

PC to Printer Cables

Get maximum
performance for your
printer connections!



FEATURES

- » All IEEE 1284 connector combinations are available.
- » Cables come in standard and custom lengths.
- » Lifetime warranty!

OVERVIEW

With the Parallel Printer Cable you can connect a standard IBM® PC parallel port to most products with Centronics® interfaces. However, it does not support Pin 14, autoseek, which some products' components may require.

Parallel Printer Cable (18-Conductor)

These dot-matrix printer cables are our most popular printer cables. Use them to connect the parallel port of a computer to any standard dot-matrix printer. Choose from straight hoods or right-angle connectors for tight spaces.

Laser Printer Cable (25-Conductor)

The Laser Printer Cable is used to connect the DB25 female parallel port of an IBM or compatible PC to a Centronics parallel interfaced printer.

Enhanced Parallel Port Cables

Enhanced Parallel Port Cables are built to the IEEE 1284 specification for bidirectional parallel ports.

IEEE 1284 specifies how to expand the functionality of a PC by connecting a variety of high-performance peripherals to the parallel port. Ordinary parallel port cables are not IEEE 1284 compliant, do not support 1284 data rates, obstruct flawless connectivity, often degrade data, and are limited to extremely short distances.

IEEE 1284 specifies three connector types and cable electrical configurations. The connector types are DB25 male and female (1284A), 36-position Centronics male (1284B), and a mini 36-position Centronics male (1284C). The following combinations are available:

- 1284A (male)/1284A (male)
- 1284A (male)/1284A (female)
- 1284A (male)/1284B
- 1284A (male)/1284C
- 1284B/1284C
- 1284C/1284C

These cables are ideal for bidirectional parallel printing.

PC/XT Serial Printer Cable (28 AWG)

This cable connects a PC with a male DB25 serial port to a serial printer or plotter. It has fully molded hoods with thumbscrews, and a 28-AWG, foil-shielded construction.

AT Serial Printer Cables

The BC00801 and BC01900 connect a PC with an AT style DB9 serial port to a serial printer/plotter with a DB25 DTE-configured port. These cables feature fully molded hoods with thumbscrews, and a 28-AWG, foil-shielded construction.

The EVMBPC connects the DB9 serial port on your AT computer to the DB25 port on a serial printer. It features nonmolded assemblies with removable hoods and crimped contacts for convenient repinning.

It features a 24-AWG, foil-shielded construction with a drain wire.

Flexi-Lite Cables

These super flexible, lightweight cables with slimline 90° connectors are ideal for tight spaces where your PC is pushed up against a wall. They're compact and easy to carry, too—perfect for notebooks!

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Item	Code	Item	Code
Parallel Printer Cable (18-Conductor)		Centronics Male, MDR36 Male (Continued)	
Straight Hood, DB25 Male, Centronics® Male		10-ft. (3.0-m)	EQN204-0010
6-ft. (1.8-m)	BC00601	20-ft. (6.1-m)	EQN204-0020
10-ft. (3.0-m)	BC00602	30-ft. (9.2-m)	EQN204-0030
15-ft. (4.5-m)	BC00603	MDR36 Male, MDR36 Male	
20-ft. (6.1-m)	BC00604	6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN205-0006
25-ft. (7.6-m)	BC00605	10-ft. (3.0-m)	EQN205-0010
90° Hood, DB25 Male, Centronics Male		20-ft. (6.1-m)	EQN205-0020
6-ft. (1.8-m)	BC01601	30-ft. (9.2-m)	EQN205-0030
10-ft. (3.0-m)	BC01602	<hr/>	
Laser Printer Cable (25-Conductor)		PC/XT™ Style Serial Printer Cable, 28 AWG	
DB25 Male, Centronics Male		DB25 Male, DB25 Female	
6-ft. (1.8-m)	BC00201	6-ft. (1.8-m)	BC00901
10-ft. (3.0-m)	BC00202	10-ft. (3.0-m)	BC00902
15-ft. (4.5-m)	BC00203	15-ft. (4.6-m)	BC00903
20-ft. (6.1-m)	BC00204	20-ft. (6.1-m)	BC00904
25-ft. (7.6-m)	BC00205	25-ft. (7.6-m)	BC00905
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PC Parallel Printer Adapter Cable (121/2-Pair)		AT® Style Serial Printer Cable, 28 AWG	
DB25 Male, Centronics Male		DB25 Male, DB9 Female	
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EYN600-0006-MM	6-ft. (1.8-m)	BC08000-0006-MF
10-ft. (3.0-m)	EYN600-0010-MM	10-ft. (3.0-m)	BC08000-0010-MF
20-ft. (6.1-m)	EYN600-0020-MM	15-ft. (4.6-m)	BC08000-0015-MF
DB25 Male, Centronics Female		DB25 Female, DB9 Female	
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EYN600-0006-MF	6-ft. (1.8-m)	BC19000-0006-FF
10-ft. (3.0-m)	EYN600-0010-MF	10-ft. (3.0-m)	BC19000-0010-FF
Custom Lengths	EYN600	<hr/>	
Enhanced Parallel Port Cables		AT Style Serial Printer Cable, 24 AWG, Repinnable	
DB25 Male, DB25 Male		6-ft. (1.8-m)	EVMTBPC-0006
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN200-0006	10-ft. (3.0-m)	EVMTBPC-0010
10-ft. (3.0-m)	EQN200-0010	25-ft. (7.6-m)	EVMBPC-0025
20-ft. (6.1-m)	EQN200-0020	50-ft. (15.2-m)	EVMBPC-0050
30-ft. (9.2-m)	EQN200-0030	Custom Lengths	EVMBPC
DB25 Male, DB25 Female		<hr/>	
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN201-0006	Flexi-Lite Cables	
10-ft. (3.0-m)	EQN201-0010	DB9 Serial Male/Male	
20-ft. (6.1-m)	EQN201-0020	6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN300-0006
30-ft. (9.2-m)	EQN201-0030	12-ft. (3.6-m)	EQN300-0012
DB25 Male, Centronics Male		DB9 Serial Male/Female	
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN202-0006	6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN301-0006
10-ft. (3.0-m)	EQN202-0010	12-ft. (3.6-m)	EQN301-0012
20-ft. (6.1-m)	EQN202-0020	DB9 Female to DB25 Male	
30-ft. (9.2-m)	EQN202-0030	6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN302-0006
DB25 Male, MDR36 Male		12-ft. (3.6-m)	EQN302-0012
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN203-0006	DB9 Male to DB25 Female	
10-ft. (3.0-m)	EQN203-0010	6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN303-0006
20-ft. (6.1-m)	EQN203-0020	12-ft. (3.6-m)	EQN303-0012
30-ft. (9.2-m)	EQN203-0030	DB25 Serial Male/Male	
Centronics Male, MDR36 Male		6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN305-0006
6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN204-0006	12-ft. (3.6-m)	EQN305-0012
		Parallel Printer, DB25 Male to Centronics 36 Male	
		6-ft. (1.8-m)	EQN306-0006