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Document Conventions

Convention	Description
[expression list]	Items inside square brackets are optional, expression maximum length 2*1024 bytes;
<ESC>	ESCAPE (ASCII 27), control code of status polling command returns the printer status immediately.
~	(ASCII 126), control code of status polling command, returns the printer the printer status only when the printer is ready.
Space	(ASCII 32) characters will be ignored in the command line.
"	(ASCII 34), beginning and ending of expression
CR, LF	(ASCII 13), (ASCII 10) denotes end of command line
NULL	(ASCII 0) supported in the expression, except the 2D bar code commands

Note:

203 DPI: 1mm=8 dots

300 DPI: 1mm=12dots

Appropriate Model

SERIES		HT
MODEL		HT300
		HT330
		XTU302
		XTU303
		HT300R
		HT100
		HT130
		XT100
		XT130

Setup and System Commands

SIZE

Description

This command defines the label width and length.

Syntax

English system(inch)

SIZE m,n

Metric system(mm)

SIZE m mm, n mm

Dot measurement

SIZE m dot, n dot

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
m	Label width inch or mm)
n	Label length inch or mm)

Note:

203DPI: 1mm=8dots

300DPI: 1mm=12dots

For metric and dot systems, there must be a space between parameter and “mm” or “dot”.

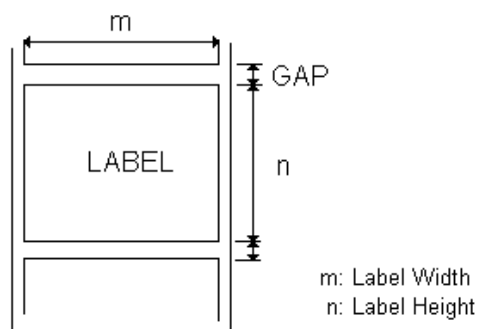
Example

(1) English system(inch)

SIZE 1.5, 2.2

(2) Metric system(mm)

SIZE38.1, 55.88



GAP

Description

This command sets the distance between two labels.

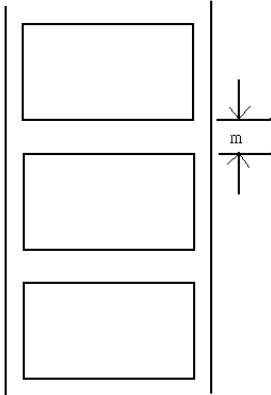
Syntax

English system(inch)
GAP m, n
Metric system(mm)
GAP m mm, n mm

Parameter	Description
m	The gap distance between two labels
n	The offset distance of the gap $n \leq$ label length (inch or mm)
0,0	Continuous label

Note: For metric system, there must be a space between parameter and “mm”.

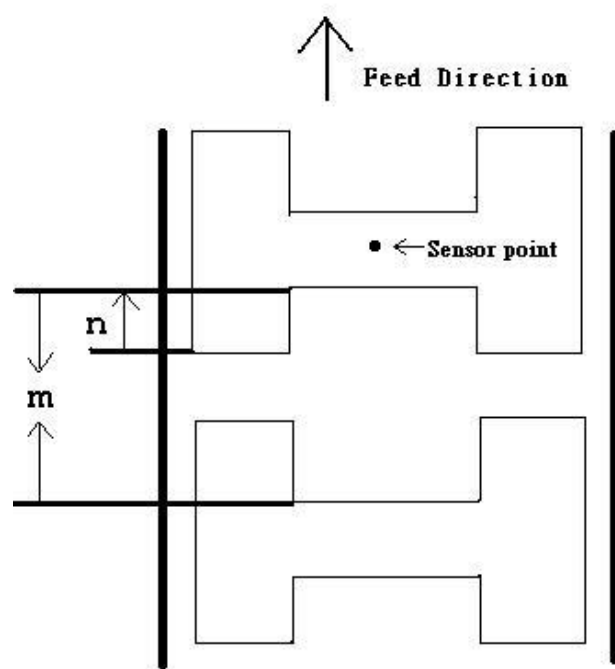
Example

Sample Code	Result
<p><u>Normal gap</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">English system (inch): GAP 0.12,0Metric system (mm): GAP 3 mm,0 mmContinuous label: GAP 0,0	<p><u>Normal gap</u></p> 

Special gap

- English system (inch)
GAP 0.30,0.10
- Metric system (mm)
GAP 7.62 mm,2.54 mm

Special gap



GAPDETECT

Description

This command feeds the paper through the gap sensor in an effort to determine the paper and gap sizes, respectively. This command references the user's approximate measurements. If the measurements conflict with the actual size, the GAPDETECT command will not work properly. This calibration method can be applied to the labels with pre-printed logos or texts.

Syntax

GAPDETECT [x,y]

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
x	Paper length (in dots)
y	Gap length (in dots)

Note: If the x, y parameters are ignored then the printer will calibrate and determine the paper length and gap size automatically.

See Also

GAP, SIZE

BLINE

Description

This command sets the height of black line and user-defined feeding position after print.

Syntax

English system (inch)

BLINE m ,n

Metric system (mm)

BLINE m mm, n mm

Parameter

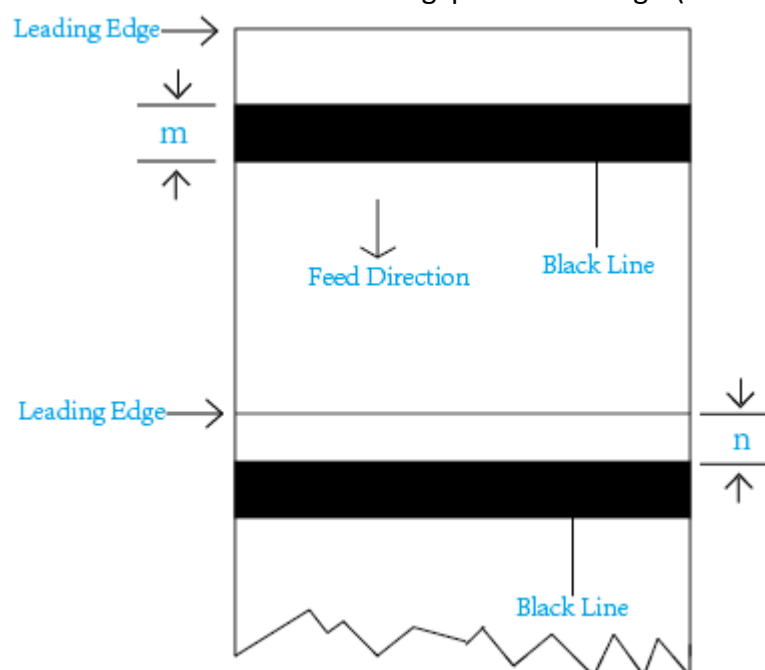
m

Description

The height of black line either in inch or mm

n

The offset distance of the gap $n \leq \text{label length}(\text{inch or mm})$



Note:

For metric system, there must be a space between parameter and "mm". When the sensor type is changed from "GAP" to "Black Mark", please send the "BLINE" command to the printer first.

Example

Sample Code

- English system (inch):
BLINE 0.20,0.50
- Metric system (mm):
BLINE 5.08 mm,12.7 mm

OFFSET

Description

This command defines the selective, extra label feeding length each form feed takes, which, especially in peel-off mode and cutter mode, is used to adjust label stop position, so as for label to register at proper places for the intended purposes. The printer back tracks the extra feeding length before the next run of printing.

Syntax

English system (inch)

OFFSET m

Metric system (mm)

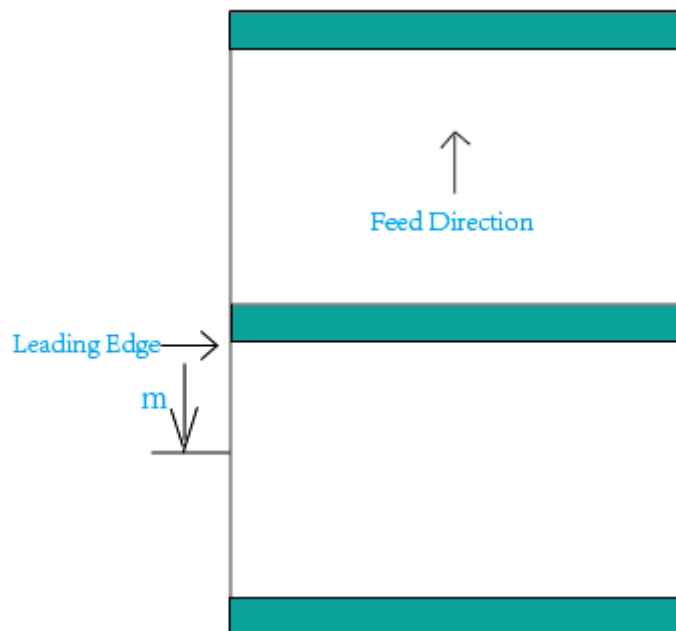
OFFSET m mm

Parameter

m

Description

The offset distance (inch or mm), $-1 \leq m \leq 1$ (inch)



Note: Improperly offset value may cause paper jam.

