DPP-350

ESC/POS Thermal Printer
Programmer's Manual

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Introduction

DATECS DPP-350 is a mobile ESC/POS thermal printer with 3-inch wide printing mechanism. It can be used in dynamic working conditions and its abundant built-in features allow it to be widely used for different applications. Printer can quickly and easily print text and/or graphics, depending on customer's needs – barcodes, logo, etc.

Features:
- Small and lightweight, for real mobility
- High speed and low noise, owing to line thermal print
- Easy paper-loading
- Can be used with 2 types of thermal paper – 78 mm or 58 mm wide
- Long lasting battery – max 30,000 lines per charge
- Serial RS232 or USB interfaces
- Supports protocol for POS and BARCODE
- Capable of printing alpha-numeric and graphical data
- Drivers for Pocket PC, Palm OS, Windows and Blackberry
- Configuration Options:
    - ✓ Bluetooth interface
    - ✓ Magnetic Stripe Reader (3 track)
    - ✓ Smart Card Reader
    - ✓ Reader for contactless RFID cards
    - ✓ SD card slot reader
    - ✓ Built-in metal belt hook and neck lanyard

Specification

Feature	Specification
Emulation	ESC/POS
Printer mechanism	FTP-638MCL103
Printing Method	Thermal-line dot method
Dot structure	576 dots per line
Dot pitch (Horizontal)	0.125 mm (8 dots/mm) - Dot density
Dot pitch (Vertical)	0.125 mm (8 dots/mm) - Line feed pitch
Effective printing area	max 72 mm
Paper Feed System	step
Printing Speed	Maximum 60mm/sec. (480 dot line/sec.) at 8.5 V
Head life	* Pulse resistance: 100 million pulses/dot (under our standard conditions). * Abrasion resistance: paper traveling distance 50km (print ratio: 25% or less)
Fonts	Font A: 12 x 24 dots, 48 characters per line
	Font B: 9 x 16 dots, 64 characters per line
	Loadable Font C: 12 x 24 dots, 48 characters per line
	Loadable Font D: 9 x 16 dots, 64 characters per line
	Font E (JIS and Shift-JIS): 24 x 24 dots, 28 characters per line - Japanese version only
	Font F (GB2312): 24 x 24 dots, 28 characters per line - Chinese version only
Logo Registration	1 Black & White BMP format (1-bit per pixel); Size: 576 x 248
Barcode printing	EAN 13, EAN 8, UPC-A, UPC-E, CODEBAR, CODE 39, CODE 128, PDF417, QR Code
FLASH Memory	1 Mega bit
RAM Memory	36 864 bytes (option 131 072 bytes)
Interfaces	RS-232 interface, type RS-232C, max 115200 bps
	USB interface, type USB v 1.1, compatible with 2.0
	Bluetooth interface (optional)
Cables	RS-232 interface cable
	mini USB A to mini USB B cable (option)
Configuration options	Magnetic Card Reader - 3 track head, ISO7811 (optional)
	Smart Card Reader, ISO 7816-1/2/3 (optional)
	MIFARE Reader, ISO 14443-A (optional)
	SD card slot for SD card (optional)
Battery	Rechargeable Li-ion battery - 7.4 V / 2 Ah Battery capacity: Print 30 000 lines per charge
Power supply	AC adapter, model: SA110C Input: AC 100 – 240 V / 0.3 A ; 50/60 Hz Output: DC 9 V / 1 A
Power switch	ON/OFF
Operation switches	Button LF – Paper feed, Self test, Dump mode
	Button ON/OFF- Switch On and Switch OFF
Recommended	Width, mm	80 or 58 / 60

	Diameter, mm	50
	Thickness, μm	60 to 100 (some paper in this range may not be used because of paper characteristics)
Dimensions, (W x D x H) mm		108 x 111 x 62
Weight, g		400 (w/o paper) 460 (with paper)
Safety standards and EMI		"Drop" test – up to 110 cm and "Waterproof"
Operating environment	Operating temperature humidity	0°C to + 50°C 20 to 85% RH (no condensation)
	Storage temperature humidity	-20°C to + 60°C 5 to 95% RH (no condensation)

About DPP-350

1 – button ON/OFF

2 – button LF (Line Feed)

3 – ON/OFF & Error LED indicating printer status (STATUS)

4 – Charging LED (CHARGE)

5 – AC/DC adapter input

6 – Mini USB port

1 – RS232 port

2 – Reader LED

3 – Smart Card Holder

4 – Magnetic Card Reader

5 – Reader for contactless RFID cards

6 – Paper Cover Lever

7 – Paper Cover

7 – Paper Cover
8 – Thermal Paper Roll

Hardware configuration switches

Switch	OFF	ON
Sw1	78 mm paper/label roll	58 mm paper/label roll
Sw2	Continuous paper mode	Label/Black mark mode
Sw3	Hardware protocol	Xon/Xoff protocol
Sw4	Normal operation mode	Protocol mode

Diagnostic information, dump mode and firmware updating

- Holding <LF> button while power on for ~ 0.5 sec (first sound signal) – short selftest.
- Holding <LF> button while power on for ~ 2.5 sec (second sound signal) – start dump mode. All input data are printed hexadecimal and as text.
- Holding <LF> button while power on for ~ 4.5 sec (third sound signal) – long selftest.
- Holding <LF> button while power on for ~ 6.5 sec (forth sound signal) – enter firmware updating mode for the optional card reader.
- Holding <LF> button while power on for more than 8.5 sec (fifth 4-tone sound signal) – enter firmware updating mode.
- Holding <ON> button while power on for ~ 4 sec (first sound signal) – temporary forcing 9600 bps serial speed.
- Holding <ON> button while power on for more than 6 sec – enter hardware setup mode.

Protocol mode

Protocol mode is active when DIP switch 4 is on. The purpose of this mode is to give full control over the optional peripherals (MC and smart card reader) and a stronger real time access to the printer. All input data are sent in packets as described below. The printer returns an answer to the packet immediately.

Output packet format: **Channel Command LenHi LenLo Data**
Answer format: **Channel Status LenHi LenLo Data**

Channel: One byte:
            Bits 0 – 6 Channel number (Device type)
            Bit 7   **0:** Send data; **1:** Response
Command: One byte with possible value:
    0:   Open channel (No action – all channels always open)
    1:   Close channel (No action – all channels always open)
    2:   Send data
    3:   Request data
    >4:   Application specific
Status: One byte:

	0	1
Bit 0	No error	Error occured
Bit 1	ACK (Packet accepted)	NACK (Packed not accepted)
Bit 2	Channel and command OK	Wrong channel or command
Bit 3	Battery OK	Low battery
Bit 4	Printing head OK	Printing head too hot
Bit 5	Paper OK	Out of paper
Bit 6	Not defined	
Bit 7	Printer ready	Printer busy

Bit 7 is set, if:
- There are unprinted lines in the print buffer.
- There are bytes in the print buffer.
- The printer is executing a macro.
- The printer is executing selftest.
- The button <LF> is pressed – feeding paper.

LenHi: High byte of data length of data. 00h to 08h.
LenLo: Low byte of data length of data. 00h to FFh.
Data: **256*LenHi +LenLo** data bytes.

The maximum packet length is 2048 bytes.
The answer differs from the command by bit 7 (MSB) in the channel number. If bit 7 is 0 then it is a command, if it is 1 then it is a response. Bit 0

in the status byte shows if there was an error accepting or processing the data block. If this bit is 1 the other bits show the type of the error.

The printer never issues a transmission by itself. It always responds as an answer to a command. The communication goes like this:

Host – command, Printer – answer; Host – command, Printer – answer; etc.

