	Waveform does not match between the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and PC when using ROLL AVG, MAX HOLD, or MIN HOLD in Remote Control mode.
DISPLAY	Limit	Limit	DISPLAY OFF cannot be used in Viewer mode. Waveform does not match between the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and PC when using NOISE MASK operation in Remote Control mode.
MARKER	Yes	Limit	Marker function can only be used on the PC in Remote Control mode (line markers 1 and 2 can be used on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer).
PEAK SEARCH	Yes	Limit	The search mode setting and multi search function can only be executed on the PC in Remote Control mode.
ANALYSIS	Yes	Limit	The analysis function can only be executed on the PC in Remote Control mode.
USER	Yes	Yes	
MEMORY	Yes	Yes	
FILE	Yes	Yes	
PROGRAM	Limit	Limit	Editing is allowed only on the PC. Some commands cannot be executed in Viewer mode. Programs cannot be executed in Remote Control mode.
ADVANCE	Limit	Limit	DATA LOGGING > START cannot be used in Viewer mode. DATA LOGGING cannot be used in Remote Control mode. Template editing and execution are allowed on the PC in Remote Control mode.
SYSTEM	Limit	Limit	OPTICAL ALIGNMENT, WL CALIBRATION, SYSTEM INFORMATION, and RES BW CALIBRATION cannot be performed in Viewer mode. The progress of OPTICAL ALIGNMENT, WL CALIBRATION, and RES BW CALIBRATION is not displayed in Remote Control mode.
UNDO/LOCAL	No	Yes	
COPY	Yes	Yes	
FEED	No	No	AQ6370, AQ6370B, AQ6370C, AQ6375, AQ6373
PRESET	Yes	Yes	Excludes above
HELP	Yes	Yes	

Yes: Available, No: Not available, Limit: With limitation.

## Loadable Files

In Viewer or Remote Control mode, the files listed below that have been stored on the AQ6360, AQ6370, AQ6370B, AQ6370C, AQ6370D, AQ6373, AQ6373B, AQ6375, AQ6375B, AQ6376, AQ6377, AQ6317, or AQ6319 can be loaded. The extensions of the loadable data are given in parentheses.

### AQ6360 Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, wva, wx9, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wva, wx9, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.sta, .st9, .st8, .st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pga, .pg9, .pg8, .pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dta, .dt9, .dt8, .dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)

### AQ6370 Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)

### AQ6370B Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st8, .st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg8, .pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt8, .dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)

### AQ6370C Viewer and AQ6370D Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st8, .st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg8, .pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt8, .dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)
- Logging data (.lg8)

### AQ6373 Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st9, .st8, .st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg9, .pg8, .pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt9, .dt8, .dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)

### AQ6373B Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st9, .st8, .st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg9, .pg8, .pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt9, .dt8, .dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)
- Logging data (.lg9, .lg8)

## 1.2 Functional Difference in Operation Modes and Loadable Files

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### AQ6374 Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wx9, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wx9, .wv9, .wv8, wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.sx9, .st9, .st8, .st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg9, .pg8, .pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt9, .dt8, .dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)
- Logging data (.lx9, .lg9, .lg8)

### AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376 Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)

### AQ6377 Viewer

- Waveform data (.csv, .wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Memory data (.csv, .wv7, .wv6, .wv5, .wv4, and .txt)
- Setup data (.st7, .st6, .st5, and .st4)
- Program data (.pg7, .pg6, .pg5, and .pg4)
- Analysis result data (.dt7, .dt6, .dt5, .dt4, and .csv)
- Template data (.csv)

### **Note**

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- If AQ6317 or AQ6319 data are loaded, some functions can not be executed.
  - To analyze waveform data from the AQ6360, AQ6370, AQ6370B, AQ6370C, AQ6370D, AQ6373, AQ6373B, AQ6374, AQ6375, AQ6375B, AQ6376 or AQ6377 use the model's corresponding Viewer.  
Otherwise, the following analysis results and the displayed contents cannot be guaranteed.  
(including AQ6317 or AQ6319 waveform data)  
Power analysis, LED analysis, WDM analysis, OSNR (WDM) analysis, EDFA-NF analysis, and switching of the vertical axis unit to dBm/nm
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## Connectable AQ6370s and Firmware Update

Main unit firmware updates are sometimes required with the AQ6370.

With the AQ6360/AQ6370B/AQ6370C/AQ6370D/AQ6373/AQ6373B/AQ6374/AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6377, updates are not required. Connection can be made regardless of the version.

### AQ6370s required updates

If the firmware version is older than R02.01, update the firmware using the AQ6370 Firmware Updater in the UPDATE folder (UPDATEFILE\AQ6370) on the accompanying CD-ROM.

The AQ6370s that can be connected in Remote Control mode and File Transfer mode are those with firmware version R02.01 or later.

### Checking the Firmware Version

1. Press **SYSTEM** on the AQ6370.
2. Press the **MORE** soft key to display MORE 4/4.
3. Press the **VERSION** soft key.

### Update Procedure

1. Insert the accompanying CD-ROM and a USB memory into the PC.
2. Copy the UPDATE folder on the CD-ROM to the USB memory.
3. Insert the USB memory into the AQ6370.
4. Update the firmware according to the procedure given in section 10.1, "Upgrading the Firmware" in the AQ6370 Optical Spectrum Analyzer User's Manual (IM 735301-01E).

### **Note**

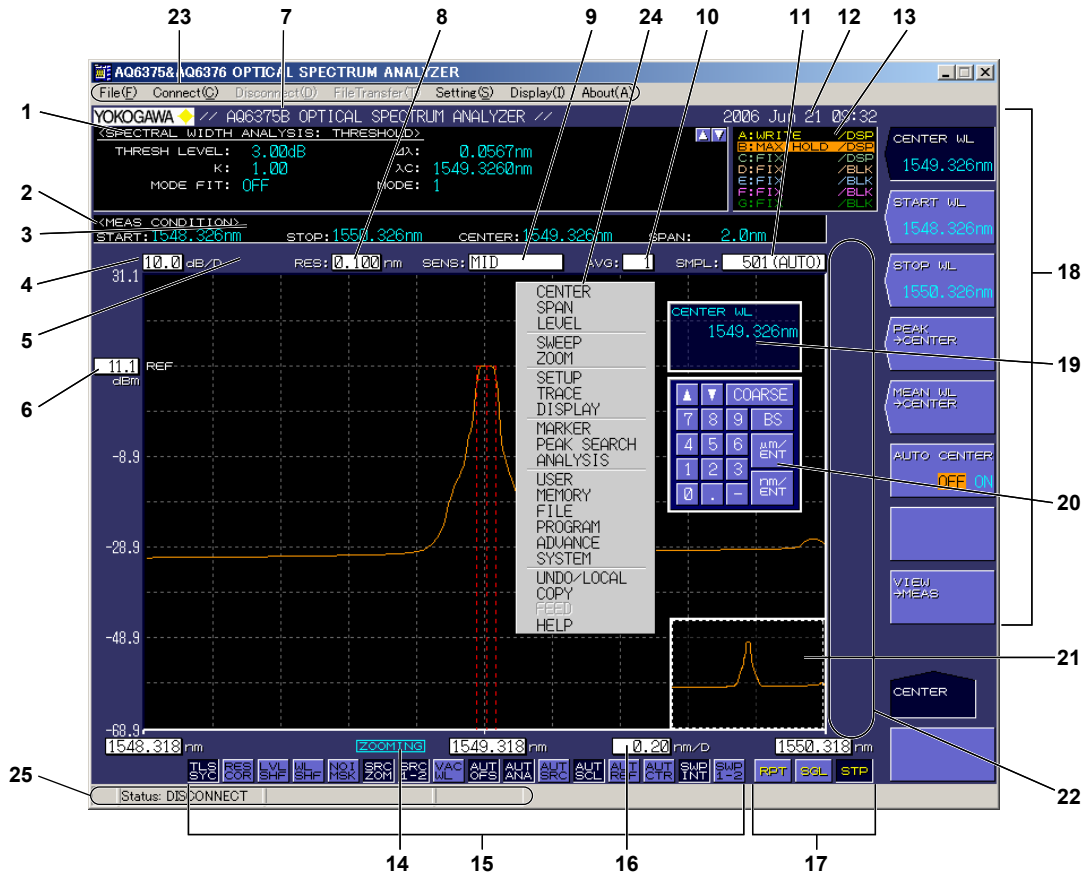
If the firmware version of the AQ6370 is already R02.01 or later, do not update the firmware.

## 1.3 Functions of the Parts of the Screen

The figure below shows the screen in Viewer mode.

The same screen as that of the actual instrument is displayed.

An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.



### No. Function

- 1 Data area
- 2 Measurement condition area
- 3 Displays **NEW** when the measurement conditions are changed.
- 4 Displays the level axis scale per division
- 5 Displays **UNCAL** when the settings for span, the number of sampling points, and the resolution are inappropriate.
- 6 Displays the reference level
- 7 Label area (up to 56 characters)
- 8 Displays the resolution
- 9 Displays the measurement sensitivity
- 10 Displays the average count
- 11 Displays the number of samples
- 12 Displays the year, month, date, and hour
- 13 Displays the status of each trace.
- 14 Displays **ZOOMING** when using the ZOOM function

- 15 Displays the typical setup status  
If a setting is turned ON, the button is shown depressed. If the screen is black and white, it is shown in black.  
TLS SYC.....ON/OFF setting of TLS SNC SWEEP (Not displayed when using AQ6373 Viewer)  
COR SIZ .....SMALL/LARGE setting of FIBER CORE SIZE (Only displayed when using AQ6373 Viewer)  
RES COR .....ON/OFF setting of RESOLN CORRECT  
LVL SHF .....ON/OFF setting of LEVEL SHIFT  
WF SHF .....ON/OFF setting of WF SHIFT  
NOI MSK .....NOISE MASK setting  
SRC ZOM .....ON/OFF setting of SEARCH/ANA ZOOM AREA  
SRC 1-2 .....ON/OFF setting of SEARCH/ANA L1-L2  
VAC WL .....MEAS WL setting  
AUT OFS .....ON/OFF setting of AUTO OFFSET  
AUT ANA .....ON/OFF setting of AUTO ANALYSIS  
AUT SRC .....ON/OFF setting of AUTO SEARCH  
AUT SCL .....ON/OFF setting of AUTO SUB SCALE  
AUT REF .....ON/OFF setting of AUTO REF LEVEL  
AUT CTR .....ON/OFF setting of AUTO CENTER  
SWP INT .....ON/OFF setting of SWEEP INTERVAL (Not displayed when using AQ6373 Viewer)  
SWP 1-2 .....ON/OFF setting of SWEEP MKR L1-L2  
SMO OTH .....ON/OFF setting of SMOOTHING (Only displayed when using AQ6373 Viewer)  
RPT.....REPEAT (repeat sweep)  
SGL .....SINGLE (single sweep)  
SPT.....STOP (sweep stop)
- 16 Displays the wave length axis scale per division
- 17 Displays the sweep status  
RPT = Repeat, SGL = Single, and STP = Stop
- 18 Displays the soft key menu
- 19 Parameter value display area
- 20 Parameter value input area
- 21 OVERVIEW display screen  
Displayed only when using the ZOOM function.
- 22 Displays the sub scale
- 23 Main menu  
The main menu is different between the model-specific software and the common software.

