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WinCT (Windows Communication Tools)

WinCT is a program for transmitting data from an A&D balance to a computer.

Below are instructions for installation and use of WinCT.

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1. System Requirements

Computer OS Microsoft Windows 11 / Windows 10

Port differs depending on the connection method.

Connection method	Port
RS-232C cable	RS-232C port (COM port)*1
USB cable	USB port *2
Bluetooth (AD-8541-SCALE AD-8541-PC)	USB port *2

*1 If the computer has no COM port, a Serial/USB converter is available as an accessory to add a COM port on the computer. A cable is also attached for connecting the balance.

Product, Accessory

	Balance has 25 pin RS-232C	Balance has 9 pin RS- 232C
Using Serial/USB converter	AX-USB-25	AX-USB-9P
Using Bluetooth converter	AD-8541-SCALE AD-8541-PC AX-K05363-30	AD-8541-SCALE AD-8541-PC

Balance An A&D balance with an RS-232C or USB *2 interface

Cable An RS-232C cable or USB cable

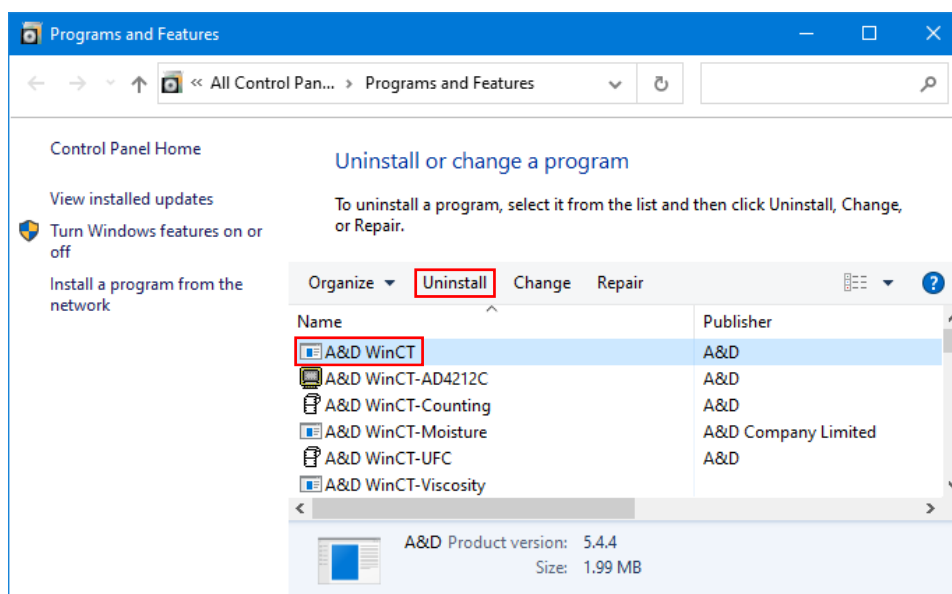
*2 USB...Bidirectional communication required

CAUTION

- Use an English version of Windows for proper operation of WinCT.
- If WinCT is operated on Windows except for an English version, the computer may show incorrect characters of data which is already stored before installing WinCT.
- Back up your important data in the computer before installing WinCT.

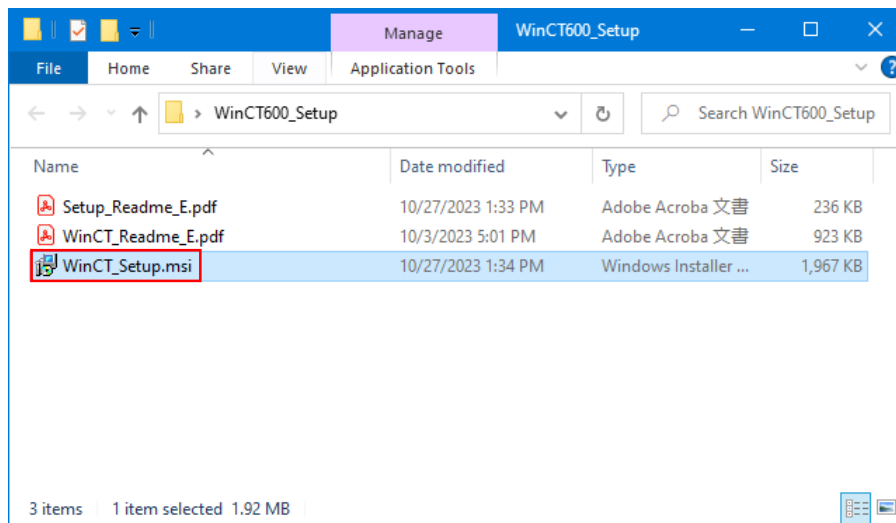
2. Installation Instructions

Step 1 If a previous version of WinCT is installed on the computer,uninstall the previous version of WinCT.