The defined channels are:

1   Printer.
16 (10h)   Optional card reader.

Commands for the printer channel (1):
Command 2   Send data
   The data is copied into the printer's print buffer. If there's not enough space into the print buffer the packet is rejected, and a status byte with value 3 is returned in the answer.
Command 3   Receive data
   If there is data to be transmitted from the printer to the host, it is transmitted in the data field of the packet, otherwise an empty packet is received. The application must take care to get the data fast enough from the output buffer or the data may be corrupt.
Command 4   Get printer status. 5 data bytes returned in response:
   BufferHi BufferLo PrStatus Volt Temperature
   BufferHi   High byte of the count of free bytes in input buffer.
   BufferLo   Low byte of the count of free bytes in input buffer.
   PrStatus   Printer status. The following bits defined:
      Bit 0   Battery low
      Bit 1   Too hot
      Bit 2   No paper
   Volt   The battery voltage in units 0.1V
   Temperature   The head temperature in degrees Celsius.

   If free bytes in input buffer are more than 65535 (FFFFh), then FFFFh is returned.

Using channel 16 is the only way for full control over the optional card reader.

Communication example (all bytes hexadecimal):
Send data:
   >>> 01 02 00 05   11 22 33 44 55
   <<< 81 00 00 00
Send data with error:
   >>> 01 02 00 05   11 22 33 44 55

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        <<<  81 01 00 00
        >>>  01 02 00 05   11 22 33 44 55
        <<<  81 01 00 00
        >>>  01 02 00 05   11 22 33 44 55
        <<<  81 00 00 00
Receive data:
        >>>  01 03 00 00
        <<<  81 00 00 00
        >>>  01 03 00 00
        <<<  81 00 00 04   11 22 33 44
        >>>  01 03 00 00
        <<<  81 00 00 00
Get status:
        >>>  01 04 00 00
        <<<  81 00 00 05   3F F8 01 49 27
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List of commands

1	BEL	Sounds the buzzer
2	HT	Horizontal Tab command
3	LF	Printing and Paper Feed Command
4	FF	Printing and paper feeding to the black mark position
5	CR	Print one line Command
6	ESC RS	Sounds the buzzer
7	ESC SP	Setting character spacing
8	ESC #	Setting EURO symbol position
9	ESC $	Specifying the absolute horizontal position for printing
10	ESC %	Selecting/Canceling the printing of downloaded user character sets
11	ESC &	Selecting user character set
12	ESC !	Specifying printing mode of text data
13	ESC *	Printing graphical data
14	ESC +	Switch OFF the printer
15	ESC -	Selecting/Canceling underlining
16	ESC .	Printing self test/diagnostic information
17	ESC 2	Specifying 1/6-inch line feed rate
18	ESC 3	Specifying line feed rate n/203 inches
19	ESC =	Data input control
20	ESC ?	Reading magnetic stripe card
21	ESC @	Initializing the printer
22	ESC CAL	Black mark mode sensor calibration
23	ESC D	Setting horizontal tab position
24	ESC E	Specifying/Canceling highlighting
25	ESC G	Specifying/Canceling highlighting
26	ESC I	Specifying/Canceling Italic print
27	ESC J	Printing and Paper feed n/203 inches

28	**ESC N**	Reading programmed serial number
29	**ESC R**	Selecting country
30	**ESC S**	Specifying speed (bps) of serial port
31	**ESC T**	Printing short self test
32	**ESC U**	Selecting/Canceling underlined printing
33	**ESC V**	Selecting/Canceling printing 90°- right turned characters
34	**ESC X**	Specifying max printing speed
35	**ESC Y**	Selecting intensity level
36	**ESC Z**	Returning diagnostic information
37	**ESC **	Specifying relative horizontal position
38	**ESC]**	Loading of the default settings stored in Flash memory
39	**ESC ^**	Saving current settings in Flash memory
40	**ESC _**	Loading factory settings
41	**ESC `**	Reading Battery Voltage and Thermal head temperature
42	**ESC a**	Aligning of characters
43	**ESC c5**	Enabling/Disabling the functioning of button LF
44	**ESC d**	Printing and feeding paper by n- lines
45	**ESC i**	Feeding paper backwards
46	**ESC o**	Temporarily feeding paper forward
47	**ESC pair=**	Enabling/Disabling PAIRING info saving in Bluetooth mode
48	**ESC pwd=**	Programming new Bluetooth password (PIN)
49	**ESC r**	Full command for sounding buzzer
50	**ESC u**	Selecting code table
51	**ESC v**	Transmitting the printer status
52	**ESC x**	Setting time interval for automatic Power OFF
53	**ESC y**	Set USB response strings
54	**ESC {**	Enabling/Canceling printing of 180° turned characters
55	**GS)**	Setting printer flags (memory switches)
56	**GS ***	Defining the Downloaded Bit Image (logo)
57	**GS /**	Printing the Downloaded Bit Image
58	**GS :**	Starting/ending macro definitions
59	**GS B**	Enabling/Disabling inverse print (white on black)
60	**GS C**	Read the Real Time Clock
61	**GS H**	Selecting Printing position of HRI Code
62	**GS L**	Setting left margin
63	**GS Q**	Printing 2-D barcodes
64	**GS S**	Selecting 2-D barcode cell size
65	**GS W**	Setting print area width
66	**GS ^**	Executing macro
67	**GS c**	Set the Real Time Clock
68	**GS f**	Setting the font of HRI code
69	**GS h**	Setting height of the barcode
70	**GS k**	Printing the barcode
71	**GS p**	Settings for 2D barcode PDF417
72	**GS q**	Height of the module of 2D barcode PDF417
73	**GS w**	Selecting the horizontal size (Scale factor) of the barcode

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74	FS !	Specifying printing mode of two-byte text data
75	FS &	Selecting two-byte text mode (JIS or GB2312)
76	FS -	Selecting/Canceling underline mode for two-byte text mode
77	FS .	Canceling two-byte text mode
78	FS C	Selecting Shift-JIS mode (Japanese version only)
79	FS S	Specifying character spacing for two-byte text mode
80	FS W	Selecting double size characters for two-byte text mode

Command Details

1. Sounds the Buzzer (BEL)
Code **[07h]**
    By executing this command the buzzer will beep

2. Horizontal Tab command (HT)
Code **[09h]**
    Shifts the printing position to the next horizontal tab position. The horizontal tab position is set by ESC D. By default the horizontal tab position is at each 8th character (in 9th, 17th, 25th column) from FONT A.

3. Printing and Paper Feed Command (LF)
Code **[0Ah]**
    Prints data stored in input buffer and feeds paper with one line (the height of a line that has been set).

4. Printing and paper feeding to the black mark position (FF)
Code: **[0Ch]**
    This command prints the data in the printer buffer and searches for black mark. It is ignored if black mark mode is not specified.

Note for Black Mark Function
- **Error detection at black mark mode**
    Paper end is not checked during printing and also black mark is not checked. After receiving FF command, printer checks black mark and paper end. Once black is detected and white is detected again within 6 mm paper feed, it is determined as black mark. If the white is not detected within 6 mm paper feed, it is determined as paper end.
    After receiving FF command, if printer cannot detect black mark by feeding paper for 360 mm, printer recognizes it as black mark detecting error. And the result is same as detecting paper end.

To release the error, it is necessary to put correct paper and press LF switch long.
- **LF switch operation in black mark mode**
  Press short: Feed one line
  Press longer than 1 sec.: Feed paper to find next black mark.
  (Same as sending FF command)
 - **Remarks for programming**
   As it is possible to print on black mark, if user does not want to print on the black mark, it have to be taken care by user side program
- **Remarks on handling**
  If the paper cover is open in black mark mode, there is a possibility to recognize it as detecting black mark.