**Model-specific software**

For a detailed description of the main menu, see section 3.1, "Main Menu."

- File .....Select to output a hard copy of the screen or when closing the software program.  
Connect .....Select to connect to the optical spectrum analyzer.  
Disconnect.....Select to disconnect the optical spectrum analyzer.  
File Transfer...Select to transfer files with the optical spectrum analyzer.  
Setting.....Select to set the folder for saving the loaded data.  
Display .....Select to display the model that measured the waveform data and the actual waveform resolution (AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376 Viewer only)  
About .....Select to check the software version.

**Common software**

For details on the main menu, see section 7.1, "Main Menu."

- Open File: .....Select this to select the waveform data to be displayed.  
Save Screen: .Select this to save the displayed screen as image data.  
Print: .....Select this to print a hard copy of the screen.  
Folder Setting: ....Select this to set the folder displayed on the Viewer's File menu.  
Trace List: .....Select this to display information about the displayed trace.  
Actual Resolution Table: ...Select this to display the horizontal resolution of the viewer.

### 1.3 Functions of the Parts of the Screen

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24 Front panel key menu  
A menu that is shown when you right-click the mouse. The menu is equivalent to the front panel keys of the optical spectrum analyzer.

25 Status Bar



**Port number of the destination optical spectrum analyzer**

**Computer name or IP address of the destination optical spectrum analyzer**

**Connection destination status (CONNECT or DISCONNECT)**

**Data transmission/reception indicator**

**(Turns green when a command or data is transmitted or received)**

## 2.1 Starting and Closing the Software Program

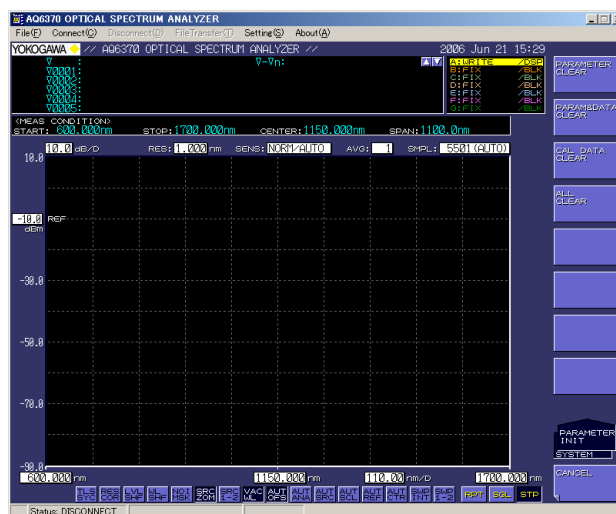
### Procedure

An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.

#### Starting the Software of Each Model

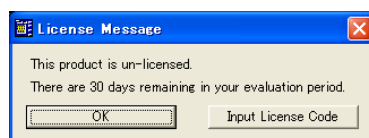
On the task bar, click the Start button, point to **Programs > Yokogawa > AQ6370 Viewer (AQ6360 Viewer/AQ6370B Viewer/AQ6370C Viewer/AQ6370D Viewer/AQ6373 Viewer/AQ6373B Viewer/AQ6374 Viewer/AQ6375&76 Viewer/AQ6377)** or double-click the AQ6370 Viewer/AQ6360 Viewer/AQ6370B Viewer/AQ6370C Viewer/AQ6370D Viewer/AQ6373 Viewer/AQ6373B Viewer/AQ6374 Viewer/AQ6375&76/AQ6377 Viewer shortcut icon.

When the program starts, the main windows shown below opens. The window shows the contents of the window that was shown when the program was closed the last time.

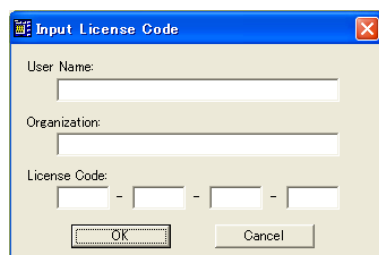


- **License Authentication**

When the program is started for the first time, a license authentication dialog box opens as shown below.

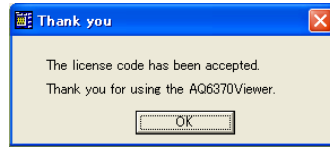


In the License Message dialog box, click **Input License Code**. In the Input License Code dialog box that opens, type the user name, organization (optional), and license code. The license code is indicated on the accompanying CD case or the license sheet.



## 2.1 Starting and Closing the Software Program

When the license is authenticated, the message below appears. Click **OK** to show the main window.



### Note

If the license code is not correct, an error message appears. If this happens, click **OK** and retype the license code again in the Input License Code dialog box.

### Exiting the Software

On the **File** menu, choose **Exit**.

### Starting the Common Software (OSA Viewer)

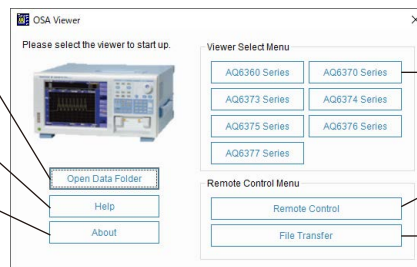
On the Windows start menu, click Programs > Yokogawa > OSA Viewer, or double-click the OSA Viewer icon on the desktop.

A navigation window appears.

Displays the data save destination folder (user folder)

Displays the user's manual

Displays the version and license information of this software



Starts the Viewer software of each model

Starts the Remote Control software

Starts the File Transfer software

When you start the viewer software, a license authentication window appears, as with the model-specific software. Proceed in the same manner as with the model-specific software.

For instructions on how to use the common software, see chapter 7.

### Exiting the Software

Click X in the upper right of the window.

## 2.2 Basic Operation Using the Mouse and Keys

### Mouse Operation

#### Displaying the Front Panel Key Menu

Right-click in the window. The front panel key names in the FUNCTION section of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer appear.

CENTER SPAN LEVEL
SWEEP ZOOM
SETUP TRACE DISPLAY
MARKER PEAK SEARCH ANALYSIS
USER MEMORY FILE PROGRAM ADVANCE SYSTEM
UNDO/LOCAL COPY FEED* HELP

\* PRESET on the AQ6360 Viewer, AQ6370D Viewer, the AQ6373B Viewer, AQ6374 Viewer, the AQ6375&76 Viewer and the AQ6377 Viewer

#### Choosing a Menu Command and Closing the Front Panel Key Menu

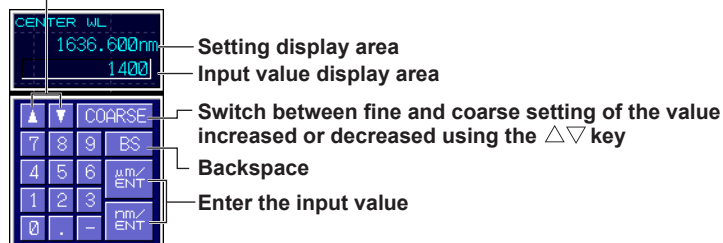
Left-click the desired menu command to switch to the corresponding soft key menu. If you choose a menu command, the front panel key menu clears. Clicking outside the front panel key menu also closes the menu.

#### Choosing a Soft Key and Operating the Parameter Value Display/Input Area

Left-click the desired soft key menu command.

If you choose a soft key that requires you to enter a value, a parameter display/input area appears. You can change the parameter value by clicking the keys in the input area as described below.

##### Increase or decrease the input value



#### Note

- If the value entered using the numeric keys do not match with allowable values, it is set to the closest allowable value.
- If you click the BS key repeatedly and the input value display area becomes empty, the input value area clears, and the screen returns to the condition before you started entering the values.
- If you want to set OFF on a parameter that can be set to OFF, hold down the ∇ key.

## Keyboard Operation

You can also use the PC keyboard to carry out operations as with the mouse. For the mapping of the panel keys to the keyboard, see the Panel Key Mapping Table below.

In addition, you can directly enter labels, file names, values, and the like from the keyboard.

**Panel Key Mapping Table**

Group	Function Name	Keyboard	Description
Setting or execution of each function	Sweep	SWEEP	[SHIFT]+[F1] Execute/Start the sweep.
	Measurement condition settings	CENTER	[SHIFT]+[F2] Set the measurement center wavelength.
		SPAN	[SHIFT]+[F3] Set the measurement span.
		LEVEL	[SHIFT]+[F4] Set the level axis.
		SETUP	[SHIFT]+[F5] Set the resolution, sensitivity, etc.
	Display condition settings	TRACE	[SHIFT]+[F6] Set the trace.
		ZOOM	[SHIFT]+[F7] Set the display scale.
		DISPLAY	[SHIFT]+[F8] Set the screen display.
	Analysis	MARKER	[SHIFT]+[F9] Set the marker.
		SEARCH	[SHIFT]+[F10] Peak/bottom search function
		ANALYSIS	[SHIFT]+[F11] Set the analysis function.
	Miscellaneous	USER	[ALT]+[F1] User-defined menu
		MEMORY	[ALT]+[F2] Memory
		FILE	[ALT]+[F3] Save to file, load from file, and other file operations.
		PROGRAM	[ALT]+[F4] Program function.
ADVANCE		[ALT]+[F5] Expansion function	
SYSTEM		[ALT]+[F6] Set the system.	
Soft keys	F1 to F9	F1 to F9	Varies depending on the menu.
Auxiliary keys	UNDO/LOCAL	[ALT]+[F9] Undo function.	
	COPY	[ALT]+[F10] Screen copy.	
	HELP	[ALT]+[F12] Display help (UNDO/LOCAL key to close help)	
Parameter value input	Numeric keys	0123456789.-	Enter values.
	BACK SPACE	Back Space	Backspace.
	μm/ENTER	None	Enter the input.
	nm/ENTER	ENTER	Enter the input.
	Rotary knob	[→] and [←]	Change the value or parameter.
	Arrow keys (▲▼)	[↑] and [↓]	Change the value step-wise, change the parameter, and scroll the table.
	COARSE	[ALT]+[N]	Switch between fine and coarse setting of the encoder.



## Soft Key Menu Shapes and Functions

The soft key menu comes in different shapes to indicate its functionality.



A normal soft key.  
Press to immediately execute the function.



There is a next level.  
Indicates that the related information of the displayed item is at the next level. Press to display the soft keys of the next level. Press when this key is at the bottom of the menu to switch the entire menu.



