

RECOMMENDED HARDWARE

There are several manufacturers that supply compatible equipment to the list of suggested hardware items below. Please consult your IT professional to pick the equipment that is right for your business plan.

Desktop work station.

Any PC or other web-enabled device with **Windows XP** or higher. A Serial Port is required if you want to connect this PC with a shipping scale and/or label printer for UPS, USPS or other ship methods.

Radio Frequency (RF) Barcode scanners or “guns” (attached to PC directly through serial port charging station or through Wifi.)

The PC scanner we recommend is **Symbol** scanner model #LS3070. This scanner is used to scan inventory inbound or outbound and does not leave the computer station. (Charging station connected to PC.)

The Wifi scanner we recommend is **Symbol** brand model # MC9090. This RF scanner can be used like a computer with its full functioning LCD screen and full keypad. Software options to fit this LCD screen can be found in the “Gun Menu” of the software.

Note: The Wifi scanner will also require a wireless access point.

Daily reporting printers.

Any regular printer has to be attached directly to your PC or through a network and installed on your PC. (**HP** is recommended, but not necessary.)

Note: Host on Demand (HOD) will need to be downloaded to manage your printers/prints. The printer must be logged in DAILY to the system (thru the PC). Documents can also be sent from the system as email attachments and then saved or printed. (See Daily Printer Routine for details).

Barcode or shipping label printers.

Like a paper printer, a label printer is logged-in to the system (through a PC) when in use. Conveyorware’s storage and shipping labels require 4” x 6” label stock.

Zebra Thermal Transfer label printer (105SE) – This printer is used for pallet labels, or AIAG (Automotive Industry Action Group) labels.

Zebra Thermal Direct label printers ZP450 – This label printer is used for all UPS, USPS, and Fed Ex shipping labels. It also is used for all UPC labels and Retail SCC shipping labels.

SATO label printers – This manufacturer also has label printers that can be used for all of the above. This printer is a good back up to the above printers.

Note: All printers can be configured to match the labels that your company requires. Please check with your IT consultant for specific details to match your business plan.

Shipping Scale.

Fairbanks brand scale – Merchandise weight will dictate the size scale required for your business. (i.e. Model 70-2453-4 w/serial connection.)

Note: PC has to have serial port for scale.

FedEx Shipping.

There are two options to choose from when shipping via Fed Ex. PC Down load, or Ship Manager.

--If you are using the Ship Manager version of Fed Ex, your Fed Ex rep will deliver a PC, Printer and Scale.

--If you are using the down load version of Fed Ex, the printers and scales noted above will be needed.

U.S.P.S Shipping.

We recommend using **Endicia** www.Endicia.com to ship and track your USPS shipments.

This software works very much like UPS and Fed Ex with a 4' x 6' shipping label and online tracking. It works with the scale and printers noted above.

Point of Sale (P.O.S.)

Any PC works as a register, but a cash drawer and receipt printer are also required. Make sure your **receipt printer** is turned ON and connected to HOD (See Daily Printer Routine for details).

Cash Drawer **APG** model # VB32-B-1616

Receipt Printer **Epson** model # M129H

Any USB Barcode Scanner will connect to the PC

Manufacturers may have compatible models that can also work with the software.

➤ **REMEMBER:** Your IT consultant should be consulted before these hardware decisions are made to be sure you have the proper configurations for your business.