5. Print one line Command (CR)
Code **[0Dh]**
This command is ignored or its action is the same as LF depending on the state of memory switches set with last command **GS)**.

6. Sounds the buzzer (ESC RS)
Code **[1Bh] + [1Eh]**
By executing this command the buzzer will beep.

7. Setting character spacing (ESC SP)
Code **[1Bh] + [20h] + n**
[0 <= **n** < 40h]
The rightward space amount is set in dot unit (1/203 inch unit). The initial value is **n**=0. When the font size is doubled the space between characters is also doubled. Possible values are from 0 to 63 dots.

8. Specifying the EURO symbol position (ESC #)
Code: **[1Bh] + [23h] + n**
0 <= **n** <= FF   The ASCII code of EURO symbol
This command forces the EURO symbol to appear at the selected ASCII code. So when a code table without EURO symbol is selected, the user can use this symbol at the desired place. The original character with this ASCII code becomes inaccessible until redefinition using the same command.
ASCII codes from 00H to 1FH disable EURO substitution and the selected code table is printed unchanged.
Default value is 00H (EURO substitution disabled).

9. Specifying the absolute horizontal position for printing (ESC $)
Code: **[1Bh] + [24h] + n1 + n2**
0 <= **n1** <= FF   Horizontal shifting in dots (least significant byte LSB)

0 <= **n2** <= 01   Horizontal shifting in dots (most significant byte MSB)
The shifting is **n1 + 256*n2** dots. Specifying beyond the line end is ignored.

10. Selecting/Canceling the printing of downloaded user character sets (ESC %)
Code: **[1Bh] + [25h] + n**
    n can be from 0 to 255, but only the Least significant bit (LSB) is important:
            0 canceling selection of user characters (default characters set is chosen)
            1 loaded user character set is chosen
    Character set is defined by the command ESC &. The chosen character set is kept even if printer is switched off.

11. Selecting user character set (ESC &)
Code: **[1Bh] + [26h] + a + n + m + D1$_1$ + … + D$_{(m-n+1)k}$**
    20h <= **n** <= **m** FFh
    a is the number of the sub-command and can be:
    0 or '**0**': Copies internal character set A over user character set A. All parameters after the number of the command are omitted.
    1 or '**1**': Copies internal character set B over user character set B. All parameters after the number of the command are omitted.
    2 or '**2**': Defines a sequence of characters for Font A (12x24)
    3 or '**3**': Defines a sequence of characters for Font B (9x16)
    4 or '**4**': Defines a sequence of characters for Font B (9x16)
    n is the ASCII code of the first, **m** ASCII code of the last of the (**m-n+1**) consecutive characters. When only one symbol is defined **m=n**.
    With **D$_{ij}$** are described the data for the characters. Each character from Font A is defined with 48 bytes. Each character from Font B is defined with 16 bytes for subcommand 3 (the 9-th horizontal bit is always white) and with 32 bytes for subcommand 4 (2 bytes for each horizontal row, only the most significant bit of the second byte is used).
    The data for character set (font) A is composed from left to right and from top to bottom with two bytes for each horizontal line. From the second byte only the first nibble (the most significant 4 bits) is valid. Each bit defines one dot, 1 is for black, starting from the most significant bit.
    Downloaded characters are valid even after switching off the printer.

12. Specifying printing mode of text data (ESC !)
Code **[1Bh] + [21h] + n**
    Data is given in binary code.
    Each **n** bit indicates the following:

Bit	Function	Value 0	Value 1
0	Character Font	A (12x24)	B (9x16)
1	Undefined		

2	Undefined		
3	Highlighting	Canceled	Specified
4	Double Height	Canceled	Specified
5	Double Width	Canceled	Specified
6	Undefined		
7	Underline	Canceled	Specified

An underline is attached to the full character width, which, however, is not attached to the part having been skipped by the horizontal tab. Neither is it attached to 90°-right-turned characters.

The underline width is as having been specified by (ESC -). (The default setting is 1 dot width.)

Highlighting is valid for character font A (12x24) and font B (9x16). It is not recommended to be used for font B because text is not readable. If at same time are given double height and/or double width and to 90°-right-turning of character, then the sequense of execution is as follows:
- characters is doubled in the direction indicated
- character is turned at 90°-right-angle

13. Printing graphical data (ESC *)
Code: **[1Bh] + [2Ah] + m + n1 + n2 + D$_1$+ … + D$_k$**

m (0 ,1 ,20h или 21h) Graphics mode (see table below).
$0 <= n1 <= FF$ specifies the number of dots in horizontal line (LSB).
$0 <= n2 <= 01$ specifies the number of dots in horizontal line (MSB).
D_i (i from **1** to **k**)   bit image data.
The number of dots in horizontal direction is **n1+n2*256**.
Number of data bytes **k** is **n1 + 256*n2** for modes 0 and 1, and
(n1+256*n2)*3 for 20h and 21h.
The bits subject to printing are taken as "1" and those not as "0".

Bit image data is sent starting from the top to bottom and from the left to right (vertical columns scanning). In modes m=0 and 1 only one byte per column is sent and in mode m=20h, 21h - 3 bytes for each column are sent.

m	Mode	Vertical Direction		Horizontal Direction	
		Dots	Dot density	Dot density	Max. dots 58/78 mm
0	8-dot single density	8	67 DPI	101 DPI	204 / 288
1	8-dot double density	8	67 DPI	203 DPI	408 / 576
20 h	24-dot single density	24	203 DPI	101 DPI	204 / 288
21 h	24-dot double density	24	203 DPI	203 DPI	408/576

When the values set in **m** or **n2** are out of the above range, the data is processed as normal printing data.

This command has one more version with 3 new modes:
Code: **[1Bh] + [2Ah] + m + n + { a + [00h] } +D$_1$ + … +D$_k$**
    Designates a bit image of **n*8** dots horizontal and by **24** or **a** dots vertical. Depending on **m** there is compression of data. All 3 modes are with high dot density (203x203 dpi).
    m can be:
        10h   Not compressed data with height 24 lines. Byte **a** and byte **00h** are not sent.
        11h   Compressed data with height 24 lines. Byte **a** and byte **00h** are not sent.
        12h   Compressed data with height **a** lines.
    0 <= **n** <= 50h defines horizontal size.
    D$_i$ are the bit image data. Their number is **n*24** bytes for mode 10h. The compressed data in mode 11h must give same number of bytes, but after the decompression. The number of data bytes for mode 12h must be **a*n** (after decompression).
    Decompression in modes 11h and 12h is similar to the one used in PCX monochrome graphic mode. If the 2 most significant bits of the consecutive byte are 1, so the next define a counter of iterations from 0 to 63, and the next byte contains the data that has to be repeated. If at least one of the most significant bytes is 0, the byte contains data which is directly used. If the data for the printer contains a byte with two most significant bits 1, it has to be sent as 2 bytes with counter 1.
    Data for both modes is sent horizontally, from right to left and from top to bottom. Each byte contains 8 points, the "1"-s are black starting from the most significant bit.

14. Switch OFF the printer (ESC +)
Code **[1Bh] + [2Bh]**
    This command switches OFF the printer as by setting the power switch to OFF.

15. Selecting/Cancelling Underline (ESC -)
Code: **[1Bh] + [2Dh] + n**
    An underline is attached to the full character width. It is, however, not attached to
    the part having been skipped by horizontal tab command.
    An underline is not attached to a 90°- right-turned characters.
    The following values of **n** are possible:
        0 or **30h** Canceling an underline.
        1 or **31h** Specifying an underline for 1-dot width.
        2 or **32h** Specifying an underline for 2-dots width.