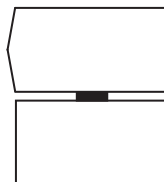
Displays a separate window.  
Press the soft key to display a separate window for entering a parameter value.



Displays the next hierarchy and a separate window.  
Press the soft key to move to the next hierarchy and display a separate window.



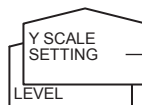
Soft key to return to the previous hierarchy.  
Press the soft key to return to the soft keys of the previous hierarchy.



Selection soft key.  
Select any of the soft keys connected with a black bar.  
The selected soft key is highlighted. Several soft keys may be connected.

### Note

The shapes shown on the last menu command (see below) are not soft keys. They indicate a front panel key name or the soft key menu hierarchy.



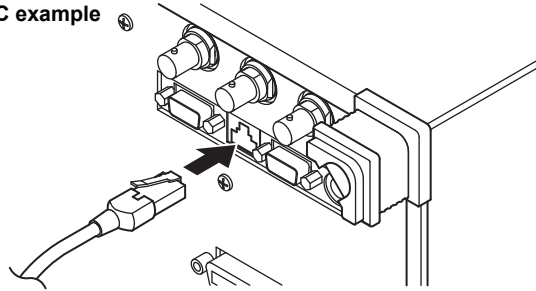
Indicates the soft key menu hierarchy.  
This indicates that the soft key menu is under the Y SCALE SETTING hierarchy.

## 2.3 Connecting and Setting the Ethernet Interface of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer

### Connection Procedure

Connect a UTP (Unshielded Twisted-Pair) cable or an STP (Shielded Twisted-Pair) cable that is connected to a hub, for example, to the 100BASE-TX port on the rear panel of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.

#### AQ6370C example



#### Precautions to Be Taken When Connecting the Cable

- Be sure to use a straight cable via a hub for the connection between the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and the PC.
- If you are using a UTP cable (straight cable), use a cable of category 5.

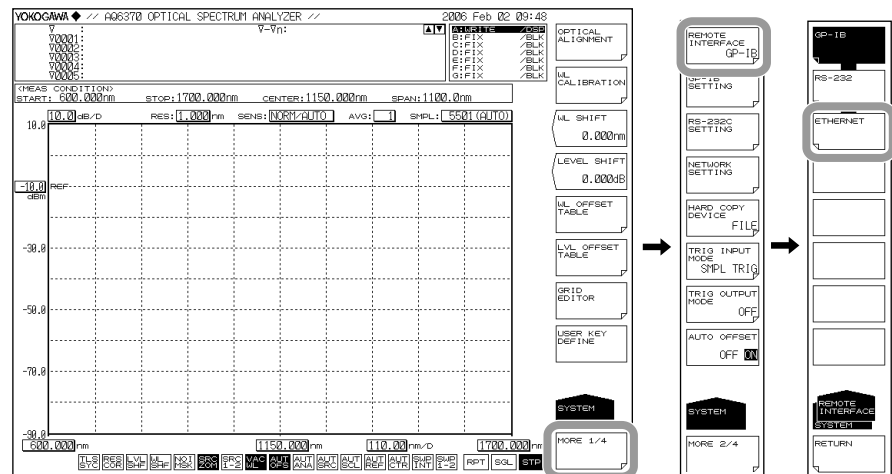
### Setting the Ethernet Interface

If you are using Remote Control mode or File Transfer mode, set the Ethernet interface of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer according to the following procedure. An AQ6370 screen is used for this example.

#### Procedure

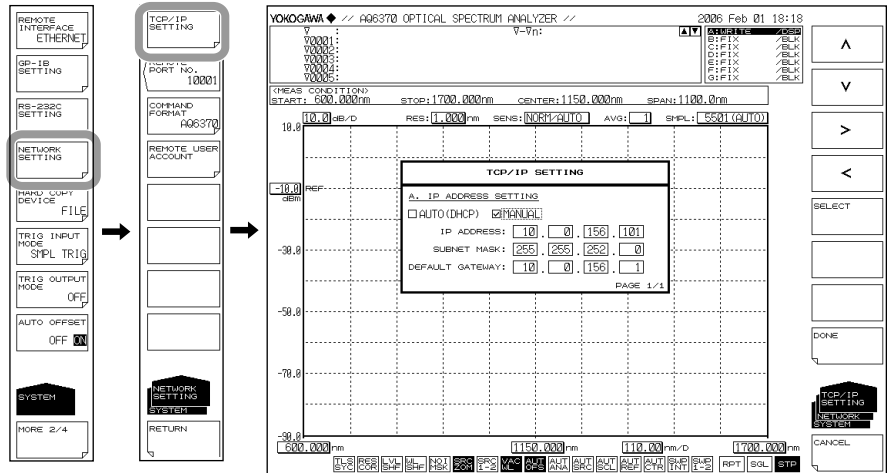
#### Selecting the Communication Interface

1. Press **SYSTEM**.  
The system setup menu appears.
2. Press the **MORE1/4** soft key.  
The communication interface setup menu appears.
3. Press the **REMOTE INTERFACE** soft key.  
A menu for selecting the interface appears.
4. Press the **ETHERNET** soft key to set the communication interface to Ethernet.



**Setting the TCP/IP Parameters**

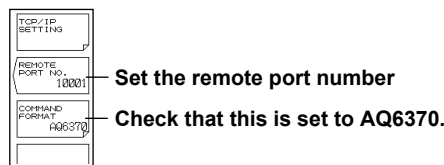
5. Press the **NETWORK SETTING** soft key.  
The Ethernet setup menu appears.
6. Press the **TCP/IP SETTING** soft key.  
The TCP/IP setup menu appears.



7. Press the < and > soft keys to select AUTO (DHCP) or MANUAL.
8. Press the **SELECT** soft key.
  - A check is placed by the selected item.
  - If you select AUTO, proceed to step 10.
9. If you select MANUAL, set the IP address, subnet mask, and default gateway. Press the <, >, ^, and v soft keys to select the input position, and press **ENTER**.
10. Enter the value using the **rotary knob** or **arrow keys**, and press **ENTER**.
11. After entering all the settings, press the **DONE** soft key.

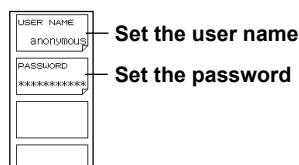
**Setting the Remote Port Number**

12. Press the **REMOTE PORT NO.** soft key.  
The port number setup screen appears.
13. Enter the port number using the **rotary knob** or **arrow keys**, and press **ENTER**.



**Setting the User Account Information**

14. Press the **USER ACCOUNT** soft key.  
The user account information setup screen appears.
15. Set the user name and password used to authenticate the remote connection.



### Explanation

#### Setting the TCP/IP Parameters

The IP address of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer must be set correctly to use this function correctly.

If a DHCP server is available on the network to which the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is connected, the IP address is automatically assigned. In this case, set [SYSTEM] <NETWORK SETTING><TCP/IP SETTING> IP ADDRESS SETTING to AUTO.

For details on the network to which the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is connected, consult your network administrator.

#### Setting the REMOTE PORT NO.

Set the port number used to perform remote control from the software program. The default value is 10001.

#### Connection

The Optical Spectrum Analyzer can connect to a single controller (external PC, etc.). If a connection request is received from a controller when the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is already connected, the current connection is maintained.

#### Computer Name

The computer name of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is as follows:

AQ6360: "AQ6360 @@@@@"  
AQ6370: "AQ6370 @@@@@"  
AQ6370B: "6370B @@@@@"  
AQ6370C: "6370C @@@@@"  
AQ6370D: "6370D @@@@@"  
AQ6373: "6373 @@@@@"  
AQ6373B: "6373B @@@@@"  
AQ6374: "6374 @@@@@"  
AQ6375: "AQ6375 @@@@@"  
AQ6375B: "6375B @@@@@"  
AQ6376: "6376 @@@@@"  
AQ6377: "6377 @@@@@"

Where @@@@@" is the serial number. The serial number is indicated by nine alphanumeric characters on the rear panel of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer. The computer name cannot be changed.

#### Setting the User Account

The software program performs authentication using the user name and password when making a remote connection to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.

The software program and the Optical Spectrum Analyzer use the MD5 algorithm (RSA Data Security, Inc. MD5 Message Digest Algorithm) for the password authentication.

The default user name is anonymous. When using this user name, the authentication password is not necessary.

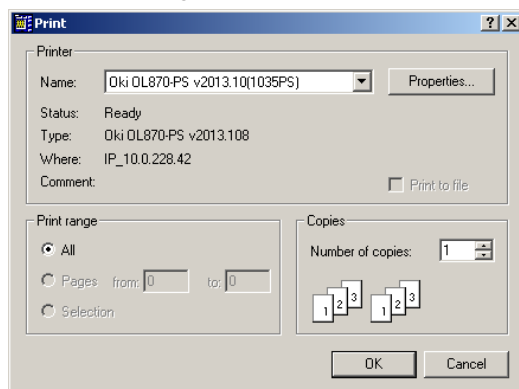
## 3.1 Main Menu

This section explains how to use the main menu of the model-specific software using the AQ6370 Viewer window as an example.

### File Menu

#### Print

Choose this command to output a hard copy of the screen to a printer connected to the PC. For the operating procedure, see section 3.2, “Making a Hard Copy of the Screen.”

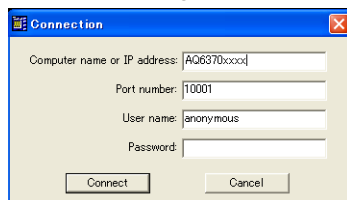


#### Exit

Choose this command to close the program.

### Connect Menu

Choose this menu to connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer via the Ethernet interface. When connected, the operation mode switches to Remote Control mode. For the operating procedure, see section 5.1, “Connect and Disconnect Operations.”



### Disconnect Menu

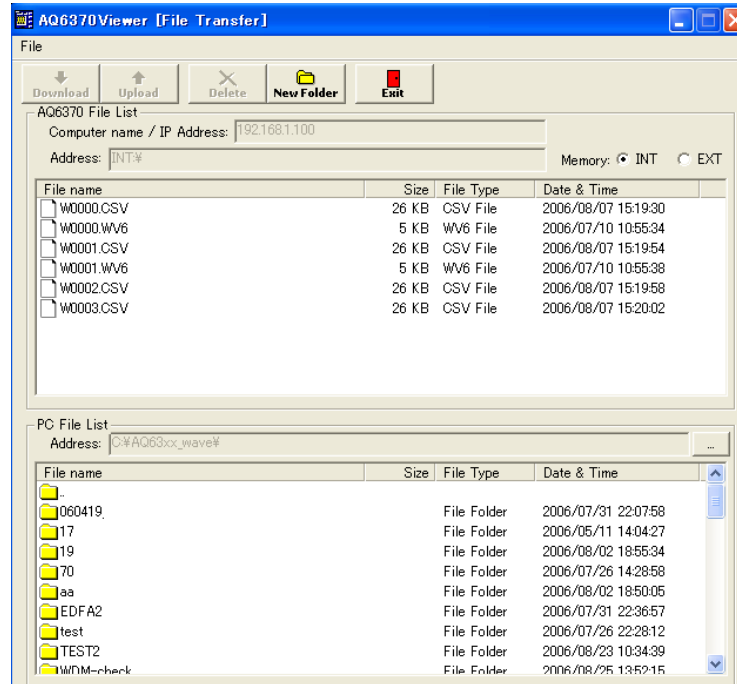
Choose this menu to stop the connection to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer. When you select the menu, the dialog box shown below appears. Click OK to stop the connection and switch back to Viewer mode. For the operating procedure, see section 5.1, “Connect and Disconnect Operations.”



