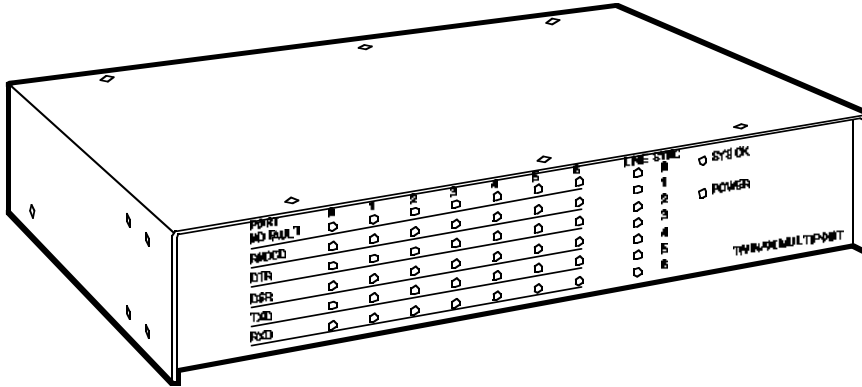


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NETWORK SERVICES

Twinax Multiport Protocol Converter



Easy remote access from your PC or laptop to your IBM AS/400 or System 3X.

Key Features

- ▶ *Attach up to seven local or remote PCs or other ASCII devices to your AS/400[®] or System 3X.*
- ▶ *Asynchronous data rates of up to 57.6 kbps.*
- ▶ *High throughput and fast screen painting with dual-CPU architecture.*

For these and other components...
Call our expert Technical Support Staff for all your Converter needs. They'll help you find the best equipment for your application.

Technically Speaking

The Twinax Multiport Protocol Converter is a free-standing, high-performance multiprocessor emulation device. Use it to give as many as seven IBM[®] PCs or other ASCII devices access to one IBM AS/400 or System 3X twinax port. You get support for more than 80 different printers and 250 terminals. (The complete list is in the *Terminal User's Handbook*, which is shipped with the Converter.) Choose the emulation

software you need for DOS, Windows 3.1, or Windows 95 support.

The unit comes with four serial ports and one parallel port installed. It also has one expansion slot to add four more serial ports and one more parallel port.

Dual-CPU architecture means much higher throughput and faster screen printing. And the Converter is fully menu-configurable so it doesn't need rear-panel DTE/DCE switches.

The twinax connectors are self-terminating. Automatic

DTE/DCE sensing allows the port to configure automatically.

The Converter is field expandable with a slide-in async port Expansion Card so you don't need to send the Converter back to the factory for upgrades.

Note: The 5250 Software can also be used with a LinkUp base unit (PCM90A) that has the 5250 Firmware (PCM91-R2) cartridge installed.

Specifications

Indicators — (9) LEDs; I/O Fault, RI/DCD, DTR, DSR, TXD, RXD, Line Sync, Sys OK, Power IPDS[®])

Power — 115/230 VAC, 60/50 Hz (switch-selectable); 40 watts, nominal

Emulation — Terminals: IBM[®] 5251 Model 11, 5291, 5292 Model 1, 3180, 3196, 3197-C, 3197-D, 3197-W; Printers: IBM Twinax 5256, 5224, 5225, 5219, 4214, or 3812 (non

Ordering Information

This information will help you place your order quickly.

PRODUCT NAME	ORDER CODE
Twinax Multiport Protocol Converter.....	PC250A
Expansion Card.....	PC251C
5250 Emulation Software	
DOS.....	PC058A-R2
Windows 3.1.....	PC059A
Windows 95.....	PC251A