Example

Sample Code

- English system (inch):

OFFSET 0.5

- Metric system (mm):

OFFSET 12.7 mm

SPEED

Description

This command defines the print speed.

Syntax

SPEED n

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	printing speed in inch per second

Example

Sample code

```
SPEED 4
```

DENSITY

Description

This command sets the printing darkness.

Syntax

DENSITY n

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	0~15 0: specifies the highest level 15: specifies the darkest level

Note:Default DENSITY setting is 8.

Example

Sample code

```
DENSITY 8
```

DIRECTION AND MIRROR IMAGE

Description

This command defines the printout direction and mirror image. This will be stored in the printer memory.

Syntax

DIRECTION n[,m]

Parameter

n

m

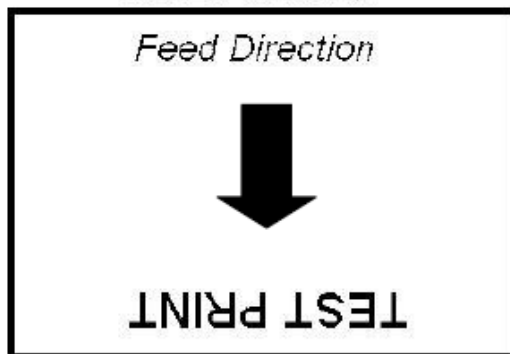
Description

0 or 1. Please refer to the illustrations below:

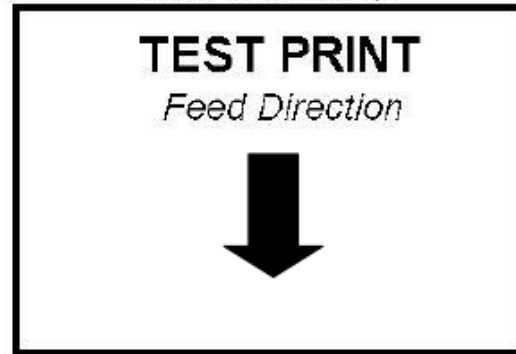
0:Print normal image

1:Print mirror image

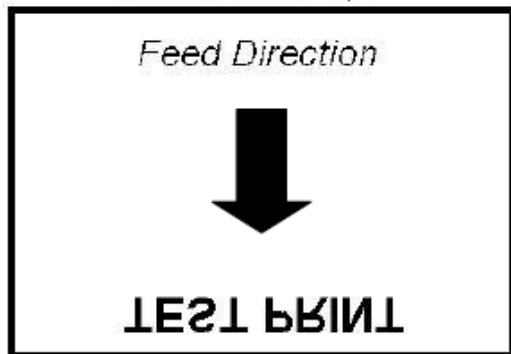
DIRECTION 0,0



DIRECTION 1,0



DIRECTION 0,1



DIRECTION 1,1



Example

Sample code

- DIRECTION 0
- DIRECTION 0,1

REFERENCE

Description

This command defines the reference point of the label. The reference(origin) point varies with the print direction, as shown:

Syntax

REFERENCE x, y

Parameter

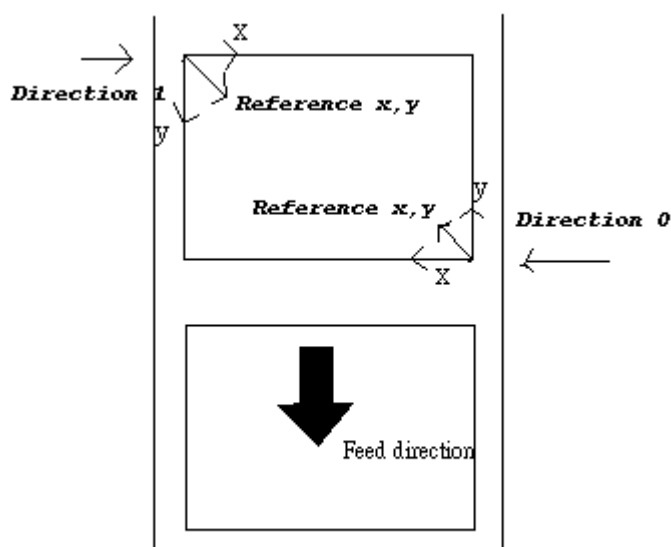
x

y

Description

Horizontal coordinate (in dots)

Vertical coordinate (in dots)



Note:

203DPI: 1mm=8dots

300DPI: 1mm=12dots

Example

Sample code

```
REFERENCE 10,10
```

SHIFT

Description

This command moves the label’s vertical position. A positive value moves the label further from the printing direction; a negative value moves the label towards the printing direction.

Syntax

SHIFT n

Parameter	Description
n	The value of n is: -90 ≤ n ≤ 90

Example

Sample Code

```
SIZE 4,2.5
GAP 2 mm,0
DIRECTION 0
SHIFT 36
OFFSET 0
CLS
TEXT 400,200,"1",0,1,1,"DIRECTION 0"
TEXT 400,250,"1",0,1,1,"SHIFT 36"
BOX 10,0,780,490,8
PRINT 3,1
```

Result

The diagram illustrates the result of the sample code. It shows a 3x2 grid of labels. The first column contains labels for 'DIRECTION 0' and 'SHIFT 0'. The second column contains labels for 'DIRECTION 0' and 'SHIFT 36'. The third column contains labels for 'DIRECTION 0' and 'SHIFT -36'. A red arrow on the right points downwards, labeled 'Printing Direction'.

CODEPAGE

Description

This command defines the code page of international character set.

Syntax

CODEPAGE n

Note: *DATA LENGTH determines 7-bit or 8-bit communications parameter.*

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	Name or number of code page, which can be divided into 7-bit code page and 8-bit code page. <u>7-bit code page name</u> USA:USA BRI:British GER:German FRE:French DAN:Danish ITA:Italian SPA:Spanish SWE:Swedish SWI: Swiss <u>8-bit code page number</u> 437:United States 850:Multilingual 852:Slavic 860:Portuguese 863:Canadian/French 865:Nordic 857:Turkish <u>Windows code page</u> 1250:Central Europe 1252:Latin I 1253:Greek 1254:Trukish

CLS

Description

This command clears the image buffer.

Syntax

CLS

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
None	N/A

Note: This command must be placed after SIZE command.

Example

Sample code

CLS

FEED

Description

This command feeds label with the specified length. The length is specified by dot.

Syntax

FEED n

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	Unit: dot $1 \leq n \leq 9999$

Example

FEED 80(=10mm)

BACKFEED

Description

This command feeds the label in reverse. The length is specified by dot.

Syntax

BACKFEED n

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	Unit: dot $1 \leq n \leq 9999$

Note: Improperly back feed value may cause paper jam or wrinkle.

Example

Sample code

BACKFEED 40

FORMFEED

Description

This command feeds the label to the beginning of next label.

