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**General**

This specification is a firmware specification for single station POS printer.

**Printer basic functions**

- **General**

<b>Serial I/F</b> - Protocol - Data length - Stop bits - Parity - Baud rate	DTR/DSR, XON/XOFF 8, 7 bits 1, 2 bit Non, Even, Odd 9600, 19200, 38400, 57600, 115200 bps
<b>USB I/F</b> - Speed - Device class	USB 2.0 Full speed mode Vendor-Specific class for OPOS driver (T.B.D.) Printer class for Windows driver (T.B.D.)
<b>Parallel I/F (option)</b> - mode	IEE1284 Compatible, Nibble

- **Receipt**

	<b>80mm model</b>	<b>58mm model</b>
<b>Resolution</b>	203.2 dpi x 203.2 dpi (8 dots/mm)	
<b>Printable area</b>		
- Font A	48 char. = 576 dots	36 char. = 432 dots
- Font B	64 char. = 576 dots	48 char. = 432 dots
- Graphics	576 dots	432 dots
<b>Character configuration</b>		
- Font A	12(H) X 24(V) dots	
- Font B	9(H) X 24(V) dots	
<b>Character set</b>	Code page 437, 850, 852, 857, 858, 860, 863, 865, 866, 1252	
<b>Print line height</b>	Minimum 24 dots (3 mm) selectable	
<b>Print attribute</b>	Double width , Double high ,rotate , under line, scalable, bold, inverse image characters	

## Emulation

### 1 Command list

The printer supports the commands shown below.

Command sequence		Function	Remarks
<b>Printer Function Commands</b>			
ESC i	1BH 69H	Perform Full Knife Cut	6
ESC m	1BH 6DH	Perform Partial Knife Cut	6
ESC BEL	1BH 07H	Generate Tone	6
ESC =	1BH 3DH	Select Peripheral Device (for Multi-drop) -- This command is ignored	6
ESC @	1BH 40H	Initialize Printer	7 ,WinDriverUsed
ESC c 4	1BH 63H 34H	Select Sensors to Stop Printing	8
ESC c 5	1BH 63H 35H	Enable or Disable Panel Buttons	8
ESC p	1BH 70H	Generate Pulse to Open Cash Drawer	8
GS V	1DH 56H	Select cut mode and cut paper	9 ,WinDriverUsed
US t	1FH 74H	Print Test Form	9 ,WinDriverUsed
<b>Vertical Positioning and Print Commands</b>			
LF	0AH	Print and Feed Paper One Line	9
CR	0DH	Print and Carriage Return	10
ESC 2	1BH 32H	Set Line Spacing to 1/6 Inch	10
ESC 3	1BH 33H	Set Line Spacing	10
ESC J	1BH 4AH	Print and Feed Paper	10
ESC d	1BH 64H	Print and Feed n Lines	11
GS P	1DH 50H	Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units	11
<b>Horizontal Positioning Commands</b>			
HT	09H	Horizontal Tab	11
ESC DC4	1BH 14H	Set Column	11
ESC \$	1BH 24H	Set Absolute Starting Position	12
ESC D	1BH 44H	Set Horizontal Tabs	12
ESC \	1BH 5CH	Set Relative Print Position	13
ESC a	1BH 61H	Select Justification	13
GS L	1DH 4CH	Set Left Margin	14
GS W	1DH 57H	Set Printing Area Width	15

Command sequence		Function	Remarks
<b>Print Characteristic Commands</b>			
ESC SP	1BH 20H	Set Character Right-Side Spacing	16
ESC !	1BH 21H	Select Print Modes	16
ESC %	1BH 25H	Select or Cancel User-Defined Character Set	17
ESC &	1BH 26H	Define User-Defined Characters	17
ESC -	1BH 2DH	Select or Cancel Underline Mode	18
ESC ?	1BH 3FH	Cancel User-Defined Characters	18
ESC E	1BH 45H	Select or Cancel Emphasized Mode	18
ESC G	1BH 47H	Select Double Strike	19
ESC M	1BH 4DH	Select Character Font	19
ESC R	1BH 52H	Select International Character Set	23
ESC V	1BH 56H	Select or Cancel 90 Degrees Clockwise Rotated Print	20
ESC r	1BH 72H	Select Print Color	20
ESC t	1BH 74H	Select Character Code Table	19
ESC {	1BH 7BH	Select or Cancel Upside Down Printing Mode	20
GS !	1DH 21H	Select Character Size	21
GS B	1DH 42H	Select or Cancel White/Black Reverse Printing Mode	22
GS b	1DH 62H	Select or Cancel Smoothing Mode	22
<b>Graphics Commands</b>			
DC1	11H	Print Raster Graphics	24
ESC *	1BH 2AH	Select Bit Image Mode	24
GS *	1DH 2AH	Define Downloaded Bit Image	26
GS /	1DH 2FH	Print Downloaded Bit Image	27
ESC ,	1BH 2CH	Print Raster Graphics (TBD)	27
US + "BMP"	1FH + "BMP"	Download BMP Logo	27
US 0,	1FH 30H	Select Current Logo (Downloaded Bit Image)	28
<b>Status Commands (Batch Mode)</b>			
ESC u	1BH 75H	Transmit Peripheral Device Status	29
ESC v	1BH 76H	Transmit Paper Sensor Status	30
GS I	1DH 49H	Transmit Printer ID	30
GS r	1DH 72H	Transmit status	31
<b>Status Commands (Real Time)</b>			
ESC n	1BH 6EH	Real Time Status Transmission	34
ESC o	1BH 6FH	Real Time Request to Printer	36
ESC h	1BH 68H	Real Time Printer Status Transmission	37

Command sequence		Function	Remarks
<b>Barcode Commands</b>			
GS H	1DH 48H	Select Printing Position for HRI Characters	38
GS f	1DH 66H	Select Pitch for HRI Characters	38
GS h	1DH 68H	Set Bar Code Height	38
GS k	1DH 6BH	Print Bar Code	38
GS w	1DH 77H	Set Bar Code Width	40
<b>Page Mode Commands</b>			
FF	0CH	Print and Return to Standard Mode	40 ,WinDriverUsed
CAN	18H	Cancel Print Data in Page Mode	41 ,WinDriverUsed
ESC FF	1BH 0CH	Print Data in Page Mode	41 ,WinDriverUsed
ESC L	1BH 4CH	Select Page Mode	41 ,WinDriverUsed
ESC S	1BH 53H	Select Standard Mode	42 ,WinDriverUsed
ESC T	1BH 54H	Select Print Direction in Page Mode	42
ESC W	1BH 57H	Set Printing Area in Page Mode	43 ,WinDriverUsed
GS \$	1DH 24H	Set Absolute Vertical Print Position in Page Mode	43
GS \	1DH 5CH	Set Relative Vertical Print Position in Page Mode	44
<b>Macro Commands</b>			
GS :	1DH 3AH	Start or End Macro Definition	44
GS ^	1DH 5EH	Execute Macro	45
<b>User Data Storage Commands</b>			
US 1	1FH 31H	Read from Non-Volatile Memory	46
US 2	1FH 32H	Write to Non-Volatile Memory (NVRAM)	46
US 3	1FH 33H	Select Memory Type (SRAM/Flash) Where to Save Logos or User-Defined Fonts	46
US 4	1FH 34H	Flash Allocation	47
US 5	1FH 35H	Erase User Flash Sector	47
US 6	1FH 36H	Printer Setting Change	48

Command sequence		Function	Remarks
<b>Flash Download Commands</b>			
ESC [ }	1BH 5BH 7DH	Switch Flash Download Mode	51
GS NULL	1DH 00H	Request Printer ID	51
GS SOH	1DH 01H	Return Segment Number Status of Flash Memory	52
GS STX	1DH 02H	Select Flash Memory Sector to Download	52
GS ACK	1DH 06H	Get Firmware CRC	52
GS BEL	1DH 07H	Return Microprocessor CRC	52
GS SO	1DH 0EH	Erase the Flash Memory	52
GS SI	1DH 0FH	Return Main Program Flash CRC	53
GS DLE	1DH 10H	Erase Selected Flash Sector	53
GS DC1	1DH 11H	Download to Active Flash Sector	53
GS SP	1DH FFH	Reboot the Printer	53
<b>Double side printing command (These commands are supported by 2ST model only)</b>			
US ‘	1FH 60H	Select Thermal Printing Modes	54 ,WinDriverUsed
US a	1FH 61H	Select Thermal Printing Side	55
US b	1FH 62H	Start Double Sided Printing	55 ,WinDriverUsed
US c	1FH 63H	Select or Cancel Upside Down Printing for Double Sided Printing	56
US d	1FH 64H	Swap Front Side and Back Side	56
US e	1FH 65H	Download 1-Line Top/Bottom Message into ROM	57
US f	1FH 66H	Enable Pre-Defined Top/ Bottom Message	58
US g	1FH 67H	Select nth Macro	59
US h	1FH 68H	Start/End Pre-Defined Back Side Printing	59
US i	1FH 69H	Define Minimum Receipt Length	61 ,WinDriverUsed

## 2 Command Descriptions

### 2.1 Printer Function Commands

The printer function commands control the following basic printer functions and are described in order of their hexadecimal codes:

1. Resetting the printer
2. Cutting the paper
3. Opening the cash drawers

#### 2.1.1 Perform Full Knife Cut

**ASCII:** ESC i  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 69  
**Decimal:** 27 105

Cuts the receipt, leaving .20 inch (5 mm) of paper. This command is implemented the same as Partial Knife Cut (1B 6D). Line Feed is executed first if print buffer is not empty.

#### 2.1.2 Perform Partial Knife Cut

**ASCII:** ESC m  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 6D  
**Decimal:** 27 109

Cuts the receipt, leaving 5 mm (.20 inch) of paper. This command is implemented the same as Full Knife Cut (1B 69).

**Exceptions:**

Line Feed is executed first if the buffer is not empty.

#### 2.1.3 Generate Tone

**ASCII:** ESC BEL  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 07  
**Decimal:** 27 7

Generates an audible tone. Performed by the printer to signal certain conditions.

#### 2.1.4 Select Peripheral Device (for Multi-Drop)

**ASCII:** ESC = *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 3D *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 61 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 (Bit 0), device not selected  
1 (Bit 1), device selected  
**Default:** 1 (Bit 1), device selected

Selects the device to which the host computer sends data.

**Exception:**

This command is ignored.

**2.1.5 Initialize Printer**

**ASCII:** ESC @  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 40  
**Decimal:** 27 64  
**Default:**  
**Character Pitch:** 16.9 CPI  
**Column Width:** 48 characters (80mm)  
 36 characters (58mm)  
**Extra Dot Rows:** 2  
**Character Set:** Code Page 437  
**Printing Position:** Column One

Clears the print line buffer and resets the printer to the default settings for the startup configuration (refer to Default settings above.)

Single-Wide, Single-High, Non-Rotated, and Left-Aligned characters are set and User-defined characters or logo graphics are cleared (Flash Memory is not affected). Tabs reset to default.

**2.1.6 Select Paper Sensors to Output Paper End Signals (Parallel Only)**

**ASCII:** ESC c 3 *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 63 33 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 99 51 *n*

**Value of *n*:**

If either bit 0 or bit 1 is on, the paper roll near-end sensor is selected as the paper sensor outputting paper-end signals.

If either bit 2 or bit 3 is on, the paper roll end sensor is selected as the paper sensor outputting paper-end signals.

Bit	Position	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Paper roll near end sensor disabled
	On	01	1	Paper roll near end sensor enable
1	Off	00	0	Paper roll near end sensor disabled
	On	02	2	Paper roll near end sensor enabled
2	Off	00	0	Paper roll end sensor disabled
	On	04	4	Paper roll end sensor enabled
3	Off	00	0	Paper roll end sensor disabled
	On	08	8	Paper roll end sensor enabled
4,5,6,7	-	-	-	Undefined

**Range of *n* :** 1 - 255  
**Default:** 15

Specifies the paper sensor to output a paper end signal. Multiple sensors may be selected to signal when paper has run out. When multiple sensors have been selected, anytime one of the sensors detects a paper end, the paper end signal is output.

When this command is executed a sensor is switched. The paper end signal switching is delayed depending on the receive buffer state.

**2.1.7 Select Sensors to Stop Printing**

**ASCII:** ESC c 4 n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 63 34 n  
**Decimal:** 27 99 52 n

**Value of n:**

Bit	Function
0,1	Stop Receipt on Receipt Low
2-7	Undefined.

**Default:** 0

Determines which sensor stops printing on the respective station. The command does not affect the paper out sensor on the receipt station, which will automatically stop the printer when the paper is depleted.

**2.1.8 Enable or Disable Panel Buttons**

**ASCII:** ESC c 5 n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 63 35 n  
**Decimal:** 27 99 53 n

**Value of n:** 0 = Enable  
 1 = Disable

**Default:** 0 (Enable)

Enables or disables the Paper Feed Button. If the last bit is 0, the Paper Feed Button is enabled. If the last bit is 1, the Paper Feed Button is disabled.

**Related Information:**

Functions that require using the Paper Feed Button (except for the Execute Macro [1D 5E] command) cannot be used when it is disabled with this command.

**2.1.9 Generate Pulse to Open Cash Drawer**

**ASCII:** ESC p n p1 p2  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 70 n p1 p2  
**Decimal:** 27 112 n p1 p2  
**Value of n:** 0, 48 = Drawer1  
 1, 49 = Drawer 2

**Value of p1:** 0 - 255

**Value of p2:** 0 - 255

Sends a pulse to open the cash drawer.

**Formulas:**

The value for either *p1* or *p2* is the hexadecimal number multiplied by 2 msec to equal the total time.

1. On time = *p1* x 2 msec
2. Off time = *p2* x 2 msec

**Related Information:**

The off-time is the delay before the printer performs the next operation. Refer to cash drawer specifications for required on and off times.



**2.1.10 Select Cut Mode and Cut Paper**

**ASCII:** GS V *m* or GS V *m n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 56 *m* or 1D 56 *m n*  
**Decimal:** 29 86 *m* or 29 86 *m n*  
**Value of *m* :** Selects the mode as shown in the table  
**Value of *n* :** Determines cutting position only if *n* is 65 or 66.

<i>m</i>	Feed and Cut Mode
0,48	Full cut (no extra feed). Partial cut on the GENT.
1,49	Partial cut (no extra feed).
65	Feeds paper to cutting position + ( <i>n</i> times vertical motion unit), and cuts the paper completely.
66	Feeds paper to cutting position + ( <i>n</i> times vertical motion unit), and performs a partial cut.

**Range of *m*:** 0, 48; 1, 49  
 65, 66 (when used with *n*)  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 255  
**Default of *n*:** 0  
**Default of *m*:** 0

Selects a mode for cutting paper and cuts the paper. There are two formats for this command, one requiring one parameter *m*, the other requiring two parameters *m* and *n*. The format is indicated by the parameter *m*.

**Formulas:**  
*n* times the vertical motion unit is used to determine the cutting position to which the paper is fed.

**Exceptions:**  
 If *m* is out of the specified range, the command is ignored.

**2.1.11 Print Test Form**

**ASCII:** US t  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 74  
**Decimal:** 31 116  
 Prints the current printer configuration settings on the receipt.  
 Disabled in page mode.

**2.2 Vertical Positioning and Print Commands**

The vertical positioning and print commands control the vertical print positions of characters on the receipt.

**2.2.1 Print and Feed Paper One Line**

**ASCII:** LF  
**Hexadecimal:** 0A  
**Decimal:** 10

Prints one line from the buffer and feeds paper one line.  
 Carriage Return/Line Feed pair prints and feeds only one line.

## 2.2.2 Print and Carriage Return

**ASCII:** CR  
**Hexadecimal:** 0D  
**Decimal:** 13

Prints one line from the buffer and feeds paper one line. The printer can be set through the configuration menu to ignore or use this command. Some applications expect the command to be ignored while others use it as print command.

### Related Information:

See Ignoring/Using the Carriage Return in *Diagnostics* for more information.  
Carriage Return/ Line Feed pairs prints and feeds only one line.

## 2.2.3 Set Line Spacing to 1/6 Inch

**ASCII:** ESC 2  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 32  
**Decimal:** 27 50  
**Default:** 0.13 Inch (3.33 mm)

Sets the default line spacing to 1/6 of an inch (4.25 mm).

## 2.2.4 Set Line Spacing

**ASCII:** ESC 3 *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 33 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 51 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** *n* / 203 inches  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 255  
**Default:** Receipt .13 inch (3.37 mm or 7.52 lines per inch, 3 extra dot rows.)

Sets the line spacing to *n*/203 inches.

The minimum line spacing is 8.5 lines per inch. The line spacing equals the character height when *n* is too small.

If the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) is used to change the horizontal and vertical minimum motion unit, the parameters of this command (Set Line Spacing) will be interpreted accordingly.

### Related Information:

For more information, see the description of the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command in this document.

## 2.2.5 Print and Feed Paper

**ASCII:** ESC J *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 4A *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 74 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** *n* / 203 inches  
**Range of *n*:** 0 - 255

Prints one line from the buffer and feeds the paper.

The line height equals the character height when *n* is too small.

The line height equals the character height when *n* is too small.

If the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) is used to change the horizontal and vertical minimum motions units, the parameters of this command (Print and Feed paper) will be interpreted accordingly.

### Related Information:

For more information, see the description of the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command in this document.

### 2.2.6 Print and Feed $n$ Lines

**ASCII:** ESC d  $n$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 64  $n$   
**Decimal:** 27 100  $n$   
**Value of  $n$ :** Number of lines to be printed and fed.  
**Range of  $n$ :** 1 – 255  
(0 is interpreted as 1 on the receipt station)

Prints one line from the buffer and feeds paper  $n$  lines at the current line height.

### 2.2.7 Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units

**ASCII:** GS P  $x$   $y$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 50  $x$   $y$   
**Decimal:** 29 80  $x$   $y$   
**Value of  $x$ :** Horizontal  
**Value of  $y$ :** Vertical  
**Range of  $x$ :** 0 – 255  
**Range of  $y$ :** 0 – 255  
**Default of  $x$ :** 203  
**Default of  $y$ :** 203

Sets the horizontal and vertical motion units to 1/ $x$  inch and 1/ $y$  inch respectively.  
When  $x$  or  $y$  is set to 0, the default setting for that motion unit is used.  
The default horizontal motion is  $x$ ,  $y$  = 203.

## 2.3 Horizontal Positioning Commands

The horizontal positioning commands control the horizontal print positions of characters on the receipt.

### 2.3.1 Horizontal Tab

**ASCII:** HT  
**Hexadecimal:** 09  
**Decimal:** 9

Moves the print position to the next tab position set by the Set Horizontal Tab Positions (1B 44  $n1$   $n2$  ... 00) command. The print position is reset to column one after each line.

Tab treats the left margin as column one, therefore changes to the left margin will move the tab positions.

When there are no tabs defined to the right of the current position, or if the next tab is past the right margin, line feed is executed.

Printer initialization sets 32 tabs at column 9, 17, 25, .... (Every 8 characters)

### 2.3.2 Set Column

**ASCII:** ESC DC4  $n$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 14  $n$   
**Decimal:** 27 20  $n$   
**Value of  $n$ :**  
1 - 48 (Standard, 80mm), 1-36 (Standard, 58mm)  
1 - 64 (Compressed, 80mm), 1-48 (Compressed, 58mm)  
**Default of  $n$ :** 1

Prints the first character of the next print line in column  $n$ . It must be sent for each line not printed at column one. The value of  $n$  is set to one after each line.

### 2.3.3 Set Absolute Starting Position

**ASCII:** ESC \$ *n1 n2*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 24 *n1 n2*  
**Decimal:** 27 36 *n1 n2*  
**Value of *n*:** Number of dots to be moved from the beginning of the line.  
**Value of *n1*:** Remainder after dividing *n* by 256.  
**Value of *n2*:** Integer after dividing *n* by 256.

The values for *n1* and *n2* are two bytes in low byte, high byte word orientation.  
 Sets the print starting position to the specified number of dots (up to the right margin) from the beginning of the line. The print starting position is reset to the first column after each line.

**Formulas:**

Determine the value of *n* by multiplying the column for the absolute starting position by 13 (receipt standard pitch) or 10 (compressed pitch). The example shows how to calculate column 29 (10 dots per column) as the absolute starting position.  
 $28 \times 10 = 280$  dots (beginning of column 29)  
 $280/256 = 1$ , remainder of 24  
 $n1 = 24$   $n2 = 1$

**Related Information:**

This command is also used in the graphics mode.  
 See Graphics Commands in this chapter for more information.

If the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) is used to change the horizontal and vertical minimum motion unit, the parameters of this command (Set Absolute Print Position) will be interpreted accordingly. For more information, see the description of the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) in this document.

### 2.3.4 Set Horizontal Tabs

**ASCII:** ESC D [*n*] *k* NUL  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 44 [*n*] *k* 00  
**Decimal:** 27 68 [*n*] *k* 0  
**Value of *n*:** Column for tab minus one.  
*n* is always less than or equal to the current selected column width.  
**Value of *k*:** 0 - 32  
**Default:** Every 8 characters from column. 1 (9, 17, 25, etc.) for normal print.

Sets up to 32 horizontal tab positions *n* columns from column one, but does not move the print position. See the Horizontal Tab (09) command. The tab positions remain unchanged if the character widths are changed after the tabs are set.

This command ends with hexadecimal 00; hexadecimal 1B 44 00 clears all tabs. Tabs assumed to be in strictly ascending order. A tab out of order terminates the command string as if it were 00, and remaining tab values are taken as normal data.

**Formulas:**

Set the tab positions in ascending order and put Hex 00 at the end.  
 Hex 1B 44 00 (number of tabs not specified) clears all tab positions.

**Exceptions:**

The tabs cannot be set higher than the column width of the current pitch.