Note: This command only selects the underline thickness. For specifying/canceling the Underline mode command ESC ! **([1Bh] + [21h]**) must be used.

16. Printing Self Test (ESC .)
Code **[1Bh] + [2Eh]**
Prints test page and self-diagnostic information. The self-diagnostic information includes print density, print head temperature, battery voltage, baud rate in case of work via RS232 and others.

17. Specifying 1/6-inch line feed rate (ESC 2)
Code: **[1B] + [32h]**
If in the line there are symbols that will not fit in the defined size, the line automatically is set to be of the necessary height so they fit.

18. Specifying line feed rate n/203 inches (ESC 3)
Code: **[1Bh] + [33h] + n**
n is from 0 to 255.
Default value is **n**=22h (1/6 inches).

19. Data input control (ESC =)
Code: **[1Bh] + [3Dh] + n**
n can be from 0 to 255, but only the LSB is of significance.
Value 0: Printer is not selected.
Value 1: Printer is selected.
When the printer is not selected, it does not accept data (abandons all the received data) and the only command that it executes is ESC = n with least significant bit 1.
By default the printer is selected.

20. Reading magnetic stripe card (ESC ?)
Code: **[1Bh] + [3Fh] + n**
The tracks that are read are returned in ascending order and depending on that which of them have been demanded. The returned data end with ASCII code 00h.
The bits of the argument **n** have the following meaning:

0   Read track 1

1   Read track 2

2   Read track 3

3   Not used

4   Not used

5   Not used

6   If it is 1, magnetic stripe card data are returned in raw format (as a bit sequence)

7   If it is 1, the reading is with time-out 60 seconds, else it is 10 seconds.

Response data format when bit 6 = 1

Always all 3 tracks data are returned (independent of the value of the least significant bits of **n**). Data format:

$n_1m_1D_{1i}n_2m_2D_{2i}n_3m_3D_{3i}$[00h]

where:

n_1 Two characters - track 1 bytes count.

m_1 Two characters - valid bit count in last data byte of track 1.

D_{1i} **2*n1** characters, containing track 1 data. Data are regarded as bit sequence. If total bit count is not a multiple of 8, then valid are m_1 most significant bits of last byte only.

n_1, m_1 and D_{1i} are returned as text, hexadecimal, i. e. every byte of data is returned as two characters in the range '**0**' – '**9**' or '**A**' – '**F**'.

The format of track 2 and 3 is the same. The response ends with ASCII code **00h**. If no magnetic stripe card is read (a timeout has occurred), only **00h** is returned.

Warning! Data are returned as they are read from the magnetic stripe card. They will not be the same when sliding the card in left and right direction. The application software must "know" and interpret correctly the bits read before using them!

21. Initializing the printer (ESC @)

Code: **[1Bh] + [40h]**

Clears data stored in the print buffer and brings various settings to the initial state (Default state).

Data (items) in serial buffer are not cleared.

22. Black mark mode calibration (ESC CAL)

Code: **[1Bh] + [43h] + [41h] + [4Ch] + n**

Selects the ADC value, which the printer uses to distinguish the black marks on paper or labels. The command is used in black mark mode only.

Possible values for **n**:

- 01hReturns one byte, which is the current ADC threshold value.

- 02hAfter receiving this command the printer moves approximately 20 cm of paper and searches minimum and maximum of paper sensor values. Two bytes data are returned – minimum value and maximum value.

- 03hAfter receiving this command the printer moves approximately 20 cm of paper and searches minimum and maximum of paper sensor values. Then a reasonable value of the ADC threshold is calculated and stored in flash memory. One byte data is returned, which is the new ADC threshold value.

- 20h to C0h The byte is used as ADC threshold value and is stored in flash memory. One byte data is returned, which is the new ADC threshold value.

The factory setting of ADC threshold value is 68h. Use this command carefully and only if the printer has problems in black mark / label recognition.

23. Setting horizontal tab position (ESC D)
Code: **[1Bh] + [44h] + n₁ + … + nₖ + [00h]**
n_i is from 0 to 255.
n_i indicates the number of the column from the beginning to the horizontal tab position, minus 1. For example, to set the position at 9th column, n=8 is to be specified.
The tab position is set at position where it is "character width multiplied by **n_i**" from the line beginning. The character width, at this time, includes the rightward space amount. In double wide characters, it is made double of the ordinary case.
Tab positions can be specified are maximum 32.
ESC D [00h] clears all the set tab positions. Following clearing, horizontal tab command is ignored.

24. Specifying / Canceling Highlighting (ESC E)
Code: **[1Bh] + [45h] + n**
n can be from 0 to 255, but only the least significant bit is of significance.
Value 0: Canceling highlighting
Value 1: Highlighting is specified
This is effective for character font A (12x24) and font B (9x16). It is not recommended to be used for font B because text is not readable.

25. Specifying / Canceling Highlighting (ESC G)
Code: **[1Bh] + [47h] + n**
Same as command **ESC E**.

26. Specifying / Canceling Italic Print (ESC I)
Code: **[1Bh] + [49h] + n**
n can be from 0 to 255, but only the least significant bit is of significance.
Value 0: Normal Print
Value 1: Italic Print

27. Printing and Paper Feed **n**/203 inches (ESC J)
Code: **[1Bh] + [4Ah] + n**
n can be from 0 to 255.
Prints data in the print buffer and feeds paper by n/203 inch.
• This function is temporary and does not affect the feed operation thereafter.

• The beginning of the line is to be considered as the next printing start position.

28. Read serial number (ESC N)

Code: **[Bh] + [4Eh]**

The command returns the programmed serial number of the printer as an ASCIIZ string. Number length is 13 characters. If no serial number is programmed, then only one symbol is returned - **00h**.

Note: The command is present in firmware versions 1.09 or newer.

29. Selecting Country (ESC R)

Code: **[1Bh] + [52h] + n**

n can be from 0 o 13 and has the following meaning:

N	Character Set	Changed characters											
		23h	24h	40h	5Bh	5Ch	5Dh	5Eh	60h	7Bh	7Ch	7Dh	7Eh
0	U.S.A.	#	$	@	[	\	]	^	`	{	|	}	~
1	France	#	$	à	°	¢	§	^	`	é	ù	è	¨
2	Germany	#	$	§	Ä	Ö	Ü	^	`	ä	ö	ü	ß
3	U.K.	£	$	@	[	\	]	^	`	{	|	}	~
4	Denmark I	#	$	@	Æ	Ø	Å	^	`	æ	ø	å	~
5	Sweden	#	$	É	Ä	Ö	Å	Ü	é	ä	ö	å	ü
6	Italy	#	$	@	°	\	é	^	ù	à	ò	è	ì
7	Spain I	Pt	$	@	¡	Ñ	¿	^	`	¨	ñ	}	~
8	Japan	#	$	@	[	¥	]	^	`	{	|	}	~
9	Norway	#	¤	É	Æ	Ø	Å	Ü	é	æ	ø	å	ü
10	Denmark II	#	$	É	Æ	Ø	Å	Ü	é	æ	ø	å	ü
11	Spain II	#	$	á	¡	Ñ	¿	é	`	í	ñ	ó	ú
12	Latin America	#	$	á	¡	Ñ	¿	é	ü	í	ñ	ó	ú
13	Korea	#	$	@	[	₩	]	^	`	{	|	}	~

30. Specifying speed (bps) of serial port (ESC S)

Code: **[1Bh] + [53h] + n**

Sets new communication speed for the serial interface.

The command is valid only when the printer is connected through a serial cable. Possible values of parameter **n**:

0 or '**0**':   1200 bps
1 or '**1**':   2400 bps
2 or '**2**':   4800 bps
3 or '**3**':   9600 bps
4 or '**4**':   19200 bps
5 or '**5**':   57600 bps
6 or '**6**':   115200 bps
7 or '**7**':   38400 bps

The last setting is valid after switching OFF and ON the printer.

