

Methods of connecting multiple balances/scales to a PC

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| Connection method | Number of connectable units *1 | Connection equipment *2 | Software | Remarks |
|--|--------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Connect Serial/USB converter to PC USB port | 4 | Serial/USB converter AX-USB-9P AX-USB-25P AX-USB-DIN | WinCT-Plus or WinCT (RS-Key does not work) | WinCT-Plus can display weighing values from multiple balances/scales in one screen. For WinCT, launch separate WinCT windows for the number of connections and set the Com port for each window. |
| Connect Bluetooth converter to PC USB port | 4 | AD8529PC-W Bluetooth converter | | |
| Connect USB hub to PC USB port and connect Bluetooth converter to hub *3 | 6 | AD8529PC-W Bluetooth converter + USB hub (commercially available) | | |
| Connect serial communication device to PC USB port *4 | 4 | Serial communication device (commercially available) | | |
| Connect via Ethernet | 100 *5 | Optional Ethernet interface or AD-8526 Serial/Ethernet converter | WinCT-Plus | Ethernet cable and ethernet hub are required |

*1 Number of units with which operation was confirmed

*2 We do not guarantee operation for non-A&D products / Depending on the specifications of the balance/scale, optional items such as connection cable and AC adapter are required.

*3 Operation confirmed with Buffalo BSH7 AE03 Bus power / Self-power (Operation possible but not guaranteed).

*4 Operation confirmed with CONTEC COM4CX-USB (Operation possible but not guaranteed).

*5 AD-8526 Serial/Ethernet Converter specifications allow up to 100.

In any of the connection methods, when a large amount of data is transmitted, such as through stream mode, there is a possibility that the data may be lost, so connection is limited to command mode, auto print mode, etc. (This is a PC buffer problem that depends on PC specs)