Syntax

FORMFEED

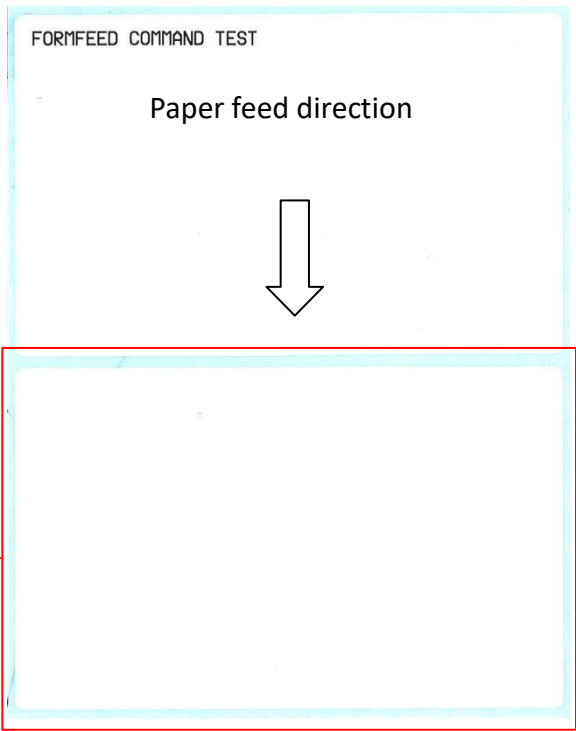
Parameter

None

Description

N/A

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre> SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 2 mm,0 DIRECTION 1 FORMFEED CLS TEXT 25,25,"1",0,1,1,"FORMFEED COMMAND TEST" PRINT 1,1 </pre>	

HOME

Description

This command will feed label until the internal sensor has determined the origin. Size and gap of the label should be defined before using this command.

Syntax

HOME

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
None	N/A

Example

Sample code

```
SIZE 4,2.5
GAP 2 mm,0
SET COUNTER @0 +1
@0="000001"
HOME
CLS
BOX 1,1,360,65,12
TEXT 25,25,"1",0,1,1,"HOME COMMAND TEST"
TEXT 25,80,"1",0,1,1,@0
PRINT 3,1
```

CUT

Description

This command activates the cutter to immediately cut the labels without back feeding the label.

Syntax

CUT

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
None	N/A

Example

Sample code

```
SIZE 3,3
GAP 0,0
CLS
BOX 0,0,866,866,5
TEXT 100,100,"5",0,1,1,"FEED & CUT"
TEXT 100,200,"5",0,1,1,"300 DPI"
PRINT 1,1
FEED 260
CUT
```

PRINT

Description

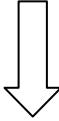
This command prints the label format currently stored in the image buffer.

Syntax

PRINT m [,n]

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
m	Specifies how many sets of labels will be printed. $1 \leq m \leq 999999999$ If m=1, printer will print the last label content for n copies.
n	Specifies how many copies should be printed for each particular label set. $1 \leq n \leq 999999999$

Example

Sample code	Result
<p>SIZE 50 mm,25 mm GAP 3 mm,0 DIRECTION 1 SET COUNTER @1 1 @1="0001" CLS TEXT 10,10,"1",0,1,1,@1 PRINT 3,2</p>	<div><div><div>0003</div><div>0003</div><div>0002</div><div>0002</div><div>0001</div><div>0001</div></div><div><div>1 set, 2 copies</div><div>Paper feed direction</div><div></div></div></div>

SELFTEST

Description

At this command, the printer will print out the printer information.

Syntax

SELFTEST

Example



BOLD

Description

This command is used to set the function of bold font.

Syntax

BOLD n

Parameter	Description
n 0:	Cancel font Bold (default)
1:	Turn on Font bold

Example

Sample code

```
SIZE 75mm,45mm
```

```
CLS
```

```
BOLD 0
```

```
TEXT 200,100,"0",0,1,1,"Font"
```

```
BOLD 1
```

```
TEXT 200,150,"0",0,1,1,"Font Bold"
```

```
PRINT 1,1
```

NOTE:

G42S: after 1.0.13 version support font bold.

HD80: after 1.0.18 version support font bold.

N41: after 1.03.03 version support font bold.

LPG4: after 1.01.31 version support font bold.

WATERMARK

Description

This command is used to set the font watermark function.

Syntax

WATERMARK n

Parameter	Description
n	The value of n is: $0 \leq n \leq 11$

Example

Sample code

```
SIZE 75mm,45mm
```

```
CLS
```

```
WATERMARK 0
```

```
TEXT 100,40,"0",0,1,1,"Water mark 0"
```

```
WATERMARK 1
```

```
TEXT 100,80,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 1"
```

```
WATERMARK 2
```

```
TEXT 100,120,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 2"
```

```
WATERMARK 3
```

```
TEXT 100,160,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 3"
```

```
WATERMARK 4
```

```
TEXT 100,200,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 4"
```

```
WATERMARK 5
```

```
TEXT 100,240,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 5"
```

```
WATERMARK 6
```

```
TEXT 100,280,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 6"
```

```
WATERMARK 7
```

```
TEXT 350,40,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 7"
```

```
WATERMARK 8
```

```
TEXT 350,80,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 8"
```

```
WATERMARK 9
```

```
TEXT 350,120,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 9"
```

```
WATERMARK 10
```

```
TEXT 350,160,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 10"
```

```
WATERMARK 11
```

```
TEXT 350,200,"0",0,1,1," Water mark 11"
```

```
PRINT 1,1
```

NOTE:

G42S: after 1.0.13 version support font watermark.

HD80: after 1.0.18 version support font watermark.

N41: after 1.03.03 version support font watermark.

LPG4: after 1.01.31 version support font watermark.

Label Formatting Commands

BAR

Description

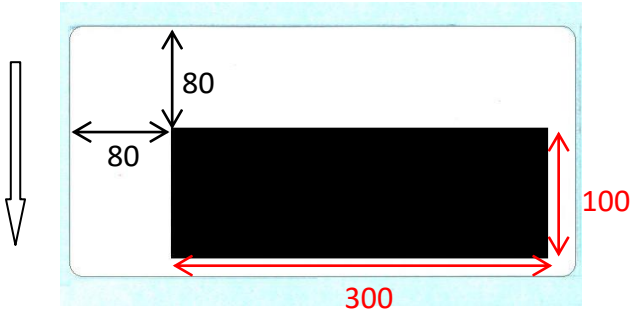
This command draws a bar on the label format.

Syntax

BAR x, y, width, height

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
x	The upper left corner x-coordinate (in dots)
y	The upper left corner y-coordinate (in dots)
width	Bar width (in dots)
height	Bar height (in dots)

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>SIZE 50 mm,25 mm GAP 3 mm,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS BAR 80,80,300,100 PRINT 1,1</pre>	

BARCODE

Description

This command prints 1D barcodes. The available bar codes are listed below:

Code 128 (switching code subset automatically)
 Code 128M (switching code subset manually)
 Code 39
 Code 93
 EAN 128 (EAN128, switching code subset automatically.)
 25 (Interleaved 2 of 5.)
 25C (Interleaved 2 of 5 with check digit.)
 39C (Code 39 with check digit.)
 EAN8+5 (EAN 8 with 5 digits add-on.)
 EAN8+2 (EAN 8 with 2 digits add-on.)
 EAN13+5 (EAN 13 with 5 digits add-on.)
 CODA (Codabar.)
 EAN 13
 EAN 8
 UPC-A
 UPC-E

Syntax

BARCODE X,Y, “code type”, height, human readable, rotation, narrow, wide, “code”



<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X	Specifies the x-coordinate of the bar code on the label
Y	Specifies the y-coordinate of the bar code on the label
128	Code 128, switching code subset A, B, C automatically.
128M	Code 128, switching code subset A, B, C manually.
Code 39	Code 39 full ASCII for TSPL2 printers Code 39 standard for TSPL printers Auto switch full ASCII and standard code 39 for PLUS models Note: Please refer to printer model list for detail.
Code 93	Code 93
EAN 128	Code 128, switching code subset A, B, C automatically
25	Interleaved 2 of 5
25C	Interleaved 2 of 5 with check digits
39C	Code 39 full ASCII with check digit for TSPL2 printers Code 39 standard with check digit for TSPL printers Auto switch full ASCII and standard code 39 for PLUS models Note: Please refer to printer model list for detail.

