

# AT Serial Installation Guide

**This guide includes instructions for installing your AT serial hardware and software.**

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# AT Serial Installation for Windows Me/9x

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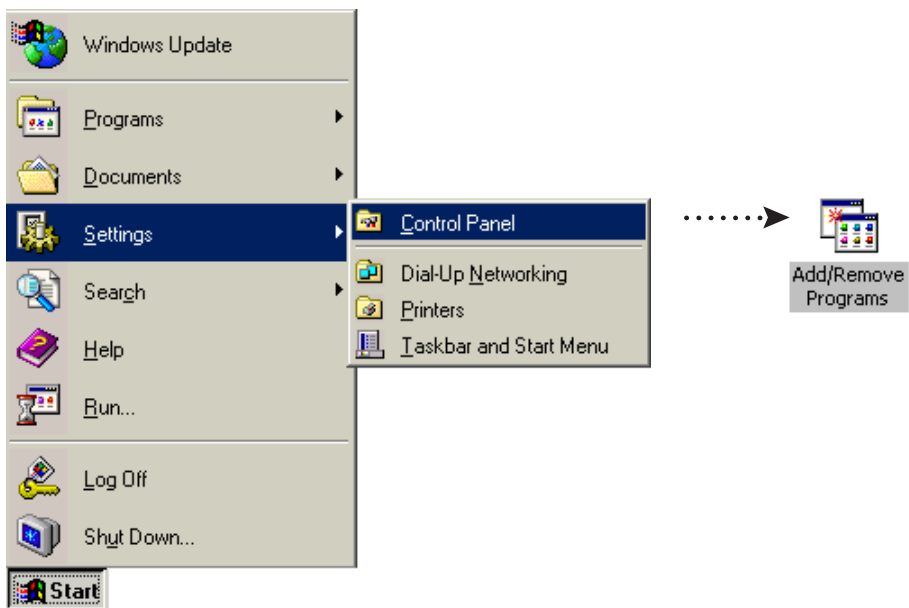
Insert the NI Serial Software CD.



Windows Me/9x

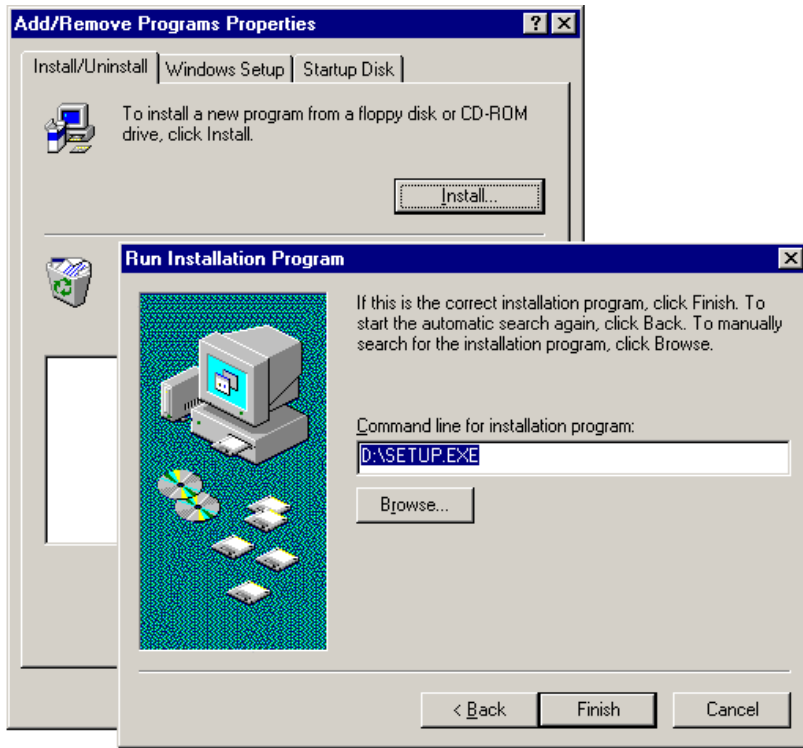
# 2

If the NI Serial setup starts automatically, follow the onscreen instructions and skip to Step 4. Otherwise, select Start>>Settings>>Control Panel. In the Control Panel window, double-click on Add/Remove Programs.



