EXO Connection Methods:

- **Wireless Bluetooth, Sonde-to-Handheld**
  - Lab Calibration
  - Hardware Setup
  - Transfer Data from Sonde

- **Field Cable, Sonde-to-Handheld**
  - Lab Calibration
  - Hardware Setup
  - Transfer Data from Sonde
  - Field Sampling

- **Wireless Bluetooth, Computer-to-Sonde**
  - Lab Calibration
  - Hardware Setup
  - Transfer & Export Data

- **SOA-USB Adapter, Sonde-to-Computer**
  - Lab Calibration
  - Hardware Setup
  - Transfer & Export Data
  - Field Sampling
  - Update Firmware

- **Direct USB, Handheld-to-Computer**
  - Transfer & Export Data
  - Update Firmware

- **Flying Lead Cable, Sonde-to-SOA-DCP**
  - Long-Term Monitoring with a Data Collection Platform
**Additional Tips:**

- Always tighten the cable locking sleeves and attach the strain relief to the sonde bail before using equipment in the field.

- When connecting a handheld to a PC, the process may take up to 60 seconds.

- While KOR can automatically pair a sonde and a PC for Bluetooth connectivity, there is a manual workaround should difficulties arise.

- Under Connections > Advanced, there is a quick connection option if a sonde’s com port is known.

- 3rd party Bluetooth dongles are readily available. But use Windows to manage Bluetooth, as opposed to 3rd party software.

- USB adapters are great – use them (especially for updating equipment firmware)!

**Supplemental Resources:**

- Bluetooth Troubleshooting Guide
- KOR: Connecting via Bluetooth with EXO
- EXO User Manual