EAN8+5	EAN 8 with 5 digits add-on
EAN8+2	EAN 8 with 2 digits add-on
EAN13+5	EAN 13 with 5 digits add-on
CODA	Codabar
EAN 13	EAN 13
EAN 8	EAN 8
UPC-A	UPC-A
UPC-E	UPC-E
height	Bar code height (in dots)
human readable	0:Not readable 1: Human readable 2: human readable aligns to center 3: human readable aligns to right
rotation	0: No rotation 90: Rotate 90 degrees clockwise 180: Rotate 180 degrees clockwise 270: Rotate 270 degrees clockwise
narrow	Width of narrow element (in dots)
wide	Width of wide element (in dots)

Character set for CODE 128

Value	128A	128B	128C	Value	128A	128B	128C	Value	128A	128B	128C
0	space	space	00	36	D	D	36	72	BS	h	72
1	!	!	01	37	E	E	37	73	HT	i	73
2	"	"	02	38	F	F	38	74	LF	j	74
3	#	#	03	39	G	G	39	75	VT	k	75
4	\$	\$	04	40	H	H	40	76	FF	l	76
5	%	%	05	41	I	I	41	77	CR	m	77
6	&	&	06	42	J	J	42	78	SO	n	78
7	'	'	07	43	K	K	43	79	SI	o	79
8	(	(	08	44	L	L	44	80	DLE	p	80
9	)	)	09	45	M	M	45	81	DC1	q	81
10	*	*	10	46	N	N	46	82	DC2	r	82
11	+	+	11	47	O	O	47	83	DC3	s	83
12	,	,	12	48	P	P	48	84	DC4	t	84
13	-	-	13	49	Q	Q	49	85	NAK	u	85
14	.	.	14	50	R	R	50	86	SYN	v	86
15	/	/	15	51	S	S	51	87	ETB	w	87
16	0	0	16	52	T	T	52	88	CAN	x	88
17	1	1	17	53	U	U	53	89	EM	y	89
18	2	2	18	54	V	V	54	90	SUB	z	90
19	3	3	19	55	W	W	55	91	ESC	{	91
20	4	4	20	56	X	X	56	92	FS	|	92
21	5	5	21	57	Y	Y	57	93	GS	}	93
22	6	6	22	58	Z	Z	58	94	RS	~	94
23	7	7	23	59	[	[	59	95	US	DEL	95
24	8	8	24	60	\	\	60	96	FNC 3	FNC 3	96
25	9	9	25	61	]	]	61	97	FNC 2	FNC 2	97
26	:	:	26	62	^	^	62	98	Shift B	Shift A	98
27	;	;	27	63	_	_	63	99	Code C	Code C	99
28	<	<	28	64	NUL	`	64	100	Code B	FNC4	Code B
29	=	=	29	65	SOH	a	65	101	FNC 4	Code A	Code A
30	>	>	30	66	STX	b	66	102	FNC 1	FNC 1	FNC 1
31	?	?	31	67	ETX	c	67	103	Start (Code A)		
32	@	@	32	68	EOT	d	68	104	Start (Code B)		
33	A	A	33	69	ENQ	e	69	105	Start (Code C)		
34	B	B	34	70	ACK	f	70				
35	C	C	35	71	BEL	g	71				

Example

Sample Code	Result
SIZE 4,1 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS TEXT 10,10,"1",0,1,1,"Human readable alignment" BARCODE 10,50,"128",100,1,0,2,2,"left" BARCODE 310,50,"128",100,2,0,2,2,"center" BARCODE 610,50,"128",100,3,0,2,2,"right" PRINT 1	<p>Human readable alignment</p> 
SIZE 4,1 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS TEXT 10,10,"1",0,1,1,"Code 128, switch code subset automatically." BARCODE 10,50,"128",100,1,0,2,2,"123456abcd123456" PRINT 1	<p>Code 128, switch code subset automatically.</p> 

SIZE 4,1
GAP 0,0
DIRECTION 1
CLS
TEXT 10,10,"1",0,1,1,"Code 128, switch code subset manually."
BARCODE 10,50,"128M",100,1,0,2,2,"!104!096ABCD!101EFGH"
PRINT 1

Note:
The above example of code 128M encoded with CODE B start character. The next character will be the code 128 function character FNC3 which is then followed by the ABCD characters and EFGH characters encoded as CODE A subset.

Code 128, switch code subset manually.



TLC39

Description

This command draws TLC39, TCIF Linked Bar Code 3 of 9, barcode.

Syntax

TLC39 x,y,rotation,[height],[narrow],[wide],[cellwidth],[cellheight,]"ECI number,Serial number & additional data"

Parameter	Description
x	Specify the x-coordinate
y	Specify the y-coordinate
rotation	0 : No rotation 90 : Rotate 90 degrees clockwise 180 : Rotate 180 degrees clockwise 270 : Rotate 270 degrees clockwise
height	Height of Code39 in dots (Default is 40)
narrow	Width of narrow element of Code39 in dots (Default is 2)
wide	Width of wide element of Code39 in dots (Default is 4)
cellwidth	Width of cell of MicroPDF417 in dots (Default is 2)
cellheight	Height of cell of MicroPDF417 in dots (Default is 4)
ECI number	Must be 6 digits which is used to generate Code39
Serial number & additional data	Alphanumeric is for Micro-PDF417

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

Example

Sample Code

```
SIZE 4,1.2
GAP 0,0
DIRECTION 1
CLS
TEXT 10,10,"3",0,1,1,"TLC39 code"
TLC39 10,50,0,"123456,SN00000001,00601,01501"
TLC39 310,50,0,80,3,6,3,4,"123456,SN00000001,00601,01501"
PRINT 1
```

Result

TLC39 code



	X – axis			
Y- axis	1-byte		2-byte	
	Binary	Hexadecimal	Binary	Hexadecimal
1	00000000	00	00000000	00
2	00000000	00	00000000	00
3	00000000	00	00000000	00
4	00000111	07	11111111	FF
5	00000011	03	11111111	FF
6	00010001	11	11111111	FF
7	00011000	18	11111111	FF
8	00011100	1C	01111111	7F
9	00011110	1E	00111111	3F
10	00011111	1F	00011111	1F
11	00011111	1F	10001111	8F
12	00011111	1F	11000111	C7
13	00011111	1F	11100011	E3
14	00011111	1F	11110111	F7
15	00011111	1F	11111111	FF
16	00011111	1F	11111111	FF

Sample Code (ASCII)	Hexadecimal	Result
SIZE 4,2	53 49 5A 45 20 34 2C 32 0D	↖
GAP 0,0	0A 47 41 50 20 30 2C 30 0D	
CLS	0A 43 4C 53 0D 0A 42 49 54	
BITMAP 200,200,2,16,0,	4D 41 50 20 32 30 30 2C 32 30	
_____ -?-	30 2C 32 2C 31 36 2C 30 2C 00	
????	00 00 00 00 00 07 FF 03 FF 11	
PRINT 1,1	FF 18 FF 1C 7F 1E 3F 1F 1F 1F	
	8F 1F C7 1F E3 1F E7 1F FF 1F	
	FF 0D 0A 50 52 49 4E 54 20 31	
	2C 31 0D 0A	

Example: take Mini LZO algorithm for example:

Sample Code (ASCII)	Hexadecimal	Result
SIZE 100mm,14mm CLS [8_ 焗][_ *_ _]a__q p _ _? _ _q 喻 脛 醞 餹 ? _?龜 _1_`_| * PRINT 1,1	53 49 5A 45 20 31 30 30 6D 6D 2C 31 34 6D 6D 0D 0A 43 4C 53 0D 0A 42 49 54 4D 41 50 20 30 2C 30 2C 35 2C 33 33 2C 33 2C 68 00 00 00 02 FF FF FF FF FF 38 11 00 9F 68 03 02 00 00 0F FF FF 2A 10 00 01 1F FF FF 03 61 03 01 71 00 00 70 00 0E 18 7F FF FF FF 1C 3F FF FF FF 1E 1F FF FF FF 1F 0F 71 00 87 71 00 C3 71 00 E1 71 00 F0 70 00 02 F8 7F FF FF 1F 91 00 FC 78 01 6C 07 60 06 7C 00 2A 0C 00 0B FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF FF 11 00 00 50 52 49 4E 54 20 31 2C 31 0D 0A	↖

BOX

Description

This command draws rectangles on the label.

Syntax

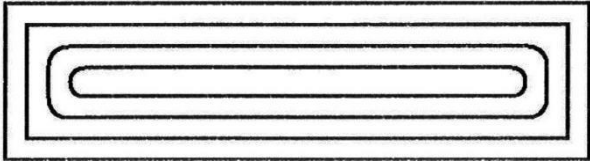
BOX X_start, Y_start, X_end, Y_end, line thickness

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X_start	Specifies x-coordinate of upper left corner(in dots)
Y_start	Specifies y-coordinate of upper left corner(in dots)
X_end	Specifies x-coordinate of lower right corner(in dots)
Y_end	Specifies y-coordinate of lower right corner(in dots)
Line thickness	Line thickness(in dots)

Recommended max. Thickness of box is 12mm at 4" width. Thickness of box larger than 12mm may damage the power supply and affect the print quality.