**2.3.5 Set Relative Print Position**

**ASCII:** ESC \ *n1 n2*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 5C *n1 n2*  
**Decimal:** 27 92 *n1 n2*

**Value of *n*:**

To Move the Relative Starting Position Right of the Current Position by *n* dots:

*n1* = Remainder after dividing *n* by 256.  
*n2* = Integer after dividing *n* by 256.

The values for *n1* and *n2* are two bytes in low byte, high byte word orientation.

To Move the Relative Starting Position Left of the Current Position by *n* dots:

*n1* = Remainder after dividing (65,536-*n*) by 256  
*n2* = Integer after dividing (65,536-*n*) by 256

The values for *n1* and *n2* are two bytes in low byte, high byte word orientation.

Moves the print starting position the specified number of dots either right (up to the right margin) or left (up to the left margin) of the current position. The print starting position is reset to the first column after each line. (Set Relative Print Position—continued on the next page)

**Formulas:**

To move to the left:

Determine the value of *n* by multiplying the number of columns to move left of the current position by 13 (standard pitch) or 10 (compressed pitch). The example shows how to set the relative position two columns in standard pitch (10 dots per column) to the left of the current position.

2 x 10 = 20 dots (two columns to be moved left of the current position) 65,536-20 = 65516  
 65,516/256 = 255, remainder of 236 *n1* = 236 *n2* = 255

To move to the right:

Determine the value of *n* by multiplying the number of columns to move right of the current position by 10 (standard pitch) or 8 (receipt compressed pitch). The example shows how to set the relative position two columns in standard pitch (10 dots per column) to the right of the current position.

2 x 10 = 20 dots (two columns to be moved right of the current position) 20/256 = 0, remainder of 20  
*n1* = 20 *n2* = 0

**Related Information:**

If the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) is used to change the horizontal and vertical minimum motion unit, the parameters of this command (Set Relative Print Position) will be interpreted accordingly. For more information, see the description of the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) in this document.

**2.3.6 Select Justification**

**ASCII:** ESC a *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 61 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 97 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0, 48 = Left Aligned  
 1, 49 = Center Aligned  
 2, 50 = Right Aligned  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 2, 48-50  
**Default:** 0 (Left aligned)

Specifies the alignment of the characters, graphics, logos, and bar codes on the receipt station.

**Exceptions:**

The command is valid only when input at the beginning of a line.

**2.3.7 Set Left Margin**

**ASCII:** GS L *nL nH*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 4C *nL nH*  
**Decimal:** 29 76 *nL nH*  
**Range of *nL*:** 0 - 255  
**Range of *nH*:** 0 - 255  
**Default:** 80 mm paper width: 576 dots (the maximum printable area)  
 58 mm paper width: 432 dots (the maximum printable area)

Sets the left margin of the printing area. The left margin is set to  $((nH \times 256) + nL)$  times horizontal motion unit) inches. The horizontal motion units are set by the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50), described in this manual.

The width of the printing area is set by the Set Printing Area Width command (1D 57), which follows this command. See the Set Printing Area Width command (1D 57) in this document for a description of that command.

If the setting exceeds the printable area, the maximum value of the printable area is used.

The maximum printable area is 576 dots. See the illustration.

**Formulas:**

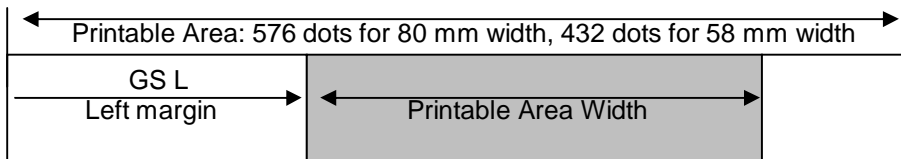
To set the left margin to one inch at the default horizontal motion unit of 1/203 inches, send the four-byte string:

**GS L 203 0**

Or, to set the left margin to two inches at the default horizontal motion unit of 1/203 units per inch, send the four-byte string:

**GS L 150 1**

Where 2 inches = 406/203, and 406 = (1 X 256) + 150.



**Exceptions:**

The command is effective only at the beginning of a line.  
 This command is ignored if the line buffer is not empty.

**2.3.8 Set Printing Area Width**

**ASCII:** GS W nL nH  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 57 nL nH  
**Decimal:** 29 87 nL nH  
**Range of nL:** 0 - 255  
**Range of nH:** 0 - 255  
**Default:** 80 mm paper width: 576 dots (the maximum printable area)  
 58 mm paper width: 432 dots (the maximum printable area)

Sets the width of the printing area. If the setting exceeds the printable area, the maximum value of the printable area is used.

The width of the printing area is set to  $((nH \times 256) + nL)$  times horizontal motion unit) inches.

The horizontal motion units are set by the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50).

The width of the printing area follows the Set Left Margin command (1D 4C).

See the Set Left Margin command (1D 4C...) earlier in this document for a description.

**Formulas:**

To set the width of the printing area to one inch at the default horizontal motion unit of 1/203 inches, send the four-byte string:

**GS W 203 0**

Or, to set the width of the printing area to two inches at the default horizontal motion unit of 1/203 units per inch, send the four-byte string:

**GS W 150 1**

Where 2 inches = 406/203, and 406 = (1 X 256) + 150.

**Exceptions:**

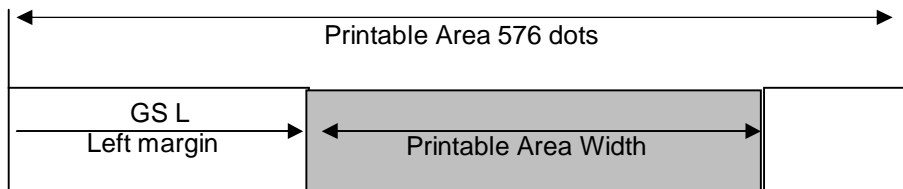
This command is effective only at the beginning of a line.

This command is ignored if the line buffer is not empty.

If the setting exceeds the printable area, the maximum value of the printable area is used.

The maximum printable area is 576 dots for 80 mm paper width and 432 dots for 58 mm paper width.

See the illustration in the Set Left Margin command. (1D 4C)



**Print Characteristic Commands**

These commands control what the printed information looks like: selection of character sets, definition of custom-defined characters, and setting of margins.

The commands are described in order of their hexadecimal codes

**2.3.9 Set Character Right-Side Spacing**

**ASCII:** ESC SP *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 20 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 32 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 - 32  
**Default:** 0

Sets the right side character spacing to [*n* x horizontal or vertical motion units]. Values for this command are set independently in Standard and Page Mode.

The units of horizontal and vertical motion are specified by the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units (1D 50...) command.

Changes in the horizontal or vertical units do not affect the current right side character spacing. When the horizontal or vertical motion unit is changed by the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units (1D 50...) command the value must be in even units and not less than the minimum amount of horizontal movement.

In Standard Mode the horizontal motion unit is used.

In Page Mode the horizontal or vertical motion unit differs and depends on the starting position of the printable area. When the starting printing position is the upper left or lower right of the printable area (set by Select Print Direction in Page Mode, 1B 54 *n*) the horizontal motion unit (*x*) is used. When the starting printing position is the upper right or lower left of the printable area (set by Select Print Direction in Page Mode, 1B 54 *n*) the vertical motion unit (*y*) is used.

**2.3.10 Select Print Modes**

**ASCII:** ESC ! *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 21 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 33 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** Pitch selection (standard, compressed, double high, or double wide.)

Bit	Function	0	1
Bit0	Pitch	Standard pitch <sup>1</sup> 16.9 CPI 48 Col/Line (80 mm) 36 Col/Line (58 mm)	Compressed pitch 22.6 CPI (Receipt) 64 Col/Line (80 mm) 48 Col/Line (58 mm)
Bit3	Emphasized mode	Canceled	Set
Bit4	Double height <sup>2</sup>	Canceled	Set
Bit5	Double Width	Canceled	Set
Bit7	Underline mode	Canceled	Set
Bits 1,2 6 are not used			

<sup>1</sup> Standard and compressed pitch cannot be used together in the same line.

<sup>2</sup> Double-high characters cannot be used with normal characters in the same line.

**Default:** 0 (for bits 0, 3, 4, 5, 7)

Selects the print mode: standard, compressed, double high, or double wide.

**Related Information:**

The bits in this command perform the same function as the standalone functions:

- 1B 45 *n*      Emphasized
- 1B 2D *n*      Underline
- 1B 4D *n*      Select Character Font



**2.3.11 Select or Cancel User-Defined Character Set**

**ASCII:** ESC % *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 25 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 37 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0= Code Page 850  
 1= User-defined (RAM character set)  
 2= Code Page 850  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 2  
**Default:** 0 (Code Page 850)

Selects the character set. When an undefined RAM character is selected, the Code Page 850 character is used. See the “Appendix 1: Character set” for the character sets.

**2.3.12 Define User-Defined Characters**

**ASCII:** ESC & 3 *c1 c2 n1 d1 ... nn dn*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 26 3 *c1 c2 n1 d1 ... nn dn*  
**Decimal:** 27 38 3 *c1 c2 n1 d1 ... nn dn*

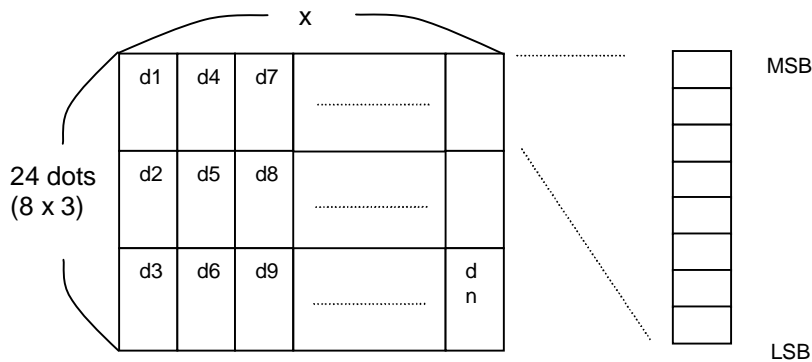
Defines and enters downloaded characters into RAM. The command may be used to overwrite single characters. User-defined characters are available until power is turned off or the Initialize Printer command (1B 40) is received.

Any invalid byte (*s, c1, c2, n1*) aborts the command.

The command clears bit image logo data from RAM. The illustration below provides a sample of a character cell.

**Defining User-Defined Characters**

Defines and enters downloaded characters into RAM.



**Values and Ranges:**

**Receipt**

*c* = the ASCII codes of the first (*c1*) and last (*c2*) characters respectively

*c1* = Hex 20-FF (Hex 20 is always printed as a space)

*c2* = Hex 20-FF (Hex 20 is always printed as a space)

To define only one character, use the same code for both *c1* and *c2*.

*n* = the number of dot columns for the *n*th character as specified by *n1 ... nn*

*n* = 1-13 (standard pitch), 12 and less accepted but ignored

*n* = 1-13 (compressed pitch), 12 and less accepted but ignored

*d* = the column data for the *n*th character as specified by *d1 ... dn*

The number of bytes for a particular character cell is 3 x *n*.

The bytes are printed down and across each cell.

### 2.3.13 Select or Cancel Underline Mode

**ASCII:** ESC - *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 2D *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 45 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0, 48 = Cancel underline mode  
1, 49 = Select underline mode  
**Default of *n*:** 0 (Cancels underline mode)

Turns underline mode on or off. Underlines cannot be printed for spaces set by the Horizontal Tab, Set Absolute Start Position, or Set Relative Print Position commands.

This command and the Select Print Mode(s) command (1B 21) turn underline on and off in the same way.

**Exceptions:**

This command is ignored if *n* is out of the specified range.

### 2.3.14 Cancel User-Defined Characters

**ASCII:** ESC ? *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 3F *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 63 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** Specified character code  
**Range of *n*:** 32 - 255

Cancels the pattern defined for the character code specified by *n*. After the user-defined character is canceled, the corresponding pattern from Code Page 850 is printed.

**Exceptions:**

This command is ignored if *n* is out of range or if the user-defined character is not defined.

### 2.3.15 Select or Cancel Emphasized Mode

**ASCII:** ESC E *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 45 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 69 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 (bit 0), not selected  
1 (bit 0), selected  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 255  
**Default:** 0 (bit 0)

Starts or stops emphasized printing. The printer is reset to the standard Print Mode after Clear Printer (0x10) command is received.

**Exceptions:**

Only the lowest bit of *n* is effective.

Emphasized printing can not be used with bit-images or downloaded bit-images.

**Related Information:**

This command and the Select Print Mode(s) command (1B 21) function identically.

### 2.3.16 Select Double Strike

**ASCII:** ESC G *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 47 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 71 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 = Off  
1 = On

Turns double strike mode on. Identical to Emphasized mode. The printer is reset to the standard print mode after a line has been printed.

**Exceptions:**

The settings do not apply in Page Mode. However they can be set or cleared in Page Mode. Double-strike printing cannot be used with bit-images or downloaded bit-images.

**Related Information:**

Printer output is the same as in Emphasized Mode.

### 2.3.17 Select Character Font

**ASCII:** ESC M *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 4D *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 77 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0, 48 = Font A (Standard pitch font)  
1, 49 = Font B (Compress pitch font)

This command select character font. This command is same as bit0 of Select Print Modes command (1B 21).

### 2.3.18 Select character code table

**ASCII:** ESC t *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 74 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 116 *n*  
**Value of *n*:**  
0 = Code Page 437  
1 = not used  
2 = Code Page 850  
3 = Code Page 860  
4 = Code Page 863  
5 = Code Page 865  
6 = Code Page 852  
7 = Code Page 866  
8 = Code Page 857  
9 = Code Page 1252  
10 = Code Page 858

**Default:** Code Page 437

Selects the character set to be used. See "Appendix 1: Character Set" for the character sets. There are two codes for this command. Both codes perform the same function.

**Exceptions:**

The character sets cannot be used together on the same line.

**Related Information:**

This command may also be known as Select Character Code Table.

**Select Character Code Table**

See the previous command, Select International Character Set.

**2.3.19 Select or Cancel 90 Degrees Clockwise Rotated Print**

**ASCII:** ESC V *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 56 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 86 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 = Cancel  
1 = Set  
**Default:** 0 (Cancel)

Rotates characters 90 degrees clockwise. The command remains in effect until the printer is reset. See Summary of Rotated Printing in this chapter.

**2.3.20 Select Print Color**

**ASCII:** ESC r *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 72 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 114 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 = Monochrome  
1 = 2 Color  
**Default:** 0 (Monochrome)

Selects color printing. Color printing is valid for character, graphics, logo and barcode.

**Exceptions:**

This command is valid when color paper option is set to 2-color paper.

**2.3.21 Select or Cancel Upside Down Printing Mode**

**ASCII:** ESC { *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 7B *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 123 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 = Cancel  
1 = Set  
**Default:** 0 (Cancel)

Prints upside-down characters. The character order is inverted in the buffer so text is readable. Only bit 0 is used. Bits 1-7 are not used. See Summary of Rotated Printing in this document for more information.

**Exceptions:**

The command is valid only at the beginning of a line.

**2.3.22 Select Character Size**

**ASCII:** GS ! *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 21 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 33 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 1 - 8 = vertical number of times normal font  
 1 - 8 = horizontal number of times normal font  
**Range of *n*:** 00 - 07, 10 - 17, ... 70 - 77  
**Default:** 0

Selects the character height using bits 0 to 3 and selects the character width using bits 4 to 7, as follows:

**Character Width Selection**

HEX	Decimal	Width
00	0	1 (normal)
10	16	2 (two times width)
20	32	3 (three times width)
30	48	4 (four times width)
40	64	5 (five times width)
50	80	6 (six times width)
60	96	7 (seven times width)
70	112	8 (eight times width)

**Character Height Selection**

HEX	Decimal	Height
00	0	1 (normal)
01	1	2 (two times height)
02	2	3 (three times height)
03	3	4 (four times height)
04	4	5 (five times height)
05	5	6 (six times height)
06	6	7 (seven times height)
07	7	8 (eight times height)

This command is effective for all characters (except for HRI characters).  
 In Standard Mode, the vertical direction is the paper feed direction, and the horizontal direction is perpendicular to the paper feed direction. However, when character orientation changes in 90 degree clockwise-rotation mode, the relationship between vertical and horizontal directions is reversed.  
 In Page Mode, vertical and horizontal direction are based on the character orientation. When characters are enlarged with different sizes on one line, all the characters on the line are aligned at the baseline.  
 The Select Print Mode (1B 21 *n*) command can also select or cancel double-width and double-height modes. However, the setting of the last received command is effective.

**Exceptions:**

If *n* is out of the defined range, this command is ignored.  
 This command is only valid for the receipt station.

**2.3.23 Select or Cancel White/Black Reverse Print Mode**

**ASCII:** GS B *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 42 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 66 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 (Bit 0) = Off  
 1 (Bit 0) = On  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 255  
**Default:** 0 (Off)

Turns on White/Black reverse printing mode.

In White/Black reverse printing mode, print dots and non-print dots are reversed, which means that white characters are formed by printing a black background. When the White/Black reverse printing mode is selected it is also applied to character spacing which is set by Right-Side Character Spacing (1B 20).

This command can be used with built-in characters and user-defined characters, but does not affect the space between lines.

White/Black Reverse Print Mode does not affect bit image, downloaded bit image, bar code, HRI characters, and spacing skipped by Horizontal Tab (09), Set Absolute Starting Position (1B 24...), and Set Relative Print Position (1B 5C).

White/Black reverse mode has a higher priority than Underline Mode.

When Underline Mode is on and White/Black Reverse Print Mode is selected, Underline Mode is disabled, but not canceled.

**Summary of Rotated Printing**

The table shows the combinations of Set/Cancel Upside-Down Print and Set/Cancel Rotated Print (clockwise). The samples of the print show only the normal size characters. Double-wide and double-high characters are printed in the same orientation. They may also be mixed on the same line.

Upside Down (1B 7B <i>n</i> )	Rotated CW (1B 56 <i>n</i> )	Resulting output
Canceled	Canceled	ABC
Canceled	Set	QWQ
Set	Canceled	ABC
Set	Set	QWQ

**Note:** The following print modes cannot be mixed on the same line:

1. Standard and compressed pitch
2. Vertical (normal) and rotated
3. Right-side up and upside down
4. Single high (normal) and double high

**2.3.24 Select or Cancel Smoothing Mode**

**ASCII:** GS b *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 62 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 98 *n*

This command is ignored.

**2.3.25 Select International Character Set**

**ASCII:** ESC R *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 52 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 82 *n*

<i>n</i>	Character Set
0	USA
1	France
2	Germany
3	UK
4	Denmark I
5	Sweden
6	Italy
7	Spain
8	Japan
9	Norway
10	Denmark II
11	Spain II
12	Latin America
13	Republic of Korea

## 2.4 Graphics Commands

These commands are used to enter and print graphics data and are described in order of their hexadecimal codes.

### 2.4.1 Print Raster Graphics

**ASCII:** DC1  $n1 \dots nk$   
**Hexadecimal:** 11  $n1 \dots nk$   
**Decimal:** 17  $n1 \dots n72$   
**Value of  $n$ :**  $n1 \dots nk =$  Data bytes  
**Range of  $n$ :** 0 – 255  
**Value of  $k$ :**  $k = 72 : 80\text{mm}, k = 54 : 58\text{mm}$

Prints one row of data.  $n1 \dots nk$ :bytes describing the line to print.

**Exceptions:**

Raster graphics is not available in Page Mode.

### 2.4.2 Select Bit Image Mode

**ASCII:** ESC \*  $m n1 n2 d1 \dots dn$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 2A  $m n1 n2 d1 \dots dn$   
**Decimal:** 27 42  $m n1 n2 d1 \dots dn$

Sets the print resolution and enters one line of graphics data into the print buffer. Excess data is accepted but ignored. Any print command is required to print the data, after which the printer returns to normal processing mode.

See the illustration graphic representation of the bit image.



**Values:**

Value of <i>m</i>	Mode	No. of Dots (Vertical)	No. of Dots (Horizontal)	No. of Dots/Line
0	8 Dot Single Density	8 (68DPI)	0-288 (101DPI, 80mm)	8x288 (80 mm)
			0-216 (101DPI, 58mm)	8x216 (58 mm)
1	8 Dot Double Density	8 (68DPI)	0-576 (203DPI, 80mm)	8x576 (80 mm)
			0-432 (203DPI, 58mm)	8x432 (58 mm)
32	24 Dot Single Density	24 (203DPI)	0-288 (101DPI, 80mm)	24x288 (80 mm)
			0-216 (101DPI, 58mm)	24x216 (58 mm)
33	24 Dot Double Density	24 (203DPI)	0-576 (203DPI, 80mm)	24x576 (80 mm)
			0-432 (203DPI, 58mm)	24x432 (58 mm)

Value of <i>n</i> (8 Dot Single Density Mode)	Value of <i>n</i> (24 dot Single Density Mode)	Value of <i>d</i>
$n1 + (256 \times n2)$	$3 \times [n1 + (256 \times n2)]$	Number of Bytes of Data

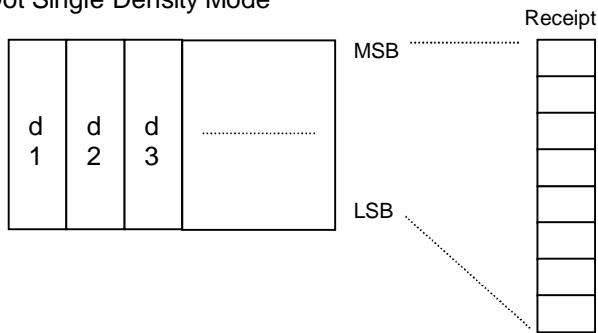
\* Printed left to right (8-dot mode); Printed down then across (24-dot mode).

