

Number of ports on an industrial Ethernet switch



AI Overview

Industrial Ethernet switches for DAS systems typically range from 5 to 24 ports, with options for RJ45, SFP, and M12 connections depending on the application.

Typical Port Configurations

- Small-scale DAS networks: 5-port switches, such as the ICP DAS NS-205A, support 10/100 Base-TX connections and are suitable for connecting a few workstations or sensors in compact installations .
- Medium-scale networks: 8 to 16 ports are common, for example, the ICP DAS NSM-216 offers 16 Ethernet ports with auto-negotiation and store-and-forward buffering, ideal for larger DAS deployments . Phoenix Contact also provides 8- and 16-port unmanaged switches with RJ45 or M12 connectors .
- High-density or industrial PoE applications: Managed switches can have 12 to 24 RJ45 ports plus additional SFP or combo ports for fiber uplinks. For instance, Phoenix Contact's TSN Switch 5000 series offers 24 RJ45 ports with 4 SFP+ ports, supporting high-speed and time-sensitive networking . Cisco IE 4000 Series switches provide up to 20 Gigabit Ethernet ports with PoE support, suitable for connecting multiple devices including PLCs, IP cameras, and wireless access points .

Port Types and Features

- RJ45 ports: Standard for copper Ethernet connections, supporting 10/100/1000 Mbps speeds.

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