Max. print ratio is different for each printer model. Desktop and industrial printer print ratio is limited to 20% and 30% respectively.

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>SIZE 4,1.1 CLS BOX 60,60,610,210,4 BOX 80,80,590,190,4 BOX 100,100,570,170,4,20 BOX 120,120,550,150,4,20 PRINT 1</pre>	

CIRCLE

Description

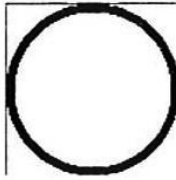
This command draws a circle on the label.

Syntax

CIRCLE X_start, Y_start, diameter, circle thickness

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X_start	Specifies x-coordinate of upper left corner(in dots)
Y_start	Specifies y-coordinate of upper left corner(in dots)
diameter	Specifies the diameter of the circle(in dots)
thickness	Thickness of the circle(in dots)

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>SIZE 80 mm,30 mm GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS BAR 250,20,100,1 BAR 250,20,1,100 CIRCLE 250,20,100,5 PRINT 1</pre>	

ELLIPSE

Description

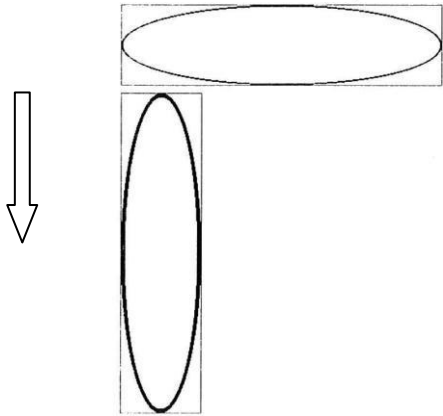
This command draws an ellipse on the label.

Syntax

ELLIPSE x,y,width,height,thickness

Parameter	Description
x	Specify x-coordinate of upper left corner (in dots)
y	Specify y-coordinate of upper left corner (in dots)
width	Specify the width of the ellipse (in dots)
height	Specify the height of the ellipse (in dots)
thickness	Thickness of the ellipse (in dots)

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>SIZE 4,3 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS BOX 10,10,410,110,1 ELLIPSE 10,10,400,100,2 BOX 10,120,110,520,1 ELLIPSE 10,120,100,400,5 PRINT 1</pre>	

DMATRIX

Description

This command defines a DataMatrix 2D bar code. Currently, only ECC200 error correction is supported.

Syntax

DMATRIX x,y,width,height,[c#,x#,r#,row,col,]"content"

Parameter	Description
x	Horizontal start position (in dots)
y	Vertical start position (in dots)
width	The expected width of barcode area (in dots)
height	The expected height of barcode area (in dots)
c#	Escape sequence control character (decimal digit) Ex. C126 means ~

(1)~X is shift character for control characters.

~X	Hex	ASCII	~X	HEX	ASCII	~X	HEX	ASCII	~X	HEX	ASCII
~@	00	NUL	~H	08	BS	~P	10	DLE	~X	18	CAN
~A	01	SOH	~I	09	HT	~Q	11	DC1	~Y	19	EM
~B	02	STX	~J	0A	LF	~R	12	DC2	~Z	1A	SUB
~C	03	ETX	~K	0B	VT	~S	13	DC3	~[	1B	ESC
~D	04	EOT	~L	0C	FF	~T	14	DC4	~\	1C	FS
~E	05	ENQ	~M	0D	CR	~U	15	NAK	~]	1D	GS
~F	06	ACK	~N	0E	SO	~V	16	SYN	~^	1E	RS
~G	07	BEL	~O	0F	SI	~W	17	ETB	~_	1F	US

(2)~1 means FNC1.


(3)~dNNN creates ASCII decimal value NNN for a codeword. Must be 3 digits. 000 ~ 255.

(4)~ in data is encoded by ~~.

x#	Module size (in dots)
r#	Rotation 0: No rotation 90: Rotate 90 degrees clockwise 180 : Rotate 180 degrees clockwise 270 : Rotate 270 degrees clockwise
row	Symbol size of row: 10 to 144
col	Symbol size of col: 10 to 144
content	Content of DataMatrix 2D bar code

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>SIZE 4,3 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS DMATRIX 10,110,400,400, »DMATRIX EXAMPLE 1 » DMATRIX 310,110,400,400,x6, »DMATRIX EXAMPLE 2 » DMATRIX 10,310,400,400,x8,18,18, »DMATRIX EXAMPLE 3 » PRINT 1,1</pre>	

AZTEC

Description

This command defines a AZTEC 2D bar code.

Syntax

```
AZTEC x,y,rotate,[size,]ecp,[flg,]menu,]multi,]rev,]"content"
```

```
AZTEC x,y,rotate,size,ecp,flg,menu,multi,rev,bytes,content
```

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
x	Horizontal start position (in dots)
y	Vertical start position (in dots)
rotate	Rotation 0: No rotation 90: Rotate 90 degrees 180 : Rotate 180 degrees 270 : Rotate 270 degrees
size	Element module size (1 to 20), default is 6
ecp	Error control (& symbol size/type) parameter 0: default error correction level 1 to 99: minimum error correction percentage 101 to 104: 1 to 4-layer Compact symbol 201 to 232: 1 to 32-layer Full-Range symbol
flg	0 : input message is straight bytes 1 : input uses "<Esc>n" for FLG(n), "<Esc><Esc>" for "<Esc>"
menu	Menu symbol (0 : no, 1 : yes), default is 0
multi	Number of symbols (1 to 26), default is 6
rev	Output to be reversed (0 : no, 1 : yes), default is 0
bytes	Length of content
content	Content of AZTEC 2D bar code

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

Example

Sample Code	Result
<pre>SIZE 4,2 GAP 0,0 CLS AZTEC 10,10,0,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 210,10,0,4,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 410,10,0,4,1,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 610,10,0,4,1,0,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 10,310,0,4,1,0,0,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 210,310,0,4,1,0,0,1,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 410,310,0,4,1,0,0,1,1,"ABCDEFGHJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789" AZTEC 610,310,0,4,1,0,0,1,1,10,1234567890 PRINT 1</pre>	

MPDF417

Description

This command defines a Micro PDF 417 bar code.

Syntax

MPDF417 x,y,rotate,[Wn,][Hn,][Cn,]"content"

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
x	Horizontal start position (in dots)
y	Vertical start position (in dots)
rotate	Rotation 0 : No rotation 90 : Rotate 90 degrees 180 : Rotate 180 degrees 270 : Rotate 270 degrees
Wn	Optional. Module width in dot. Default is 1.
Hn	Optional. Module height in dot. Default is 10.
Cn	Optional. Number of columns. Once the parameter is set, the printer will calculate the proper rows for the barcode base on the content automatically. 0: Auto mode. 1: Column is 1 and the calculated suitable rows will be 11, 14, 17, 20, 24, and 28. 2: Column is 2 and the calculated suitable rows will be 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23 and 26. 3: Column is 3 and the calculated suitable rows will be 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 26, 32, 38 and 44. 4: Column is 4 and the calculated suitable rows will be 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 26, 32, 38 and 44.
Content	Content of Micro PDF 417 bar code

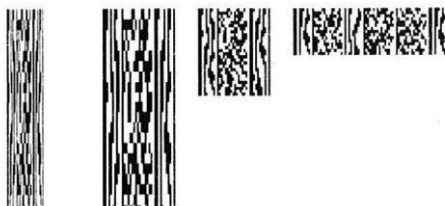
Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

Example

Sample Code

```
SIZE 4,1  
GAP 0,0  
CLS  
MPDF417 10,10,0, »ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789 »  
MPDF417 110,10,0,W2, »ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789 »  
MPDF417 210,10,0,W2,H3, »ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789 »  
MPDF417 310,10,0,W2,H3,C3, »ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789 »  
PRINT 1
```

Result



ERASE

Description

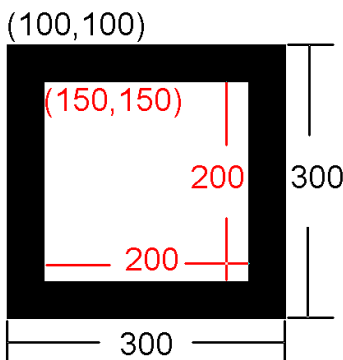
This command clears a specified region in the image buffer.

