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"Jack" <HAcuff7791@aol.com> wrote in message
news:399901c47ef6\$45d184b0\$a601280a@phx.gbl...
> *Looking to find an adapter for my 15 pin joystick to a*
> *USB. New computer only uses USB.*

Hi Jack,

You can find Gameport to USB adapters at your local Mall,
or some people install a cheap soundcard with a Gameport
however I don't recommend either of those methods.

First you're not guaranteed that the game controller will be
detected and function properly. Force feedback support
of course is not possible when using a converter.

Lastly, it only costs a few dollars more for a USB controller.
The hassle and fuss just isn't worth it to try and hang on to
the old stick. That's just my opinion, the choice is yours. :-)

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Cheers,

Jimmy S.

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<http://mvp.support.microsoft.com>

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