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# 4-Port PCI Express RS232 Serial Adapter Card -16950 UART - 256-byte FIFO Cache - ASIX AX99100 - Full Profile Bracket - Replacement for PEX4S952 (PEX4S953)

Product ID: PEX4S953



This PCI Express RS232 serial adapter card lets you add four RS232 (DB9) serial ports to your computer through a PCI Express (PCIe) slot, as if they were native serial ports. The 4 port PCIe serial card enables you to interact with serial devices, such as card readers, printers, PIN pads, and modems, at speeds of up to 921.6Kbps.

### **Maximum Compatibility**

With broad OS support, including for Windows and Linux, this multiport PCI E serial card is easy to integrate into mixed environments. The card comes pre-configured with a full-sized bracket, and includes an optional low-profile bracket, so installation is easy regardless of the case form factor. This expansion card is a direct replacement for <u>PEX4S952</u>.

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This PCIe to serial adapter supports the following features:

- Industry standard 16950 UART compatible
- Supports max baud rate of up-to 921.6Kbps
- Provides 5/12V power output on Pin 9 when external power is connected
- 256-byte depth FIFO cache per transmitter and receiver
- Supports 9, 8, 7, 6, 5 data bits (one per port)
- Asix AX99100 chipset
- Base PCI Express 1.1 compliant

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#### Certifications, Reports and Compatibility









#### Applications

- Connect to automated self-service kiosks or ATM machines
- Connect in retail POS applications
- Install in home or office workstations
- Connect serial printers and other legacy devices to modern computers

#### Features

- PCI Express 1.1 compliant replacement to the PEX4S952 Serial Card, ensuring wide compatibility
- Add RS232 DB9 capabilities without purchasing a new server or computer
- Full profile bracket comes pre-installed, a low profile is also included for case compatibility
- Supports 256-byte depth FIFO cache per transmitter and receiver
- High-speed data transfer rates of up to 921.6Kbps with the ASIX AX99100 Chipset

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	Warranty	Lifetime
Hardware	Bus Type	PCI Express
	Card Type	Low Profile (SP bracket incl.)
	Chipset ID	Asix AX99100
	Interface	Serial
	Port Style	Integrated on Card
	Ports	4
Performance	Data Bits	5, 6, 7, 8, 9
	FIFO	256 Bytes
	Flow Control	None, Xon/Xoff, RTS/CTS
	Max Baud Rate	921.6 Kbps
	Parity	None, Odd, Even, Space, Mark
	Serial Protocol	RS-232
	Stop Bits	1, 1.5, 2
Connector(s)	Connector Type(s)	1 - PCI Express x1 Male
	External Ports	4 - DB-9 (9 pin, D-Sub) Male
	Internal Ports	1 - LP4 (4 pin; Large Drive Power) Male Input
Software	Microsoft WHQL Certified	Yes
	OS Compatibility	Windows® 7, 8, 8.1, 10 Windows Server® 2003, 2008 R2, 2012, 2012 R2, 2016 Linux 2.4.x to 2.6.x <i>LTS Versions only</i>
Special Notes / Requirements	Note	Selectable power output on pin 9 of the serial port
Environmental	Humidity	5~85% RH
	Operating Temperature	-10°C to 80°C (14°F to 176°F)
	Storage Temperature	-20°C to 100°C (-4°F to 212°F)
Physical Characteristics	Product Height	15.000
	Product Length	3 in [7.5 cm]
	Product Width	63.000
	Weight of Product	55.600
Packaging Information	Package Height	51.000



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	Package Length	149.000
	Package Width	213.000
	Shipping (Package) Weight	386.000
What's in the Box	Included in Package	1 - 4 Port Full Profile Serial Card
		1 - Low Profile Bracket
		1 - Break-out Cable
		1 - Quick Start Guide

Product appearance and specifications are subject to change without notice.

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