

### 2 Port Low Profile Native RS232 PCI Express Serial Card with 16550 UART

#### Product ID: PEX2S553LP



The PEX2S53LP low profile/half-height PCI Express Serial Card turns a PCI Express slot into two RS232 (DB9) serial connections.

The card is constructed using a native single chip design that lets you harness the full capability offered by PCI Express (PCIe), while reducing the load applied to the CPU by as much as 48% over conventional bridge chip serial cards.

The PCI Express RS232 Serial Adapter Card is compatible with a broad range of operating systems, including Windows, and Linux Kernel 2.6.11 to 4.11.x, and ships with a low profile/half-height bracket installed but includes an optional full profile bracket that lets you add 2 serial ports to virtually any computer (regardless of the case form factor).

This product is a replacement for our PEX2S552LP card.

Backed by a StarTech.com 2-year warranty and free lifetime technical support.

## **Certifications, Reports and Compatibility**

# **Applications**

- Self service automated machines and kiosks to control serial devices such as scales, touchscreens, magnetic card readers, bar code scanners, receipt printers, label printers
- Bank teller workstations in either full profile or low profile versions to control their serial devices such as cash drawers, card readers / card swipes, printers, keypads / pinpads, pen pads
- POS retail applications in grocery stores, and any other retail store to control keyboards, cash drawers, receipt printers, card readers / card swipes, scales, and elevated displays on poles



- Standard ATM automated teller machines to control keypads, receipt printer, card readers / card swipes, touchscreen LCD's, camera control, etc.
- Used to control multiple surveillance / security cameras in a parking structure, office building, etc.

### **Features**

- One high speed RS232 serial port with data transfer rate up to 460.8 Kbps
- Ships with half-height/low profile mounting bracket, includes optional standard profile bracket
- Single chip design optimizes speed and reliability
- Native single-chip, single lane PCI Express
- Selectable power output on pin 9 for the serial port
- Compliant with PCI Express base specifications revision 1.1a
- Automated out-of-band flow control using CTS/RTS and DSR/DTR
- Automated in-band software flow control using programmable Xon/Xoff in both directions
- 128-byte deep FIFO per transmitter and receiver

Hardware		
	Warranty	2 Years
	Ports	1
	Interface	Serial
	Bus Type	PCI Express
	Card Type	Low Profile (SP bracket incl.)
	Port Style	Integrated on Card
	Chipset ID	ASIX - MCS9922CV-AA
Performance		
	Serial Protocol	RS-232
	Max Baud Rate	460.8 Kbps
	FIFO	128 Bytes



Connector(s)

Connector Type(s) PCI Express x1

Internal Ports LP4 (4 pin; Large Drive Power)

External Ports DB-9 (9 pin, D-Sub)

**Software** 

OS Compatibility Windows DOS, 95, 98SE, 2000, CE 5.0/6.0, Embedded System 2009,

POS Ready 2009, XP Embedded, XP, Vista, 7, 8, 8.1, 10

Windows Server 2003, 2008 R2, 2012, 2012 R2, 2016, 2019

Mac OS X 10.4 to 10.10

Linux kernel 2.6.x to 4.11.x <i>LTS Versions only</i>

Microsoft WHQL Certified Yes

**Environmental** 

Operating Temperature -10C to 80C (14F to 176F)

Storage Temperature -20C to 100C (-4F to 212F)

Humidity 5~85% RH

Physical Characteristics

Material Steel

Product Length 4.1 in [10.5 cm]

Product Width 3.1 in [80 mm]

Product Height 0.8 in [20 mm]

Weight of Product 2.2 oz [63.5 g]

Packaging Information

Package Length 6.8 in [17.3 cm]

Package Width 5.6 in [14.3 cm]

Package Height 1.3 in [32 mm]

Shipping (Package)

Weight

6.4 oz [180 g]

What's in the



Box

Included in Package PCI-Express Serial Card

DB9 Ribbon cable

Full Profile Bracket

Low profile bracket

Driver CD

Instruction Manual

<sup>\*</sup>Product appearance and specifications are subject to change without notice.