### 3.1 Main Menu

## File Transfer Menu

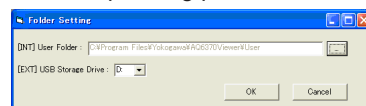
Choose this menu to transfer the data stored on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer to the PC. For the operating procedure, see section 6.1, "File Transfer Operation."



## Setting Menu

### Folder Setting

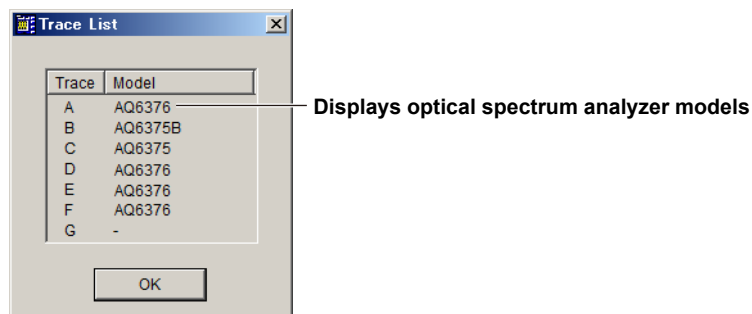
Choose this command to change the folder (user folder) on the PC for saving the file loaded in Viewer or Remote Control mode or the drive to which the USB storage device is connected. By default, the folder in which this program is stored is the user folder. For the operating procedure, see section 3.3, "Setting the User Folder."



## Display Menu

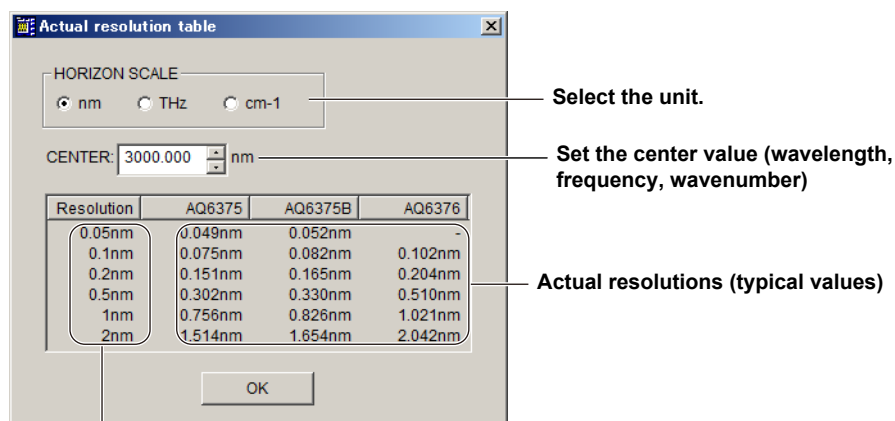
### Trace List (for AQ6360, AQ6374, AQ6375, AQ6375B, AQ6376 and AQ6377)

Lists the optical spectrum analyzer models that measured the waveform data of each trace.



### Actual resolution table (for AQ6375, AQ6375B and AQ6376)

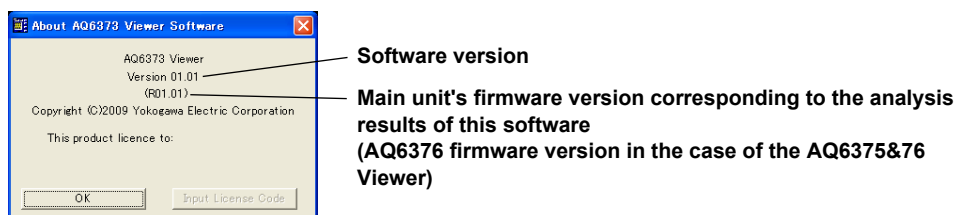
Lists the actual resolutions (typical values) determined from the center wavelengths of optical spectrum analyzer models (AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376) for each resolution setting.



Resolution settings

## About Menu

Choose this menu to check the software version.



### Note

- The version Rxx.xx (where xx are numbers) shown when you choose the About menu corresponds to the firmware version. If the Optical Spectrum Analyzer firmware version does not match the version shown here, the analysis results of this program may not match the those of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.
- The software version shown when you choose SYSTEM > VERSION in Remote Control mode is the Optical Spectrum Analyzer firmware version.

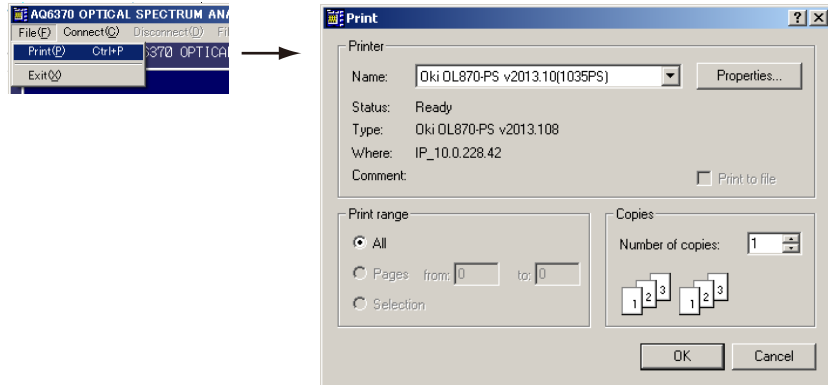
## 3.2 Making a Hard Copy of the Screen

You can print the displayed screen by carrying out the procedure below.

### Procedure

1. On the **File** menu, choose **Print**.

The print setup window opens.



2. Set the printer, the number of copies, and the like, and click **Print**.

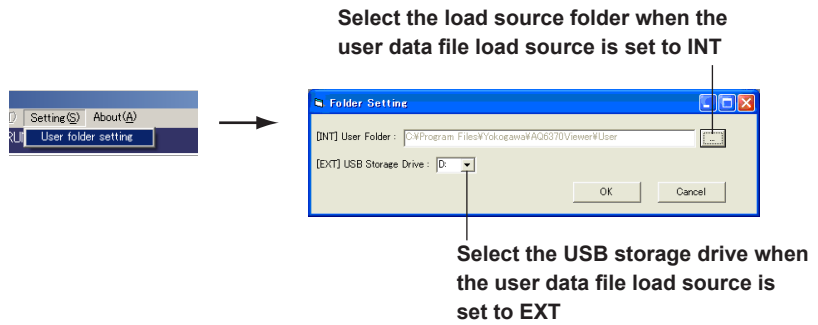


## 3.3 Setting the User Folder

You can change the user folder for saving the file loaded in Viewer or Remote Control mode (or the drive to which the USB storage device is connected) by carrying out the procedure below.

### Procedure

1. On the **Setting** menu, choose **User Folder Setting**.  
The folder setup window opens.



2. Select the folder or drive, and click **OK**.

## 4.1 Loading Waveform Data and Displaying Waveforms

You can load the waveform data and display the data on the screen by carrying out the procedure below. An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.

### Procedure

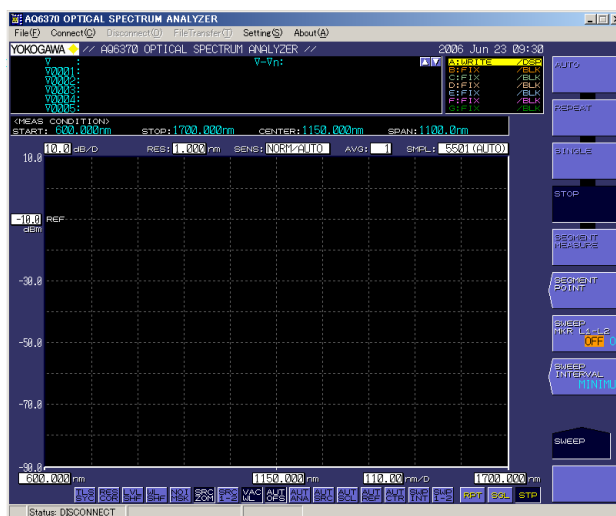
#### Preparing the Waveform Data

1. Copy the waveform data file you want to load from the USB storage medium to the user folder.
  - For the procedure to set the user folder, see section 3.3, "Setting the User folder."
  - For the procedure to save the waveform data to the USB storage medium, see section 8.3, "Saving/Loading Displayed Data" in the *Optical Spectrum Analyzer User's Manual*.
  - To load the waveform data file stored on the USB storage medium, insert the USB storage medium into the PC.

#### Loading the Waveform Data

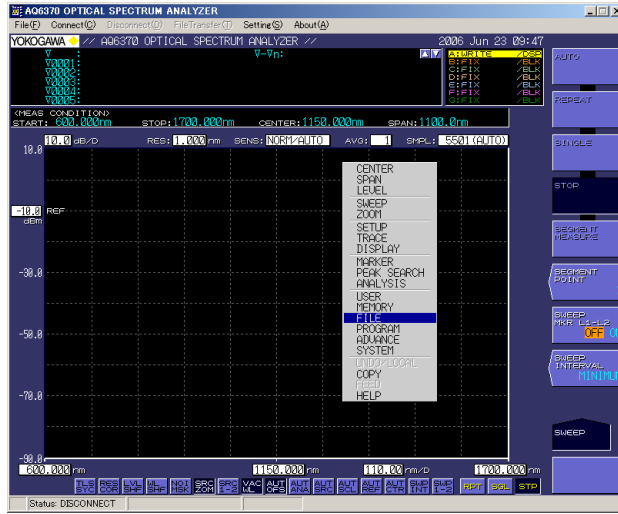
2. On the task bar, click the Start button, point to **Programs > Yokogawa > AQ6370 Viewer (AQ6360 Viewer/AQ6370B Viewer/AQ6370C Viewer/AQ6370D Viewer/AQ6373 Viewer/AQ6373B Viewer/AQ6374 Viewer/AQ6375&76 Viewer/AQ6377 Viewer)** to start the program.

You can also double-click the shortcut icon on the desktop.



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3. Right-click in the program window to show the front panel key menu.
4. On the front panel key menu, click **FILE**.