# 3

In the Install/Uninstall tab, click on Install. When the Run Installation Program window appears, click on Finish and follow the onscreen instructions.



# 4

Remove the CD. Shut down the computer, install the hardware, and power on the computer.



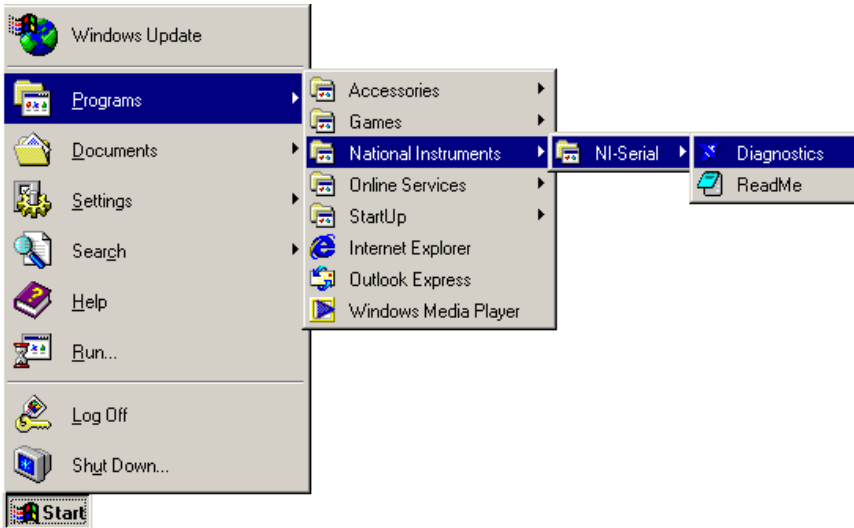
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When you restart the computer, the Add New Hardware Wizard appears. Complete the wizard by clicking Next in each window and then Finish.



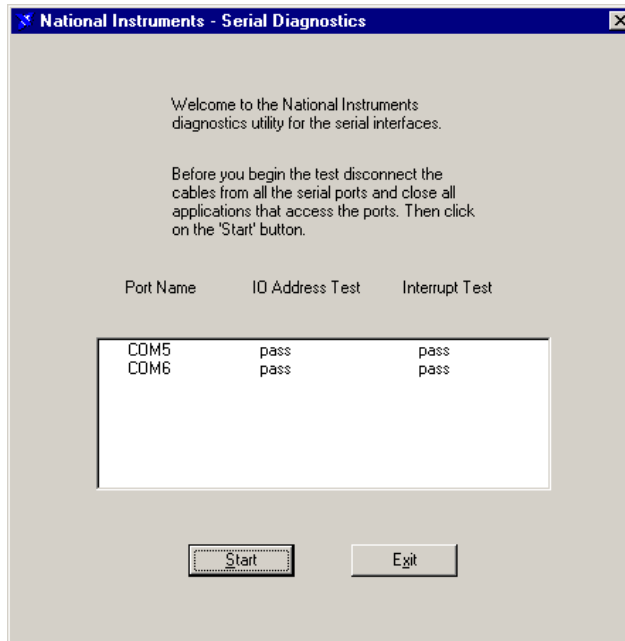
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Select Start>>Programs>>National Instruments>>NI Serial>>Diagnostics.



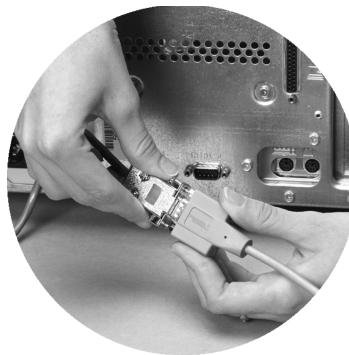
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The Serial Diagnostics Window appears. Click Start to run the diagnostics.



# 8

Connect the cables.