Default value is 6 (115200 bps).

31. Printing short self test (ESC T)
Code: **[1Bh] + [54h]**
   Prints current printer parameters, including intensity, temperature of the print head, battery voltage, speed in case of serial connection, etc.

32. Selecting / Canceling underlined printing (ESC U).
Code: **[1Bh] + [55h] + n**
   Possible values for **n**:
      0 or **'0'**   Canceling underlined characters
      1 or **'1'**   Specifying underlined characters
   No underlines are attached to 90°-right- turned characters.

33. Selecting / Canceling printing 90° - right turned characters (ESC V).
Code: **[1Bh] + [56h] + n**
   n can be from 0 to 255, but only the least significant bit is of significance:
      0 Canceling 90°-right- turned Characters
      1 Specifying 90°-right- turned Characters
   No underlines are attached to 90°-right- turned characters.

34. Specifying max printing speed (ESC X).
Code**: [1Bh] + [58h] + n**
   n is between 0 and 3 or between '0' and '3':
      0 or **'0'**   60 mm/s (2.4 inch/s)
      1 or **'1'**   50 mm/s (2.0 inch/s)
      2 or **'2'**   37 mm/s (1.5 inch/s)
      3 or **'3'**   25 mm/s (1.0 inch/s)
   The defined speed is recommended and can be achieved with not very cold printing head and comparatively little data to print in the line (less black).
   Default value is 0 (60 mm/s).

35. Specifying intensity level (ESC Y).
Code**: [1Bh] + [59h] + n**
   n is between 0 and 6 or between '0' and '6':
      0 or **'0'**   Intensity 60 %
      1 or **'1'**   Intensity 75 %
      2 or **'2'**   Intensity 90 %
      3 or **'3'**   Intensity 100 %
      4 or **'4'**   Intensity 120 %
      5 or **'5'**   Intensity 140 %
      6 or **'6'**   Intensity 160 %
   Higher intensity can cause decrease in printing speed.

Default value is **3** (100%).

36. Returning diagnostic information (ESC Z)
Code:**[1Bh] + [5Ah]**
   The printer will return 32 bytes of information with the following structure:
   1-22:   Printer name up to 22 charachters.
   23-25:   Firmware version – 3 digits.
   26-27:   Language version, described by two characters.
   28-32:   5 bytes with flags. When the corresponding bit is 1, the function is
supported and when 0, the function is not supported. Bits are listed below:

Bit	Meaning
28.0	Supports IrDA mode
28.1	Mag-stripe reader support
28.2	Supports reading of all 3 tracks on magnetic card
28.3	Katakana support, ASCII codes above 127 contain Katakana characters
28.4	JIS and Shift-JIS support
28.5	Prints in commands ESC . and ESC T and in command ESC ` returns temperature in ° Fahrenheit
28.6	Bluetooth support
28.7	Reserved – always is 1
29.0	Update via firmware interface
29.1	Korean characters support
29.2	BLACK MARK mode support
29.3	Barcode reader support
29.4	USB support
29.5	Not in use
29.6	Not in use
29.7	Reserved – always is 1
30.0	Not in use
30.1	Not in use
30.2	Not in use
30.3	Not in use
30.4	Not in use
30.5	Not in use
30.6	Not in use
30.7	Reserved – always is 1
31.0	State of flag 3 – determined in command **GS)**
31.1	State of flag 2 – determined in command **GS)**
31.2	State of flag 1 – determined in command **GS)**
31.3	State of DIP switch 4
31.4	State of DIP switch 3
31.5	State of DIP switch 2
31.6	State of DIP switch 1
31.7	Reserved – always is 1
32.0	State of flag 10 – determined in command **GS)**
32.1	State of flag 9 – determined in command **GS)**
32.2	State of flag 8 – determined in command **GS)**
32.3	State of flag 7 – determined in command **GS)**
32.4	State of flag 6 – determined in command **GS)**
32.5	State of flag 5 – determined in command **GS)**
32.6	State of flag 4 – determined in command **GS)**
32.7	Reserved – always is 1

37. Specifying relative horizontal position (ESC \)
Code: **[1Bh] + [5Ch] + n1 + n2**

   0 <= **n1** <= FFh Specifying number of dots from current position in horizontal (LSB).

   0 <= **n2** <= FFh Specifying number of dots from current position in horizontal (MSB).

   The printing start position is specified with **n1 + 256*n2** dots. Specifying exceeding the top of line or the end of line is ignored.

   Specifying dots in minus (left) direction from the current one, is the complement of N with 65536 (N.=65536 - N).

38. Loading of the default settings stored in Flash memory (ESC])
Code: **[1Bh] + [5Dh]**

   The following parameters are read from flash memory and become active:
   - Speed of communication in serial port
   - Time for automatic turn off
   - Configuration "switches"
   - Max printing speed
   - Print density
   - Height of printing line
   - Country
   - Code table
   - Height of barcode
   - Width of barcode single line
   - Font of the text (HRI characters) corresponding to the barcode
   - Position of the HRI characters

39. Saving current settings in Flash memory (ESC ^)
Code: **[1Bh] + [5Eh]**

   The values of the following settings are stored in flash memory:
   - Speed of communication in serial port
   - Time for automatic turn off
   - Configuration "switches"
   - Max printing speed
   - Print density
   - Height of printing line
   - Country
   - Code table
   - Height of barcode
   - Width of barcode single line
   - Font of the text (HRI characters) corresponding to the barcode
   - Position of the HRI characters

These setting become default settings.

40. Loading factory settings (ESC _)
Code: **[1Bh] + [5Fh]**
This command sets the printer in default state with the following settings:
- All printing attributes like underline, rotating etc. are cleared.
- Internal font A (12 x 24) is selected.
- Pitch between lines is 1/6 inch.
- Barcode height is 80 dots, and barcode width is 3.
- All downloaded fonts and bit images are cleared.
- Printing speed is set to 60 mm/s.
- Print density is 100%.
- Communication speed is set to 115200 bps.
- Code table becomes 437 (US), and country 0 (US). For Japanese version default values are: Code table Katakana and country Japan.

41. Returning the battery voltage and printer head temperature (ESC `)
Code: **[1Bh] + [60h]**
Returns 2 bytes of information - the first one is battery voltage returned in the format: battery voltage x 10 + 20H and second is head temperature returned in the format: head temperature + 20H.

42. Aligning the characters (ESC a)
Code: **[1Bh] + [61h] + n**
n is between 0 and 2 or between '0' and '2':
      0 or **'0'**   Left end alignment
      1 or **'1'**   Centering
      2 or **'2'**   Right end alignment
Default value is 0.
After printing of the line the alignment becomes automatically left-justified.

43. Enabling/Disabling the functioning of button **LF** (ESC c5)
Code: **[1Bh] + [63h] + [35h] + n**
n can be from 0 too 255, but only the least significant bit is of significance.
    Value 0: Button LF is valid.
    Value 1: Button LF is invalid.
Default value is 0.

44. Printing and feeding paper by **n**-lines (ESC d)
Code: **[1Bh] + [64h] + n**
n can be from 0 to 255.

Prints data inside the buffer and feeds paper by **n** lines.

The beginning of the line is to be considered as the next printing start position.

When **n=0** paper is fed with 1 line.

45. Feeding paper backwards (ESC i).
Code: **[1Bh] + [69h]**

If paper has been fed forward with command **ESC o**, then it returns backwards. The feed is exactly the same as it was defined in command **ESC o**, but in reverse direction.