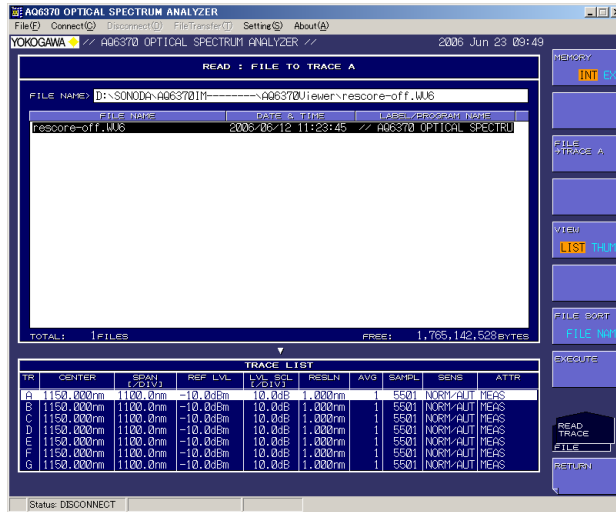
5. Check that ITEM SELECT is set to TRACE on the soft key menu, and click **READ** on the soft key menu.

If ITEM SELECT is not set to TRACE, click ITEM SELECT to select TRACE.



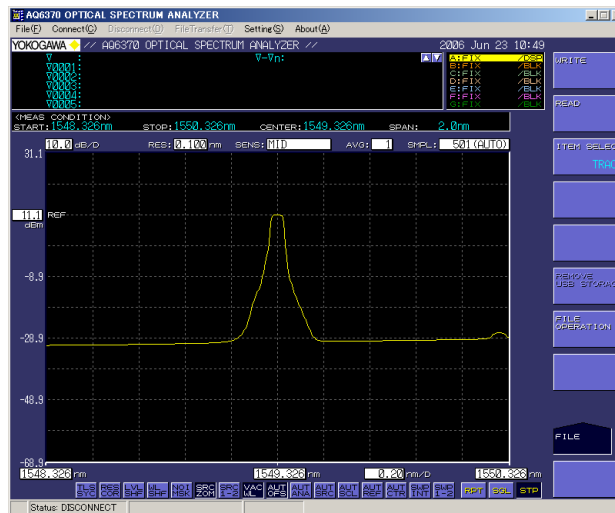
6. Select the file you want to load and click **EXECUTE** on the soft key menu.
  - The files in the user folder are displayed. For the procedure to change the user folder, see section 3.3, "Setting the User Folder."
  - To load the file directly from the USB storage medium, click MEMORY on the soft key menu to select EXT, and carry out this step.

For the procedure to change the drive to which the USB storage medium is connected, see section 3.3, "Setting the User Folder."



Displaying the Waveform

7. On the soft key menu, click **RETURN**.  
The waveform of the loaded data is displayed as shown below.

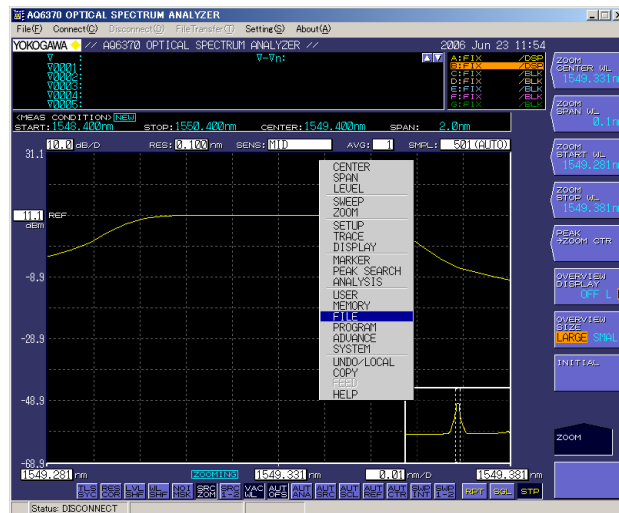


## 4.2 Saving the Setup Data

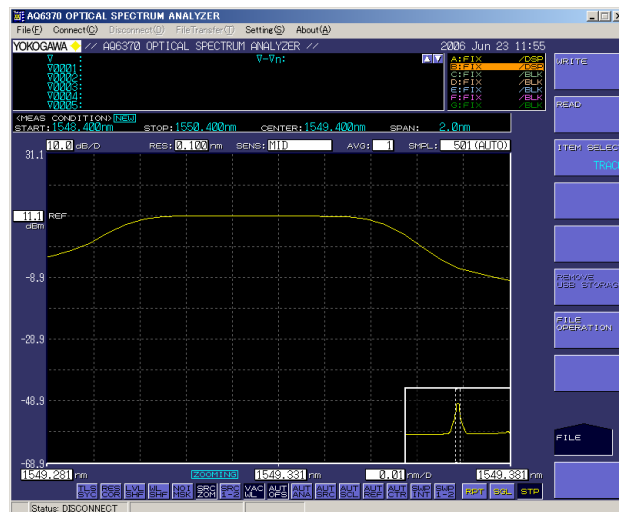
You can save the measurement and display conditions you set in Viewer mode by carrying out the procedure below.  
An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.

### Procedure

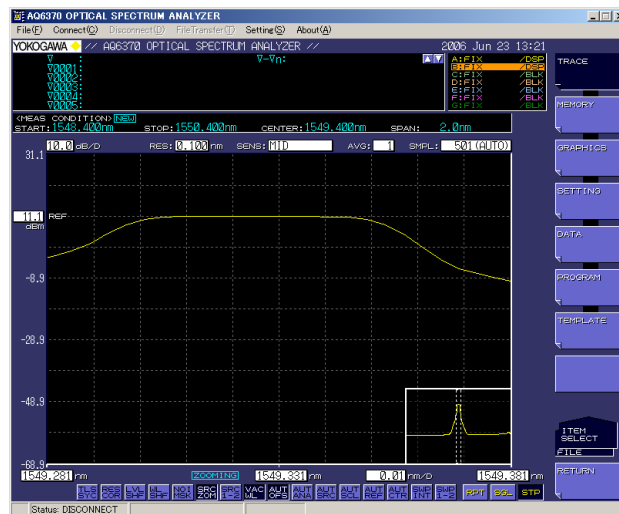
1. Right-click in the program window to show the front panel key menu.
2. On the front panel key menu, click **FILE**.



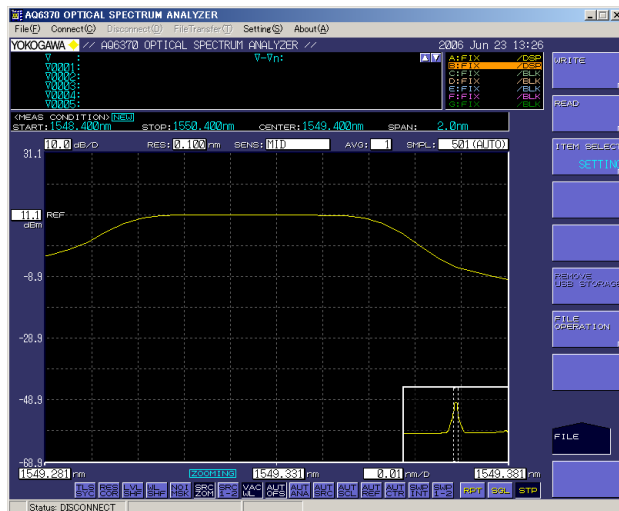
3. On the soft key menu, click **ITEM SELECT**.



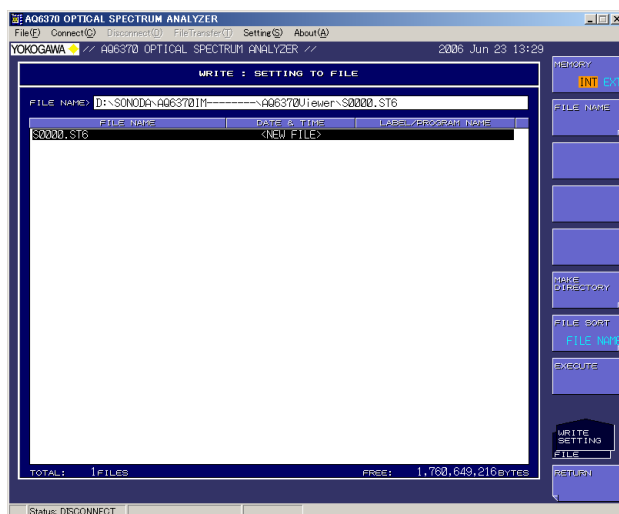
4. On the soft key menu, click **SETTING**.



5. On the soft key menu, click **WRITE**.  
The file list is displayed.



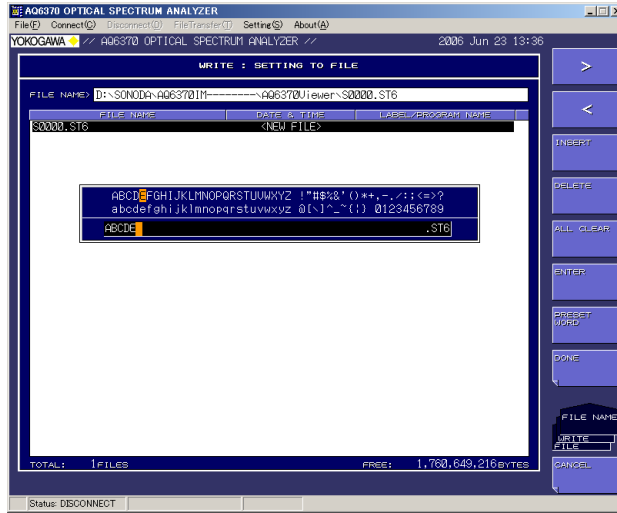
6. On the soft key menu, click **FILE NAME**.



## 4.2 Saving the Setup Data

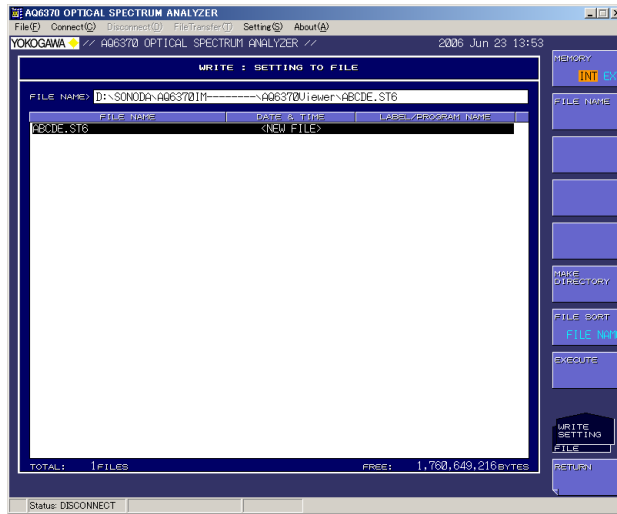
7. Type the file name from the keyboard.