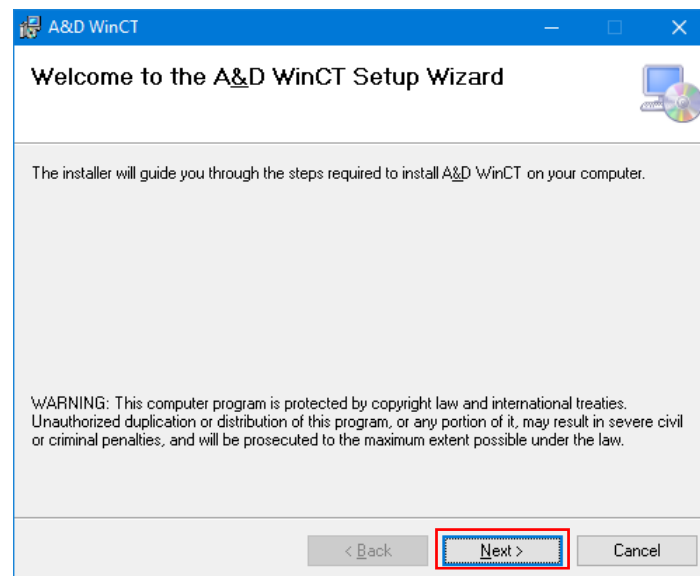


Step 2 Close all open applications in Windows.

Step 3 Install WinCT.
Run WinCT_Setup.msi.



Step 4 Install WinCT following the instructions on the screen.



3. Starting WinCT

Select either RsCom or RsKey or RsWeight from the START menu. The default menu address is [Start] - [program] - [A&D WinCT]. You will find the instruction manual in the Readme file under [A&D WinCT].

RsCom This window is able to transmit the weighing data using a text file format to a computer. This window also transmits commands for operating an A&D balance.

RsKey Weighing data is imported directly into an application, such as MS Excel. However, this window cannot be used to send commands to a balance.

RsWeight The weighing data can be retrieved from the balance and displayed in graph form on the monitor screen in real-time. Maximum, minimum, average, standard deviation and coefficient of variation values of data can be calculated and displayed.

CAUTION

- WinCT is a program for balances that use the A&D format. A&D does not guarantee performance or compatibility when other manufacture's balances are used with WinCT.
- If you have problems or questions about compatibility with third party software, contact the manufactures for information.

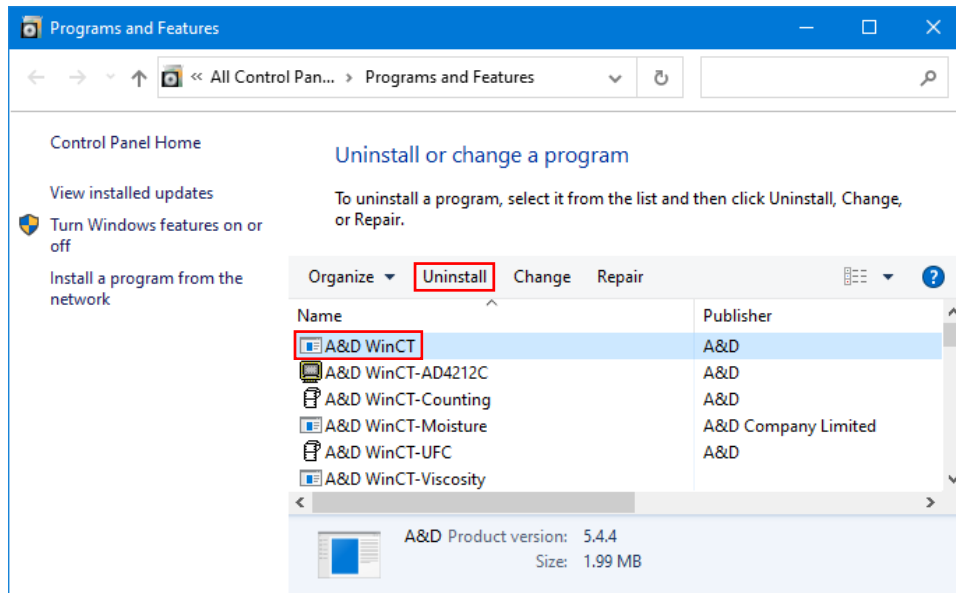
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5. Uninstall Instructions

Use the "Add/Remove Programs" icon in the control panel to remove this program from your computer.



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