If paper has not been fed forward then this command is ignored.

46. Temporarily feeding paper forward (ESC o).
Code: **[1Bh] + [6Fh] + n**

n can be from 0 to 255.

This command temporarily feeds paper forward with the defined number of steps **n** (1/8 mm). At command **ESC i** or at first command for printing the paper feeds backwards.

47. Disabling/enabling PAIRING info saving in Bluetooth mode (ESC pair=).
Code: **[1Bh] + [70h] + [61h] + [69h] + [72h] + [3Dh] + n**

Possible values of **n**:

'**0**':   Disables PAIRING info saving.
'**1**':   Enables PAIRING info saving.

After PAIRING info saving no password is required when making new **Bluetooth** connection, but only paired devices can communicate. If an old connection (pairing) was saved, it will be destroyed and first new connection will be saved in it's place.

After executing this command with argument '**0**' the current saved information will be destroyed, but no new connection will be saved. Every time a password will be required. The printer will work with all **Bluetooth** devices.

After the command the printer must be switched off (using **ON/OFF** button or **ESC x** command). The **Bluetooth** connection will be reinitialized the next time the printer is switched on in **Bluetooth** mode.

48. Programming Bluetooth password (PIN) (ESC pwd=).
Code: **[1Bh] + [70h] + [77h] + [64h] + [3Dh] + d + [00h]**

This command changes the Bluetooth module PIN.

d contains the new PIN. PIN length is from 0 to 16 characters, allowed are digits and capital latine letters. The string ends with 00h (ASCIIZ). If the length is 0, Bluetooth module uses no password (PIN).

New password is active after switching the printer on next time in Bluetooth mode (without serial or USB cable). The change is unconditionally and does not require the knowledge of the old PIN.

Note: This command exists in firmware versions 1.20 or newer.

Warning: The command destroys saved PAIRING info (like after command **ESC pair=0**).

49. Full command for sounding buzzer (ESC r).
Code: **[1Bh] + [72h] + Data**
This command is used for making (beeping) a sequence of sounds with a certain frequency and duration. The data is in format, similar to the one used for writing notes and can be of any length. The first invalid character cancels the command. Data format: Notes of the scale: a Latin letter of value from '**A**' to'**G**'.

'**C**' - Do
'**D**' - Re
'**E**' - Mi
'**F**' - Fa
'**G**' - Sol
'**A**' - La
'**B**' – Si

If immediately after the note comes character '**#**', then the note is higher in pitch by a semitone (*sharp*). If immediately after the note comes character '**&**', then the note is lower in pitch by a semitone (*flat*).
• Pause: Character space (ASCII 20h).
After a note or pause there can be one or a few bytes, which specify the duration. Valid are characters from '0' to '5', they have the following meaning:
'**0**'   basic duration of a note/pause
'**1**'   basic duration * 2
'**2**'   basic duration * 4
'**3**'   basic duration * 8
'**4**'   basic duration * 16
'**5**'   basic duration * 32
If there are a few durations one after another they are summed up.
• Going to higher scale: character '**+**'.
• Going to lower scale: character '**-**'.
• Specifying tempo: character '**^**', followed by a number. The number specifies the percentage: duration of notes and intervals to basic duration. Values:
'**1**'   200 %
'**2**'   175 %
'**3**'   140 %
'**4**'   120 %
'**5**'   100 %
'**6**'   80 %

'**7**'   60 %
'**8**'   50 %
'**9**'   40 %
- Return to scale 1 (it is default). Character '**@**'. Tone 'La' in it is 440 Hz.

It is recommended that the data ends with ASCII code **03h**, although any other non-printing character will also stop the command.

50. Selecting Code table (ESC u).
Code: **[1Bh] + [75h] + n**
    Values for **n**:
0	ENGLISH (437)
1	LATIN 1 (850)
2	PORTUGUESE (860)
3	LITHUANIAN
4	LATIN 2 (852)
5	POLISH
6	TURKISH (857)
7	BALTIC (775)
8	BULGARIAN (856)
9	RUSSIAN (866)
10	LATVIAN
11	GREEK (737)
12	HEBREW (862)
13	WESTERN (1252)
14	CE (1250)
15	TURKISH (1254)
16	BALTIC (1257)
17	CYRILLIC (1251)
18	GREEK (1253)
19	HEBREW (1255)
20	KATAKANA

When the printer is switched ON it is loaded the default code table which is stored in flash-memory.

51. Transmitting the printer status (ESC v)
Code: **[1Bh] + [76h]**
    The printer returns one byte whose bits have the following meaning:

Bit	Value 0	Value 1
0	Not in use	
1	Not in use	
2	There is paper and paper cover is closed	No paper or paper cover is open
3	Printing head is with normal	Printing head is overheated

	temperature	
4	Not in use	
5	Not in use	
6	Battery Voltage is normal	Low battery voltage
7	Not in use	

52. Selecting the time interval for automatically switching Off the printer. (ESC x)
Code: **[1Bh] + [78h] + n**
    Sets the time interval after which the printer will be switched Off automatically if there is no incoming data and LF button is not pressed.
    n is one byte with value between 1 and 60, it sets time in minutes. This time is remembered after printer is switched off.
    Default value is 10 minutes.

53. Programming USB response strings. (ESC y)
Code: **[1Bh] + [79h] + [55h] + [53h] + [42h] + [3Ah] + Data**
    The command changes the USB response ID numbers and strings, used when connecting to a PC in USB slave mode.

Data format: **VendorID + [03h] + ProductID + [03h] + ManufacturerName + [03h] + ModelName+ [03h] + DeviceStr +[03h]**

VendorID: 4 hexadecimal symbols
ProductID: 4 hexadecimal symbols
ManufacturerName: Up to 48 symbols (ASCII codes 20h-7Eh)
ModelName: Up to 48 symbols (ASCII codes 20h-7Eh)
DeviceStr: Up to 152 symbols (ASCII codes 20h-7Eh)
[03h] is one byte (ASCII code 03h) - field separator.

    All fields of the commands are obligatory. The settings will be active after next power on.
    Note: Downloading new firmware will destroy the last USB response string (the place they are stored is part of the firmware).

54. Enabling/Canceling printing of 180° turned characters (ESC {)
Code**: [1Bh] + [7Bh] + n**
    n can be from 0 to 255, but only the least significant bit is of significance:
        0 Cancel printing of 180° turned characters
        1 Enable printing of 180° turned characters
    Default value is 0.
    The whole line is turned.

55. Setting printer flags (memory switches) GS)
Code: [1Dh] + [29h] + f1 + f2 + … + f10

This model has 10 memory switches and selecting, releasing, and changing a function is available with this command. With this command can be set 10 flags (memory switches), they are switched ON or OFF. Memory switch setting is retained even after printer power off. These flags are like virtual switches defining the state of the printer.

f$_i$ is the flag that we want to switch ON or OFF. All flags must be set. Possible values are:

'0':   Flag is OFF.
'1':   Flag is ON.
'.':   Flag stays unchanged.

Meaning of different flags:

Flag	OFF	ON
1	Power on/off sound disabled	Power on/off sound enabled
2	CR (ASCII code 13) is not executed	CR is executed as LF (ASCII code 10)
3	LF (ASCII code 10) is executed	LF (ASCII code 10) is not executed
4	LF immediately after CR as selected by flag 3	LF immediately after CR is not executed
5	Default is font A (12x24)	Default is font B (9x16)
6	Not in use	
7	Not in use	
8	Bluetooth in DISCOVERABLE mode	Bluetooth in NONDISCOVERABLE mode
9	USB interface disabled	USB interface enabled
10	USB in mode HOST	USB in mode DEVICE

56. Defining the Downloaded Bit Image (logo) (GS *)
Code: **[1Dh] + [2Ah] + n1 + n2 + D$_1$ + … + D$_n$**

n1 is between 1 and 127 and defines the horizontal size of the downloaded image.

n2 is between 1 and 248 and defines the vertical size of the downloaded image.