**Formulas:**

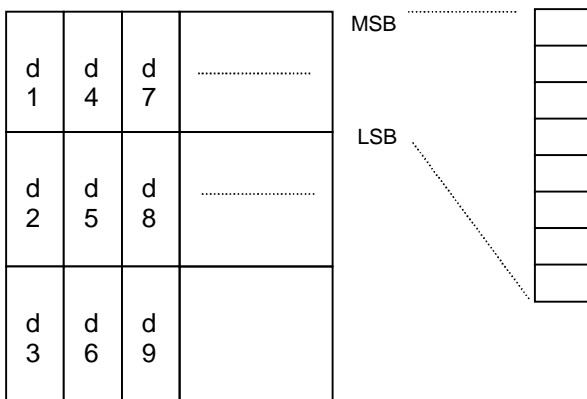
8 Dot Single Density  $n1 + (256 \times n2)$

24 Dot Single Density  $3 \times [n1 + (256 \times n2)]$

**8 Dot Single Density Mode**



**24 Dots Single Density Mode**



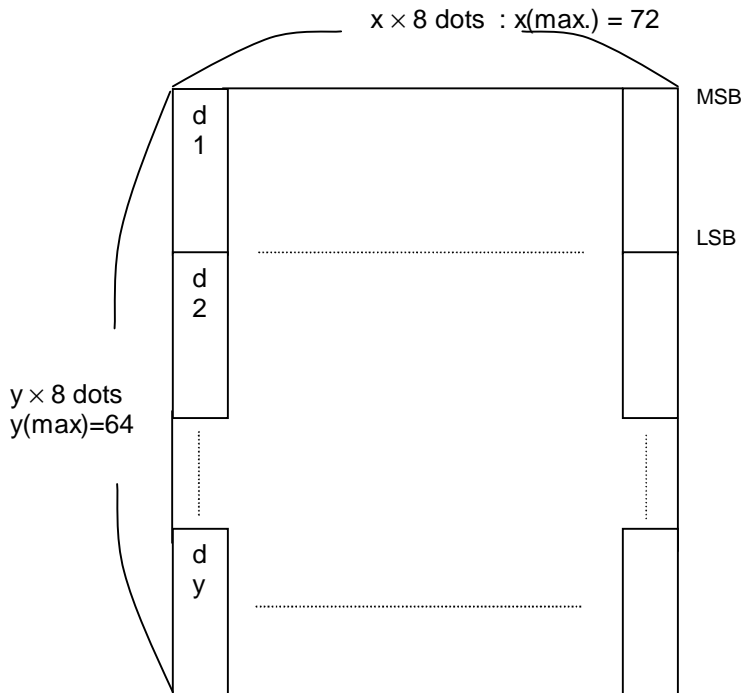
**2.4.3 Define Downloaded Bit Image**

**ASCII:** GS \*  $n1\ n2\ d1\ \dots\ dn$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 2A  $n1\ n2\ d1\ \dots\ dn$   
**Decimal:** 29 42  $n1\ n2\ d1\ \dots\ dn$   
**Value of  $n1$ :** See the following table.  
**Value of  $n2$ :** See the following table.  
**Value of  $d$ :** See the following table.

Value of $n1$	Value of $n2$	Value of $d$
1 – 72 (8 x $n1$ = Number of Horizontal Dot Columns)	1 – 64 (Number of Vertical Bytes)	Bytes of Data (Printed down, then across)

\* The number of bytes sent is represented by the following formula:  
 $n = 8 \times n1 \times n2$  ( $n1 \times n2$  must be less than or equal to 4608).

Enters a downloaded bit image (such as a logo) into RAM with the number of dots specified by  $n1$  and  $n2$ . The downloaded bit image is available until power is turned off, another bit image is defined, or either Initialize Printer (1B 40), or Define User-Defined Character Set (1B 26), command is received. See the illustration on the following page for a graphic representation of the downloaded bit image.



**Exceptions:**

See the illustration for the Print Downloaded Bit Image command (1D 2F) for a representation of the bit image.

**2.4.4 Print Downloaded Bit Image**

**ASCII:** GS / *m*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 2F *m*  
**Decimal:** 29 47 *m*  
**Value and Range of *m*:**

Value of <i>m</i>	Print Mode	Vertical DPI <sup>1</sup>	Horizontal DPI <sup>1</sup>
0	Normal	203	203
1	Double Width	203	101
2	Double Height	101	203
3	Quadruple	101	101

<sup>1</sup> Dot density measured in dots per inch

Prints a downloaded bit image in RAM on the receipt station at a density specified by *m*. It is ignored if any data is in the print buffer, if the downloaded bit image is undefined, or if the data defined exceeds one line.

**2.4.5 Print Raster Graphics ( Windows driver only)**

**ASCII:** ESC , *c mL mH d1 d2 d3 ----- d80*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 2F *c mL mH d1 d2 d3 ----- d80*  
**Decimal:** 27 47 *c mL mH d1 d2 d3 ----- d80*  
**Value of *c*:** 00H : Black only  
 01H : Red only  
 02H : Black and Red  
 When *c* is 02H, graphics data(*d1 – d80*) are sent to the printer twice.  
 1'st data(*d1 – d80*) is for red color and 2'nd data(*d1 – d80*) is for black color.  
**Value of *mL,mH*:** *mL, mH* is vertical dot count.  
 The value means number of raster.  
**Value of *d*:** *d1 ... d80* = Data bytes  
**Range:**  $0 \leq c \leq 2$   
 $1 \leq (mL + mH \times 256) \leq 100$

This command prints raster graphics.

**Exceptions:**  
 Null data should set to remainder bit(s).

**2.4.6 Download BMP Logo**

**ASCII:** US (+\*.BMP file)  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F (+\*.BMP file)  
**Decimal:** 31 (+\*.BMP file)  
**Value:** Maximum width = 576  
 Maximum height = 512

Enters a BMP file into RAM or Flash.  
 This command is used by sending the file data of a monochrome BMP file preceded by a 0x1F.  
 The bit map is stored in the printer in the same manner as a down loaded bit image.  
 The downloaded BMP file can be printed by using the Print Downloaded Bit Image (1D 2F *m*) command.

**Exceptions:**  
 BMP file images that are not monochrome are ignored.

**Related Information:**  
 See 1F 33 *n* (Select Memory Type to save logos.)

### 2.4.7 Select the Current Logo (Downloaded Bit Image)

**ASCII:** US 0 *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 30 *n*  
**Decimal:** 31 48 *n*  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 255

Selects a logo to be defined or printed. The active logo *n* remains in use until this command is sent again with a different logo *n*.

When this command precedes a logo definition, that definition is stored in Flash Memory as logo *n*. If there is already a different definition in Flash Memory for logo *n*, the first is inactivated and the new definition is used. The inactive definition is not erased from Flash and continues to take up space in Flash Memory.

When this command precedes a logo print command and *n* is different from the previously active logo selected, the printer retrieves the logo definition for *n* from Flash Memory and prints it. If there is no definition for logo *n*, then no logo is printed.

In the case of a previously existing application that expects only one possible logo, the printer will not receive the Select Current Logo (1F 30 *n*) command. In this case, the printer assigns 0 as the active logo identifier. It automatically stores any new logo definition in Flash Memory as logo 0, inactivating any previous logo 0 definition. If the Flash Memory space available for logos fills up with inactive logo 0 definitions, the firmware erases the old definitions at the next power cycle. This is the only case in which the printer erases Flash Memory without an application command.

In the case of a new application using multiple logos, the Select Current Logo (1F 30 *n*) command is used. After that, the printer no longer automatically erases the logo definition Flash Memory page when it fills with multiple definitions. A new application using multiple logos, writing a user-defined character set into Flash Memory, or both, is responsible for erasing the logo and user-defined character set Flash Memory page when the logo area is full or before a new character set is defined.

## 2.5 Status Commands

### Status Command Introduction

The GENT has two methods of providing status to the application. These methods are through Batch Status Commands, and Real Time Status Commands. An application may use one or more of these methods to understand the current status of the printer. A brief description of each of these methods follows.

### Batch Status Commands

These commands are sent to the printer and stored in the printer's buffer. Once the printer has processed all the previous commands these commands are processed and the proper status is returned to the application. In the event a condition causes the printer to go BUSY, it stops processing commands from the printer buffer. If a Batch Status Command remained in the buffer during this busy condition, it would not be processed. In fact, no Batch Commands are processed while the printer is in this state.

### Real-Time Commands

These commands are sent to the printer and are NOT stored in the printer's buffer. Instead, they are acted on immediately (regardless of the printer's BUSY status) and their response (if any) is returned to the application. This gives the application the ability to query the printer when it is in a busy state in order to correct whatever fault has occurred.

### Batch Mode

For RS-232C printers, these commands enable the printer to communicate with the host computer following the selected handshaking protocol, either DTR/DSR or XON/XOFF. They are stored in the printer's data buffer as they are received, and are handled by the firmware in the order in which they are received.

When a fault occurs, the printer will go busy at the RS-232C interface and not respond to any of the Batch Mode Printer Status commands. If the fault causing the busy condition can be cleared, such as by loading paper, or letting the thermal printhead cool down, the printer will resume processing the data in its receive buffer.

### 2.5.1 Transmit peripheral device status

<b>ASCII:</b>	ESC u 0
<b>Hexadecimal:</b>	1B 75 0
<b>Decimal:</b>	27 117 0
<b>Return Value:</b>	Bit 0                      Bit 1
	1 = Drawer1 closed      1 = Drawer 2 closed
	0 = Drawer 1 open        0 = Drawer 2 open
	(Bits 2-7 are not used)

Transmits current status of the cash drawers. One byte is sent to the host computer. In DTR/DSR protocol the printer waits for DSR =SPACE. If a drawer is not connected, the status will indicate it is closed.

**2.5.2 Transmit Paper Sensor Status**

**ASCII:** ESC v  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 76  
**Decimal:** 27 118

Sends status data to the host computer. The printer sends one byte to the host computer when it is not busy or in a fault condition. In DTR/DSR protocol, the printer waits for DSR = SPACE.

**Status Byte (RS-232C)**

Bit	Function	0 Signifies	1 Signifies
0	Receipt Paper	Ok	Low
1	Receipt Cover	Closed	Open
2	Receipt Paper	Ok	Out
3	Knife Position	Ok	Jam
4	Always Zero	Fixed to Zero	Fixed to Zero
5	Temperature	In valid range	Too hot or too cold
6	Voltage	In valid range	Too high or too low
7	Not used	Fixed to Zero	Fixed to Zero

**Related Information:**

See Real Time Commands, in this document for details about fault condition reporting.

**2.5.3 Transmit Printer ID**

**ASCII:** GS I n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 49 n  
**Decimal:** 29 73 n  
**Value of n:** 1, 49 = Printer model ID  
 2, 50 = Type ID  
 3, 51 = ROM version ID  
 4, 52 = Logo definition

Transmits the printer ID specified by n. This command is a batch mode command; that is, the response is transmitted after all prior data in the receive buffer has been processed. There may be a time lag between the printer receiving this command and transmitting the response.

**Transmits the printer ID specified by n as follows:**

n	Printer ID	Definition	ID(hex)
1, 49	Printer model ID	GENT	0x01
2, 50	Type ID	Installed options	Refer to the following table
3, 51	ROM Version ID	ROM version	0x00
4, 52	Logo Definition	Logo Definition	Refer to the following table

**Type ID (n=2)**

bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	No two-byte character code installed
	On	01	1	Two-byte character code installed
1	Off	00	0	No knife installed
	On	02	2	knife installed
2	-	-	-	Undefined
3	-	-	-	Undefined
4	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.
5	-	-	-	Undefined
6	-	-	-	Undefined
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**Type ID (n=4)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	No logo definition loaded by application.
	On	01	1	Logo loaded by application.
1	-	-	-	Undefined
2	-	-	-	Undefined
3	-	-	-	Undefined
4	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.
5	-	-	-	Undefined
6	-	-	-	Undefined
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**2.5.4 Transmit Status**

**ASCII:** GS r n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 72 n  
**Decimal:** 29 114 n  
**Values of n:** 1, 49 = printer status  
 2, 50 = cash drawer status

Transmits the status specified by n. This is a batch mode command which transmits the response after all prior data in the receive buffer has been processed. There may be a time lag between the printer receiving this command and transmitting the response, depending on the receive buffer status. When DTR/DSR RS232C communications handshaking control is selected, the printer transmits the one byte response only when the host signal DSR indicates it is ready to receive data. When XON/XOFF RS232C communications handshaking control is selected, the printer transmits the one byte response regardless of the host signal DSR. The status bytes to be transmitted are described in the following four tables.

**Printer status (n=1, 49)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Paper present
	On	01	1	Paper exhausted
1	Off	00	0	Cover closed
	On	02	2	Cover open
2	Off	00	0	Paper present
	On	04	4	Paper exhausted
3	-	-	-	Undefined
4	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.
5	-	-	-	Undefined
6	-	-	-	Undefined
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**Cash drawer status (n=2, 50)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	One or both cash drawers open
	On	01	1	Both cash drawers closed
1	Off	00	0	One or both cash drawers open
	On	02	2	Both cash drawers closed
2	-	-	-	Undefined
3	-	-	-	Undefined
4	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.
5	-	-	-	Undefined
6	-	-	-	Undefined
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**Range of *n*:** 1 – 2  
49 - 50

**Exceptions:**

When *n* is out of the specified range, the command is ignored.

**2.5.5 Recognizing Data from the Printer**

An application sending various Real Time and non-Real Time commands to which the printer responds can determine which command a response belongs to by the table below.

Responses to Transmit Peripheral Device Status (1B 75) and Transmit Paper Sensor Status (1B 76) are non-Real Time responses and will arrive in the order in which they were solicited.

<b>Batch Mode Response</b>		<b>Response Recognized By:</b>
<b>ASCII</b>	<b>HEX</b>	
ESC u 0	1B 75 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 x x Binary
ESC v	1B 76	0 0 0 0 0 x x x Binary
GS l <i>n</i>	1D 49 n	0 x x 0 x x x x Binary
GS r <i>n</i>	1D 72 n	0 x x 0 x x x x Binary

<b>Real-Time Response</b>		<b>Response Recognized By:</b>
<b>ASCII</b>	<b>HEX</b>	
DLE EOT <i>n</i>	10 04 n	0 x x 1 x x 1 0 Binary
GS ENQ	1D 05	1 x x x x x x Binary
XON		0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 Binary
XOFF		0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 Binary



## 2.5.6 Real Time Commands

These commands provide an application interface to the printer even when the printer is not handling other commands (RS-232C communication interface only):

1. Real Time Status Transmission
2. Real Time Request to Printer
3. Real Time Printer Status Transmission

The Batch Mode Printer Status commands are placed in the printer's data buffer as they are received and handled by the firmware in the order in which they are received. If the paper exhausts while printing data that was in the buffer ahead of the status command, the printer goes busy at the RS-232C interface and suspends processing the data in the buffer until paper is reloaded. This is true for all error conditions: knife home error, thermal printhead overheat, etc.

In addition, there is no way to restart the printer after a paper jam.

The Real Time commands are implemented in two ways to correct these problems. Both implementations offer the same functionality; which one you choose depends on the current usage of your application.

### Rules for Using Real Time Commands

Three situations must be understood when using real time commands.

First, the printer executes the Real Time command upon receiving it and will transmit status regardless of the condition of the DSR signal.

Second, the printer transmits status whenever it recognizes a Real Time Status Transmission command sequence, even if that sequence happens to occur naturally within the data of another command, such as graphics data.

In this case the sequence will also be handled correctly as the graphics data it is intended to be when the graphics command is executed from the buffer.

Third, care must be taken not to insert a Real Time command into the data sequence of another command that consists of two or more bytes.

In this case the printer will use the real time command sequence bytes instead of the other command's parameter bytes when finally executing that other command from the buffer; the other command will NOT be executed correctly.

These three situations generally preclude use of standard DOS drivers for the serial communication ports when using real time commands.

### Moving Data Through the Buffer

Another consideration is that an application should take care not to let the buffer fill up with real time commands when the printer is busy at the RS-232C interface. A busy condition at the RS-232C interface can be determined by bit 3 of the response to 1D 05 or 10 04 1.

The reason for a particular busy condition can be determined by other responses to 10 04 n.

Although the printer responds to Real Time commands when it is busy, it will place them into the buffer behind any other data there, and flush them out in the order in which they were received. When the printer is busy due simply to buffer full (that is, it can't print data as fast as it can receive it), then data continues to be processed out of the buffer at approximately print speed and the Real Time commands will eventually get flushed out.

When the printer is busy due to an error condition, then data stops being processed out of the buffer until the condition clears one way or another. In either case, but more quickly in the case of an error condition, the buffer can fill with real time commands.

When the DLE sequences are being used, the last byte stored when the buffer fills up could be the DLE code, with no room for the subsequent EOT or ENQ.

Similarly, when the GS sequences are being used, the last byte stored when the buffer fills up could be the GS code, with no room for the subsequent ENQ. When this lone GS byte is finally processed out of the buffer it will use the next byte, whatever it is, as the second byte in its GS sequence.

To guard against this situation, an application should determine the cause of a busy condition and take appropriate action or pace further real time commands to avoid filling the buffer. There are a minimum of 256 bytes available in the printer's buffer when it goes busy.

**2.5.7 Real Time Status Transmission**

**DLE Sequence**  
**ASCII:** DLE EOT *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 10 04 *n*  
**Decimal:** 16 4 *n*  
**Values of *n*:** DLE Sequence  
 1 = Transmit printer status  
 2 = Transmit RS-232C busy status  
 3 = Transmit error status  
 4 = Transmit receipt paper status

Transmits the selected one byte printer status specified by *n* in Real Time according to the following parameters.

**Exceptions:**

The command is ignored if *n* is out of range.

An application using the DLE sequence must send EOT within 100 milliseconds of DLE or the printer will misinterpret the DLE.

**Related Information:**

**Transmit printer status (n=1)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Undefined. Fixed to off.
1	On	02	2	Undefined. Fixed to on
2	Off	00	0	One or both cash drawers open
	On	04	4	Both cash drawers closed
3	Off	00	0	On line state (Not busy at the RS232C interface)
	On	08	8	Off line state (Busy at the RS232C interface)
4	On	10	16	Not used. Fixed to on.
5	-	-	-	Undefined
6	-	-	-	Undefined
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**Transmit Offline status (n=2)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Undefined. Fixed to off.
1	On	02	2	Undefined. Fixed to on
2	Off	00	0	Cover closed
	On	04	4	Cover open
3	Off	00	0	Paper Feed Button is not pressed
	On	08	8	Paper Feed Button is pressed
4	On	10	16	Not used. Fixed to on.
5	Off	00	0	Printing not stopped due to paper condition
	On	20	32	Printing stopped due to paper condition
6	Off	00	0	No error condition
	On	40	64	Error condition exists in the printer
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**Transmit error status (n=3)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Undefined. Fixed to off.
1	On	02	2	Undefined. Fixed to on
2	Off	00	0	Undefined. Fixed to off
3	Off	00	0	No knife error
	On	08	8	Knife error occurred
4	On	10	16	Not used. Fixed to on.
5	Off	00	0	No unrecoverable error
	On	20	32	Unrecoverable error occurred
6	Off	00	0	Thermal printhead temp. and power supply voltage are in range
	On	40	64	Thermal printhead temp. and power supply voltage are out of range
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**Transmit paper roll sensor status (n=4)**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Undefined. Fixed to off.
1	On	02	2	Undefined. Fixed to on
2	Off	00	0	Paper adequate
	On	04	4	Paper low (if paper low sensor enabled)
3	Off	00	0	Paper adequate
	On	08	8	Paper low (if paper low sensor enabled)
4	On	10	16	Not used. Fixed to on.
5	Off	00	0	Paper present
	On	20	32	Paper exhausted
6	Off	00	0	Paper present
	On	40	64	Paper exhausted
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to off.

**2.5.8 Real Time Request to Printer**

DLE Sequence  
**ASCII:** DLE ENQ *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 10 05 *n*  
**Decimal:** 16 5 *n*  
**Values of *n*:** 1 = Recover and restart  
 2 = Recover and clear buffers

The printer responds to a request from the host specified by *n*. The operations performed depend on the value of *n*, according to the following parameters.

***n* = 1:**

Restarts printing from the beginning of the line or page (decided by printing mode and diagnostics setting) where an error occurred, after recovering from the error. If reprint message is defined by Download 1-line Top/Bottom/Reprint Message into ROM (US e command) and 'Reprint the Error Page' is selected by diagnostics, printer prints the reprint message before reprinting of error page. Print settings that are normally preserved from line to line, such as character height and width, are still preserved with this command. This sequence is ignored except when the printer is busy due to an error condition.

If the receipt is selected, this command will attempt recovery from a knife error. Other errors associated with the receipt, such as paper out or printhead overheating, can be recovered from only by clearing the specific condition, such as loading paper or letting the printhead cool down.

Recovery printing

The recovery printing is selected as follows.

Single side mode	Line Recovery
Double side mode	Line Recovery ( Reprint Error Page setting = Resume from Error) Page Recovery ( Reprint Error Page setting = Reprint Error Page)

***n* = 2:**

Recovers from an error after clearing the receive and print buffers.

Print settings that are normally preserved from line to line, such as character height and width, are still preserved with this command.

This sequence is ignored except when the printer is busy due to an error condition.

The same error recovery possibilities exist as for *n* = 1.

**Exceptions:**

The command is ignored if *n* is out of range.

### 2.5.9 Real Time Printer Status Transmission

**ASCII:** GS ENQ

**Hexadecimal:** 1D 05

**Decimal:** 29 5

Transmits one byte status of the printer in real time.