You can also enter the file name by using the characters and soft keys shown in the character input window. For the input procedure, see section 4.3, “Entering Numerical Values and Strings” in the *Optical Spectrum Analyzer User’s Manual*.

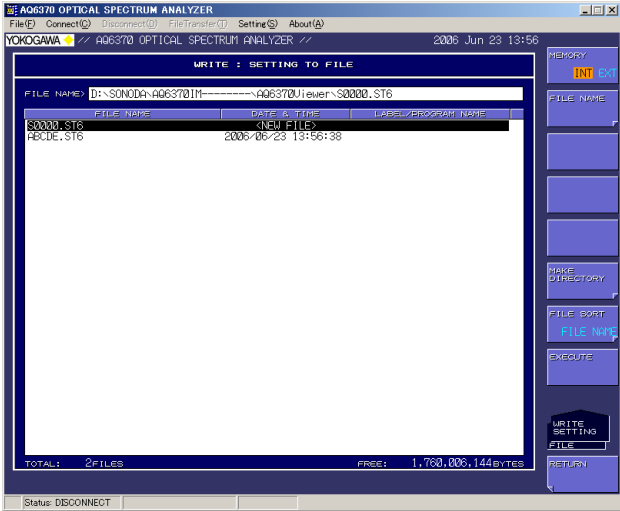


8. On the soft key menu, click **DONE**.

The file name is entered.



- 9. On the soft key menu, click **EXECUTE**.  
The file is saved, and the file name appears in the file list.





## 4.3 Soft Key Menu in Viewer Mode

Of the soft key menu commands in Viewer mode, those that are not available and those that are available but cannot be executed are summarized in the following tables. Some of the functions may not be listed depending on the model.

For details on the soft key menus, see the user's manual of the relevant optical spectrum analyzer.

### Unavailable Menu Commands

Front Panel Key Menu	Soft Key Menu	Functions
SWEEP	AUTO REPEAT SINGLE STOP SEGMENT MEASURE	Sweep
DISPLAY	DISPLAY OFF	Display off
MARKER	MARKER LIST PRINT	Print out the marker value
ANALYSIS	RESULT PRINT	Print out the analysis result
FILE	REMOVE USB STORAGE	Remove the USB storage medium
PROGRAM	PROGRAM EDIT > EDIT > LIST PRINT	Print out the program list
	OUTPUT WINDOW > PRINT OUTPUT WIN	Print out the OUTPUT WINDOW
ADVANCE	DATA LOGGING > START	Executes data logging
SYSTEM (MORE 1/4)	OPTICAL ALIGNMENT	Execute the alignment adjustment of the monochrome meter
	WL CALIBRATION	Wavelength calibration
SYSTEM (MORE 2/4)	REMOTE INTERFACE	Set the communication interface
	GP-IB SETTING	Set the GP-IB interface
	RS-232 SETTING	Set the RS-232 interface
	NETWORK SETTING	Set the Ethernet interface
SYSTEM (MORE 3/4)	SET CLOCK	Set the date/time
SYSTEM (MORE 4/4)	REMOVE USB STORAGE	Remove the USB storage medium
	VERSION	Display the version and update the software
	SYSTEM INFORMATION	Display the system information
	RES BW CALIBRATION	Execute rms resolution calibration
	SHUT DOWN	Shutdown the Optical Spectrum Analyzer system
FEED	–	Feed the paper

### Menu Commands That Are Available But Cannot Be Executed

Front Panel Key Menu	Soft Key Menu	Functions
PROGRAM	PROGRAM EXECUTE > EXECUTE	Execute the program (a portion of the commands not executable)

## 4.4 Commands That Do Not Operate in the Program Function

The program function operates as follows in Viewer mode.

- PROGRAM EDIT  
All commands can be entered and edited.
- PROGRAM EXECUTE  
Commands that include hardware operation such as sweep and printer operations cannot be executed. The table below shows the commands that cannot be executed.

Command		Operation
SWEEP	AUTO	Skip (not processed)
	REPEAT	Update only the measurement conditions and the screen
	SINGLE	
	STOP	
	SEGMENT MEASURE	Update only the measurement conditions and the screen
SYSTEM	OPTICAL ALIGNMENT	Skip (not processed)
	SELF WL CALIBRATION	
	EXT WL CALIBRATION ****.***nm	
	EMIS LINE WL CALIBRATION ****.***nm	
	EXT-GAS WL CALIBRATION ****.***nm	
	AUTO OFFSET ###	Change only the ON/OFF of the soft key
	REMOVE USB STORAGE	Skip (not processed)
	RES BW CALIBRATION	
SPECIAL COMMAND	COPY ON	Skip (not processed)
	PRINTER FEED **	
	PRINT '-----'	
	PRINT @@@@	
	PRINT @@@@;	
	PRINT DATA AREA	
	PRINT OUTPUT WINDOW	
	SEND ** '-----'	
	SEND ** '-----';@	
	SEND ** '-----';@;'-----'	
	RESET OPTION	
	SPOLL **;S	
	SEND RS-232 '-----'	
	SEND RS-232 '-----';@	
	SEND RS-232 '-----';@;'-----'	
	SEND LAN @\$, ***** '-----'	
	SEND LAN @\$, ***** '-----';@	
	SEND LAN @\$, ***** '-----';@;'-----'	
	RECEIVE **;@\$	
	SENDER RS-232'-----';@\$	
	SENDER LAN @\$, ***** '-----';@\$	
	SET DELIMITER ###	

## 5.1 Connect and Disconnect Operations

You can connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer that you want to remotely control by carrying out the procedure below.

An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.

### Procedure

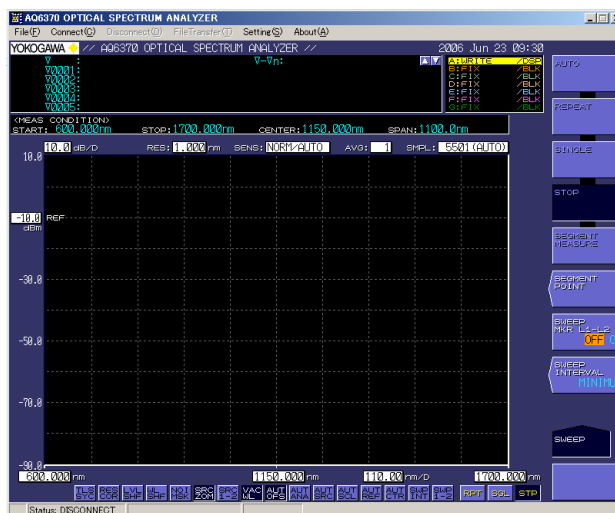
#### Preparations on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer

1. Connect the Optical Spectrum Analyzer to an Ethernet network according to the procedure given in section 2.3, "Connecting and Setting the Ethernet Interface of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer."

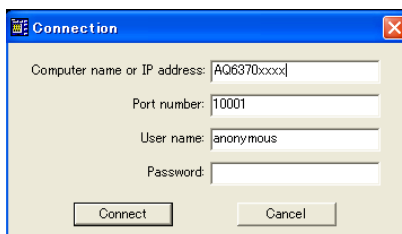
#### Connection

2. On the task bar, click the Start button, point to **Programs > Yokogawa > AQ6370 Viewer (AQ6360 Viewer/AQ6370B Viewer/AQ6370C Viewer/AQ6370D Viewer/AQ6373 Viewer/AQ6373B Viewer/AQ6374 Viewer/AQ6375&76 Viewer/AQ6377 Viewer)** to start the program.

You can also double-click the shortcut icon on the desktop.



3. Click the **Connect** menu.  
The following Connection window opens.



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4. Type the computer name (or IP address), port number, authentication user name, and authentication password, and click **Connect**.

- The computer name of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is as follows:

AQ6360: "AQ6360 @@@@@"

AQ6370: "AQ6370 @@@@@"

AQ6370B: "6370B @@@@@"

AQ6370C: "6370C @@@@@"

AQ6370D: "6370D @@@@@"

AQ6373: "6373 @@@@@"

AQ6373B: "6373B @@@@@"

AQ6374: "6374 @@@@@"

AQ6375: "AQ6375 @@@@@"

AQ6375B: "6375B @@@@@"

AQ6376: "6376 @@@@@"

AQ6377: "6377 @@@@@"

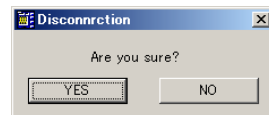
Where @@@@@" is the serial number. The serial number is indicated by nine alphanumeric characters on the rear panel of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer. The computer name cannot be changed.

- For the port number of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer, enter the value you specified when you carried out the procedure given in section 2.3, "Connecting and Setting the Ethernet Interface of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer." The default value is 10001.
- The default authentication user name is anonymous.
- If a connection cannot be established, an error message (see section 7.2, "Message and Corrective Actions") is displayed.
- The software program and the Optical Spectrum Analyzer use the MD5 algorithm (RSA Data Security, Inc. MD5 Message Digest Algorithm) for the password authentication.

### Disconnection

5. Click the **Disconnect** menu.

The following Disconnection window opens.



6. Click **YES**.

Viewer mode is activated.

## 5.2 Precautions to Be Taken When Operating in Remote Control Mode

### Front Panel Key Menu Operation in Remote Control Mode

If you operate the front panel key menu in Remote Control mode, the following process is carried out.

Front Panel Key Menu	Process
CENTER	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key.
SPAN	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key.
LEVEL	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
SWEEP	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key (repeat sweep is a repetition of the single sweep).
ZOOM	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
SETUP	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key.
TRACE	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key. The function is implemented in the program.
DISPLAY	Processed by the program.
MARKER	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
PEAK SEARCH	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
ANALYSIS	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
USER	Processed by the program.
MEMORY	Processed by the program.
FILE	Processed by the program.
PROGRAM	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
ADVANCE	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
SYSTEM	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key. The function is implemented in the program.
UNDO/LOCAL	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
COPY	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).
PRESET	Sends a command that corresponds to the soft key.
HELP	Processed by the program (a command is not sent).

### Auto Offset Processing

If auto offset is executed on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer while the software program is running, the communication sequence may be disturbed, and proper operation may be hindered.

Therefore, the program turns the auto offset function OFF when a connection to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is established and instructs the execution of the auto offset every 10 minutes. However, if measurement is in progress at the time the auto offset function is to be executed, the auto offset is executed after the sweep is completed (same as the operation on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer).

### Remote Connection and Disconnection

When a remote connection is established, the waveform information, measurement conditions, and analysis parameter settings of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer are loaded into the PC.

When the remote connection is cut, the measurement conditions and analysis parameter settings on the PC are transferred to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer, and the measured waveform on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is cleared.

### Waveform Loading During the Sweep Operation

During the sweep operation, the program retrieves the waveform being measured once a second from the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and displays the waveform.

### AQ6360 Front Panel Keys

In Remote Control mode of AQ6360 Viewer, the contents of the AQ6360 main menu are shown as panel keys.