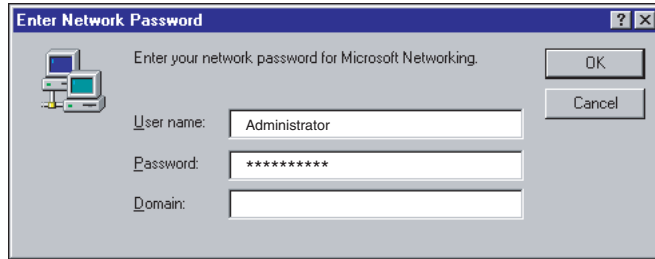


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# AT Serial Installation for Windows NT

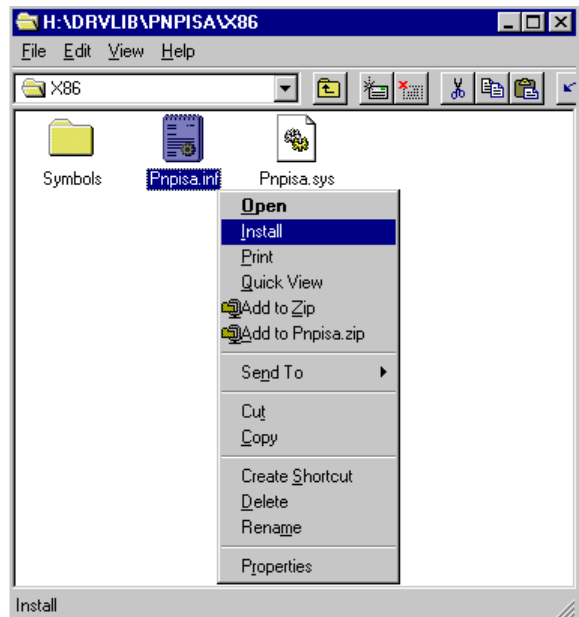
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Log on as Administrator or as a user with administrative privileges.



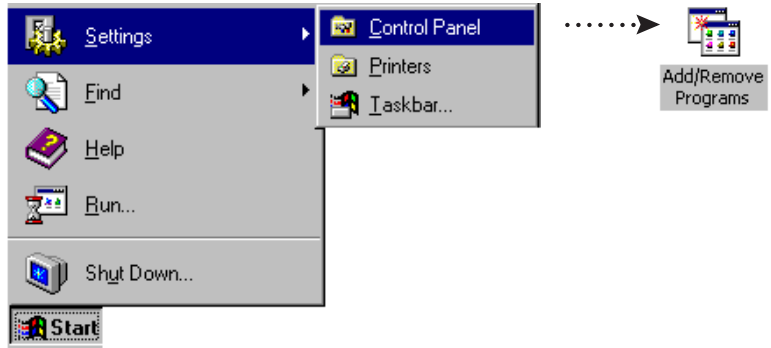
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Install pnpisa.inf from the Windows NT CD if you have not already. Insert the Windows NT CD, right-click on the pnpisa.inf icon (in the DRVLIB\PNPISA\X86 directory), and select Install.



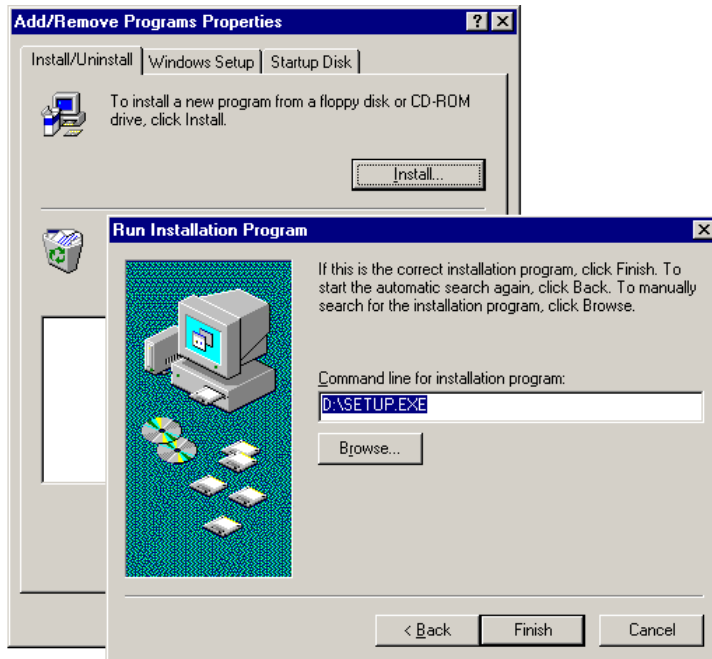
# 3

Insert the NI Serial Software CD. If the NI Serial setup starts automatically, follow the onscreen instructions and skip to Step 5. Otherwise, select **Start»Settings»Control Panel**. In the Control Panel window, double-click on **Add/Remove Programs**.