Syntax

ERASE X_start, Y_start, X_width, Y_height

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X_start	The x-coordinate of the starting point(in dots)
Y_start	The y-coordinate of the starting point(in dots)
X_width	The region width in x-axis direction(in dots)
Y_height	The region height in y-axis direction(in dots)

Example

<p>Sample code</p> <pre>SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS BAR 100,100,300,300 ERASE 150,150,200,200 PRINT 1,1</pre>	<p>Result</p> 
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PUTPCX

Description


This command prints PCX format images.

Syntax

PUTPCX X,Y, "filename"

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X	The x-coordinate of the PCX image
Y	The y-coordinate of the PCX image
filename	The downloaded PCX filename. Case sensitive

Example

Sample Code	Result
<pre>SPEED 2 DENSITY 3 SIZE 4,1.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS PUTBMP 10,10," SAMPLE.PCX" PRINT 1</pre>	

QR CODE

Description

This command to print QR code.

Syntax

QR CODE X, Y, ECC Level, cell width, mode, rotation, [model, mask] "Data string"

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X	The upper left corner x-coordinate of the QR code
Y	The upper left corner y-coordinate of the QR code
ECC Level	Error correction recovery level L: 7% M: 15% Q: 25% H: 30%
Cell width	1,3,5,7,10,12
mode	Auto/manual encode A: Auto M: Manual
rotation	0: 0 degree 90: 90 degree 180: 180 degree 270: 270 degree
model	M1: original version(default) M2: enhanced version
mask	S0, S3, S5,S7, S8, S9
Data string	The encodable character set is described as below Encodable character set: 1). Numeric data: (digits 0~9) 2). Alphanumeric data Digits 0-9 Upper case letters A-Z; Nine other characters: space, \$ % * + - . / :); 3). 8-bit byte data. JIS 8-bit character set (Latin and Kana) in accordance with JIS X 0201 4). Kanji characters Shift JIS values 8140HEX –9FFCHEX and E040HEX –EAA4 HEX. These are values shifted from those of JIS X 0208. Refer to JIS X 0208 Annex 1 Shift Coded Representation for detail.

Data characters per symbol (for maximum symbol size):

	<u>Model 1 (Version 14-L)</u>	<u>Model 2 (Version 40-L)</u>
1). Numeric data	1,167 characters	7,089 characters
2). Alphanumeric data:	707 characters	4,296 characters
3). 8-bit byte data:	486 characters	2,953 characters
4). Kanji data:	299 characters	1,817 characters

*If "A" is the first character in the data string, then the following data after "A" is Alphanumeric data.




*If "N" is the first character in the data string, then the following data after "N" is numeric data.




*If "B" is the first character in the data string, then the following 4 digits after "B" is used to specify numbers of data. After the 4 digits is the number of bytes of binary data to be encoded.

*If "K" is the first character in the data string, then the following data after "K" is Kanji data.

*If "!" is in the data string and follows by "N", "A", "B", "K" then it will be switched to specified encodable character set.

Example

Sample code	Result
Auto mode example	
<u>General data string</u> SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS QRCODE 10,10,H,4,A,0,"ABCabc123" QRCODE 160,160,H,4,A,0,"123ABCabc" QRCODE 310,310,H,4,A,0,"印表機 ABCabc123" PRINT 1,1	
<u>Data string including <Enter> character (0Dh, 0Ah)</u> SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS QRCODE 10,10,H,4,A,0, »ABC<Enter> abc<Enter> 123 » QRCODE 160,160,H,4,A,0, »123<Enter> ABC<Enter> abc" QRCODE 310,310,H,4,A,0,"印表機<Enter> ABC<Enter> abc<Enter> 123" PRINT 1,1	
<u>Data string including double quote (") character, please use \["] instead of "</u> SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS QRCODE 10,10,H,4,A,0,"ABC\["]abc\["]123" QRCODE 160,160,H,4,A,0,"123\["]ABC\["]abc" QRCODE 310,310,H,4,A,0,"\["]印表機\["]ABCabc123" PRINT 1,1	

Manual mode	
<p><u>General data string</u></p> <p>SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS QRCODE 10,10,H,4,M,0,"AABC!B0003abc!N123" QRCODE 160,160,H,4,M,0,"N123!AABC!B0003abc" QRCODE 310,310,H,4,M,0,"K 印表機!AABC!B0006abc123" PRINT 1,1</p>	
<p><u>Data string including <Enter> character, <Enter> is an 8-bit byte data</u></p> <p>SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS QRCODE 10,10,H,4,M,0,"AABC!B0007<Enter> abc<Enter> !N123" QRCODE 160,160,H,4,M,0,"N123!B0002<Enter> !AABC!B0005<Enter> abc" QRCODE 310,310,H,4,M,0,"K 印表機!B0002<Enter> !AABC!B0010<Enter> abc<Enter> 123" PRINT 1,1</p>	
<p><u>Data string including double quote (") character, please use \["] instead of</u></p> <p>SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS QRCODE 10,10,H,4,M,0,"AABC!B0005\["]abc\["]!N123" QRCODE 160,160,H,4,M,0,"N123!B0001\["]!AABC!B0004\["]abc" QRCODE 310,310,H,4,M,0,"B0001\["]!K 印表 機!B0010\["]ABCabc123" PRINT 1,1</p>	

REVERSE

Description

This command reverses a region in image buffer.

Syntax

REVERSE X_start, Y_start, X_width, Y_height

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X_start	The x-coordinate of the starting point (in dots)
Y_start	The y-coordinate of the starting point (in dots)
X_width	X-axis region width (in dots)
Y_height	Y-axis region height (in dots)


Note:

203DPI: 1mm=8dots

300DPI: 1mm=12dots

Max. print ratio is different for each printer model. Desktop and industrial printer print ratio is limited to 20% and 30% respectively.

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>SIZE 4,2.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS TEXT 100,100,"1",0,1,1,"REVERSE" REVERSE 90,90,128,40 PRINT 1,1</pre>	

TEXT

Description

This command prints text on label

Syntax

TEXT X, Y, "font", rotation, x-multiplication, y-multiplication, "content"

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
X	The x-coordinate of the text
Y	The y-coordinate of the text
font	Font name 0 Monotype CG Triumvirate Bold Condensed, font width and height is stretchable 1 8 x 12 fixed pitch dot font 2 12 x 20 fixed pitch dot fonts 3 16 x 24 fixed pitch dot fonts 4 24 x 32 fixed pitch dot fonts 5 32 x 48 dot fixed pitch fonts 6 14 x 19 dot fixed pitch font OCR-B 7 21 x 27 dot fixed pitch font OCR-B 8 14 x25 dot fixed pitch font OCR-A 9 GBK font width and height is stretchable ROMAN.TTF Monotype CG Triumvirate Bold Condensed, font width and height proportion is fixed.
rotation	The rotation angle of text 0: No rotation 90: degrees, in clockwise direction 180: degrees, in clockwise direction 270: degrees, in clockwise direction
x-multiplication	Horizontal multiplication, up to 10x. Available factors: 1~10
Y-multiplication	Vertical multiplication, up to 10x Available factors: 1~10
alignment	Specify alignment of text 0: Default (Left side) 1: Center 2: Left side 3: Right side

Example

```
Sample code
SIZE 4,3
DIRECTION 1
CLS
TEXT 10,10,"0",0,12,12,"TSPL 2"
TEXT 10,40,"0",0,8,8,"align left"
BAR 0,70,800,4
TEXT 10,110,"0",0,12,12,"FONT 0"
TEXT 10,160,"1",0,1,1,"FONT 1"
TEXT 10,210,"2",0,1,1,"FONT 2"
TEXT 10,260,"3",0,1,1,0,"FONT 3"
TEXT 10,310,"4",0,1,1,0,"FONT 4"
TEXT 10,360,"5",0,1,1,0,"FONT 5"
TEXT 10,410,"6",0,1,1,1,"FONT 6"
TEXT 10,460,"7",0,1,1,1,"FONT 7"
TEXT 10,510,"8",0,1,1,1,"FONT 8"
TEXT 10,560,"ROMAN.TTF",0,12,12,"FONT ROMAN.TTF"
PRINT 1
```

Result

TSPL 2 align left	EPL 2 align center	ZPL 2 align right
FONT 0	FONT 1	FONT 2
FONT 1	FONT 2	FONT 3
FONT 2	FONT 3	FONT 4
FONT 3	FONT 4	FONT E8
FONT 4	FONT 5	FONT F
FONT 5	FONT 6	FONT G
FONT 6	FONT 7	FONT H8
FONT 7		© © TM
FONT 8		
FONT ROMAN.TTF		

BLOCK

Description

This command prints paragraph on label.