**Value of Byte:**

Bit	Off/On	Hex	Decimal	Function
0	Off	00	0	Paper adequate
	On	01	1	Paper low (if paper low sensor enabled)
1	Off	00	0	Paper adequate
	On	02	2	Paper low (if paper low sensor enabled)
2	Off	00	0	Cover closed
	On	04	4	Cover open
3	Off	00	0	RS-232C interface not busy
	On	08	8	RS-232C interface busy
4	Off	00	0	One or both cash drawers open
	On	10	16	Both cash drawers closed
5	Off	00	0	Undefined. Fixed to off.
6	Off	00	0	No error condition
	On	40	64	Error condition exists in the printer
7	Off	00	0	Not used. Fixed to on.

## 2.6 Bar Code Commands

These commands format and print bar codes and are described in order of their hexadecimal codes.

**Note:** firmware ranges from 1 dot per module to 5 dots per module (DPM) printed on the receipt. The default is 2 DPM.

### 2.6.1 Select Printing Position for HRI Characters

**ASCII:** GS H *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 48 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 72 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** Printing position  
 0 = Not printed  
 1 = Above the bar code  
 2 = Below the bar code  
 3 = Both above and below the bar code  
**Default:** 0 (Not printed)

Prints HRI (Human Readable Interface) characters above or below the bar code.

### 2.6.2 Select Pitch for HRI Characters

**ASCII:** GS f *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 66 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 102 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** Pitch  
 0 = Standard Pitch at 16.9 CPI on receipt  
 1 = Compressed Pitch at 22.6 CPI on receipt  
**Default:** (Standard Pitch at 16.9 CPI)

Selects standard or compressed font for printing Bar Code characters.

### 2.6.3 Select Bar Code Height

**ASCII:** GS h *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 68 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 104 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** Number of dots  
**Range of *n*:** 1 – 255  
**Default:** 162

Sets the bar code height to *n* dots or *n*/8 mm (*n*/203 inch) for receipt.

### 2.6.4 Print Bar Code

	<b>First Variation</b>	<b>Second Variation</b>
<b>ASCII:</b>	GS k <i>m d1...dk</i> NUL	GS k <i>m n d1...dn</i>
<b>Hexadecimal:</b>	1D 6B <i>m d1...dk</i> 0	1D 6B <i>m n d1...dn</i>
<b>Decimal:</b>	29 107 <i>m d1...dk</i> 0	29 107 <i>m n d1...dn</i>

**Values:**

First Variation: String terminated with NUL Character

*m* = 0 – 6, 10

*d* = 32 - 126 (see the table)

*n* = 1 - 255 (see the table)

Selects the bar code type and prints a bar code for the ASCII characters entered. If the width of the bar code exceeds one line, the barcode is not printed.

There are two variations to this command. The first variation uses a NUL character to terminate the string; the second uses a length byte at the beginning of the string to compensate for the Code 128 bar code, which can accept a NUL character as part of the data. With the second variation the length of byte is specified at the beginning of the string.

Fixed-length codes can be aligned left, center, or right using the Align Positions command (1B 61). The check digit is calculated for UPC and JAN (EAN) codes if it is not sent from the host computer. Six-character zero-suppressed UPC-E tags are generated from full 11 or 12 characters sent from the host computer according to standard UPC-E rules. Start/Stop characters are added for Code 39 if they are not included.

**First Variation**

<b>m</b>	<b>Barcode type</b>	<b>Data</b>	<b>n; Length</b>
0	UPC-A	48 – 57 (ASCII numerals)	Fixed Length: 11, 12
1	UPC-E	48 – 57	Fixed Length: 11, 12
2	JAN-13(EAN13)	48 – 57	Fixed Length: 12, 13
3	JAN-8(EAN8)	48 – 57	Fixed Length: 7, 8
4	CODE39	48 – 57, 65 – 90 (ASCII alphabet), 32, 36, 37, 43, 45, 46, 47 (ASCII special characters) d1=dk=42 (start/stop code is supplied by printer if necessary)	Variable length
5	Interleaved 2 of 5 (ITF)	48 – 57	Variable length (Even number)
6	CODABAR (NW-7)	65 – 68, start code 48 – 57, 36, 43, 45, 46, 47, 58	Variable length
10	PDF417	1 – 255	Variable length

Second Variation: Length of Byte Specified at Beginning of String

*m* = 65 - 73, 75 (see the table)

*d* = 0 - 127 (see the table)

*n* = 1 - 255 (see the table)

The value of *m* selects the bar code system as described in the table.

When data is present in the print buffer, the printer processes the data following *m* as normal data.

The variable *d* indicates the character code to be encoded into the specified bar code system.

See the table. If character code *d* cannot be encoded, the printer prints the bar code data processed so far, and the following data is treated as normal data.

**Second Variation**

<b>m</b>	<b>Barcode type</b>	<b>Data</b>	<b>n; Length</b>
65	UPC-A	48 – 57 (ASCII numerals)	Fixed Length: 11, 12
66	UPC-E	48 – 57	Fixed Length: 11, 12
67	JAN-13(EAN13)	48 – 57	Fixed Length: 12, 13
68	JAN-8(EAN8)	48 – 57	Fixed Length: 7, 8
69	CODE39	48 – 57, 65 – 90 (ASCII alphabet), 32, 36, 37, 43, 45, 46, 47 (ASCII special characters) d1=dk=42 (start/stop code is supplied by printer if necessary)	Variable length
70	Interleaved 2 of 5 (ITF)	48 – 57	Variable length (Even number)
71	CODABAR (NW-7)	65 – 68, start code 48 – 57, 36, 43, 45, 46, 47, 58	Variable length
72	Code 93	0 – 127	Variable length (A748 native mode only)
73	Code 128	0 – 105 d1=103 – 105 (must be a start code) d2=0 – 102 (Data bytes) (Stop code is provided by the printer)	Variable length

10	PDF417	0 – 255	Variable length (A748 native mode only)
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**Exceptions:**

Illegal data cancels this command.

The command is valid only at the beginning of a line.

When the bar code printing area exceed 72mm

If bar width "1" => ignore this command (Barcode is not printed.)

If bar width "2-6" => print barcode using selected bar width -1

Note) The readability of scanner may be affected when bar width is changed to "1".

**2.6.5 Select Bar Code Width**

**ASCII:** GS w n

**Hexadecimal:** 1D 77 n

**Decimal:** 29 119 n

**Values of n:** 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

**Default:** 3 for receipt

Sets the bar code width to n dots.

**Formulas:**

$n + 1/8$  mm ( $n + 1/203$  inch)

**Caution :**

When selecting a bar code width of 1 the readability rate is impacted.

**2.7 Page Mode Commands**

Page Mode is one of two modes. Standard Mode is typical of how most printers operate by printing data as it is received and feeding paper as the various paper feed commands are received. Page Mode is different in that it processes or prepares the data as a "page" in memory before it prints it. Think of this as a virtual page. The page can be any area within certain parameters that you define. Once the printer receives the (0x0C) command, it prints the page and returns the printer to Standard Mode.

The Select Page Mode command (1B 4C) puts the printer into Page Mode. Any commands that are received are interpreted as Page Mode commands. Several commands react differently when in Standard Mode and Page Mode. The descriptions of these individual commands in this chapter indicate the differences in how they operate in the two modes.

**2.7.1 Print and Return to Standard Mode**

**ASCII:** FF

**Hexadecimal:** 0C

**Decimal:** 12

For Single Side Mode, the processed data is printed and the printer returns to Standard Mode. The developed data is deleted after being printed.

For Double Side Mode, the developed data is kept in print buffer and return to Standard Mode. When Paper-Cut command is received, printer will print all developed data (page mode data and standard mode data).

**Exceptions:**

This command is enabled only in Page Mode.



## 2.7.2 Cancel Print Data in Page Mode

**ASCII:** CAN  
**Hexadecimal:** 18  
**Decimal:** 24

Deletes all the data to be printed in the “page” area. Any data from the previously selected “page” area that is also part of the current data to be printed is deleted.

**Exceptions:**

This command is only used in Page Mode.

## 2.7.3 Print Data in Page Mode

**ASCII:** ESC FF  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 0C  
**Decimal:** 27 12

Collectively prints all buffered data in the printing area.

After printing, the printer does not clear the buffered data and sets values for Select Print Direction in Page Mode (1B 54 n) and Set Print Area in Page Mode (1B 57...), and sets the position for buffering character data.

For Double Side Mode, this command is ignored.

**Exceptions:**

This command enabled only in Page Mode.

## 2.7.4 Select Page Mode

**ASCII:** ESC L  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 4C  
**Decimal:** 27 76

Switches from Standard Mode to Page Mode. After printing has been completed either by the Print and Return to Standard Mode (FF) command or Select Standard Mode (1B 53) the printer returns to Standard Mode. The developed data is deleted after being printed.

This command sets the position where data is buffered to the position specified by Select Print Direction in Page Mode (1B 54) within the printing area defined by Set Print Area in Page Mode (1B 57).

This command switches the settings for the following commands (which values can be set independently in Standard Mode and Page Mode) to those for Page Mode.

1. Set Right-Side Character Spacing (1B 20)
2. Select 1/6-Inch Line Spacing (1B 32)
3. Set Line Spacing (1B 33)

It is possible only to set values for the following commands in Page Mode. These commands are not executed.

4. Select or Cancel 90 Degree Clockwise Rotation (1B 56)
5. Select Justification (1B 61)
6. Select or Cancel Upside-Down Printing (1B 7B).
7. Set Left Margin (1D 4C)
8. Set Print Area Width (1D 57)

**Exceptions:**

The command is enabled only when input at the beginning of a line.

The command has no effect if Page Mode has previously been selected.

**2.7.5 Select Standard Mode**

**ASCII:** ESC S  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 53  
**Decimal:** 27 83

Switches from Page Mode to Standard Mode. In switching from Page Mode to Standard Mode, data buffered in Page Mode are cleared, the printing area set by Set Print Area in Page Mode (1B 57) is initialized and the print position is set to the beginning of the line.

This command switches the settings for the following commands (the values for these commands can be set independently in Standard Mode and Page Mode) to those for Standard Mode:

1. Set Right-Side Character Spacing (1B 20)
2. Select 1/6 Inch Line Spacing (1B 32)
3. Set Line Spacing (1B 33)

Standard Mode is automatically selected when power is turned on, the printer is reset, or the Initialize Printer command (1B 40) is used.

**Exceptions:**

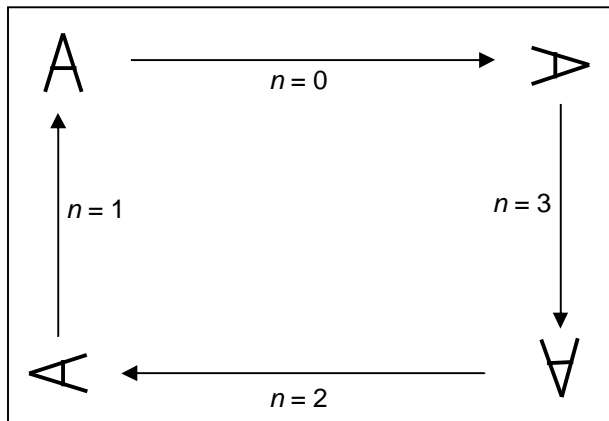
This command is effective only in Page Mode.

**2.7.6 Select Print Direction in Page Mode**

**ASCII:** ESC T *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 54 *n*  
**Decimal:** 27 84 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 = Upper left corner proceeding across page to the right  
 1 = Lower left corner proceeding up the page  
 2 = Lower right corner proceeding across page to the left (upside down)  
 3 = Upper right corner proceeding down page

Selects the printing direction and start position in Page Mode. See the illustration.

The command can be sent multiple times so that several different print areas, aligned in different print directions, can be developed in the printer's page buffer before being printed the the Print and Return to Standard mode command (0C).



**Default:** 0 (Upper left corner proceeding across page to the right)

**Exceptions:**

This command is valid only in Page Mode.

This command is ignored if the value of *n* is out of the specified range.

### 2.7.7 Set Printing Area in Page Mode

**ASCII:** ESC W *n1, n2 ...n8*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 57 *n1, n2 ...n8*  
**Decimal:** 27 87 *n1,n2 ...n8*  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 255  
**Default:** *n1 – n4 = 0*  
*n5 = 64*  
*n6 = 2*  
*n7 = 64*  
*n8 = 2*

Sets the position and size of the printing area in Page Mode.

The command can be sent multiple times so that several different print areas, aligned in different print directions, can be developed in the printer's page buffer before being printed by the Print and Return to Standard mode command (0C).

Defaults equal an origin of 0,0 and a size of 576x576. This command is allowed in any mode.

**Formulas:**

The starting position of the print area is the upper left of the area to be printed (*x0, y0*). The length of the area to be printed in the *y* direction is set to *dy* inches. The length of the area to be printed in the *x* direction is set to *dx* inches. Use the equations to determine the Value of *x0, y0, dx, and dy*.

See the illustration for a graphic representation of the printing area. For more information about the fundamental calculation pitch, see the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50).

1.  $x0 = [(n1 + n2 \times 256) \times (\text{horizontal minimum motion units})]$
2.  $y0 = [(n3 + n4 \times 256) \times (\text{vertical minimum motion units})]$
3.  $dx = [(n5 + n6 \times 256) \times (\text{horizontal minimum motion units})]$
4.  $dy = [(n7 + n8 \times 256) \times (\text{vertical minimum motion units})]$

Keep the following notes in mind for this command.

5. The minimum motion units depends on the vertical or horizontal direction.
6. The maximum printable area in the *x* direction is 576/203 inches.
7. The maximum printable area in the *y* direction is 2000/203 inches.

**Exception:**

This command is effective only in Page Mode.

### 2.7.8 Set Absolute Vertical Print Position in Page Mode

**ASCII:** GS \$ *nL nH*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 24 *nL nH*  
**Decimal:** 29 36 *nL nH*

**Formulas:**

$[(nL + nH \times 256) \times (\text{vertical or horizontal motion unit})]$  inches.

Sets the absolute vertical print starting position for buffer character data in Page Mode.

The vertical or horizontal motion unit for the paper roll is used and the horizontal starting buffer position does not move.

The reference starting position is set by Select Print Direction in Page Mode (1B 54).

This sets the absolute position in the vertical direction when the starting position is set to the upper left or lower right; and sets the absolute position in the horizontal direction when the starting position is set to the upper right or lower left. The horizontal and vertical motion units are specified by the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units (1D 50) command.

The Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units (1D 50) command can be used to change the horizontal and vertical motion unit. However, the value cannot be less than the minimum horizontal movement amount, and it must be in even units of the minimum horizontal movement amount.

**Exceptions:**

This command is effective only in Page Mode.

If the  $[(nL + nH \times 256) \times (\text{vertical or horizontal motion unit})]$  exceeds the specified printing area, this command is ignored.

### 2.7.9 Set Relative Vertical Print Position in Page Mode

**ASCII:** GS \ nL nH  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 5C nL nH  
**Decimal:** 29 92 nL nH

Sets the relative vertical print starting position from the current position. This command can also change the horizontal and vertical motion unit. The unit of horizontal and vertical motion is specified by this command.

This command functions as follows, depending on the print starting position set by Select Print Direction in Page Mode (1B 54):

- When the starting position is set to the upper left or lower left of the printing area, the vertical motion unit (*y*) is used.
- When the starting position is set to the upper right or lower left of the printing area, the horizontal motion unit (*x*) is used.

**Value:**

The value for the horizontal and vertical movement cannot be less than the minimum horizontal movement amount, and must be in even units of the minimum horizontal movement amount.

**Formulas:**

The distance from the current position is set to  $[(nL + nH \times 256) \times \text{vertical or horizontal motion unit}]$  inches. The amount of movement is calculated only for the receipt.

When pitch *n* is specified to the movement downward:

$$nL + nH \times 256 = n$$

When pitch *n* is specified to the movement upward (the negative direction), use the complement of 65536.

When pitch *n* is specified to the movement upward:

$$65536 - (nL + nH \times 256) = n$$

**Exceptions:**

This command is used only in Page Mode, otherwise it is ignored. Any setting that exceeds the specified printing area is ignored.

## 2.8 Macro Commands

These commands are used to select and perform a user-defined sequence of printer operations.

### 2.8.1 Start or End Macro Definition

**ASCII:** GS :  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 3A  
**Decimal:** 29 58

Starts or ends macro definition. Macro definition begins when this command is received during normal operation and ends when this command is received during macro definition. The macro definition is cleared, during definition of the macro, when the Execute Macro (1D 5E) command is received.

The defined contents of the macro are not cleared by the Initialize Printer (1B 40), thus, the Initialize rinter (1B 40) command may be used as part of the macro definition.

If the printer receives a second Select or Cancel Macro Definition (1D 3A) command immediately after previously receiving a Select or Cancel Macro Definition (1D 3A) the printer remains in the macro undefined state.

**Formulas:**

The contents of the macro can be defined up to 50 Kbytes.

**Exceptions:**

If the macro definition exceeds 50 Kbytes, excess data is not stored.

## 2.8.2 Execute Macro

<b>ASCII:</b>	GS ^ <i>r t m</i>
<b>Hexadecimal:</b>	1D 5E <i>r t m</i>
<b>Decimal:</b>	29 94 <i>r t m</i>
<b>Value of <i>r</i>:</b>	The number of times to execute the macro.
<b>Value of <i>t</i>:</b>	The waiting time for executing the macro.
<b>Value of <i>m</i>:</b>	Macro executing mode 0 (Bit0): The macro executes <i>r</i> times continuously with waiting time specified by <i>t</i> . 1 (Bit0): The printer waits for feed button to be pressed after waiting for the period specified by <i>t</i> . If the button is pressed, the printer executes the macro once. The printer repeats the operation <i>r</i> times.

Executes a macro. After waiting for a specified period the printer waits for the Paper Feed Button to be pressed. After the button is pressed, the printer executes the macro once. The printer repeats this operation the number of specified times.

When the macro is executed by pressing the Paper Feed Button (*m* = 1), paper cannot be fed by using the Paper Feed Button.

### Formulas:

The waiting time is  $t \times 100$  msec for every macro execution.

### Exceptions:

When a macro is being defined, if this command is without change Macro ID, printer will clear this Macro at Macro execution.

If the macro is not defined or if *r* is 0, nothing is executed.

## 2.9 User Data Storage Commands

### 2.9.1 Read from Non-Volatile Memory

**ASCII:** US 1 *k*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 31 *k*  
**Decimal:** 31 49 *k*  
**Range of *k*:** 20 – 63 (decimal)

Reads a two-byte word from location *k* in the history EEROM. The printer returns the word at the next available opportunity.

### 2.9.2 Write to Non-Volatile Memory (NVRAM)

**ASCII:** US 2 *n1 n2 k*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 32 *n1 n2 k*  
**Decimal:** 31 50 *n1 n2 k*  
**Value of *n1* :** 1st Byte  
**Value of *n2* :** 2<sup>nd</sup> Byte  
**Range of *k*:** 20 – 63 (decimal)

Writes the two-byte word, *n1 n2*, to location *k* in history EEROM.

### 2.9.3 Select Memory Type (SRAM/Flash) Where to Save Logos or User-Defined Fonts or Macro

**ASCII:** US 3 *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 33 *n*  
**Decimal:** 31 51 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 48-53

Specifies whether to load the logos or user-defined characters or macro to Flash Memory or to RAM (volatile memory). The selection remains in effect until it is changed via this command or until the power cycles.

*n* = 48 (ASCII *n* = 0)

Loads active logo to RAM only. This is used to print a special logo but not have it take up Flash Memory. A logo defined following this command is not preserved over a power cycle.

*n* = 49 (ASCII *n* = 1)

Loads active logo to Flash Memory. This is the default condition for logo Flash storage. A logo defined following this command is stored in Flash Memory.

*n* = 50 (ASCII *n* = 2)

Loads user-defined characters to RAM only. This is the default condition for user-defined character storage. Any user-defined characters defined following this command are not preserved over a power cycle.

*n* = 51 (ASCII *n* = 3)

Loads user-defined characters to Flash Memory. An application must use this command to store user-defined characters in Flash Memory. Any user-defined characters defined following this command are stored in Flash Memory. A user-defined character cannot be redefined in Flash Memory. The Flash Memory page must be erased by an application before redefining user-defined characters. For more information, see the Erase User Flash Sector (1F 35 *n*) command.

*n* = 52 (ASCII *n* = 4)

Loads Macro to RAM only. This is the default condition for Macro. Any Macro defined following this

command is not preserved over a power cycle.

$n = 53$  (ASCII  $n = 5$ )

Loads Macro to Flash Memory. A Macro defined following this command is stored in Flash Memory.

### 2.9.4 Flash Allocation

**ASCII:** US 4  $n1$   $n2$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 34  $n1$   $n2$   
**Decimal:** 31 52  $n1$   $n2$   
**Default of  $n1$ :** 1 (see below)  
**Default of  $n2$ :** 1 (see below)

$n1$  is the number of 64k sectors used for logos and user-defined characters.

$n2$  is the number of 64k sectors used for user data storage.

This command sets the allocation of Flash sectors between user data storage and logos/user-defined characters. This allocation is saved in the EEPROM of the printer and is therefore saved across power cycles. Printer always keeps 64 Kbytes for User-defined characters.

$n1 + n2 \leq 5$  (3M)

<b><math>n1</math></b>	<b><math>n2</math></b>	<b>User Defined Character</b>	<b>Download Logo</b>	<b>User Storage Data</b>
0	5	64 Kbytes	0 Kbytes	320 Kbytes
1	4	64 Kbytes	64 Kbytes	256 Kbytes
2	3	64 Kbytes	128 Kbytes	192 Kbytes

If  $n1 + n2$  is greater than the maximum number of sectors available, the command is ignored. Reissuing this command with different parameters will erase all sectors.

### 2.9.5 Erase User Flash Sector

**ASCII:** US 5  $n$   
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 35  $n$   
**Decimal:** 31 53  $n$   
**Value of  $n$ :** 49

Erases a page of Flash Memory and sends a carriage return when the operation is complete.