D$_i$ are the data for the bit image. This data consists of **n1*n2** bytes, from left to right and from top to bottom, but **n1** bytes in each horizontal line (**n1*8** dots) and **n2** lines. Each bit defines a dot, 1 corresponds to black. Total number of bytes cannot be bigger than 16 kB.

The command defines a bit image that contains number of dots, defined by **n1** and **n2**. Image is stored and after the printers is switched off.

The so defined bit image is printed with command **GS /**

57. Printing the Downloaded Bit Image (logo) (GS /)
Code: **[1Dh] + [2Fh] + m**

m defines the printing mode and can be:

m	Mode	Vertical dots	Horizontal dots
0	Normal	203 DPI	203 DPI

1	Double width	203 DPI	101 DPI
2	Double height	101 DPI	203 DPI
3	Double height and double width	101 DPI	101 DPI

When a download bit image has not been defined, this command is ignored.
A portion of a download bit image exceeding one line length is not printed.

Even with ESC @ (initialization of the printer) having been executed, defined content is not cleared. Therefore, it is possible to include ESC @ into the content of macro definition.
Normal printing operation is carried out even while in macro definition.

58. Starting/Ending macro definitions (GS :)
Code: **[1Dh] + [3Ah]**
Specifies starting/ending macro definition. Maximum content available for macro definition is 4094 bytes. After the last byte of data, the command is sent once again to define the end.
Even with ESC @ (initialization of the printer) having been executed, defined content is not cleared. Therefore, it is possible to include ESC @ into the content of macro definition.
Normal printing operation is carried out even while in macro definition.

59. Enable / Disable inverse printing (white on black) (GS B)
Code: **[1Dh] + [42h] + n**
   n is from 0 to 255, but only LSB is checked:
      0 Disable inverse printing
      1 Enable inverse printing
   Default value: **0**.

60. Read the Real Time Clock (GS C)
Code: **[1Dh] + [43h]**
   The command returns the current value of the RTC as string.
   Returned data format (21 bytes):
   YY MM DD WW hh mm ss[00h]
      YY   Year without the century (00-99)
      MM   Month (01-12)
      DD   Day (01-31)
      WW   Day of the week (01-07)
      hh   Hour (00-23)
      mm   Minutes (00-59)
      ss   Seconds (00-59)

   Field separator is space symbol (ASCII 32h).

Data are terminated with ASCII **00h**.
The command exists in printer versions 1.12 or newer.

61. Selecting Printing position of HRI Code (GS H)
Code: **[1Dh] + [48h] + n**
    Selecting printing position of HRI code when printing barcodes.
    n is between 0 and 3 or between '0' and '3':

Value:	Printing position:
0	No printing
1	Above the barcode
2	Below the barcode
3	Both above and below the barcode

62. Setting the left margin (GS L)
Code: **[1Dh] + [4Ch] + n1 + n2**
    This command sets the position in dots (1/203 inches), from which begins printing of each line.
    This command only works when it is entered at the beginning of a line. The value of the left margin is **n1+256*n2** dots. Default value is 0.

63. Printing two dimensional barcode (GS Q)
Code: **[1Dh] + [51h] + n + …**
    n selects the type of barcode:
        2 or '**2**':   PDF417
    Code: **[1Dh] + [51h] + n + Type + EncMode + ECCL+Size +nl + nh +Data$_i$**

Type	PDF417 type	
	0: Standard	
	1: Truncate	
EncMode	Encoding mode	
	0: Automatic most suitable encoding	
	1: Binary encoding	
ECCL	Error correction control level. Possible values 0 to 9. **ECCL**=9 automatically selects correction level dependent on data length.	
Size	Specify one from the bellow table (X: bar width, Y: row height).	

0	X=2, Y=4	8	X=12, Y=4
1	X=2, Y=9	9	X=12, Y=9
2	X=2, Y=15	10	X=12, Y=15
3	X=2, Y=20	11	X=12, Y=20
4	X=7, Y=4	12	X=20, Y=4
5	X=7, Y=9	13	X=20, Y=9

6	X=7, Y=15	**14**	X=20, Y=15
7	X=7, Y=20	**15**	X=20, Y=20

       nl, nh   Specify lower byte and upper byte of data size (1 to 384).

       Data$_i$ Data bytes

   6 or '**6**':   QR Code
   Code: **[1Dh] + [51h] + n + Size + ECCL + nl + nh + Data$_i$**

       Size   Size of symbol. Possible values: 1, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14
       ECCL   Error correction control level:
                        1: L (7%)
                        2: M (15%)
                        3: Q (25%)
                        4: H (30%)
       nl, nh   Specify lower byte and upper byte of data size (1 to 448).

       Data$_i$ Data bytes

64. Selecting QR Code cell size (GS S)
Code: **[1Dh] + [53h] + n**
   This command sets the cell size for two dimensional barcode QR Code.
   Possible values:
   n=**0** or '**0**':   Cell size 3.
   n=**1** or '**1**':   Cell size 4.

65. Setting the print area width (GS W)
Code: **[1Dh] + [57h] + n1 + n2**
   This command sets the print area width in dots (1/203 inches). This command only works when it is entered at the beginning of a line. The defined value of print area width is **n1+256*n2** dots. The default value depends on the mode 58mm /78mm paper roll and is 408 or 576.

66. Executing macro (GS ^)
Code: **[1Dh] + [5Eh] + n1 + n2 + n3**
   n1 is between 1 and 255: The number of times of macro execution.
   n2 is between 1 and 255: Waiting time on macro execution. Waiting time of n2 x 100 msec is given for every execution.
   n3 Macro execution mode. Possible values are:
      0 Continuous execution: The Macro is executed n1 times continuously at the time intervals specified by n2.
      1 Execution by LF switch: When LF switch is pressed, the macro is executed once.

67. Set the Real Time Clock (GS c)
Code: **[1Dh] + [63h] + YY MM DD WW hh mm[00h]**
   where:
   YY   Year without the century (00-99)
   MM   Month (01-12)
   DD   Day (01-31)
   WW   Day of the week (01-07)
   hh   Hour (00-23)
   mm   Minutes (00-59)

   Field separator is space symbol (ASCII 32h).
   Data are terminated with ASCII **00h**.
   The command exists in printer versions 1.12 or newer.
Note: The command clears the seconds!

68. Setting the font of HRI characters of the barcode (GS f)
Code: **[1Dh] + [66h] + n**
   n can be the following values:
   0   Font A
   1   Font B

69. Setting the height of the barcode (GS h)
Code: **[1Dh] + [68h] + n**
   n is between 1 and FFh and it defines the heights of barcode in dots (1/203 inches). Default value: n=162.