# 4

In the **Install/Uninstall** tab, click on **Install**. When the **Run Installation Program** window appears, click on **Finish** and follow the onscreen instructions.



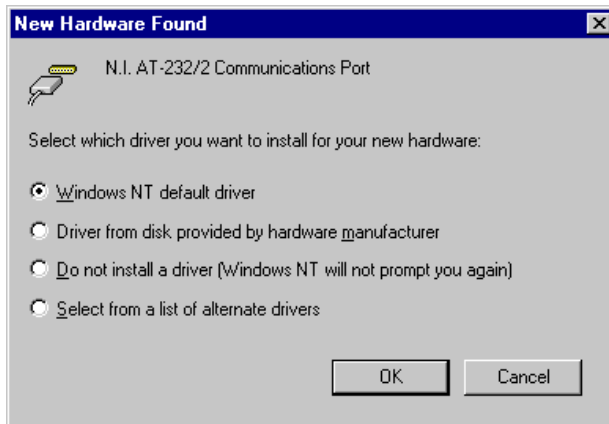
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Remove the CD. Shut down the computer, install the hardware, and power on the computer.



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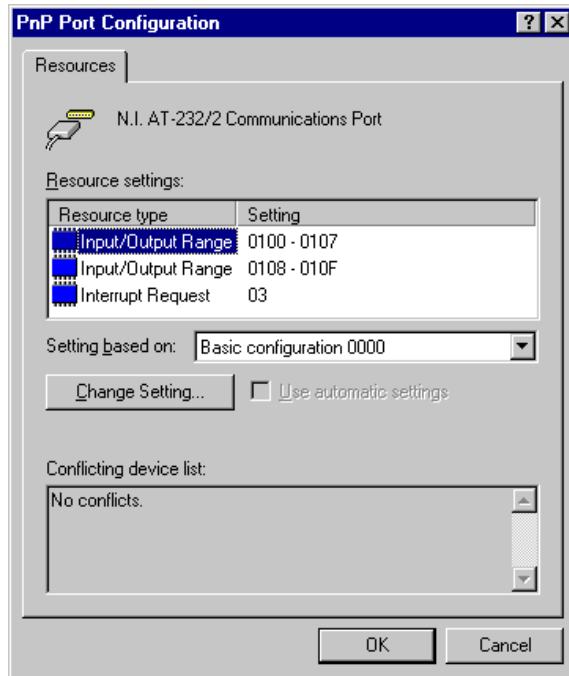
In the New Hardware Found window, select Windows NT default driver and click on OK.





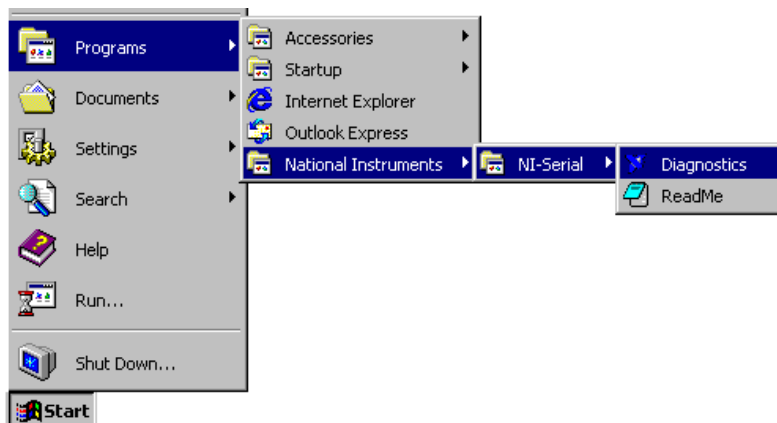
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Select Conflict Free Resources and then click on OK in the PnP Port Configuration window.