$n = 49$  (ASCII  $n = 1$ )

This command erases all sectors available for user-defined characters and multiple logos. The page should be erased in two situations: when the logo definition area is full and an application is attempting to define new logos, and when an application wants to replace one user-defined character set with another. In both cases, all logos and character set definitions are erased and must be redefined.

**Important:**

While erasing Flash Memory, the printer disables all interrupts, including communications. To provide feedback to the application, the printer responds to the application when the erase is complete. After sending the Erase User Flash Sector (1F 35  $n$ ) command, an application should wait for the response from the printer before sending data.

Otherwise, data will be lost. If an application is unable to receive data, it should wait a minimum of five seconds after sending the Erase User Flash Sector (1F 35  $n$ ) command before sending data.

**2.9.6 Printer Setting Change**

ASCII: US 6 [m n], [m n] ... [m n] OFFH  
 Hexadecimal: 1F 36 [m n], [m n] ... [m n] OFFH  
 Decimal: 31 54 [m n], [m n] ... [m n] OFFH  
 Value of m, n:

<b>m (Hexadecimal)</b>	<b>Function</b>	<b>n (Hexadecimal)</b>	<b>Function</b>
10	Interface type	00 01 02	USB/RS232C * RS232C USB
11	Baud rate	00 01 02 03 04	115200 bps 57600 bps 38400 bps <b>19200 bps*</b> <b>9600 bps *</b>
12	Number of data bit	00 01	8 data bits * 7 data bits
13	Number of stop bit	00 01	1 stop bits * 2 stop bits
14	Parity	00 01 02	No parity * Even parity Odd parity
15	Flow control	00 01	Software (XON/XOFF) Hardware (DTR/DSR) *
16	Data reception errors option	00 01	Ignore errors Print "?" *
17	One line buffer option	00 01	Normal size receive buffer(4K) * One line buffer(128 Bytes)
18	DSR signal control	00 01	Enabled Disabled *
<del>19</del>	<del>Printer ID</del>	<del>00 01 02</del>	<del>7158 Native ID * Emulated Printer ID 7167 Native ID</del>
<del>20</del>	<del>Emulation</del>	<del>00 01 02 03</del>	<del>A758 emulation * A756 emulation A750 emulation A767 emulation</del>
21	Default lines per inch	00 01 02	8.13 lines per inch 7.52 lines per inch * 6 lines per inch
22	Carriage return usage	00 01	Ignore CR * Use CR as Print cmd. *
<del>23</del>	<del>Asian mode</del>	<del>00 01</del>	<del>Enable Asian mode Disable Asian mode *</del>
24	Power LED control	00 01	Disabled * Enabled
25	Receipt synchronization	00 01	Synchronization enabled Synchronization disabled *
27	PDF417 Print Column	00 01	9 Columns * 14 Columns
30	Print density	00 01 02	<b>100% *</b> 110% <b>120% *</b>
31	Paper Low sensor option	00 01	Paper low sensor enable * Paper low sensor disable



<b>m (Hexadecimal)</b>	<b>Function</b>	<b>n (Hexadecimal)</b>	<b>Function</b>
32	Paper width	00 01	80 mm * 58 mm
33	Knife option	00 01	Enable knife * Disable knife
36	Max Power option	00 01	55 W * 75 W
37	Color Paper option	00 01	One Color Paper * Two Color Paper
40	Default code page	<b>00</b> <b>01</b> <b>02</b> <b>03</b> <b>04</b> <del><b>05</b></del> <b>06</b> <del><b>07</b></del> <b>08</b> <b>09</b> <del><b>0A</b></del> <b>0B</b> <b>0C</b> <del><b>0D</b></del> <del><b>0E</b></del> <b>0F</b>	<b>437 *</b> <b>850</b> <b>852</b> <b>858</b> <b>860</b> <del><b>862</b></del> <b>863</b> <del><b>864</b></del> <b>865</b> <b>866</b> <del><b>874</b></del> <b>1252</b> <b>Katakana</b> <del><b>932 (or 936, 949, 950)</b></del> <b>Hangary</b> <b>857</b>
50	EEPROM default setting	00	EEPROM default setting
60	Thermal Printing Mode	00 01  02  03	Single Sided Mode * Double Sided Mode with Single Side command Double Sided Mode with Double Side Command Double Sided Mode with Pre-Defined data
61	Upside Down Printing for Double Side	00 01  02  03	Front: Normal, Back: Normal * Front: Upside down, Back Normal Front: Normal, Back: Upside Down Front: Upside Down, Back Upside Down
62	Swap Front Side and Back Side	00 01	Not Swap * Swap Front side and Back side
63	Pre-Defined Bottom/Top Message	00 01 02 03	No Message * Bottom Message on Front Top Message on Back Both Bottom Message on Front and Top Message on Back
64	Minimum Receipt Length (Remainder after dividing Min. Receipt Length by 256 )	00-FF	Length in dot rows for Minimum receipt length
65	Minimum Receipt Length (Integer after dividing Min. Receipt Length by 256)	00-FF (max value to be defined)	Length in dot rows for Minimum receipt length
66	Reprint when Error Occurs	00  01	Resume printing from last error line * Reprint the error page
67	Reprint Message	00 01	No Message * Reprint Message

68	USB Interface Type	<del>00</del> -01 <del>01</del> -02	Vendor Specific class * Printer class
69	Printer Driver Type ( for Parallel I/F )	<del>01</del> -00 <del>02</del> -01	OPOS driver * Windows driver

Set the printer configuration specified by *m* and *n*. If *m* or *n* is out of range, this command is ignored. But the printer waits the data until terminator code "0FFH".

#### Notes

This command changes configuration setting in EEPROM. If same value that is set in EEPROM is set, this command doesn't write to EEPROM.

## 2.10 Flash Download Commands

These commands are used to load firmware into the printer.

The commands are listed in numerical order according to their hexadecimal codes. Each command is described and the hexadecimal, decimal, and ASCII codes are listed.

There are three ways to enter the Download Mode.

1. Powering the printer up with DIP Switch 2 up.
2. While the printer is running normally, use the command Switch to Flash Download Mode, to leave normal operation and enter the Download Mode.
3. If the Flash is found corrupted during Level 0 diagnostics the Download Mode is automatically entered after the printer has reset.

The printer never goes directly from the Download Mode to normal printer operation. To return to normal printer operation either the operator must turn the power off and then on to reboot or the application must send a command to cancel Download Mode and reboot.

### 2.10.1 Switch to Flash Download Mode

**ASCII:** ESC [ ]  
**Hexadecimal:** 1B 5B 7D  
**Decimal:** 27 91 125

Puts the printer in Flash Download Mode in preparation to receive commands controlling the downloading of objects into Flash Memory.

When this command is received, the printer leaves normal operation and can no longer print transactions until the Reboot the Printer command (1D FF) is received or the printer is rebooted.

This command does not affect the current communication parameters.

Once the printer is in Flash Download Mode, this command is no longer available.

### 2.10.2 Request Printer ID

**ASCII:** GS NUL  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 00  
**Decimal:** 29 0

Returns ACK (06 hex) + 12 bytes ASCII string describing the Flash Memory Boot Sector Firmware part number. Ex : 189-1234567A

### 2.10.3 Return Segment Number Status of Flash Memory

**ASCII:** GS SOH  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 01  
**Decimal:** 29 1

Returns the size of the Flash used. There may be 8, 16, or 32 sectors (64K each) in Flash Memory. This command assures that the firmware to be downloaded is the appropriate size for Flash Memory. The value returned is the maximum sector number that can be accepted by the Select Sector to download (1D 02 n) command.

**Exceptions:**

Available only in Download Mode.

### 2.10.4 Select Flash Memory Sector to Download

**ASCII:** GS STX *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 02 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 2 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** the Flash sector to which the next download operation applies  
**Range of *n*:** 0 – 7 (512K)  
0 – 15 (1 mB)  
0 – 31 (2 mB)

Selects the Flash sector (nn) for which the next download operation applies. The values of the possible sector are restricted, depending upon the Flash part type. The printer transmits an ACK if the sector number is acceptable or an NAK if the sector number is not acceptable. Sector numbers start at 0.

**Exceptions:**

Available only in Download Mode.

### 2.10.5 Get Firmware CRC

**ASCII:** GS ACK  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 06  
**Decimal:** 29 6

Causes the printer to calculate the CRC for the currently selected sector and transmits the result. This is performed normally after downloading a sector to verify that the downloaded firmware is correct. The printer also calculates the CRC for each sector during power up and halts the program if any sector is erroneous. The printer transmits ACK if the calculated CRC is correct for the selected sector; NAK if the CRC is incorrect or if no sector is selected.

### 2.10.6 Return Microprocessor CRC

**ASCII:** GS BEL  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 07  
**Decimal:** 29 7

Returns the CRC calculated over the boot sector code space.

**Formulas:**

ACK <low byte> <high byte>

### 2.10.7 Erase the Flash Memory

**ASCII:** GS SO  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 0E  
**Decimal:** 29 14

Causes the entire Flash Memory (except the boot) to be erased. The printer returns ACK if the command is successful; NAK if it is unsuccessful.

**Exceptions:**

Available only in Download Mode.

**2.10.8 Return Main Program Flash CRC**

**ASCII:** GS SI  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 0F  
**Decimal:** 29 15

Returns the CRC calculated over the Flash firmware code space. The format of the response is ACK

<low byte> <high byte>.

**2.10.9 Erase Selected Flash Sector**

**ASCII:** GS D LE *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 10 *n*  
**Decimal:** 29 16 *n*  
**Value and Range of *n*:**  
 0 – 7 = 512K bytes Flash  
 0 – 15 = 1M bytes Flash  
 0 – 31 = 2M bytes Flash

Erases the previously selected sector. The printer transmits ACK when the sector has been erased. If the previous sector is not successfully erased, or if no sector was selected, the printer transmits NAK.

**Exceptions:**  
 Available only in Download Mode.

**2.10.10 Download to Active Flash Sector**

**ASCII:** GS DC1 *al ah cl ch d1...dn*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D 11 *al ah cl ch d1...dn*  
**Decimal:** 29 17 *al ah cl ch d1...dn*  
**Value of *al*:** low byte of the address  
**Value of *ah*:** high byte of the address  
**Value of *cl*:** low byte of the count  
**Value of *ch*:** high byte of the count  
**Value of *d*:** data bytes, from 1 to *n*

Contains a start address ( $ah * 256 + al$ ) and count ( $ch * 256 + cl$ ) of binary bytes to load into the selected sector, followed by that many bytes. The start address is relative to the start of the sector. Addresses run from 0 to 64K.

The printer may return one of several responses. ACK means that the data was written correctly and the host should transmit the next block.

NAK means that, for some reason, the data was not written correctly.

This could mean that communications failed or that the write to Flash failed. The alternatives seem to be to retry the block or halt loading and assume a hardware failure.

<b>Value of <i>n</i> (for number of data bytes)</b>	<b>Range of Address (<i>al ah</i>)</b>	<b>Range of Count (<i>cl ch</i>)</b>
$((ch * 256) + cl)$	2000-FFFF (hexadecimal)	0001-0400 (hexadecimal)

**Range:**  
 Addresses run from 0 to 64K.

**Related Information:**  
 Available only in Download Mode.

**2.10.11 Reboot the Printer**

**ASCII:** GS ( SPACE)  
**Hexadecimal:** 1D FF  
**Decimal:** 29 255

Ends the load process and reboots the printer. Before executing this command, the printer should have firmware loaded and external switches set to the runtime settings. Application software for downloading should prompt the user to set the external switches and confirm before sending this command. If the downloading was started from a diagnostic, the reboot will cause the printer to reenter download state unless the external switches are changed.

## 2.11 Double side print command (These commands are supported by 2ST model only)

### 2.11.1 General Explanation

Printer prepare four kinds of thermal receipt printing mode:

1. Single sided mode same as current manner,
2. Double sided mode with single side command.  
It is using current printing manner. Printer receives single sided data until paper cut command then print data is automatically separated into two parts where first part prints on front side and second part prints on backside. (Refer Appendix 3 How to make printing pattern from single side to double side.)
3. Double sided mode with Double side command.  
Printing data can be selectively printed on front/back side of receipt paper. Once this mode is selected, printer starts to store the data until print start command or paper cut command is received before start printing.
4. Double sided mode with pre-defined data.  
Printer printreceived data on the front side and pre-defined data on the back. Printer starts printing when paper cut command is received.

This thermal receipt printing mode can be selected either printer diagnostics or command (Printer Setting Change: 1F 11 and Select Thermal Printing Mode: 1F 60).

### 2.11.2 Select Thermal Printing Modes

<b>ASCII:</b>	US ' n
<b>Hexadecimal:</b>	1F 60 n
<b>Decimal:</b>	31 96 n
<b>Value of n:</b>	0 = Single Sided Mode 1 = Double Sided Mode with Single Side Command 2 = Double Sided Mode with Double Side Command 3 = Double Sided Mode with Pre-defined Data

**Default:** The selected setting in diagnostic mode

Selects the thermal printing mode: single side or double side mode. If single side mode is selected, thermal printing can only be executed on front side of receipt paper. If Double side mode is selected, printing can be executed on front side and/or backside of receipt paper.

With selection n=0, printing format is same as existing firmware.

With selection n=1(Single Side Command), print buffer is first divided into two parts. The first half of print buffer will be printed on front side and the second half of print buffer will be printed on backside of receipt paper.

(Exception: The command Select Thermal Printing Side and Start Double Sided Printing will be ignored)

With selection n=2(Double Side Command), print buffer can be selectively printed on front/back side of receipt paper.

When printer is switched from other thermal mode to Double Side Mode w/Double Side Command, printer's default selected side is Front Side.

Sending a 1Fh 62h will print data.

With selection n=3(Pre-defined data), pre-defined data is printed on the backside and received command will be printed on the front side.

Backside data will be printed only once for each single receipt. Receipt length is determined by the longer side.

This command is valid only on receipt station.

When Thermal Printing Mode is changed, printer will always be in standard mode, and printer will print if there is any data in print buffer.

The Printer Setting Change command (1FH 11H) is used to store setting.

### 2.11.3 Select Thermal Printing Side

**ASCII:** US a *n*  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 61 *n*  
**Decimal:** 31 97 *n*  
**Value of *n*:** 0 = Front Side  
1 = Back Side  
**Default:** 0 (Front Side)

Selects the thermal printing side: front side, back side in Double Side Mode w/Double Side Command.(1Fh 60h 02h)

This command is valid for subsequent lines.

#### Exceptions:

The command is enabled only when input at the beginning of a line, printer is in Double Side Mode w/ Double Side Command, and receipt station is selected.

If either side is larger than buffer size, printer prints out automatically and print buffer is cleared. Thermal printing mode and selected print size are not changed.

If current side is in page mode when this command is received, printer will return to standard mode and clear defined page area before changing side.

#### Limitations

Character attributes are not changed when print side is changed.

### 2.11.4 Start Double Sided Printing

**ASCII:** US b  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 62  
**Decimal:** 31 98

Start double sided printing.

This command executes if the Thermal Printing Modes, Double Side Mode with Double Side Command is selected (*n*=2), and receipt station is selected, otherwise, this command is ignored. Receipt length is determined by the longer side.

After printer prints out, both sides are in standard mode. If printer is in page mode when receive this command, page mode data will be printed and defined page area will be cleared.

**2.11.5 Select or Cancel Upside Down Printing for Double Side Mode**

**ASCII:** US c n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 63 n  
**Decimal:** 31 99 n

**Values of n:**  
 Bit 0 = 0: Cancel Front Side upside down printing  
           1: Enable Front Side upside down printing  
 Bit 1 = 0: Cancel Back Side upside down printing  
           1: Enable Back Side upside down printing

Printing side (Front/Back side) is physical side of printing.

**Default:** 0 (Cancel upside printing for both side)

This command will print the data upside down on the side as defined by n.

This command is valid in Double Side Mode when receipt is selected. Before start Double side printing, only the last received select or cancel upside down printing command is effective.

Execution of this command doesn't change EEPROM setting.  
 The Printer Setting Change command (1FH 11H) is used to store setting.

**2.11.6 Swap Front Side and Back Side**

**ASCII:** US d n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 64 n  
**Decimal:** 31 100 n

**Values of n:** 0: Cancel swap.  
                   1: Swap Front Side and Back Side. Original Front Side data is printed on backside and original Back Side data is printed on front side.

**Default:** 0 (Cancel swap)

This command will swap the front side data and backside data when in Double Side Mode.

Before swapping Front Side and Back Side, the Front Side data is printed via Front Side thermal head. After swapping, the Front Side data is printed via Backside thermal head

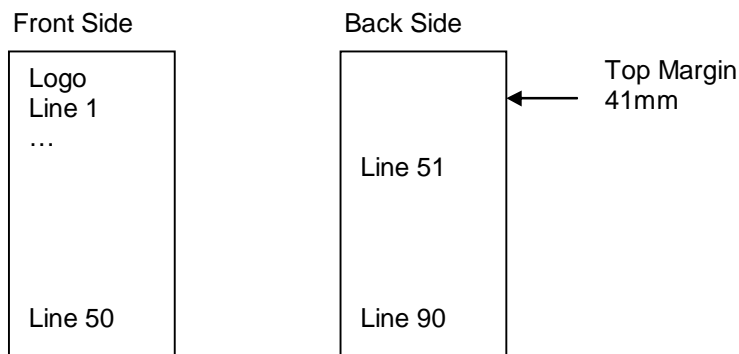
Before starting double side printing, only the last received swap front side and backside command is effective.

This command is valid only when Double Side Mode (all 3 double side modes (1Fh 60h 01h, 02h or 03h)) and receipt station are selected.

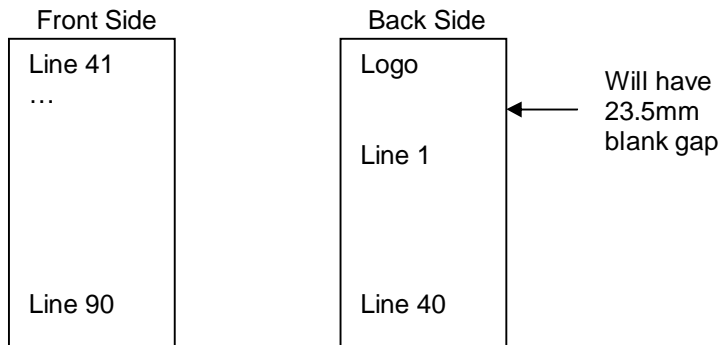
Execution of this command doesn't change EEPROM setting.  
 The Printer Setting Change command (1FH 11H) is used to store setting.

**Limitation:**

For Double Side Mode w/Single Side Command, if Logo is printed immediately before paper cut, after swap, the printing pattern on Front Side (Backside before swap) will have 41mm blank area.







**2.11.7 Download 1-line Top/Bottom/Reprint Message into ROM**

**ASCII:** US e n k<sub>1</sub> d<sub>1</sub> d<sub>2</sub> ... d<sub>i</sub> NUL  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 65 n k<sub>1</sub> d<sub>1</sub> d<sub>2</sub> ... d<sub>i</sub> 0  
**Decimal:** 31 101 n k<sub>1</sub> d<sub>1</sub> d<sub>2</sub> ... d<sub>i</sub> 0  
**Values:** n: The line number. n = 0,1,2,3,4,5  
k<sub>1</sub>: The character attribute  
d<sub>1</sub>, d<sub>2</sub>, ... , d<sub>i</sub>: Strings of 1-line Text Message. Strings terminated with NUL

This command will download one line of text into ROM.  
The message is used in all Double Side Modes. User can select to automatically add a 1-line/2-line text message at bottom of Front Side or/and at top of Back Side or at top of page reprint data after error recovery.

Front Side uses line 0 and line1, and Back Side uses line 2 and line 3.

- Printing side (Front/Back side) is logical side of printing.
- Logical Front Side is the side that contains Line 1.
- Logical Back Side is the side that contains last line.
- Physical Front side is the side printed by the front thermal head.
- Physical Back side is the side printed by the back thermal head.

Reprint message uses line 4 and line 5.

The line number n

n	Message	printing side
0	Bottom Message line 1	Logical Front Side
1	Bottom Message line 2	
2	Top Message line 1	Logical Back Side
3	Top Message line 2	
4	Reprint Message line 1	Physical Front Side
5	Reprint Message line 2	

**Setting of Character Attribute**

k <sub>1</sub>			
Bit 7	0: Italic Mode off		1: Italic Mode on
Bit 6	0: Inverse video mode off		1: Inverse video mode on
Bit 5	0: Black		1: Color
Bit 4	0: Emphasize mode off		1: Emphasize mode on
Bit 3	0: Double width off		1: Double width on
Bit 2	0: Double height off		1: Double height on
Bit 1&0	Bit1	Bit0	
	0	0	Underline mode off
	0	1	1 dot underline
	1	0	2 dot underline

Characters exceeded one line will be ignored.

If command sequence is US e n k NUL, printer will clear the nth line message in Flash ROM.

If only one line is defined, printer will only print the defined line.

When print data is only one side data, Top/Bottom message won't be printed.

**Limitation:**

1. Some attributes are not supported – Script mode, Double strike mode, 90° Left/Right Rotation, Print Start Position, Character size.
2. Attribute cannot be changed within one line.
3. The printable width for Top/Bottom message is 576 dots (80mm paper), or 432 dots (58mm paper). If 58 mm print width is selected, printer automatically uses compress pitch font to print Top/Bottom/Reprint message.
4. Top/Bottom/Reprint message is printed based on diagnostic setting. If user changes printer setting during printer operation, the current top/bottom/reprint message is not affected unless the message is redefined or printer is restarted.