70. Printing the barcode (GS k)
Code: **(1)   [1Dh] + [6Bh] + m + D$_i$ + [00h]** or
       (2)   [1Dh] + [6Bh] + m + n + D$_i$
       (3)   [1Dh] + [6Bh] + m + c + n1 + n2 + D$_i$
   D$_i$ are the data for the barcode. The number and possible characters depend on the type of barcode and are defined underneath.
   n defines the length of the data when 65 <= m <= 73.
   For 2-D barcode PDF417:
   n1 and **n2** define the length of the data: N=n1+256*n2. Max value 1000.
   c defines whether the barcode data is compressed. Possible values are 0 or 1.
   m defines the type of barcode and can be of the following values:

m (1)	Type of barcode	Length	Possible characters
0	UPC-A	11	48 <= D$_i$ <= 57
1	UPC-E	11	48 <= D$_i$ <= 57
2	EAN13 (JAN13)	12	48 <= D$_i$ <= 57

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3	EAN 8 (JAN8)	7	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
4	CODE 39	-	$48 <= D_i <= 57$, $65 <= D_i <= 90$, 32, 36, 37, 43, 45, 46, 47
5	ITF	-	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
6	CODABAR (NW-7)	-	$48 <= D_i <= 57$, $65 <= D_i <= 68$, 36, 43, 45, 46, 47, 58

m (2)	Type of barcode	Length	Possible characters
65	UPC-A	11	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
66	UPC-E	11	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
67	EAN13 (JAN13)	12	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
68	EAN 8 (JAN8)	7	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
69	CODE 39	-	$48 <= D_i <= 57$, $65 <= D_i <= 90$, 32, 36, 37, 43, 45, 46, 47
70	ITF	-	$48 <= D_i <= 57$
71	CODABAR (NW-7)	-	$48 <= D_i <= 57$, $65 <= D_i <= 68$, 36, 43, 45, 46, 47, 58
72	CODE 93	-	$0 <= D_i <= 127$
73	CODE 128	-	$0 <= D_i <= 127$
74	PDF417	-	$0 <= D_i <= 255$
75	CODE 128 Auto	-	$0 <= D_i <= 127$
76	EAN 128	-	$0 <= D_i <= 127$

If the barcode is wider than the print area for one line, the barcode is not printed.

Additional information for Code 128:

Code 128 covers the range of ASCII codes from 0 to 127 with the help of 3 code sets A, B and C, which can be used in one and the same barcode.

Code set A: consists of characters with ASCII codes from 0 to 95 and function characters FNC1, FNC2, FNC3, FNC4, SHIFT, CODEB, CODEC.

Code set B: consists of characters with ASCII codes from 32 to 127 and function characters FNC1, FNC2, FNC3, FNC4, SHIFT, CODEA, CODEC.

Code set C: is used for coding sections of the barcode which consist only of digits. Each character defines 2 digits, that are coded with ASCII code from 0 to 99. Also possible are function characters FNC1, CODEA, CODEB.

The barcode always begins with one of the characters CODEA, CODEB or CODEC, which defines the code set that will be used. If necessary the code set can be changed by inserting one of these characters in the barcode. The character following SHIFT is treated as a character of code set B if the current code set is A, and as a character of code set A if the current code set is B. If a character unacceptable for the current code set is given then barcode is not printed.

Function characters are defined with 2 bytes as follows:

Character	Coding		
	Decimal	Hexadecimal	Text
FNC1	123, 49	7B, 31	{1
FNC2	123, 50	7B, 32	{2
FNC3	123, 51	7B, 33	{3
FNC4	123, 52	7B, 34	{4
CODEA	123, 65	7B, 41	{A
CODEB	123, 66	7B, 42	{B

CODEC	123, 67	7B, 43	{C
SHIFT	123, 83	7B, 53	{S
{	123, 123	7B, 7B	{{

Code 128 Auto uses the same code sets, but the printer test the data and automatically switches between the code sets, trying to print a minimum width barcode. D_i contains only the real data to be printed.

EAN 128 uses Code 128 code sets, but puts an FNC1 code in the beginning, and if human readable text is enabled, the text is separated in fields (Application identifiers). If any of the fields contains invalid data, the barcode is not printed. Code sets are switched automatically like **Code 128 Auto**.

71. Setting for 2D barcode PDF417 (GS p)
Code: **[1Dh] + [70h] + e + c + r**

e is error correction level for barcode PDF417. At value bigger than 8 the printer chooses automatically the appropriate level depending on the quantity of the coded data, else the defined value is being used.

c is the max number of columns, which the printer uses for printing the barcode.

r is max number of rows, which the printer uses for printing the barcode.

72. Selecting Height of the module of 2D barcode PDF417 (GS q)
Code: **[1Dh] + [71h] + n**

n is between 4 and 32 including and is the height of one line from the barcode. By default **n**=18.

73. Selecting the horizontal size (Scale factor) of the barcode (GS w)
Code: **[1Dh] + [77h] + n**

n is between 2 and 4 including and is the number of dots in barcode's fine element width. By default **n**=3.

74. Specifying printing mode of two-byte text data (FS !)
Code **[1Ch] + [21h] + n**

Data is given in binary code.
Each **n** bit indicates the following:

Bit	Function	Value 0	Value 1
0	Undefined		
1	Undefined		
2	Undefined		
3	Double Height	Canceled	Specified
4	Double Width	Canceled	Specified
5	Undefined		
6	Undefined		

| 7 | Underline | Canceled | Specified |

An underline is attached to the full character width, which, however, is not attached to the part having been skipped by the horizontal tab. Neither is it attached to 90°-right-turned characters.

The underline width is as having been specified by (FS -). (The default setting is 1 dot width.)

If at the same time are given double height and/or double width and 90°-right-turning of character, then the sequence of execution is as follows:

- character is doubled in the direction indicated
- character is turned at 90°-right-angle

75. Selecting the two-byte text mode - JIS or GB2312 (FS &)
Code: **[1Ch] + [26h]**

The command selects two-byte characters mode. Depending on the version of the printer, this may be:

- Japanese version: JIS character table. First byte is between 20h and 7Fh, second byte between 00h and 7Fh. If outside this range, one-byte ASCII characters are printed.

- Chinese version: GB2312 (Simplified Chinese). First and second bytes are between A0h and FFh. If outside this range, one-byte ASCII characters are printed.

76. Selecting/Cancelling Underline for two-byte text mode (FS -)
Code: **[1Ch] + [2Dh] + n**

An underline is attached to the full character width. It is, however, not attached to the part having been skipped by horizontal tab command.

An underline is not attached to 90°- right-turned characters.

The following values of **n** are possible:

    0 or **30h** Canceling an underline.
    1 or **31h** Specifying an underline of 1-dot width.
    2 or **32h** Specifying an underline of 2-dots width.

77. Cancelling the two-byte text mode (FS .)
Code: **[1Ch] + [2Eh]**

The command cancels two-byte characters mode (JIS or GB2312 depending on the version).

For Japanese version only: If Shift-JIS character mode was selected before using **FS C** command, then the printer returns to Shift-JIS mode instead to one byte ASCII text mode.

78. Selecting the two-byte Japanese code table Shift-JIS (FS C)
Code: **[1Ch] + [43h] + n**

The following values of **n** are possible:

0 or **30h** Canceling two-byte Shift-JIS mode.

1 or **31h** Specifying two-byte Shift-JIS mode.

The command selects/cancels two-byte characters mode Shift-JIS. It is supported only in Japanese version of the printer. First byte is between 80h and 9Fh or between E0h and FFh, second byte between 40h and FFh. If outside this range, one-byte ASCII characters are printed.

If both JIS and Shift-JIS modes are selected, the Shift-JIS mode is active.

79. Specifying character spacing for two-byte character mode (FS S)
Code: **[1Ch] + [53h] + n1 +n2**

The command sets the leftward and rightward space amount for two-byte character mode.

n1 specifies leftward space, **n2** rightward space. The space amount is set in dot unit (1/203 inch unit). The initial values are **n1**=0 and **n2**=0. When the font size is doubled the space between characters is also doubled. Possible values are from 0 to 63 dots.

80. Selecting double size characters for two-byte text mode (FS W)
Code: **[1Ch] + [57h] + n**

The following values of **n** are possible:

0 or **30h** Canceling double size characters.

1 or **31h** Specifying double size characters.

Double size characters may be selected using command FS !.