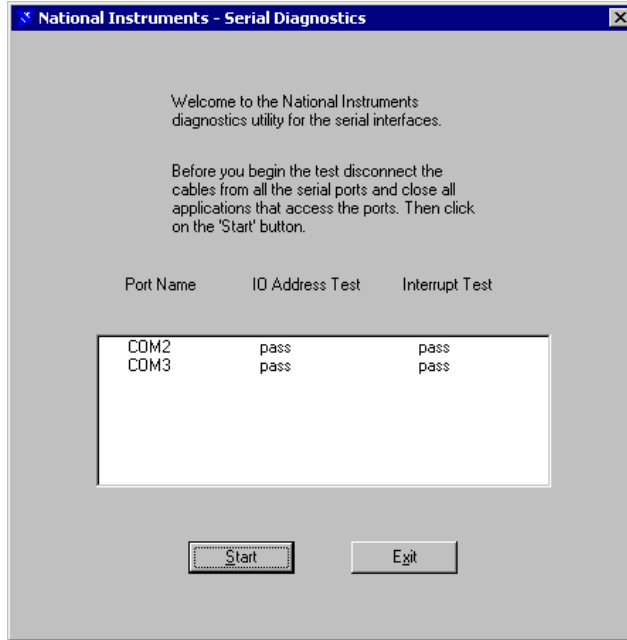
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Select Start»Programs»National Instruments»NI Serial»Diagnostics.



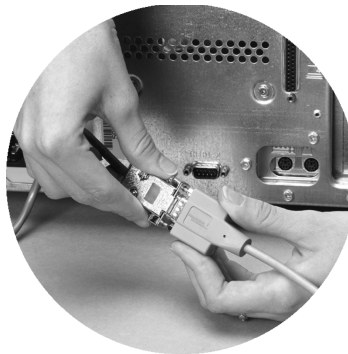
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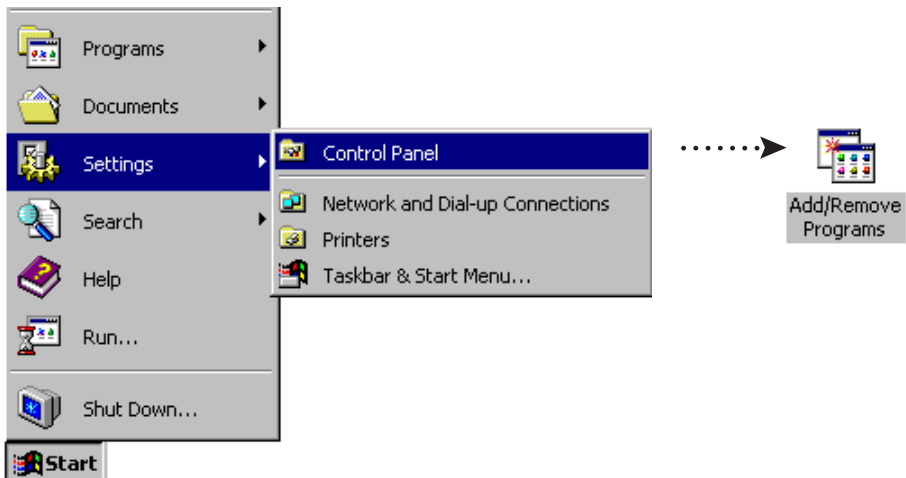
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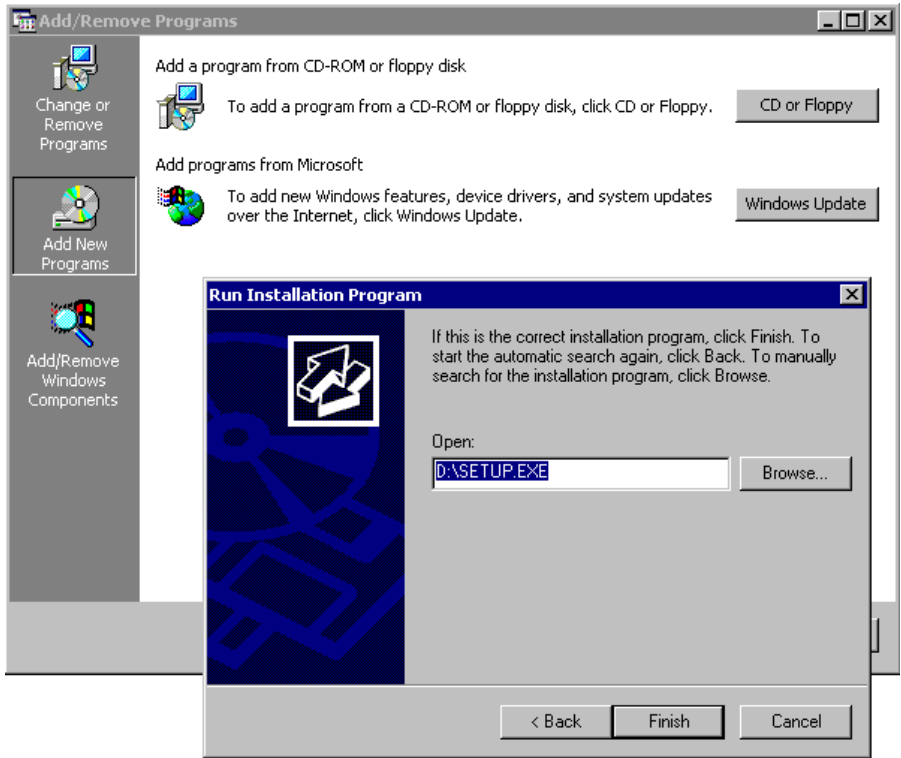
If the NI Serial setup starts automatically, follow the onscreen instructions and skip to Step 4. Otherwise, select Start>>Settings>>Control Panel. In the Control Panel window, double-click on Add/Remove Programs.