## 5.3 Soft Key Menu in Remote Control Mode

Of the soft key menu commands in remote control mode, those that have the following limitations are summarized in tables. Some of the functions may not be listed depending on the model.

For details on the soft key menus, see the user's manual of the relevant optical spectrum analyzer.

- **Unavailable menu commands**
- **Menu commands that are available but would cause discrepancies with the waveforms on the optical spectrum analyzer.**
- **Menu commands whose execution progress is not displayed**
- **Menu commands that are not executed on the optical spectrum analyzer.**

### Unavailable Menu Commands

Front Panel Key Menu	Soft Key Menu	Functions
MARKER	MARKER LIST PRINT	Print out the marker value
ANALYSIS	RESULT PRINT	Print out the analysis result
FILE	REMOVE USB STORAGE	Remove the USB storage medium
PROGRAM	PROGRAM EXECUTE > EXECUTE	Execute the program
	PROGRAM EDIT > EDIT > LIST PRINT	Print out the program list
	OUTPUT WINDOW	Display out the OUTPUT WINDOW
	EXECUTE 1 to EXECUTE 21	Execute the program that has been registered to the soft key
ADVANCE	DATA LOGGING	Logging function
SYSTEM (MORE 2/4)	REMOTE INTERFACE	Set the communication interface
	GP-IB SETTING	Set the GP-IB interface
	RS-232 SETTING	Set the RS-232 interface
	NETWORK SETTING	Set the Ethernet interface
SYSTEM (MORE 3/4)	SET CLOCK	Set the date/time
SYSTEM (MORE 4/4)	REMOVE USB STORAGE	Remove the USB storage medium
	SHUT DOWN	Shutdown the Optical Spectrum Analyzer system
LEVEL	Main Scale Initialize	Initialize the vertical axis of the main scale (AQ6360)
	Sub Scale Initialize	Initialize the vertical axis of the sub scale (AQ6360)
FEED	–	Feed the paper

### Menu Commands That Would Cause Discrepancies with the Waveforms on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer

Front Panel Key Menu	Soft Key Menu	Functions
TRACE (MORE 1/2)	HOLD	Set the active trace to MAX/MIN hold mode
	ROLL AVG	Set the active trace sweep to average mode
DISPLAY	NOISE MASK	Set the noise mask

### Menu Commands Whose Execution Progress Is Not Displayed

Front Panel Key Menu	Soft Key Menu	Functions
SWEEP	AUTO	Auto sweep (waveform during auto sweep is not displayed)
SYSTEM (MORE 1/4)	OPTICAL ALIGNMENT	Execute the alignment adjustment of the monochrome meter
	WL CALIBRATION	Wavelength calibration
SYSTEM (MORE 4/4)	RES BW CALIBRATION	Execute rms resolution calibration

### Menu Commands That Are Not Executed on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer (Executed only on the PC)

Front Panel Key Menu	Soft Key Menu	Functions
ZOOM	–	Zoom function
MARKER	–	Marker function
PEAK SEARCH	PEAK SEARCH	Execute the peak search
	BOTTOM SEARCH	Execute the bottom search
	SEARCH MODE	Set the search mode
	MULTI SRCH SETTING	Set the multi search
ANALYSIS	–	Analysis function
PROGRAM	PROGRAM EDIT	Edit the program
ADVANCE	TEMPLATE	Go/No Go judgement
SYSTEM (MORE 1/4)	GRID EDITOR	Edit the grid table
	USER KEY DEFINE	Register the user key

# 6.1 File Transfer Operation

You can transfer the file stored on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer to the PC by carrying out the steps below. An AQ6370 Viewer screen is used for this example.

## Procedure

### Preparations on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer

1. Connect the Optical Spectrum Analyzer to an Ethernet network according to the procedure given in section 2.3, "Connecting and Setting the Ethernet Interface of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer."

### Connection

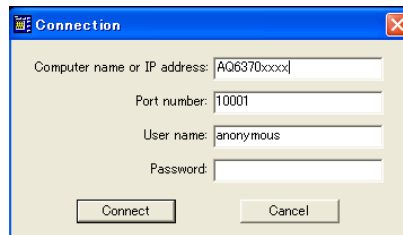
2. On the task bar, click the Start button, point to **Programs > Yokogawa > AQ6370 Viewer (AQ6360 Viewer/AQ6370B Viewer/AQ6370C Viewer/AQ6370D Viewer/AQ6373 Viewer/AQ6373B Viewer/AQ6374 Viewer/AQ6375&76 Viewer/AQ6377 Viewer)** to start the program.

You can also double-click the shortcut icon on the desktop.

3. Click the **FileTransfer** menu.

The following Connection window opens.

If this step is carried out in Remote Control mode, the Connection window does not open, and the File Transfer window opens. In this case, proceed to step 5.



4. Type the computer name (or IP address), port number, authentication user name, and authentication password, and click **Connect**.

- The computer name of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is as follows:

- AQ6360: "AQ6360 @@@@@"
- AQ6370: "AQ6370 @@@@@"
- AQ6370B: "6370B @@@@@"
- AQ6370C: "6370C @@@@@"
- AQ6370D: "6370D @@@@@"
- AQ6373: "6373 @@@@@"
- AQ6373B: "6373B @@@@@"
- AQ6374: "6374 @@@@@"
- AQ6375: "AQ6375 @@@@@"
- AQ6375B: "6375B @@@@@"
- AQ6376: "6376 @@@@@"
- AQ6377: "6377 @@@@@"

Where @@@@@" is the serial number. The serial number is indicated by nine alphanumeric characters on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer rear panel. The computer name cannot be changed.

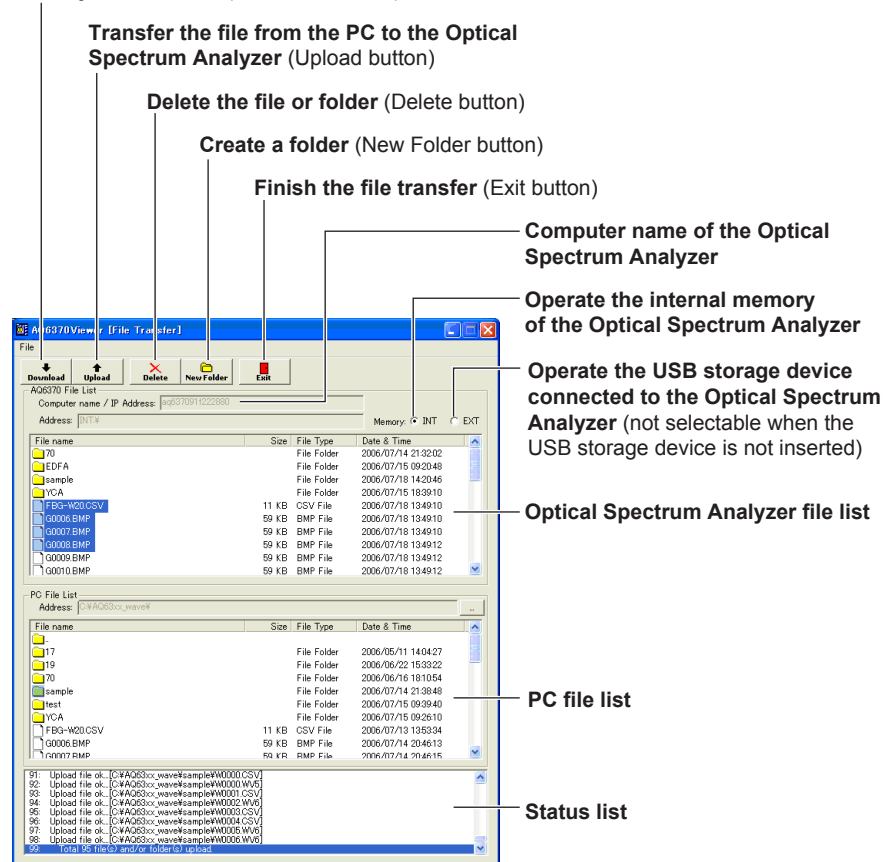
- For the port number of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer, enter the value you specified when you carried out the procedure given in section 2.3, "Connecting and Setting the Ethernet Interface of the Optical Spectrum Analyzer." The default value is 10001.
- The default authentication user name is anonymous.
- If a connection cannot be established, an error message (see section 7.2, "Message and Corrective Actions") is displayed.



## 6.1 File Transfer Operation

- When a connection is established, the File Transfer window opens.

### Transfer the file from the Optical Spectrum Analyzer to the PC (Download button)



### Download (File Transfer from the Optical Spectrum Analyzer to the PC)

5. Display the transfer destination folder in the PC file list.
6. Select the file you want to transfer in the Optical Spectrum Analyzer file list.
7. Click **Download**. You can also choose Download from the File menu.

#### Note

- A file whose size exceeds 1 MB cannot be transferred to the PC.
- The maximum number of files and folders that is shown in the list is 4096.

### Upload (File Transfer from the PC to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer)

5. Display the transfer destination folder in the Optical Spectrum Analyzer file list.
6. Select the file you want to transfer in the PC file list.
7. Click **Upload**. You can also choose Upload from the File menu.

#### Note

- A file whose size exceeds 1 MB cannot be transferred to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.
- The maximum number of files and folders that is shown in the list is 4096.

**Deleting Files and Folders**

5. Select the file or folder you want delete in the Optical Spectrum Analyzer file list or the PC file list.
6. Click **Delete**. You can also choose Delete from the File menu.

**Note**

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Files and folders that are set to read-only cannot be deleted.

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**Creating a Folder**

5. Select the destination in which the folder is to be created in the Optical Spectrum Analyzer file list or the PC file list.
6. Click **New Folder**.  
You can also choose New Folder from the File menu.
7. In the folder name input dialog box, type the name of the folder you want to create, and click **OK**.

## 7.1 Start the Common Software

Start the common software to display the navigation menu.

### Procedure

1. On the Windows start menu, click Programs > Yokogawa > OSA Viewer to start the software.

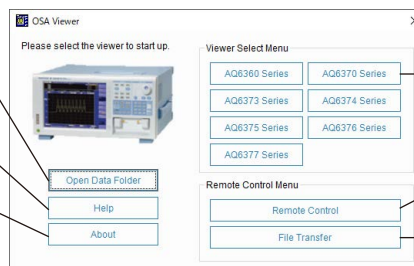
You can also start the software by double-clicking its shortcut icon on the desktop.

A navigation menu appears.

Displays the data save destination folder (user folder)

Displays the user's manual

Displays the version and license information of this software



Starts the Viewer software of each model

Starts the Remote Control software

Starts the File Transfer software

2. Click the button corresponding to the function you want to use.

The window for the selected function appears.

### Explanation

#### Functions

##### Viewer Software

You can select which viewer to start depending on the data you want to view.

You can run the viewer simultaneously with the remote control software.