### 2.11.8 Enable Top/Bottom Message

**ASCII:** US f n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 66 n  
**Decimal:** 31 102 n

**Values of n:**

- Bit 0 = 0: Disable pre-defined bottom message on front side  
1: Enable pre-defined bottom message on front side  
Bit 1 = 0: Disable pre-defined top message on back side  
1: Enable pre-defined top message on back side  
Bit 2 = 0: Disable reprint message.  
1: Enable reprint message.

**Default:** 0 (Disable predefined bottom and top message)

When this function is enabled, printer will automatically add a 1-line or 2-line text message at the bottom/top of front side/backside of receipt.

This command is only valid when Double Side Modes (1Fh 60h 01h , 02h or 03h) (All w/Single Side Command and w/Double Side Command and w/Pre-defined data) and receipt station is selected.

Execution of this command doesn't change EEPROM setting. ,  
The Printer Setting Change command (1FH 11H) is used to store setting.

**Notes:**

In following case, printer cannot print Top/Bottom message.

- When one side data is not existed, Top/Bottom message is not printed even if Top/Bottom message is enable.
- When front side data only contain a page mode, and there is no 17.5 mm Line Feed for next receipt's top margin.

In this case, the page mode is regarded as "Top Margin" as it is the only print item in front side.

Firmware will remove this "Top Margin" from front side data and then front side will become empty page.

Therefore printer will disable Top/Bottom Message automatically, as the front side is an empty page

### 2.11.9 Select nth Macro

**ASCII:** US g n  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 67 n  
**Decimal:** 31 103 n  
**Value of n:** 1 to 25  
**Default:** n = 1

Select nth macro for definition or execution.

The same commands are used to define macro and execute macro as below.

Start or End Macro Definition (GS :)

Execute Macro 1Dh 5Eh(GS ^)

The Macro buffer size is up to 25\*2048 bytes. A macro can exceed 2048 bytes, but total macros cannot exceed 50 Kbytes.

Printer will not check Macro data validity during Macro definition.

Macro can be nested, but only can be nested 1 Macro deep.

#### Exception

If GS ^ (Execute Macro) is in Macro data without change Macro ID, this Macro will be cleared during first time execution.

Printer will not check whether Macro is nested more than 1 Macro deep during Macro definition. If printer executes a Macro nested with 2 (or more) Macro deep, printer will abort execution before the 2<sup>nd</sup> deep Macro's execution.

For example, command sequence is

1F 67 03(Select 3<sup>rd</sup> Macro), 1D 3A(Start/End Macro definition) data... 1F 67 01(Select 1<sup>st</sup> Macro) ... 1D 5E(Execute selected Macro) data... 1D 3A(End Macro definition)

In this example, Macro #3 is defined, and it will execute Macro #1. However, if the definition of Macro #1 is changed and it is nested with another Macro, printer will abort Macro #3's execution.

### 2.11.10 Start or End Pre-Defined Back Side Printing Data Definition

**ASCII:** US h  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 68  
**Decimal:** 31 104

Starts or ends Pre-Defined Back Side Printing and stored into the ROM. Pre-defined back side printing definition begins when this command is received during normal operation and ends when this command is received during Pre-defined back side printing definition.

If the printer receives a second "Start or End Pre-Defined Back Side Printing" immediately after previously receiving a "Start or End Pre-Defined Back Side Printing" the printer will clear Pre-Defined Back Side Printing data.

Exceptions:

During definition of pre-defined backside printing data, printer will not check data validity.

If pre-defined backside data definition contains GS : (Start or End Macro Definition), the definition will be cleared during the first execution (when Double Side Mode w/Predefined Backside is selected).

Below commands are ignored in predefined backside data.

1F 60 (Select Double Side Mode w/Predefined Backside Data)

1F 65 (Download 1 line Text Message into ROM)

All knife cut command.

**Limitation:**

1. If pre-defined back data includes Macro and Macro is re-defined in pre-define backside mode, the pre-defined back data cannot be updated immediately.

**Example:**

Pre-defined back data is defined as below in DS mode w/Pre-defined Backside

1F 68 (Start Pre-Defined Back Side Printing Data Definition)

1F 67 1 (Select No.1 Macro)

1D 5E 1 0 0 (Execute Macro)

1F 68 (End Pre-Defined Back Side Printing Data Definition)

Then user redefine Macro 1, then pre-defined back data cannot be updated unless it is re-defined.

2. Pre-defined backside data are designed to store text and graphic data. If some commands other than text and graphics are included, printer may not be able to work properly.  
Consider below scenario,  
Printer's default thermal mode is DS. Mode w/PreDfn Back.
3. Pre-defined backside data is printed based on printer default settings (LPI, Code Page and Paper Width) unless user changes them by command in definition of predefined backside data.
4. When printer makes image for predefined backside data, character attributes are all disabled or set to OFF and printout page format (left/right margin, print area) is set to default. In other words, the initial status of character attribute and page format is OFF or default setting.
5. After printer makes image for predefined backside data, character attributes, page format, code page and LPI are same as the settings before the image making. However, other settings may not be same as those before the image making. User may send 10h (clear printer) to clear all settings.

**2.11.11 Define Minimum Receipt Length**

**ASCII:** US i n1 n2  
**Hexadecimal:** 1F 69 n1n2  
**Decimal:** 31 105 n1 n2  
**Value of n:** Number of dots to be moved from the beginning of the line.  
**Value of n1:** Remainder after dividing n by 256. (0 – 255)  
**Value of n2:** Integer after dividing n by 256. (0 – 255)  
**Default:** n1 = 0  
n2 = 0

This command defines the minimum receipt length to start the conversion from single side to double side. This setting is enabled for only “Double Sided Mode with Single Side Command”. (1F 60 01)

If the Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units command (1D 50) is used to change the horizontal and vertical minimum motion unit, the parameters of this command (Minimum Receipt Length) will be interpreted accordingly.

Printer will not split receipt into two sides if defined length is less than 23.5mm.

**Formulas:**

To set minimum receipt length to two inches at the default vertical motion unit of 1/203 inches, send the four-byte string:

**US i 150 1**

2 inches = 2 x 203 = 406, and 406 = (1 X 256) + 150.

**Notes:**

Receipt length in this command refer to the length from top of the receipt to the last valid print line.

(excluding Top Margin area and line feed)

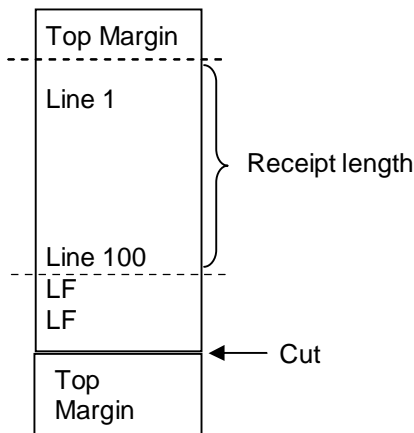


Figure: Single side receipt sample

If the printing line exceed Minimum Receipt Length, printer changes page from next line. For example, When line pitch is set to 7.52 LPI and Minimum Receipt Length is set to 1 inch. If application send 10 line data, printer print 8 lines in first page and print 2 lines in next page.

The maximum length that can set by this command is;

Single Side Mode (Mono)	120 Inch
Single Side Mode (Color)	60 Inch
Double Side Mode (Mono)	60 Inch
Double Side Mode (Color)	30 Inch

### 3 Appendix 1 Character sets

#### 3.1 Single byte character

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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
00		0	@	P		p	Ç	É	á	...	L	ll	α	≡
01	!	1	A	Q	a	q	Ç	É	á	...	L	ll	α	≡
02	"	2	B	R	b	r	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
05	%	5	E	U	e	u	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
06	&	6	F	V	f	v	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
07	'	7	G	W	g	w	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
08	(	8	H	X	h	x	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
09	)	9	I	Y	i	y	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0A	*	:	J	Z	j	z	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0B	+	;	K	[	k	{	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0C	,	<	L	\	l		ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0D	-	=	M	]	m	}	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0E	.	>	N	^	n	~	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0F	/	?	O		o	õ	Ç	É	á	...	L	ll	α	≡

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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
00		0	@	P		p	Ç	É	á	...	L	ll	α	≡
01	!	1	A	Q	a	q	Ç	É	á	...	L	ll	α	≡
02	"	2	B	R	b	r	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
05	%	5	E	U	e	u	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
06	&	6	F	V	f	v	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
07	'	7	G	W	g	w	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
08	(	8	H	X	h	x	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
09	)	9	I	Y	i	y	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0A	*	:	J	Z	j	z	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0B	+	;	K	[	k	{	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0C	,	<	L	\	l		ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0D	-	=	M	]	m	}	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0E	.	>	N	^	n	~	ç	é	à	...	l	ll	α	≡
0F	/	?	O		o	õ	Ç	É	á	...	L	ll	α	≡

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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
00		0	@	P		p	Ç	É	á	...	L	d	ó	-
01	!	1	A	Q	a	q	Ç	É	á	...	L	d	ó	-
02	"	2	B	R	b	r	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
05	%	5	E	U	e	u	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
06	&	6	F	V	f	v	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
07	'	7	G	W	g	w	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
08	(	8	H	X	h	x	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
09	)	9	I	Y	i	y	ç	é	à	...	l	d	ó	-
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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
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02	"	2	B	R	b	r	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
05	%	5	E	U	e	u	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
06	&	6	F	V	f	v	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
07	'	7	G	W	g	w	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
08	(	8	H	X	h	x	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
09	)	9	I	Y	i	y	ç	é	à	...	l	ó	ó	-
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03	#	3	C	S	c	s	Ĉ	Ë	â	...	ł	ł	δ	≡
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06	&	6	F	V	f	v	Ď	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	η	≡
07	'	7	G	W	g	w	Ď	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	θ	≡
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02	"	2	B	R	b	r	Ć	Ê	ă	...	ł	ł	γ	≡
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	Ĉ	Ë	â	...	ł	ł	δ	≡
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	Ċ	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	ε	≡
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02	"	2	B	R	b	r	Ć	Ê	ă	...	ł	ł	γ	≡
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	Ĉ	Ë	â	...	ł	ł	δ	≡
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	Ċ	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	ε	≡
05	%	5	E	U	e	u	Ď	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	ζ	≡
06	&	6	F	V	f	v	Ď	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	η	≡
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09	)	9	I	Y	i	y	Ď	Ě	â	...	ł	ł	κ	≡
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	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F
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01	!	1	A	Q	a	q	B	P	ă	...	ł	ł	c	È
02	"	2	B	R	b	r	B	T	ă	...	ł	ł	t	È
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	Γ	Y	ă	...	ł	ł	y	È
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	Δ	Φ	ă	...	ł	ł	φ	È
05	%	5	E	U	e	u	Δ	Φ	ă	...	ł	ł	ι	È
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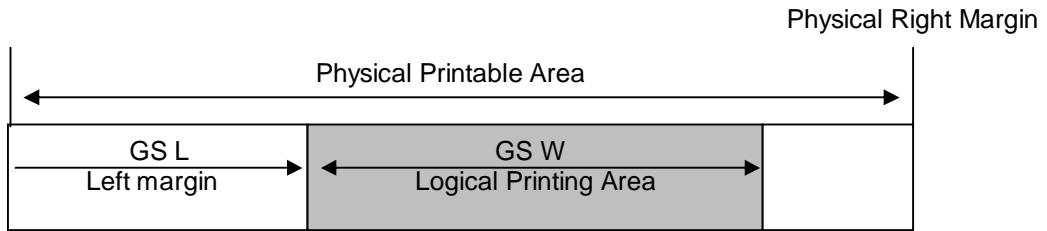
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02	"	2	B	R	b	r	ˆ	ı	²	Â	Ò	â	ò	
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	ˇ	ı	³	Ã	Ó	ã	ó	
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	¨	ı	´	Ä	Ô	ä	ô	
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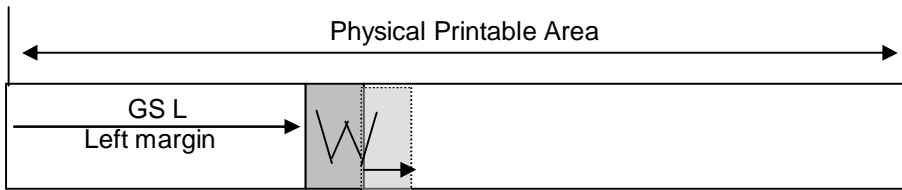
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02	"	2	B	R	b	r	é	Æ	ó	Ł	Ł	Õ	´	
03	#	3	C	S	c	s	â	ô	ú	ł	ł	Ö	¸	
04	\$	4	D	T	d	t	ä	ö	ñ	ł	ł	Ø	¸	
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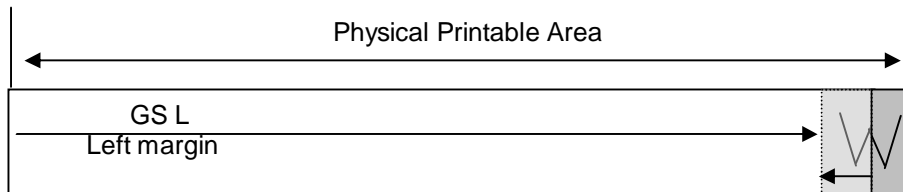
## 4 Appendix 2 Printable area



- The left margin can be set using GS L command.
- While printing area width is set by GS W command.
- These commands are ignored in page mode.



- If the printing area width is less than the width of 1 character, the right margin is shifted towards right to accommodate the width of 1 character. (This processing is only performed on the line of question.)
- If bitimage or download bitimage is developed, the right margin is shifted towards right to accommodate one line in vertical for that bitimage. (1 dot for double density bitimage and 2 dots for single density bitimage)



- If right margin reaches the physical limit, left margin is shifted towards left to accommodate the width of 1 character. (This processing is only performed on the line of question.)
- If both left and right margins have reach the physical limits, the character right side spacing is reduced to accommodate the character on that line.
- If bitimage or download bitimage is developed, the left margin is shifted towards left to accommodate one line in vertical for that bitimage. (1 dot for double density bitimage and 2 dots for single density bitimage)

## 5 Appendix 3 How to make printing pattern from single side to double side (Double side mode with single side command)

The print condition is as below.

The distance between cutter and 1st platen 17.5mm

The distance between 1st platen and 2nd platen 23.5mm

### (1) Firmware algorithm to separate the printing from single side to double side

The following method is to separate the print buffer into two parts – one part is for front side and the other part is for back side.

a) Store printing data until paper cut

Firmware stores print data until paper cut command.

The print data is stored bit-pattern and information of position for each line.

b) Search last print line

Firmware search last print line then line spacing after last print line should be consider as space to adjust the distance between printing position and cutter.

If there is any printing within 17.5mm (distance between 1st platen and cutter) like logo, firmware prints on front side.

c) Calculate printing separate position

Firmware accumulate the print space from beginning to the end (searched by step b)) then calculate the separate position by following formula.

Separate Position (SP) =

$$\{ \text{Total print space (TP)} + 23.5\text{mm}(\text{distance between 1st and 2nd platen}) \} / 2$$

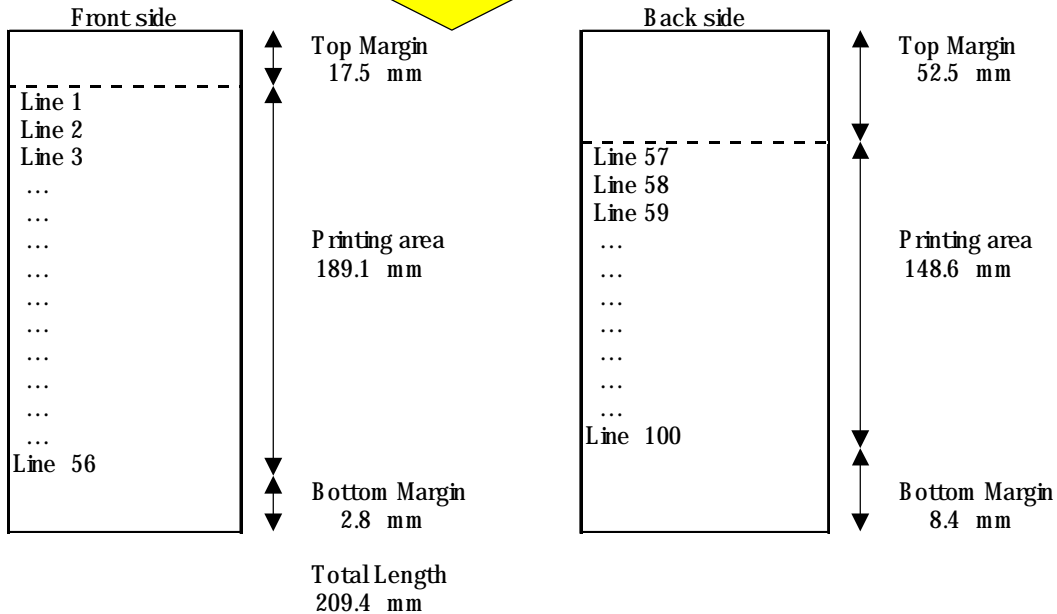
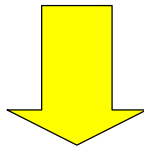
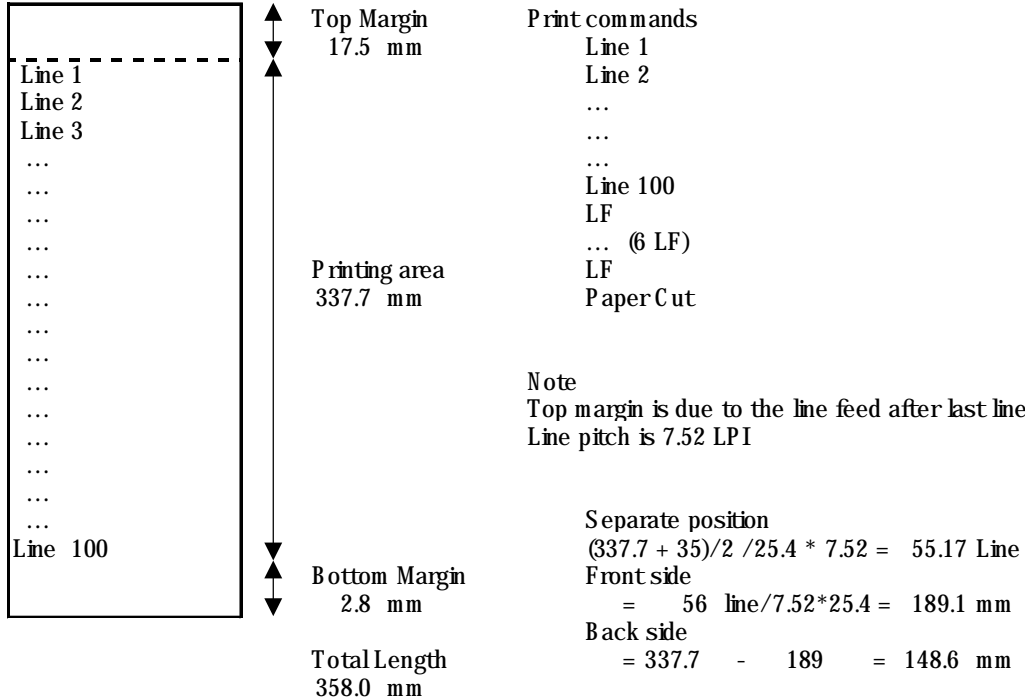
d) Adjust the separate position not to separate the middle of print line

Firmware adjusts separate position not to separate the printing in the middle of print line (includes character attributes such as double height), barcode, and logo.

