INSTALLATION MANUAL

Interfacing the tCOM+ with Mindray BeneView and BeneVision Patient Monitors

tCOM+ Software Version V01.03.00 or higher





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Introduction

The Sentec tCOM+ supports communication with Mindray BeneView T-Series patient monitors (T5/T6/T8/T9) and Mindray BeneVision N-Series patient monitors (N12/N15/N17/N19/N22) by using a Mindray-specific ID Adapter.

Once the connection between the tCOM+ and the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitor is established, the tCOM+ transfers all patient data (PCO2, PO2, SpO2, PR, heating power) as well as the sensor temperature and alarm limits of physiological monitoring parameters to the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitor. However, the tCOM+ status messages/ status codes are not transmitted to the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitor.

The connection procedure must be followed only once, afterwards the tCOM+ and BeneView / BeneVision patient monitor will communicate even after disconnecting / reconnecting the tCOM+ or after power OFF/ON.

Note: The BeneView and BeneVision patient monitor can display data received from the tCOM+ but cannot remotely control the tCOM+.

Note: Due to the specific features of the SentecLink Interface Protocol, the data transmission from the tCOM+ to the BeneView / BeneVision System may be delayed by several seconds.

Note: Mindray is responsible to ensure the correct display of the tCOM+ monitoring data and physiological alarm conditions on the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitor.

Note: Accessory equipment connected to the tCOM+'s data ports must be certified according to the IEC 60950 standard. All resulting combinations of equipment must be in compliance with the IEC standard 60601-1 systems requirements. Anyone who connects accessory equipment to the tCOM+ configures a medical system and is, therefore, responsible for ensuring that the resulting system complies with the requirements of standard IEC 60601-1 and the electromagnetic compatibility standard IEC 60601-1-2.



CAUTION: When connecting/mounting the tCOM+ to accessory equipment (e.g. PCs, PSG-Systems, (wireless) networks, roll stands, mounting plates, incubators, etc.)), verify proper operation before clinical use of the tCOM+ and accessory equipment. In certain cases it may be required that the tCOM+ and the accessory equipment must be connected to a grounded AC outlet. In case of doubt consult qualified technicians.

Required Components / System

Requirements

Components required from Sentec

(1-13)	Sentec tCOM+ REF: 103164
sontec.	Software version V1.03.00 or higher is required to connect to BeneView / BeneVision Systems via SentecLink Protocol using Baud Rate 115200.

BeneView / BeneVision Components required from Mindray

	Mindray Beneview / BeneVision Series Patient Monitors Connection is possible to the following systems: BeneView T5, T6, T8, T9 BeneVision N12, N15, N17, N19, N22
	Software requirements: Beneview Patient Monitors: SW Version 5.25 or higher BeneVision Patient Monitors: SW Version 2.0 or higher Benelink Module: SW Version 1.6 or higher
	BeneLink Module Product Code*: 115-011464-00 The BeneLink Module is inserted into the module rack of the BeneView / BeneVision Patient Monitor. SW Version 1.6 or higher is required for interfacing the tCOM+ with the BeneView / BeneVision System.
A B C	ID adapter kit: BeneLink ID Adapter with RJ45 Cable and Cable C Product Code*: PN-115-011468-00. The kit contains the following items: RJ45 Cable (A): required to connect the selected port of the BeneLink Module with the ID-Adapter (B). Sentec specific ID-Adapter Mindray type C serial port adapting cable (PN*: 009- 001769-00): a black cable to connect the ID-Adapter with the female RS-232 connector on the rear of the tCOM+ (C). Note: Example image, real cable may look different.

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Setting up the connection

Note: The instructions below refer to the BeneVision N17 patient monitor. The procedure to set up the connection can slightly vary for other BeneView or BeneVision models.

To set-up a connection from the tCOM+ to the BeneVision System, proceed as follows:

- 1. Switch the BeneVision System OFF.
- 2. Localize the module rack on your BeneVision monitor with the BeneLink Module.
- 3. Connect the Mindray RJ45 Cable to the BeneLink Module.



4. Connect the free end of the RJ45 Cable to the BeneLink ID Adapter (grey box).



5. Use the Mindray type C serial port adapting cable (black cable) to connect the ID-Adapter with the female RS-232 connector on the rear of the tCOM+.



6. Switch the BeneVision patient monitor ON.

Configurations

Configuration of the tCOM+

- Select the serial communication protocol 'SentecLink' in the menu 'Advanced Settings / Interfaces / Serial Interface'. Select Baud Rate 115`200.
 Note: Other Baud Rates than 115`200 are not supported in conjunction with the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitors.
- Enable 'SDM Compatibility Mode' in menu 'Advanced Settings / Interfaces / Interface Options'

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• Disable Encryption for serial communication in menu 'Advanced Settings / Interfaces / Encryption'

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Configuration of the BeneView / BeneVision Patient Monitor

To establish a connection between the BeneView or BeneVision patient monitor and the tCOM+, the correct port of the BeneLink-Module must be assigned on the BeneView or BeneVision patient monitor.

To assign the correct port, enter the "ID-Module upgr." menu, select the correct port of the BeneLink-Module (i.e., the port the RJ45 Cable is connected to) and assign the tCOM+ specific communication ID to the selected port (5354acac).

Note: Assignment of the correct port to establish the connection between the BeneView or BeneVision patient monitor and the tCOM+ can only be done by Mindray Service Technicians or trained authorized personnel.

Configuration of the Display of the BeneView/ BeneVision Patient Monitor

Refer to the operation manual of the BeneView patient monitor for further information.

Alarms

All physiological alarms (high/low alarm limit violations) of the tCOM+ can be displayed on the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitors. However, the tCOM+ status messages/ status codes are not transmitted to the BeneView / BeneVision patient monitors.





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