For details, see section 7.2, "Operations on the Viewer Software (Common software)."

##### Remote Control Software

You can remotely control an optical spectrum analyzer connected to the network.

You can run the remote control software simultaneously with the viewer software.

For details, see section 7.2, "Operations on the Remote Control Software (Common software)."

##### File Transfer Software

Files saved in an optical spectrum analyzer can be transferred to the PC.

The function is the same as with the model-specific software. For details, see chapter 6, "File Transfer Operation."

##### Viewing the Data Save Destination Folder

You can open the user folder set with the model-specific software. You can check the data save destination of the viewer software and the like. For details on setting the user folder, see section 3.3, "Setting the User Folder."

##### Viewing the User's Manual

You can view a PDF file of the user's manual.

##### Viewing the Version and License Information of the Software

You can view the version and license information of this software.

## 7.2 Operations on the Viewer Software (Common software)

The function is the same as with the model-specific viewer software.  
See also chapter 4.

### Procedure

#### Preparing Waveform Data

Copy a waveform data file that you want to load from a USB storage device to the folder specified as the user folder according to the procedure in section 4.1, "Loading Waveform Data and Displaying Waveforms."

#### Loading Waveform Data

1. On the navigation window, click a Viewer button.

The viewer window appears.

Start the appropriate viewer for the data you want to view.

Button name	Supported models
AQ6360 Series:	AQ6360
AQ6370 Series:	AQ6370D, AQ6370C
AQ6373 Series:	AQ6373, AQ6373B
AQ6374 Series:	AQ6374
AQ6375 Series:	AQ6375, AQ6375B
AQ6376 Series:	AQ6376
AQ6377 Series:	AQ6377

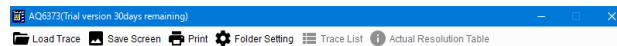
2. Load the waveform data according to the procedure in section 4.1, "Loading Waveform Data and Displaying Waveforms."

You can also use Open File of the main menu to load the waveform data.

The viewer software operation is the same as the model-specific viewer software.  
See chapter 4.

#### Main Menu

You can use the following functions from the main menu.



##### Actual Resolution Table

Lists the actual resolutions (typical values) for the center wavelengths of the AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6360 for each resolution setting.  
See section 3.1, "Main Menu."

##### Trace List

Lists the optical spectrum analyzer models that measured the waveform data of each trace.  
See section 3.1, "Main Menu."

##### Folder Setting

Set the folder displayed on the Viewer's File menu.

##### Print

Prints the displayed screen. See section 3.2, "Making a Hard Copy of the Screen."

##### Save Screen

Saves the displayed screen as an image file (BMP, JPEG, or PNG format).

##### Load Trace

Select the waveform data to load.

### **Load Trace**

The user folder set in section 3.3 opens.

Select the waveform data to show in the viewer software, and click Open.

### **Save Screen**

The user folder set in section 3.3 opens.

Set the file name and data format of the image file, and click Save.

### **Print**

A print setup window appears.

Set the target printer, number of copies, and so on, and click Print.

### **Folder Setting**

Set the folder displayed on the Viewer's File menu.

You can specify a PC's internal storage (INT) and external storage connected to the PC (EXT).

### **Trace List (for the AQ6360/AQ6374/AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6377)**

Lists the optical spectrum analyzer models that measured the waveform data of each trace.

### **Actual Resolution Table (for the AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376)**

Lists the actual resolutions (typical values) for the center wavelengths of the optical spectrum analyzer for each resolution setting.

## 7.3 Operations on the Remote Control Software (Common software)

The function is the same as with the model-specific remote control software.  
See also chapter 5.

### Procedure

1. On the navigation window, click the **Remote Control** button.  
A connection setup window appears.
2. As described in section 5.1, "Connect and Disconnect Operations," enter the computer name or IP address, port number, authentication user name, and password. Then click **Connect**.  
A Remote Control window appears.  
The operation of the Remote Control Software is the same as the model-specific Remote Control Software. See chapter 5.

### Main Menu

You can use the following functions from the main menu.



Serial number and IP address of the connected device

#### Large, Medium, Small

Sets the size of the displayed window

#### Save Trace

Saves an image data of the measurement data or window shown on the optical spectrum analyzer to the PC

#### Load Trace

Loads the selected measurement data or setup data into the optical spectrum analyzer

#### Load Trace

The user folder set in section 3.3 opens.

Select the data to load into the connected device, and click Open.

#### Save Trace

The user folder set in section 3.3 opens.

Set the file name and the data to save, and click Save.

To save image data, you can set the data format to BMP or TIFF through remote control.

You can also set the color to Black & White, Color, or Preset Color.

#### Large/Medium/Small

Set the size of the Remote Control Software window.

Large: Sets the size to 150% of the medium setting

Small: Sets the size to 50% of the medium setting

**Explanation**

The function is the same as with the model-specific remote control software.  
 You can also display the viewer simultaneously.  
 You can save waveform data using Remote Control and view it with the Viewer.

**Load Trace**

You can load the following types of data.

- Trace (\*.WXA, \*.WX7 to \*.WX9): Waveform data measured with the same model as the connected device
- Trace (\*.CSV): Measurement data measured with the connected device (CSV format)
- Setting file (\*.STA, \*.ST7 to \*.ST9)

The extension of the data that can be loaded varies depending on the connected model.

Model	Waveform Data	CSV	Setup data
AQ6360	*.WVA	*.CSV	*.STA
AQ6370C/AQ6370D	*.WV8	*.CSV	*.ST8
AQ6373/AQ6373B/AQ6374	*.WV9	*.CSV	*.ST9
AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6377	*.WV7	*.CSV	*.ST7

**Save Trace**

You can save the following types of data.

- Trace (\*.WXA, \*.WX7 to \*.WX9): Waveform data measured with the connected device
- Trace (\*.CSV): Measurement data measured with the connected device (CSV format)
- All Trace (\*.CSV): All trace measurement data measured with the connected device (CSV format)
- Image: Image data of the waveform screen of the connected device (\*.BMP, \*.TIFF)

## 8.1 Troubleshooting

If servicing is necessary, or if the program is not operating correctly after performing the corrective actions described below, contact your nearest YOKOGAWA dealer.

Description	Probable Cause/Corrective Action	Reference Section
Cannot connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer (Error message: Connection Error)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the computer name or IP address that you entered in the Connection window matches with that specified on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.</li> <li>Check that the Optical Spectrum Analyzer and the PC are connected to the network correctly using LAN cables.</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer (Error message: User account data mismatch.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the computer name or IP address that you entered in the Connection window matches with that specified on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.</li> <li>A connection cannot be established while the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is performing auto offset. If auto offset is in progress, connect after the operation is completed.</li> </ul>	2.3 5.2
Cannot connect to the AQ6370 (Error message: AQ6370 Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6370 is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Check that the AQ6370 firmware version is R02.01 or later. You can check the version by pressing the SYSTEM key followed by the VERSION soft key.</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the AQ6370B (Error message: AQ6370B Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6370B is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the AQ6370C (Error message: AQ6370C Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6370C is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the AQ6370D (Error message: AQ6370D Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6370D is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the AQ6373 (Error message: AQ6373 Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6373 is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the AQ6373B (Error message: AQ6373B Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6373 is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
Cannot connect to the AQ6374, AQ6375, AQ6375B, or AQ6376 AQ6377, (Error message: OSA Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check that the remote interface of the AQ6374, AQ6375, AQ6375B, AQ6376 or AQ6377 is set to "ETHERNET."</li> <li>Change the Optical Spectrum Analyzer's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li> </ul>	2.3
The license authentication window appears when starting the program	Execute license authentication. The license code needed for the license authentication is indicated on the accompanying CD case.	2.1
The analysis result of the program does not match the analysis result on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The version Rxx.xx (where xx are numbers) shown when you choose the About menu corresponds to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer firmware version. Check that this firmware version and the Optical Spectrum Analyzer firmware version match.</li> <li>Confirm that the waveform analysis was conducted on the Viewer that corresponds to the optical spectrum analyzer that measured the waveform data. Otherwise the following analysis results cannot be guaranteed (including waveform data from the AQ6317 or AQ6319). Power analysis, LED analysis, WDM analysis, OSNR (WDM) analysis, EDFA-NF analysis, dBm/nm mode, and dBm/THz mode</li> </ul>	3.1 —



## 8.1 Troubleshooting

Description	Probable Cause/Corrective Action	Reference Section
The waveform measured in Remote Control mode and displayed on the PC does not match the waveform displayed on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Waveforms do not match when the noise mask function is used or when using the following trace settings. ROLL AVG/MAX HOLD/MIN HOLD/CALC</li><li>• Change the Optical Spectrum Analyze's remote interface setting to GP-IB, then set it back again to ETHERNET.</li></ul>	-
Large files cannot be transferred in File Transfer mode.	The maximum file size per file that can be transferred in File Transfer mode is 1 MB.	-

## 8.2 Messages and Corrective Actions

### Error Messages

The following error messages may appear while running the software program.

Error Message	Description
Connection Error	<p>Communication with the Optical Spectrum Analyzer failed due to any of the following reasons.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An error occurred in the connection to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer (this error occurs also if the Optical Spectrum Analyzer is already connecting from a different software program).</li> <li>An error occurred while sending data to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.</li> <li>A timeout occurred while receiving data from the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.</li> </ul>
Connection Error. AQ6370 Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The remote interface of the target AQ6370 is not set to ETHERNET.</li> <li>The firmware version of the target AQ6370 does not support this software program. The AQ6370 firmware version must be R02.01 or later.</li> </ul>
Connection Error. AQ6370B Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	The remote interface of the target AQ6370B is not set to ETHERNET.
Connection Error. AQ6370C Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	The remote interface of the target AQ6370C is not set to ETHERNET.
Connection Error. AQ6370D Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	The remote interface of the target AQ6370D is not set to ETHERNET.
Connection Error. AQ6373 Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	The remote interface of the target AQ6373 is not set to ETHERNET.
Connection Error. AQ6373B Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	The remote interface of the target AQ6373B is not set to ETHERNET.
Connection Error. OSA Remote interface setting or Firmware Version Error.	The remote interface of the target AQ6374/AQ6375/AQ6375B/AQ6376/AQ6377 is not set to ETHERNET.
Connection Failed. User account data mismatch.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The account information used to connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer does not match with the information set on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.</li> <li>The Optical Spectrum Analyzer could not respond because auto offset was in progress when the software program tried to connect to the Optical Spectrum Analyzer.</li> </ul>

### Warning Messages during Remote Control

Because the software program retrieves error information from the Optical Spectrum Analyzer during remote control, if an error is detected on the Optical Spectrum Analyzer, the warning message for the error is also displayed on the software program. For the cause and corrective action for the warning messages that are displayed while running the program, see section 10.10, "Warning Display Function" in the *Optical Spectrum Analyzer User's Manual*.

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