Syntax

BLOCK x,y,width,height,"font",rotation,x-multiplication,y-multiplication,[space,]alignment,]
"content"

Parameter

x
y
width
height
font

Description

The x-coordinate of the text
The y-coordinate of the text
The width of block for the paragraph in dots
The height of block for the paragraph in dots
Font name

0	Monotype CG Triumvirate Bold Condensed, font width and height is stretchable
1	8 x 12 fixed pitch dot font
2	12 x 20 fixed pitch dot font
3	16 x 24 fixed pitch dot font
4	24 x 32 fixed pitch dot font
5	32 x 48 dot fixed pitch font
6	14 x 19 dot fixed pitch font OCR-B
7	21 x 27 dot fixed pitch font OCR-B
8	14 x25 dot fixed pitch font OCR-A
ROMAN.TTF	Monotype CG Triumvirate Bold Condensed, font width and height proportion is fixed.

rotation

The rotation angle of text
0 : No rotation
90 : degrees, in clockwise direction
180 : degrees, in clockwise direction
270 : degrees, in clockwise direction

x-multiplication

Horizontal multiplication, up to 10x
Available factors: 1~10
For "ROMAN.TTF" true type font, this parameter is ignored.

	For font "0", this parameter is used to specify the width (point) of true type font. 1 point=1/72 inch.
y-multiplication	Vertical multiplication, up to 10x Available factors: 1~10 For true type font, this parameter is used to specify the height (point) of true type font. 1 point=1/72 inch. For *.TTF font, x-multiplication and y-multiplication support floating value. (V6.91 EZ)
space	Add or delete the space between lines in dot.
Alignment	Text alignment. (V6.73 EZ) 0 : default (Left) 1 : Left 2 : Center 3 : Right
content	Data in block. The maximum data length is 4092 bytes.

Note:

- The internal font (font #1~#5) pitch between TSPL and TSPL2 is different.
- Font "0" and "ROMAN.TTF" internal True Type Fonts are available in TSPL2 language printers, but not TSPL language printers.
- If there is any double quote (") within the text, please change it to \["].
- If font "0" is used, the font width and font height is stretchable by x-multiplication and y-multiplication parameter. It is expressed by pt (point). 1 point=1/72inch.
- \[R] means carriage return character 0x0D.
- \[L] means line feed character 0x0A.
- This command has been supported since V6.91 EZ and later firmware.
- EPL2 and ZPL2 are for emulating Eltron® and Zebra® languages.

Example**Sample Code**

SIZE 4,0.5

GAP 0,0

DIRECTION 1

CLS

BOX 10,10,800,100,2

BLOCK 15,15,790,90,"0",0,8,8,"We stand behind our products with one of the most comprehensive support programs in the Auto-ID industry."

PRINT 1

CLS

BOX 10,10,800,100,2

BLOCK 15,15,790,90,"0",0,8,8,20,2,"We stand behind our products with one of the most comprehensive support programs in the Auto-ID industry."

PRINT 1

Result

We stand behind our products with one of the most comprehensive support programs in
the Auto-ID industry.

We stand behind our products with one of the most comprehensive support programs in
the Auto-ID industry.

Status Polling Commands(RS-232)

<ESC>!?

Description

This command obtains the printer status at any time, even in the event of printer error. An inquiry request is solicited by sending an <ESC> (ASCII 27, escape character) as the beginning control character to the printer. A one byte character is returned, flagging the printer status. A 0 signifies the printer is ready to print labels.

Syntax

<ESC>!?

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
N/A	N/A

<u>Bit(return value)</u>	<u>Status</u>
0	Head opened
1	Paper jam
2	Out of paper
3	Out of ribbon
4	Pause
5	Printing
6	Cover opened(option)

<ESC>!R

Description

This command resets the printer. The beginning of the command is an ESCAPE character (ASCII 27). The files downloaded in memory will be deleted. This command cannot be sent in dump mode.

Syntax

<ESC>!R

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
N/A	N/A

<ESC>!O

Description

This command is using to cancel the PAUSE status of printer. The beginning of the command is an ESCAPE character (ASCII 27).

Syntax

<ESC>!O

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

<ESC>!P

Description

This command is using to PAUSE the printer. The beginning of the command is an ESCAPE character (ASCII 27).

Syntax

<ESC>!P

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

<ESC>!F

Description

This command is used to feed a label. This function is the same as to press the FEED button. The beginning of the command is an ESCAPE character (ASCII 27).

Syntax

<ESC>!F

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

<ESC>!.

Description

This command can cancel all printing files. The beginning of the command is an ESCAPE character (ASCII 27).

Syntax

<ESC>!.

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

~!E

Description

This command is used to enable immediate command, ex. <ESC>!R <RSC>!? <ESC>!C and so on, which is starting by <ESC>!..

Syntax

~!E

Note: This command has been supported since V1.02.16 and later firmware.

Example

~!E

File Management Commands

DOWNLOAD

Description

“DOWNLOAD” is a header of the file that is to be saved in the printer’s memory. The download files can be divided into two categories: program files and data files (including text data files, PCX graphic files and bitmap font files).

Syntax

1. Download a program file:

DOWNLOAD [n,] “FILENAME.BAS”

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	Specify memory used to save downloaded files. n is ignored: Download files to DRAM only. E: Download files to main board flash memory F: Download files to expansion memory module
FILENAME.BAS	The filename resident in printer memory

Note:

- (1). Filenames are case sensitive.**
- (2). File extensions must be “.BAS”.**
- (3). Filenames must in 8.3 format.**
- (4). It should use with EOP command.**
- (5). If memory is not specified, all files will be download to DRAM.**
- (6). Download same filename to same memory the previous file will be covered.**
- (7). No Battery is used to back up files in DRAM which will lost in the event printer power is lost.**
- (8). Download will failed when storage is insufficient.**

2.Download a data file:

DOWNLOAD [n,] "FILENAME", DATA SIZE, DATA CONTENT.....

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	Specify memory used to save downloaded files. n is ignored: Download files to DRAM only. E: Download files to main board flash memory F: Download files to expansion memory module
FILENAME	The name of data file that will remain resident in the printer memory(case sensitive)
DATA SIZE	The actual size in bytes of the data file(without header)
DATA CONTENT	The data which will be downloaded into printer

Note:

(1). For text data files, CR(carriage return) 0x0D and LF(Line Feed) 0x0A is the separator of data.

(2). If memory is not specified, all files will be download to DRAM.

No Battery is used to back up files in DRAM which will lost in the event printer power is lost.

Example

Sample code (The example program listed below will download to printer SDRAM.)

```

DOWNLOAD "EXAMPLE.BAS"
SIZE 4,4
GAP 0,0
DIRECTION 1
SET TEAR ON
CLS
TEXT 100,100,"1",0,1,1,"EXAMPLE PROGRAM"
PRINT 1
EOP

```

EOP

Description

End of program. To declare the start and end of BASIC language commands used in a program. DOWNLOAD "FILENAME.BAS" must be added in the first line of the program, and "EOP" statement at the last line of program.

Syntax

EOP

Example

Sample code (The example program listed below will download to printer SDRAM.)

```
DOWNLOAD "DEMO.BAS"  
SIZE 4,4  
GAP 0,0  
DIRECTION 1  
SET TEAR ON  
CLS  
TEXT 100,100,"1",0,1,1,"DEMO PROGRAM"  
PRINT 1  
EOP
```

FILES

Description

This command prints out the total memory size, available memory size and files lists(or lists the files through RS-232) in the printer memory(both FLASH memory and DRAM).

Syntax

FILES

Example

Sample code	Result
FILES	<pre>----- DRAM FILE (0 FILES) ----- PHYSICAL 8192 KBYTES AVAILABLE 256 KBYTES ----- FLASH FILE (0 FILES) ----- PHYSICAL 4096 KBYTES AVAILABLE 2560 KBYTES -----</pre>

KILL

Description

This command deletes a file in the printer memory. The wild card (*) will delete all files resident in specified DRAM memory.