**(2) Example of printing pattern**

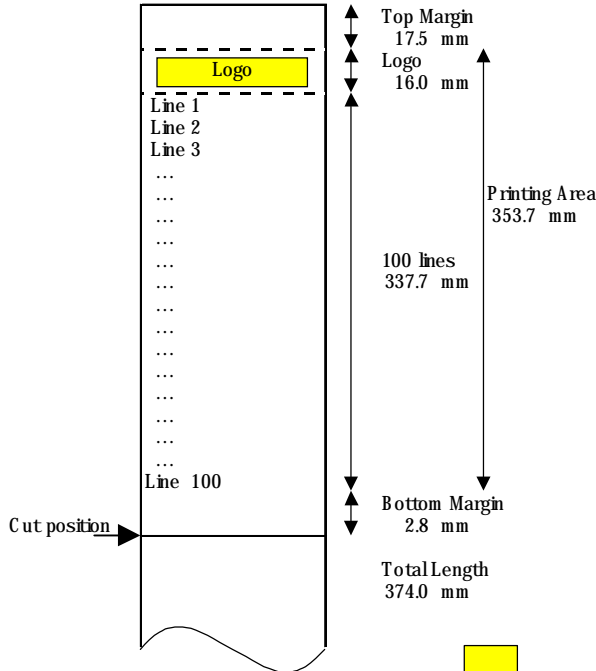
a) Text printing only

The distance between cutter and 1st platen 17.5 mm  
 The distance between 1st platen and 2nd platen 35.0 mm



b) Text & logo printing (Logo is printed after paper cut)

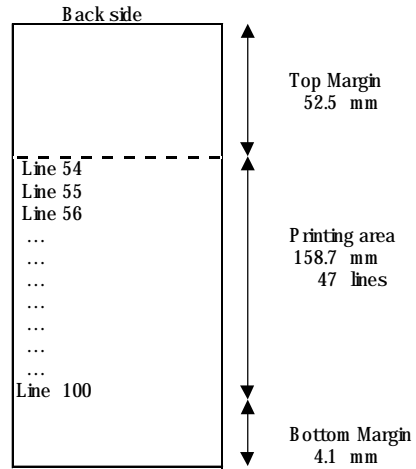
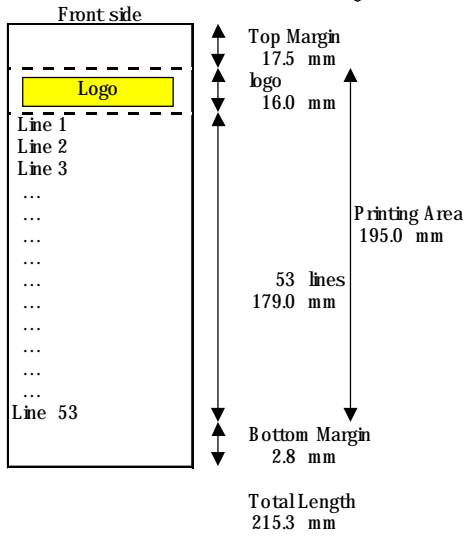
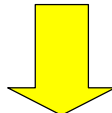
The distance between cutter and 1st platen 17.5 mm  
 The distance between 1st platen and 2nd platen 35.0 mm



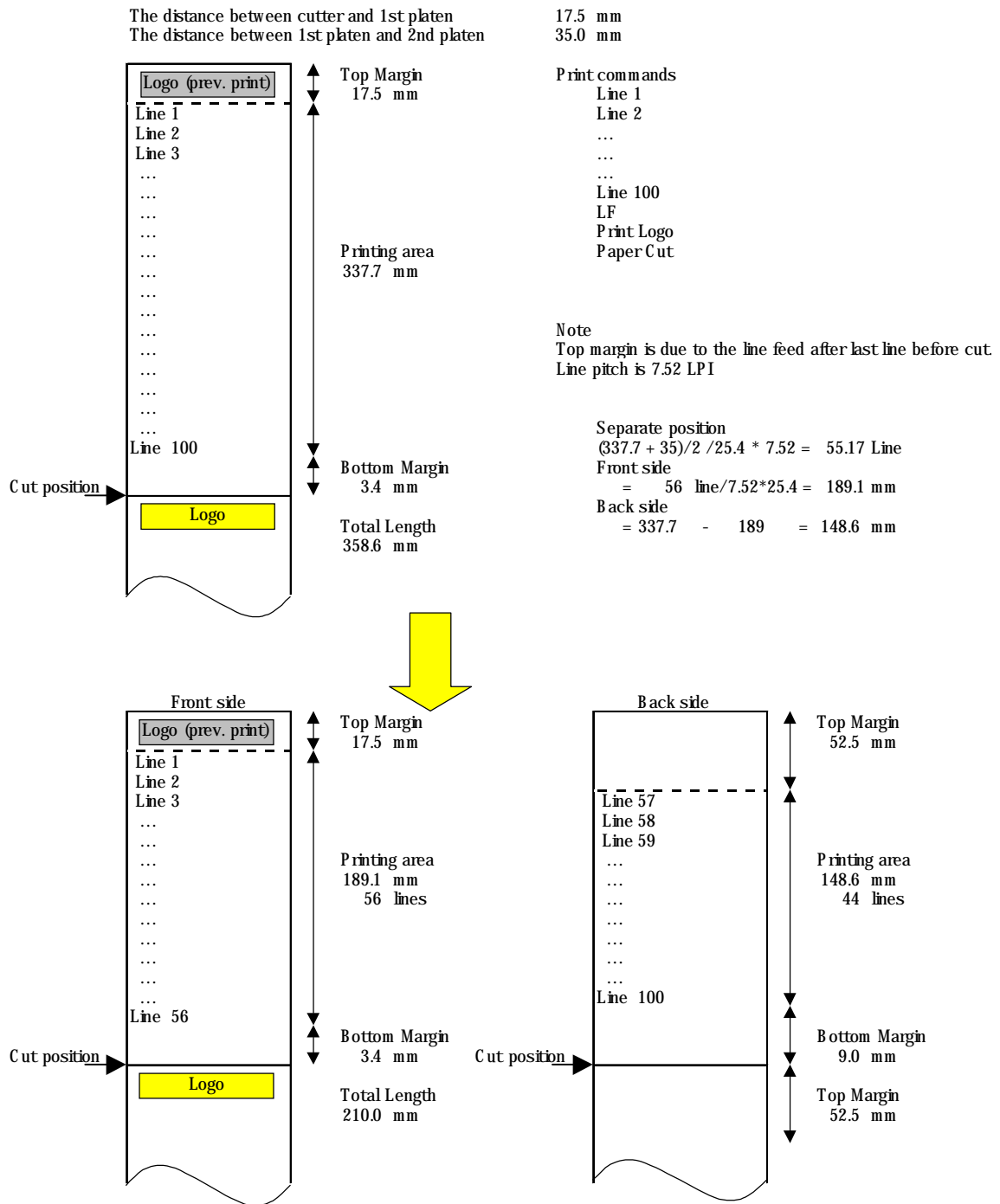
Print commands  
 Logo print  
 Line 1  
 Line 2  
 ...  
 ...  
 Line 100  
 LF  
 ... (6 LF)  
 LF  
 Paper Cut

Note  
 Top margin is due to the line feed after last line before cut.  
 Line pitch is 7.52 LPI

Separate position  
 $(353.7 + 35) / 2 - 16 / 25.4 * 7.52 = 52.8$  Line  
 Front side  
 $= 53 \text{ line} / 7.52 * 25.4 + 16 = 195$  mm  
 Back side  
 $= 353.7 - 195 = 158.7$  mm



c) Text & logo printing (Logo is printed before paper cut.)



**(3) Limitation**

## a) Grouped lines

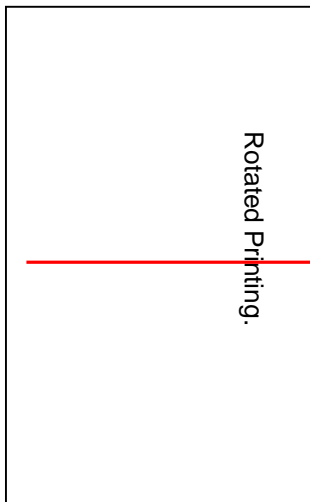
If several lines are grouped as below, for Double Side Mode with Single Side Command, firmware may separate these lines and print them on two sides.

...
...
...
Oranges 3.00
Normal 4.00
...
...

FW may separate into two pages at here.

## b) Rotated Mode

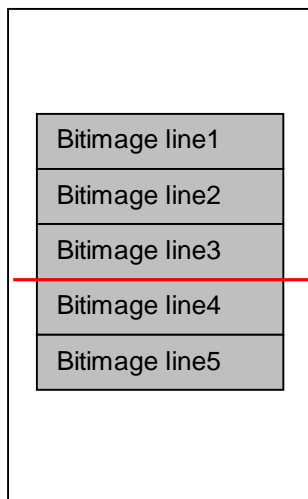
Firmware may separate these words and print them on two sides.



FW may separate into two pages at here.

## c) Bitimage printing

Firmware may separate the graphic print used by bitimage command (ESC \* and ESC Y) onto two pages.



FW may separate into two pages at here.

## 6 Diagnostics Overview

The printer performs three types of diagnostic tests to help troubleshoot problems and configure the printer. Each of these is described in detail in the sections that follow.

### **Startup (Level 0) Diagnostics**

The printer performs these tests during the startup cycle.

### **Printer Configuration (Level 1)**

Allows configuration of the printer using a Configuration Menu that is printed on a receipt. One of the configuration settings makes it possible to put the printer into diagnostic mode for running the print test.

### **Runtime (Level 2) Diagnostics**

The printer checks the status of these conditions during normal operation.

### **Remote (Level 3) Diagnostics**

The printer keeps track of these counters during normal operation and prints them upon request.

## 7 Startup (Level 0) Diagnostics

The printer automatically performs start up diagnostics during the startup cycle when power is supplied or when the printer goes on-line.

Start up diagnostics comprise the following actions:

- .. Turn off motors
- .. Perform CRC check of the firmware ROM, read external RAM  
Failure causes start up diagnostics to stop.
- .. EEPROM check  
Failure causes start up diagnostics to stop.
- .. Paper Status LED is turned on
- .. Check if paper is present
- .. Return the knife to the home position  
Failure causes a fault condition.
- .. Check if printer door is closed  
Failure causes turning on the Paper Status LED until the door is closed.

When the last step is complete, the Paper Feed button is enabled and the printer is ready for normal operation. Information about the test is available to the communication interface through the commands. If the printer has not been turned on before, or a new EEPROM has been installed, the default values for the printer functions (set in Level 1 Diagnostics) are loaded into the EEPROM during start up diagnostics. See the tables in "Level 1 Diagnostics" for the printer settings. If the EEPROM load has failed, the Paper Status LED is turned on.

## 8 Configuring the Printer (Level 1)

If you need to select certain functions, or change settings, use the scrolling menu feature. This feature prints instructions on the receipt for selecting and changing any of the functions and parameters.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

### To Configure the Printer:

Set DIP switch 1 to ON, DIP switch 2 to OFF.

Press and hold receipt feed switch while disconnecting and reconnecting the power, this will reset the printer. The printer will print the current configuration, then cuts the papers to print the Configuration Menu. If you don't press and hold the feed button after resetting the printer, the printer will go to Online Mode directly.

This configuration menu allows you to set general printer parameters.

Sub-menus are entered and selections are made using the Paper Feed Button.

- short Click : Feed Button is quickly depressed then released
- long Click : Feed Button is held down more than 1 second then released

**After you make your selection, the printer will feed the paper, print out your selection and the menu, let you input new selection. (Refer to the Appendix )**

**Currents setting are marked with an asterisk (\*).**

For 'GENT Dual'

```
***** Main Menu *****
*****
```

Select a sub-menu:

- |                               |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| - EXIT                        | -> 1 Click  |
| - Print Current Configuration | -> 2 Clicks |
| - Set Communication Interface | -> 3 Clicks |
| - Set Diagnostics Modes       | -> 4 Clicks |
| - Set Emulation/Software      | -> 5 Clicks |
| - Set Hardware Options        | -> 6 Clicks |
| - Set Default Code page       | -> 7 Clicks |
| - Set Double Side Modes       | -> 8 Clicks |
| - Set EEPROM To Default       | -> 9 Clicks |

For 'GENT single'

```
***** Main Menu *****
*****
```

Select a sub-menu:

- |                               |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| - EXIT                        | -> 1 Click  |
| - Print Current Configuration | -> 2 Clicks |
| - Set Communication Interface | -> 3 Clicks |
| - Set Diagnostics Modes       | -> 4 Clicks |
| - Set Emulation/Software      | -> 5 Clicks |
| - Set Hardware Options        | -> 6 Clicks |
| - Set Default Code page       | -> 7 Clicks |
| - Set EEPROM To Default       | -> 8 Clicks |

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN at least 1 second to validate

Printers are generally shipped with all appropriate configuration settings pre-set at the factory. The only time you should need to change the printer configuration is if you install a new option or change software. It is also possible you may need to run certain tests using the Configuration Menu.

You configure the printer using a convenient Configuration Menu that is printed on receipt paper. The Configuration Menu prints instructions and setting options interactively as you go through the configuration process. The following functions and parameters can be changed with the scrolling Configuration Menu.



## 8.1 Print Current Configuration

This is the sample of prints out the current printer configuration settings.

**\*\*\* Diagnostics Form \*\*\***

Model number	: GENT (TBD)	
Serial number	: 1234567890	
<b>Boot Firmware</b>		
Revision	: V11.00	
CRC	: D3CE	
P/N	: 497-0446068	
<b>Flash Firmware</b>		
Revision	: V35.00	
CRC	: AC12	
P/N	: 497-0446069	
<b>Hardware</b>		
Flash Memory Size	: 3 Mbytes	
Flash Logo Size	: 256 Kbytes	Doesn't function at WinDrv.
Flash Fonts Size	: 64 Kbytes	
Flash User Storage	: 64 Kbytes	

<b>When RS232C/USB-Board is mounted</b>		
Communication Interface		
Interface Type	: RS232/USB	
<b>Parameters</b>		
Baud Rate	: 19200	
Data Bits	: 8	
Stop Bits	: 1	
Parity	: None	
Flow Control	: DTR/DSR	
Reception Errors	: Print '?'	
Receive Buffer	: 4K Bytes	
USB Type	: HID class	

<b>When Parallel-Board is mounted</b>		
Communication Interface		
Interface Type	: Parallel	

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Diagnostics Mode : OFF, Normal Mode

<b>Emulation/Software</b>		
Default LPI	: 7.52	Doesn't function at WinDrv.
Carriage Return	: Use Print Cmd	
Receipt Sync.	: Enabled	
PDF417 Max Columns	: 14 Columns	
<b>Hardware</b>		
Print Density	: 100 %	
Max Power	: 75W	
Paper Low Sensor	: Enabled	
Paper Width	: 80 mm	
Knife	: Enabled	
Color Paper	: Monochrome	

<b>Code Pages</b>		
Default Code Page	: 437	Doesn't function at WinDrv.
Resident code Pages	: 437, 850, 852, 857	
	: 858, 860, 863, 865,	
	: 866, 1252	

'GENT Dual' only

Double Side Mode		
Thermal Print Mode	: Single Side	
Upside Down		Doesn't function at WinDrv.
Front Side	: Normal	
Back Side	: Up Down	
Swap Side	: Disable	
Top/Bottom Msg		Doesn't function at WinDrv.
Btm of Front	: Disable	
Top of Back	: Enable	
Reprint Msg	: Disable	
Min Rcpt Length	: Disable	
Reprint Error Page	: Off	
<b>Permanent Tallies</b>		
Receipt Lines Front	: 389482	
Receipt Lines Back	: 188470	
Knife Cuts	: 12768	
Hours ON	: 959	
Flash cycles	: 5	
Knife Jams	: 2	
Cover Openings	: 71	
Max Temp Reached	: 363	

To enter Diagnostics Mode:

- 1) Flip DIP switch #1 on.
- 2) Reset the printer by pressing and holding Receipt Feed switch down while disconnecting and reconnecting the power.

## 8.2 Communications Interface Setting

Set the communication interface settings using the configuration menu

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the communications settings you want.  
Defaults are marked with an asterisk (\*).

F/W must recognize whether I/F card is [RS232c/USB] or [Paralle] automatically.

### 8.2.1 [RS232c/USB] I/F card mount

#### \*\* SET INTERFACE TYPE ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

RS232/USB -> 1 Click  
RS232 -> 2 Clicks  
USB -> 3 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button Down  
At least 1 second to validate

#### \*\* SET BAUD RATE ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

115200 Baud -> 1 Click  
57600 Baud -> 2 Clicks  
38400 Baud -> 3 Clicks  
19200 Baud -> 4 Clicks  
9600 Baud -> 5 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

#### \*\* SET NUMBER OF DATA BITS ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

8 Data Bits -> Long Click  
7 Data Bits -> Short Click

#### \*\* SET NUMBER OF STOP BITS ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

1 Stop Bits -> Long Click  
2 Stop Bits -> Short Click

#### \*\* SET PARITY ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

No Parity\* -> 1 Click  
Even Parity -> 2 Clicks  
Odd Parity -> 3 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**\*\* SET FLOW CONTROL METHOD ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Software (XON/XOFF) -> Long Click  
Hardware (DTR/DSR) -> Short Click

**\*\* SET DATA RECEPTION ERRORS OPTION ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Ignore Errors -> Long Click  
Print '?'\* -> Short Click

**\*\* SET RECEIVE BUFFER SIZE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

4K Bytes\* -> Long Click  
One Line -> Short Click

**\*\* SET USB INTERFACE TYPE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Vendor Specific class -> 1 Click  
Printer class -> 2 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**8.2.2 [Parallel] I/F card mount****\*\* SET RECEIVE BUFFER SIZE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

4K Bytes\* -> Long Click  
One Line -> Short Click

**\*\* SET PRINTER DRIVER TYPE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

OPOS driver -> 1 Click  
Windows driver -> 2 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button Down  
At least 1 second to validate

**8.3 Diagnostics Modes****\*\* SET DIAGNOSTICS MODE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

OFF, Normal Mode -> 1 Click  
Data Scope Mode -> 2 Clicks  
Receipt Test Mode -> 3 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

### Data Scope Mode (Enable or Disable)

Data scope mode helps troubleshoot communication problems and runs during a normal application (after being enabled through printer configuration). The data scope mode test prints a hexadecimal dump of all data sent to the printer: "1" prints as hexadecimal 31, "A" as hexadecimal 41 and so on.

Data Scope Mode is enabled and disabled using the configuration menu.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

#### To run Data Scope Mode:

1. After you have enabled Data Scope Mode through the configuration menu, exit the configuration menu.
2. Run a transaction from the host computer. All commands and data sent from the host computer will be printed as hexadecimal characters as shown in the illustration.

```
30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41      :      0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 @ A
41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52      :      A B C D E F G H I J K L
```

#### To exit Data Scope Mode:

1. Enter the configuration menu again. See *Configuring the Printer*.
2. Disable Data Scope Mode.
3. Exit the configuration menu. The printer is on-line and can communicate normally with the host computer.

### Receipt Test Mode (Enable or Disable)

Receipt Test Mode prints all the code pages. Receipt Test Mode is enabled and disabled using the configuration menu.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

#### To run Receipt Test Mode:

1. After you have enabled Receipt Test Mode through the configuration menu, exit the configuration menu.
2. Push the Paper Feed Button.
3. The receipt station will print code pages.
4. The test ends with a cut.
5. Go to step 2 again to repeat this test.

#### To exit Receipt Test Mode:

1. Enter the configuration menu again. See *Configuring the Printer*.
2. Disable Receipt Test Mode.
3. Exit the configuration menu. The printer is on-line and can communicate normally with the host computer.

## 8.4 Software Options (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

### Default Lines Per Inch

Set the lines per inch using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for Lines Per Inch.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the lines per inch you want.

#### \*\* SET DEFAULT LINES PER INCH ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

8.13 Lines per Inch -> 1 Click  
7.52 Lines per Inch\* -> 2 Clicks  
6 Lines per Inch -> 3 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**Note:** Press the Paper Feed Button for at least one second to validate the selection.

### Set Carriage Return Usage

Set the carriage return usage using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for Carriage Return Usage.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the carriage return usage you want.

#### \*\* SET CARRIAGE RETURN USAGE ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Ignore CR\* -> Long Click  
Use CR as Print Cmd\* -> Short Click

### Set Receipt Synchronization

Set the receipt synchronization using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for Receipt Synchronization.

This setting will select the timing of the returning the status for buffered status command.

When "Receipt synchronization" is enabled, printer returns the status for buffered status command after confirming the start of printing. When "Receipt synchronization" is disabled, printer returns the status for buffered status command immediately after decoding the status command.

The following commands are the buffered status command.

1B 75 0 Transmit Peripheral Device Status  
1B 76 Transmit Printer Status  
1D 49 n Transmit Printer ID  
1D 72 Transmit Status

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the receipt synchronization mode you want.

**\*\* SET RECEIPT SYNCHRONIZATION ?**

YES	-> Long Click
NO	-> Short Click
Enabled	-> Long Click
Disabled*	-> Short Click

**SET PDF417 MAX PRINT COLUMN**

This function makes it possible for the user to select the print columns for the PDF417 bar code printing. The selections are 9 or 14 columns. The end result is the height of the bar code printing. The default setting is 9 columns. (See "Configuring the Printer" for instructions on how to enter the Configuration Menu to change this setting.)

**\*\* SET PDF417 COLUMN PRINT ?**

YES	> Long Click
NO	> Short Click
9 Columns*	> 1 Click
14 Columns	> 2 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN at least 1 second to validate

## 8.5 Hardware Options

### Set Print Density

Set the print density using the configuration menu. Select Hardware Options in the Configuration Menu and answer the questions printed on the receipt.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the print density you want.

**\*\* SET PRINT DENSITY ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

100 %\* -> 1 Click  
110 % -> 2 Clicks  
120 % -> 3 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**Note:** Press the Paper Feed Button for at least one second to validate the selection.

### Set Maximum Power Option

Set the maximum power option using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for maximum power option.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

**\*\* SET MAX POWER OPTION ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

55W Power Supply\* -> Long Click  
75W Power Supply -> Short Click

### Set Paper Low sensor Option

Set the paper low sensor option using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for paper low sensor option.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

**\*\* SET PAPER LOW SENSOR OPTION ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Enable Paper Low Sensor\* -> Long Click  
Disable Paper Low Sensor -> Short Clicks

**Set Paper Width**

Set the paper width for Receipt unit option using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for paper width option.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the paper width option you want.

**\*\* SET PAPER WIDTH ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Paper Width = 80 mm\* -> 1 Click  
Paper Width = 58 mm -> 2 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**Note:** Press the Paper Feed Button for at least one second to validate the selection.

**Set Knife Option**

Set the Knife option using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for knife option.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

**\*\* SET KNIFE OPTION ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Enable Knife\* -> Long  
Disable Knife -> Short



## Set Color Paper Option

Set the color paper option using the configuration menu. Answer No to the questions printed on the receipt until you come to the instructions for color paper option.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

### \*\* SET COLOR PAPER OPTION ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Monochrome\* -> Long Click  
Color Paper -> Short Click

**Note:** Press the Paper Feed Button for at least one second to validate the selection.

## 8.6 Default Code Page (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

This selection is used to select the default code page.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the Default Code Page you want.

### \*\* SET CODE PAGE MENU?

Code Page 437\* -> 1 Click  
Code Page 850 -> 2 Clicks  
Code Page 852 -> 3 Clicks  
Code Page 857 -> 4 Clicks  
More -> 5 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

Code Page 858 -> 1 Click  
Code Page 860 -> 2 Clicks  
Code Page 863 -> 3 Clicks  
Code Page 865 -> 4 Clicks  
More -> 5 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

Code Page 866 -> 1 Click  
Code Page 1252 -> 2 Clicks

**Note:** Press the Paper Feed Button for at least one second to validate the selection.

## 8.7 Double Side Printing Settings

Set the double side printing settings using the configuration menu.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the double side printing settings you want.  
Defaults are marked with an asterisk (\*).