Windows 2000

# 3

Click on Add New Programs, CD or Floppy, and Next. When the Run Installation Program window appears, click on Finish and follow the onscreen instructions.



# 4

Remove the CD. Shut down the computer, install the hardware, and power on the computer.



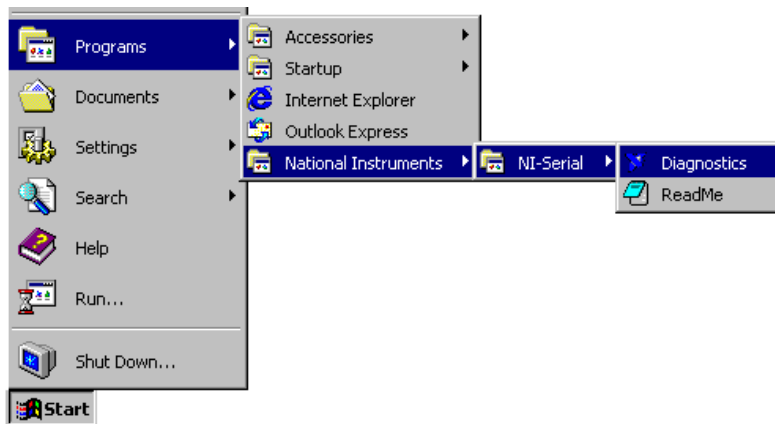
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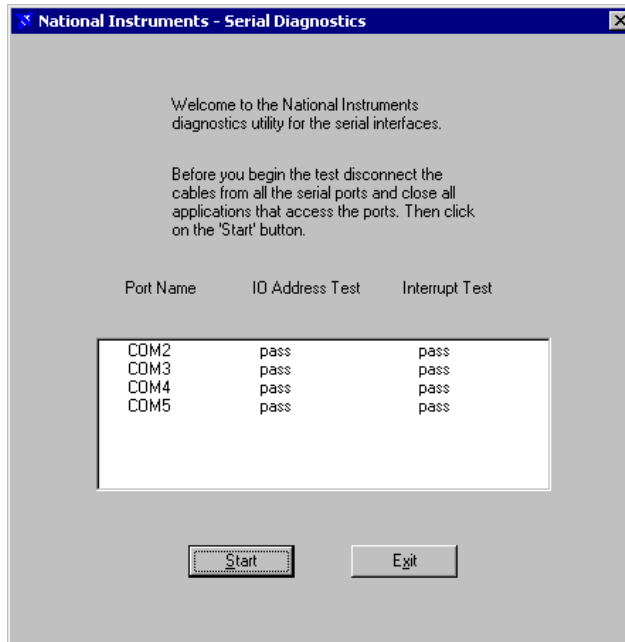
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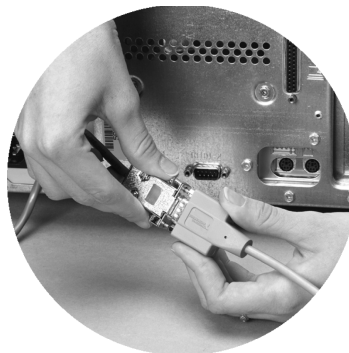
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