Syntax

KILL[n], "FILENAME"

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	Specify the memory location that files will be deleted. n is ignored: Kill files saved in DRAM.

Note:

(1). If optional parameter n is not specified, firmware will delete the file in DRAM.

(2).Syntax example

KILL "FILENAME" : Delete the specify file in DRAM
KILL "*.PCX" : Delete all PCX files in DRAM
KILL "*" : Delete all files in DRAM

Example

Users can use printer SELFTEST utility to list printer configurations and files saved in the printer memory, or use the FILES command to print the downloaded file list in printer. Follow the steps below to delete files in the printer memory via parallel port connection.

```
C : \> COPY CON LPT1<ENTER>
FILES<ENTER>
<CTRL><Z><ENTER>
C : \> COPY CON LPT1<ENTER>
KILL « DEMO.BAS « <ENTER>
<CTRL><Z><ENTER>
C : \> COPY CON LPT1<ENTER>
FILES<ENTER>
<CTRL><Z><ENTER>
```

Note: <ENTER> stands for PC keyboard "ENTER" key. <CTRL><Z> means to hold PC keyboard "CTRL" key then press the PC keyboard <Z> key.

RUN

Description


This command executes a program resident in the printer memory.

This command is available for TSPL language printers only.

Syntax

RUN "FILENAME.BAS"

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre>DOWNLOAD "DEMO.BAS" SIZE 4,4 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 SET TEAR ON CLS TEXT 100,100,"1",0,1,1,"DEMO PROGRAM" PRINT 1 EOP RUN "DEMO.BAS"</pre>	
<pre>DOWNLOAD "DEMO.BAS" SIZE 4,4 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 SET TEAR ON CLS TEXT 100,100,"1",0,1,1,"DEMO PROGRAM" PRINT 1 EOP DEMO</pre>	

Device Reconfiguration Commands

SET COUNTER

Description

Counters can be a real counter or a variable. This setting sets the counter number in the program and its increments. There are three different types of counters: digit (0~9~0), lower case letter (a~z~a) or upper case letter (A~Z~A).

Syntax

SET COUNTER @n step

@n = "Expression"

Parameter

Description

@n

n: counter number. There are 51 counters available (@0~@50) in the printer.

step

The increment of the counter, can be positive or negative.

-9999999999 <= step <= 9999999999

If the counter is used as a fixed variable, please set the increment to 0.

Expression

Initial string. String length is 101 bytes

Example

Sample Code	Result
<pre> SET COUNTER @0 +1 SET COUNTER @1 +0 SET COUNTER @2 -1 SET COUNTER @3 1 @0= »0001 « @1= »0101 « @2= »000A « @3= »1 « SIZE 4,0.5 GAP 0,0 DIRECTION 1 CLS TEXT 600,10, »1 »,0,1,1,3, »@0 @1 @2 « TEXT 600,30, »1 »,0,1,1,3, »Label « +@3+ « -----« TEXT 600,50, »1 »,0,1,1,3,@0+ » « +@1+ » « +@2 PRINT 5 </pre>	<pre> Label 5 ---@0-----@1-----@2 0005 0101 999W Label 4 ---@0-----@1-----@2 0004 0101 999X Label 3 ---@0-----@1-----@2 0003 0101 999Y Label 2 ---@0-----@1-----@2 0002 0101 999Z Label 1 ---@0-----@1-----@2 0001 0101 000A </pre>

SET CUTTER

Description

This setting activates or deactivates the cutter and defines how many printed labels is to be cut at one time.

Syntax

SET CUTTER OFF/BATCH/pieces

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
OFF	Disable cutter function.
BATCH	Set printer to cut label at the end of printing job
Pieces	Set 3 printing labels per cut

Example

Sample code	Result
<pre> SIZE 3,3 GAP 0,0 SET CUTTER OFF SET PEEL OFF CLS TEXT 50,50,"1",0,1,1,"SET CUTTER OFF" PRINT 3 </pre>	The cutter function is disabling.
<pre> SET CUTTER BATCH CLS TEXT 50,50,"1",0,1,1,"SET CUTTER BATCH" PRINT 3,2 </pre>	The cutter cuts once after 6 labels are printed.
<pre> SET CUTTER 1 CLS TEXT 50,50,"1",0,1,1,"SET CUTTER 1" PRINT 3,2 </pre>	The cutter cuts every label.
<pre> CLS TEXT 50,50,"1",0,1,1,"SET CUTTER 2" PRINT 3,2 </pre>	The cutter cuts every 2 labels.

SET PEEL

Description

This setting is used to enable/disable the self-peeling function. The default setting for this function is off. When this function is set on, the printer stops after each label printing, and does not print the next label until the peeled label is taken away. This setting will be saved in printer memory when turning off the power.

Syntax

SET PEEL ON/OFF

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
ON	Enable the self-peeling function
OFF	Disable the self-peeling function

Example

Sample code

```
REM ***SELF-PEELING FUNCTION ON***  
SIZE 4,4  
GAP 0.12,0  
DENSITY 8  
SPEED 6  
DIRECTION 0  
REFERENCE 0,0  
SET CUTTER OFF  
SET PEEL ON  
CLS  
TEXT 50,100,"1",0,1,1,"SELF-PEELING FUNCTION TEST"  
PRINT 5
```

SET TEAR

Description

This setting is used to enable/disable feeding labels/black mark to position of tearing off.

Syntax

SET TEAR ON/OFF (TSPL language printers only)

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
ON	The label gap will stop at the tear off position after print.
OFF	The label gap will NOT stop at the tear off position after print. The beginning of label will be aligned to print head.

Example

Sample code

```
REM ***TEAR FUNCTION ON***  
SIZE 3,3  
GAP 0.08,0  
DENSITY 8  
SPEED 4  
DIRECTION 0  
REFERENCE 0,0  
SET CUTTER OFF  
SET PEEL OFF  
SET TEAR ON  
CLS  
TEXT 50,100,"1",0,1,1,"TEAR FUNCTION TEST"  
PRINT 1
```

SET RIBBON

Description

This setting is used to enable/disable ribbon sensor detection. (Thermal Transfer Printing/Thermal Direct Printing) Printer will detect the presence of a ribbon to determine using either direct thermal or thermal transfer printing upon printer startup. This setting will be saved in printer memory after turning off the power.

Syntax

SET RIBBON ON/OFF

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
ON	Thermal transfer printing
OFF	Thermal direct printing

Example

Sample Code

```
REM *****Disable ribbon detection sensor for direct thermal printing.
SET RIBBON OFF
SIZE 4,1
GAP 0,0
CLS
TEXT 10,10, »3 »,0,1,1, »Direct thermal printing. »
PRINT 1
```

```
REM *****Enable ribbon detection sensor for thermal transfer printing.
SET RIBBON ON
SIZE 4,1
GAP 0,0
CLS
TEXT 10,10, »3 »,0,1,1, »Thermal transfer printing. »
PRINT 1
```

SET BACK

Description

This setting is used after SET CUTTER function. This function prevents label backfeeding after a cut.

Syntax

SET BACK OFF/ON

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
OFF	Disable back function.
ON	Enable back function.

Example

Sample code

```
REM **SET BACK FUNCTION OFF EXAMPLE PROGRAM**  
SIZE 3,1  
GAP 0,0  
DENSITY 8  
SPEED 6  
DIRECTION 1  
REFERENCE 0,0  
SET CUTTER 1    SET BACK OFF  CLS  
TEXT 50,50,"3",0,1,1,"SET BACK OFF"  
PRINT 3  
CLS  
SET CUTTER 1 SET BACK ON  
TEXT 50,50,"3",0,1,1,"SET BACK ON"  
PRINT 3
```

NOTE: This command only be supported since V1.02.16.

SET FEED_LEN

Description

This command can set the feeding length when FEED key is pressed. This setting will be memorized by printer. The initialized value is the label length.

Syntax

SET FEED_LEN n

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Description</u>
n	The feeding length in dot.

NOTE: This command only be supported since V1.02.16.

Example

Sample code
SET FEED_LEN 100
Result
The feeding length is 100 dots when you press the FEED button after this setting.