### Set Thermal Print Mode (This setting is 'TRST-A15' only.)

This setting allows the user to select double side printing mode.  
Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

#### \*\* SET THERMAL PRINT MODE ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Single Side\* -> 1 Click  
Double Side w/Single Cmd -> 2 Clicks  
Double Side w/Double Cmd -> 3 Clicks  
Double Side w/ Predfn Back -> 4 Clicks (Doesn't print at Windows driver)  
Enter code, then hold Button Down  
At least 1 second to validate

Note)

The setting of 'Double Side w/Predfn Back' is valid only for 'Vendor specific class' USBType.  
When it is set to 'Double Side w/Predfn Back' when USB Type is 'Vendor specific class', and USB Type is set to 'Printer class' afterwards, it is set to 'Single Side' by the automatic operation.

### Set Upside Down (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

This setting allows the user to select upside-down character printing for each side in double side printing.  
Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

#### \*\* SET UPSIDE DOWN ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

F:Normal, B:Normal\* -> 1 Click  
F:Up Down, B:Normal -> 2 Clicks  
F:Normal, B:Up Down -> 3 Clicks  
F:Up Down, B:Up Down -> 4 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**Set Swap Front & Back Side** (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

This setting allows the user to exchange front side data and back side data.  
Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

**\*\* SET SWAP FRONT&BACK SIDE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Disable\* -> 1 Click  
Enable -> 2 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**Set Top/Bottom Message** (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

This setting allows the user select whether Top/Bottom messages are disable or enable.  
Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

**\*\* SET TOP/BOTTOM MSG ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Top:Disable,Btm:Disable\* -> 1 Click  
Top:Disable,Btm:Enable -> 2 Clicks  
Top:Enable, Btm:Disable -> 3 Clicks  
Top:Enable, Btm:Enable -> 4 Clicks  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

**Set Reprint Message** (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

This setting allows the user to select whether Reprint message is disabled or enabled. The printer allows for predefining of a message on the front side of the receipt. The printing of the lines are enabled as shown in the chart below.

Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

**\*\* SET REPRINT MSG?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Disable\* -> 1 Click  
Enable -> 2 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

### Set Minimum Receipt Length

This setting allows the user selects minimum receipt length.  
Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

#### **\*\* SET MIN RECEIPT LENGTH ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Disable\* -> 1 Click  
5 inch -> 2 Clicks  
10 inch -> 3 Clicks  
15 inch -> 4 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

### Set Reprint Error Page (The set content is invalid at Windows driver.)

This setting allows the user selects to execute reprint error page data.  
Press the Paper Feed Button for the option you want.

#### **\*\* SET REPRINT ERROR PAGE ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

Resume Print from Error\* -> 1 Click  
Reprint Error Page -> 2 Clicks

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

## 8.8 EEPROM to Default Settings

This selection resets the configuration to the Default Settings.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid inadvertently changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

#### **\*\* RESET EEPROM TO DEFAULT VALUES ?**

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

## 9 MFG Adjustment

If you need to change settings for mechanical, or perform the printer test, use the scrolling menu feature. This feature prints instructions on the receipt for selecting and changing any of the functions and parameters.

**Caution:** Be extremely careful changing any of the printer settings to avoid changing other settings that might affect the performance of the printer.

### **MFG Adjustment:**

1. Set DIP switch 1 to ON, DIP switch 2 to ON.
2. Press and hold paper feed button, press the reset button. The printer will print the current configuration, then cuts the papers to print the MFG Adjustment Menu.
3. If you don't press and hold the feed button, the printer will go to Online Mode directly.

This configuration menu allows you to set mechanical adjustment parameters and select printer test. Sub-menus are entered and selections are made using the Paper Feed Button.

- short Click : Feed Button is quickly depressed then released
- long Click : Feed Button is held down more than 1 second then released

===== Mfg Adjustment Menu =====

Select a sub-menu:

- |                               |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| - EXIT                        | -> 1 Click  |
| - Rolling ASCII Print Test    | -> 2 Clicks |
| - H Print Test                | -> 3 Clicks |
| - Duty Check Print Test       | -> 4 Clicks |
| - Print Current Setting       | -> 5 Clicks |
| - Reset all EEPROM to Default | -> 6 Clicks |

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
at least 1 second to validate

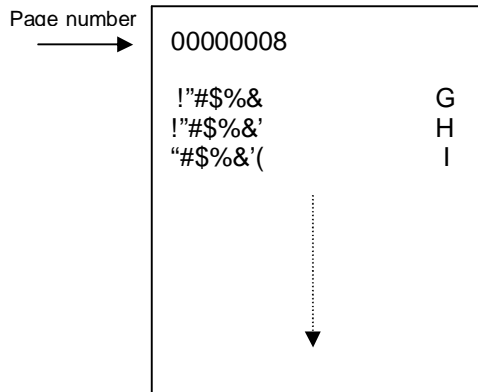
## 9.1 Rolling ASCII print test

This option let you run rolling ASCII printing test. The printer prints the resident character set in standard pitch continuously. When Rolling ASCII print (Rcpt) is selected, printer prints the following menu. After selection of the printing side, test print will start.

### \*\* SELECT PRINTING SIDE?

Front Side Only           -> 1 Click  
Back Side Only            -> 2 Click  
Double Side               -> 3 Click  
Enter code, then hold Button DOWN  
At least 1 second to validate

Press the Paper Feed Button to start or stop the test.



## 9.2 H print test

This option let you run H printing test. The printer prints the 'H' character in standard pitch continuously. When H Pirnt Test(Rcpt) is selected, printer prints the following menu. After selection of the printing side, test print will start.

**\*\* SELECT PRINTING SIDE?**

Front Side Only -> 1 Click

Back Side Only -> 2 Click

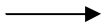
Double Side -> 3 Click

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN

At least 1 second to validate

Press the Paper Feed Button to start or stop the test.

Page number



00000008

HHHHH.....H

HHHHH.....H

HHHHH.....H



### 9.3 Duty check print test

This option let you run duty check printing test. The printer prints the 12.5%, 25%, 50% and 100% duty original pattern. When Duty Check Print(Rcpt) is selected, printer prints the following menu. After selection of the printing side, test print will start.

**\*\* SELECT PRINTING SIDE?**

Front Side Only -> 1 Click

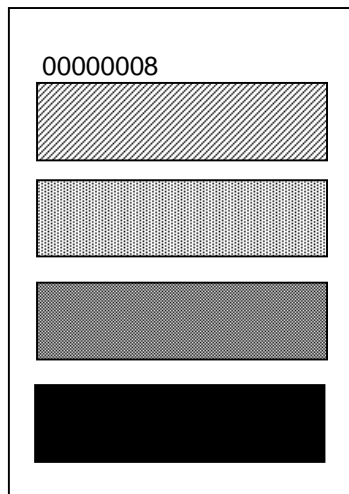
Back Side Only -> 2 Click

Double Side -> 3 Click

Enter code, then hold Button DOWN

At least 1 second to validate

Press the Paper Feed Button to start or stop the test.





## 9.4 Print current setting

This option let you print current setting on receipt.

Press the Paper Feed Button to start the test.

### \*\*\* *Current Setting Form* \*\*\*

Model number : TRST-A10 or TRST-A15  
Serial number : 1234567890

Boot Firmware  
Version : V11.00  
Revision : 12  
CRC : D3CE

Flash Firmware  
Version : V35.00  
Revision : 12  
CRC : AC12

SBCS  
Version : V01.00  
Revision : 12

## 9.5 EEPROM to Default Settings

This selection resets the configuration to the Default Settings. It will reset the entire EEPROM values to default setting.

### \*\* RESET EEPROM TO DEFAULT VALUES ?

YES -> Long Click  
NO -> Short Click

## 10 Runtime (Level 2) Diagnostics

Runtime diagnostics run during normal printer operation. When the following conditions occur, the printer automatically turns off the appropriate motors and disables printing to prevent damage:

- q Paper out
- q Cover open
- q Knife unable to home
- q Print-head too hot
- q Power supply voltage out of range

The Paper Status LED signals when these conditions occur as well as indicates what state or mode the printer is in.

Status	LED Behavior
Power Off	Off
Firmware Download	Very Fast Blink
Level 0 Diagnostics	Fast Blink
Paper Low	Slow Blink
Temperature Error	Fast Blink
Voltage Error	Fast Blink
Paper Out	Fast Blink
Knife Jam	Fast Blink, then Slow Blink
Cover Open	Fast Blink
All other states	On

## 11 Remote (Level 3) Diagnostics

Remote diagnostics keeps track of the following tallies and prints them on the receipt during the print test. See the sample test printout in “Configuring the Printer” in this document. These tallies can be used for quality control and to determine the printer’s state of health, allowing for preventative maintenance or workload balancing to be done before a printer has problems.

- q Serial number
- q Model number
- q CRC number
- q Number of lines printed
- q Number of cuts
- q Number of hours the printer has been on
- q Number of flash cycles
- q Maximum temperature reached
- q Number of cutter jams
- q Number of times the door is open

## 12 Where to save the setting of Double side mode and Serial Number, Model Name

Parameter	Size	Where	Remark
Thermal Printing Mode	2 bits	EEPROM	
Upside Down Mode	2 bits	EEPROM	
Swap Front & Back	1 bit	EEPROM	
Bottom and Top Message	2 bits	EEPROM	
Reprint when Error Occur	1 bit	EEPROM	
Minimum Receipt Length	1 bytes	EEPROM	
Pre-defined Top and Bottom message	1024 bytes	Flash ROM	
Pre-defined back side printing	4096 bytes	Flash ROM	
Macro	50 Kbytes	Flash ROM	50 Kbytes is shared by 25 Macros
<b>Serial Number</b>	<b>10 bytes</b>	<b>Flash ROM</b>	<b>Change from EEPROM to Flash</b>
<b>Model Name</b>	<b>15 bytes</b>	<b>Flash ROM</b>	<b>Change from EEPROM to Flash</b>

## 13 Command Comparison list

No	Command sequence	Function	Remarks	TRST-A10	TRST-A15	ESC/POS	TM88 (not latest model)	
<b>1 Printer Function Commands</b>								
1	ESC i	1BH 69H	Perform Full Knife Cut	Y	Y	Y		Eliminate 19H
2	ESC m	1BH 6DH	Perform Partial Knife Cut	Y	Y	Y		Eliminate 1AH
3	ESC BEL	1BH 07H	Generate Tone	Y	Y	N		
4	ESC <	1BH 3CH	Return Home	N	N	Y		Slip function
5	ESC =	1BH 3DH	Select Peripheral Device (for Multi-drop)	N	N	Y	Y	
6	ESC @	1BH 40H	Initialize Printer	Y	Y	Y	Y	
7	ESC C	1BH 43H	Set Slip Paper Eject Length	N	N	Y		Slip function
8	ESC c 0	1BH 63H 30H	Select Receipt or Slip for Printing; Slip for MICR Read	N	N	Y		Slip function
9	ESC c 1	1BH 63H 31H	Select Receipt or Slip for Setting Line Spacing	N	N	Y		Slip function
10	ESC c 3	1BH 63H 33H	Select Paper Sensors to Output Paper End Signals (Parallel only)	Y	Y	Y	Y	
11	ESC c 4	1BH 63H 34H	Select Sensors to Stop Printing	Y	Y	Y	Y	
12	ESC c 5	1BH 63H 35H	Enable or Disable Panel Buttons	Y	Y	Y	Y	
13	ESC f	1BH 66H	Set Slip Paper Waiting Time	N	N	Y		Slip function
14	ESC p	1BH 70H	Generate Pulse to Open Cash Drawer	Y	Y	Y	Y	
15	GS V	1DH 56H	Select cut mode and cut paper	Y	Y	Y	Y	
16	US t	1FH 74H	Print Test Form	Y	Y	N		TSE unique
<b>Vertical Positioning and Print Commands</b>								
17	LF	0AH	Print and Feed Paper One Line	Y	Y	Y	Y	
18	FF	0CH	Print and Eject Slip	N	N	Y		Slip function
19	CR	0DH	Print and Carriage Return	Y	Y	Y	Y	
20	ESC 2	1BH 32H	Set Line Spacing to 1/6 Inch	Y	Y	Y	Y	
21	ESC 3	1BH 33H	Set Line Spacing	Y	Y	Y	Y	
22	ESC J	1BH 4AH	Print and Feed Paper	Y	Y	Y	Y	
23	ESC K	1BH 4BH	Print and Reverse Feed Paper	N	N	Y	N	
24	ESC d	1BH 64H	Print and Feed n Lines	Y	Y	Y	Y	
25	ESC e	1BH 65H	Print and Reverse Feed n Lines	N	N	Y	N	

26	GS P	1DH 50H	Set Horizontal and Vertical Minimum Motion Units	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Horizontal Positioning Commands								
27	HT	09H	Horizontal Tab	Y	Y	Y	Y	
28	ESC DC4	1BH 14H	Set Column	Y	Y	N		
29	ESC \$	1BH 24H	Set Absolute Starting Position	Y	Y	Y	Y	
30	ESC D	1BH 44H	Set Horizontal Tabs	Y	Y	Y	Y	
31	ESC \	1BH 5CH	Set Relative Print Position	Y	Y	Y	Y	
32	ESC a	1BH 61H	Select Justification	Y	Y	Y	Y	
33	GS L	1DH 4CH	Set Left Margin	Y	Y	Y	Y	
34	GS W	1DH 57H	Set Printing Area Width	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Print Characteristic Commands								
35	ESC SP	1BH 20H	Set Character Right-Side Spacing	Y	Y	Y	Y	
36	ESC !	1BH 21H	Select Print Modes	Y	Y	Y	Y	
37	ESC %	1BH 25H	Select or Cancel User-Defined Character Set	Y	Y	Y	Y	
38	ESC &	1BH 26H	Define User-Defined Characters	Y	Y	Y	Y	
39	ESC -	1BH 2DH	Select or Cancel Underline Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
40	ESC ?	1BH 3FH	Cancel User-Defined Characters	Y	Y	Y	Y	
41	ESC E	1BH 45H	Select or Cancel Emphasized Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
42	ESC G	1BH 47H	Select Double Strike	Y	Y	Y	Y	
43	ESC M n	1B 4D n	Select character font	Y	Y	Y		
44	ESC R	1BH 52H	Select International Character Set	Y	Y	Y	Y	
45	ESC U	1BH 55H	Select or Cancel Unidirectional Printing Mode	N	N	Y		Slip function
46	ESC V	1BH 56H	Select or Cancel 90 Degrees Clockwise Rotated Print	Y	Y	Y	Y	
47	ESC r	1BH 72H	Select Print Color	Y	Y	Y		
48	ESC t	1BH 74H	Select Character Code Table	Y	Y	Y	Y	
49	ESC {	1BH 7BH	Select or Cancel Upside Down Printing Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
50	GS !	1DH 21H	Select Character Size	Y	Y	Y	Y	
51	GS B	1DH 42H	Select or Cancel White/Black Reverse Printing Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
52	GS b	1DH 62H	Select or Cancel Smoothing Mode	N	N	Y	Y	Smoothing
Graphics Commands								
53	DC1	11H	Print Raster Graphics	Y	Y	Y		
54	ESC *	1BH 2AH	Select Bit Image Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
55	GS *	1DH 2AH	Define Downloaded Bit Image	Y	Y	Y	Y	

56	GS /	1DH 2FH	Print Downloaded Bit Image	Y	Y	Y	Y	
57	ESC ,	1BH 2CH	Print Downloaded Bit Image	Y	Y	Y	Y	
58	US + „BMP“ file	1FH + „BMP“	Download BMP Logo	Y	Y	Y	Y	
59	US 0,	1FH 30H	Set Current Logo (Downloaded Bit Image)	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Status Commands (Batch Mode)								
60	ESC u n	1BH 75H n	Transmit Peripheral Device Status	Y	Y	Y		
61	ESC v	1BH 76H	Transmit Printer Status	Y	Y	Y		
62	GS l	1DH 49H	Transmit Printer ID	Y	Y	Y	Y	
63	GS r	1DH 72H	Transmit status	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Status Commands (Real Time)								
64	<b>GS a n</b>		<b>Enable/disable Automatic Status Back (ASB)</b>	N	N	<b>Y</b>	Y	ASB: Patent
65	ESC n	1BH 6EH	Real Time Status Transmission	Y	Y	Y	Y	
66	ESC o	1BH 6FH	Real Time Request to Printer	Y	Y	Y	Y	
67	ESC h	1BH 68H	Real Time Printer Status Transmission	Y	Y	Y		
Barcode Commands								
68	GS H	1DH 48H	Select Printing Position for HRI Characters	Y	Y	Y	Y	
69	GS f	1DH 66H	Select Pitch for HRI Characters	Y	Y	Y	Y	
70	GS h	1DH 68H	Set Bar Code Height	Y	Y	Y	Y	
71	GS k	1DH 6BH	Print Bar Code	Y	Y	Y	Y	
72	GS w	1DH 77H	Set Bar Code Width	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Page Mode Commands								
73	FF	0CH	Print and Return to Standard Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
74	CAN	18H	Cancel Print Data in Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
75	ESC FF	1BH 0CH	Print Data in Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
76	ESC L	1BH 4CH	Select Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
77	ESC S	1BH 53H	Select Standard Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
78	ESC T	1BH 54H	Select Print Direction in Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
79	ESC W	1BH 57H	Set Printing Area in Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
80	GS \$	1DH 24H	Set Absolute Vertical Print Position in Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
81	GS \	1DH 5CH	Set Relative Vertical Print Position in Page Mode	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Macro Commands								
82	GS :	1DH 3AH	Start or End Macro Definition	Y	Y	Y	Y	
83	GS ^	1DH 5EH	Execute Macro	Y	Y	Y	Y	
User Data Storage Commands								

84	US 1	1FH 31H	Read from Non-Volatile Memory (NVRAM)	Y	Y	Y	
85	US 2	1FH 32H	Write to Non-Volatile Memory (NVRAM)	Y	Y	Y	
86	US 3	1FH 33H	Select Memory Type (SRAM/Flash)	Y	Y	Y	
87	US 4	1FH 34H	Flash Allocation	Y	Y	Y	
88	US 5	1FH 35H	Erase User Flash Sector	Y	Y	Y	
89	US 6	1FH 36H	Printer Setting Change	Y	Y	Y	
MICR command (ESC/POS)							
90	FS a 0 n		Read check paper	N	N	Y	Slip function
91	FS a 1		Load check paper to print starting position	N	N	Y	Slip function
92	FS a 2		Eject check paper	N	N	Y	Slip function
93	FS b		Request retransmission of check paper reading result	N	N	Y	Slip function
94	FS c		MICR mechanism cleaning	N	N	Y	Slip function
95	DLE EOT BS n		Real-time MICR status transmission	N	N	Y	Slip function
96 Flash Download Commands (Not ESC/POS)							
97	ESC [ ]	1BH 5BH 7DH	Switch Flash Download Mode	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
98	GS NULL	1DH 00H	Request Printer ID	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
99	GS SOH	1DH 01H	Return Segment Number Status of Flash Memory	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
100	GS STX	1DH 02H	Select Flash Memory Sector to Download	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
101	GS ACK	1DH 06H	Get Firmware CRC	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
102	GS BEL	1DH 07H	Return Microprocessor CRC	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
103	GS SO	1DH 0EH	Erase the Flash Memory	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
104	GS SI	1DH 0FH	Return Main Program Flash CRC	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
105	GS DLE	1DH 10H	Erase Selected Flash Sector	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
106	GS DC1	1DH 11H	Download to Active Flash Sector	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
107	GS SP	1DH FFH	Reboot the Printer	Y	Y	N	TSE unique
Double side printing command (Not ESC/POS)							
108	US '	1FH 60H	Select Thermal Printing Modes	N	Y	N	
109	US a	1FH 61H	Select Thermal Printing Side	N	Y	N	
110	US b	1FH 62H	Start Double Sided Printing	N	Y	N	
111	US c	1FH 63H	Select or Cancel Upside Down Printing for Double Sided Printing	N	Y	N	
112	US d	1FH 64H	Swap Front Side and Back Side	N	Y	N	
113	US e	1FH 65H	Download 1-Line Top/Bottom Message into ROM	N	Y	N	
114	US f	1FH 66H	Enable Pre-Defined Top/ Bottom Message	N	Y	N	

115	US g	1FH 67H	Select nth Macro	N	Y	N		
116	US h	1FH 68H	Start/End Pre-Defined Back Side Printing	N	Y	N		
117	US i	1FH 69H	Define Minimum Receipt Length	N	Y	N		
ESC/POS other commands								
118	GS FF		Print and eject label	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
119	GS M		Turn condensed mode on/off	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
120	ESC F		Set/cancel cut sheet reverse eject	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
121	ESC o		Stamp	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
122	ESC q		Paper release	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
123	FS &		Select Kanji character mode	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
124	FS .		Cancel Kanji character mode	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
125	FS C		Select Kanji character code system	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
126	FS L		Select double-density page mode	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
127	GS <		Initialize printer mechanism	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
128	GS A		Ajdst label printing starting position	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
129	GS C 0		Select counter print mode	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
130	GS C 1		Select count mode (A)	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
131	GS C 2		Select counter	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
132	GS C		Select count mode (B)	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
133	GS E n		Select head control method	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
134	GS c		Print counter	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
135	GS z		Set on-line recovery wait time	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
136	ESC L		Select page mode	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
137	GS v		Print Raster bit image	N	N	Y	N	TM88 does not support
TRST-56 other command								
138	FS g 3		Writing data into the download user NV memory	N	N	N	N	
139	FS g 4		Reading data into the download user NV memory	N	N	N	N	
140	FS p		Printing the download NV bit image	N	N	N	N	
141	FS q		Defining the download NV bit image	N	N	N	N	
142	DLE DC4		Outputting specified pulse in real-time	N	N	N	N	
143	ESC =		Data input control	N	N	N	N	
144	GS ( A		Execution of test printing	N	N	N	N	