

Android POS Program Manual

v2.1.2

1. Instruction

This manual describes how to implement ESC/POS printing. Constant variables are defined in POSConst class.

2. POSPrinter

2.1. POSPrinter

Constructor to create print objects.

POSPrinter(IDeviceConnection connection)

[Parameter]

➤ Connection

Connected object, available via POSConnect.createDevice(deviceType).

2.2. printString

This function is used for text-printing.

POSPrinter printString(String data)

[Parameter]

➤ data

Printed text string

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.3. printText

This function is used for format-specific text printing.

POSPrinter printText(String data, int alignment, int attribute, int textSize)

POSPrinter printTextSize(String data, int textSize)

POSPrinter printTextAttribute(String data, int attribute)

POSPrinter printTextAlignment(String data, int alignment)

[Parameter]

➤ data

Printed text string

➤ alignment

The alignment of the text, and the default is ALIGNMENT_LEFT

| Variable | Description |
|------------------|--------------|
| ALIGNMENT_LEFT | Align left |
| ALIGNMENT_CENTER | Align center |
| ALIGNMENT_RIGHT | Align right |

➤ attribute

This value is text attributes. It sets text attributes to print. default is FNT_DEFAULT

| Variable | Description |
|----------------|------------------------------------|
| FNT_DEFAULT | FontA, Set up as a standard |
| FNT_FONTB | Set up as FontB |
| FNT_BOLD | bold font |
| FNT_REVERSE | Set up as reverse print attribute |
| FNT_UNDERLINE | Set up as Underline attribute |
| FNT_UNDERLINE2 | Set up as Bold Underline attribute |

➤ textSize

The font size of the printed text font,default is TXT_1WIDTH|TXT_1HEIGHT

| Variable(Set up width ratio) | Description |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| TXT_1WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x1 |
| TXT_2WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x2 |
| TXT_3WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x3 |
| TXT_4WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x4 |
| TXT_5WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x5 |
| TXT_6WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x6 |
| TXT_7WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x7 |
| TXT_8WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x8 |

| Variable(Set up height ratio) | Description |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| TXT_1HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x1 |
| TXT_2HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x2 |
| TXT_3HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x3 |
| TXT_4HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x4 |
| TXT_5HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x5 |
| TXT_6HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x6 |
| TXT_7HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x7 |
| TXT_8HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x8 |

[Return]

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2.4. printBitmap

This function is used for printing image files.

POSPrinter printBitmap(String bitmapPath, int alignment, int width)

POSPrinter printBitmap(String bitmapPath, int alignment, int width, int model)

POSPrinter printBitmap(Bitmap bmp, int alignment, int width)

POSPrinter printBitmap(Bitmap bmp, int alignment, int width, int model)

[Parameter]

➤ bitmapPath

with full path of bitmap file.

➤ bmp

Android Bitmap Object.

➤ alignment

The alignment mode of the pictures.

| Variable | Description |
|------------------|--------------|
| ALIGNMENT_LEFT | Align left |
| ALIGNMENT_CENTER | Align center |
| ALIGNMENT_RIGHT | Align right |

➤ width

Print the picture width, which can be used to zoom the picture

➤ model

Print mode

| Variable | Description |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| BMP_NORMAL | Original(Normal) size |
| BMP_WIDTH_DOUBLE | Double width |
| BMP_HEIGHT_DOUBLE | Double height |
| BMP_WIDTH_HEIGHT_DOUBLE | Double size |

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.5. printBarcode

This function is used for supporting barcode printing.

POSPrinter printBarcode(String data, int codeType)

POSPrinter printBarcode(String data, int codeType, int width, int height, int alignment)

POSPrinter printBarcode(String data, int codeType, int width, int height, int alignment, int textPosition)

[Parameter]

➤ data

Barcode string to be printed

➤ codeType

Barcode type

| Variable | Description |
|-------------|--|
| BCS_UPCA | UPC A |
| BCS_UPCE | UPCE |
| BCS_EAN8 | EAN-8 |
| BCS_EAN13 | EAN-13 |
| BCS_JAN8 | JAN-8 |
| BCS_JAN13 | JAN-13 |
| BCS_ITF | ITF |
| BCS_Codabar | Codabar |
| BCS_Code39 | Code 39 |
| BCS_Code93 | Code 93 |
| BCS_Code128 | Code 128, For this type, the data must be added with {A, {B, {C, etc |

➤ height

Barcode height, range [1,255].Default is 162

➤ width

This values barcode width in Dot Units, range [2, 6], Default is 3

➤ Alignment

It sets barcode alignment, Default is ALIGNMENT_CENTER

| Variable | Description |
|------------------|--------------|
| ALIGNMENT_LEFT | Align left |
| ALIGNMENT_CENTER | Align center |
| ALIGNMENT_RIGHT | Align right |

➤ textPosition

This value is printing position of barcode HRI letters(barcode data).Default is HRI_TEXT_BELOW.

| Variable | Description |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| HRI_TEXT_NONE | Do not print barcode data |
| HRI_TEXT_ABOVE | Print barcode data above the barcode |
| HRI_TEXT_BELOW | Print barcode data below the barcode |
| HRI_TEXT_BOTH | Print barcode data top and bottom |

[Return]

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2.6. feed

This function is used for sending feeding command to printer.

POSPrinter feedLine(int lineCount)

POSPrinter feedLine()

POSPrinter feedDot(int dotCount)

[Parameter]

➤ lineCount

This value is the number of lines for line feeding. Default is 1

➤ dotCount

This value is the number of point for line feeding.

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.7. printQRCode

This function is used for supporting QRCode barcode printing.

POSPrinter printQRCode(String data)

POSPrinter printQRCode(String data, int alignment)

POSPrinter printQRCode(String data, int moduleSize, int alignment)

POSPrinter printQRCode(String data, int moduleSize, int ecLevel, int alignment)

[Parameter]

➤ data

QRCode data to print

➤ moduleSize

Module size. Range[1, 16], Default is 8.

➤ ecLevel

Error Correction Level, Default is QRCODE_EC_LEVEL_L

| Variable | Description |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| QRCODE_EC_LEVEL_L | Error correction Level L (7%) |
| QRCODE_EC_LEVEL_M | Error correction Level M (15%) |
| QRCODE_EC_LEVEL_Q | Error correction Level Q (25%) |
| QRCODE_EC_LEVEL_H | Error correction Level H (30%) |

➤ alignment

It sets QRCode alignment, Default is ALIGNMENT_CENTER

| Variable | Description |
|----------------|-------------|
| ALIGNMENT_LEFT | Align left |

| | |
|------------------|--------------|
| ALIGNMENT_CENTER | Align center |
| ALIGNMENT_RIGHT | Align right |

[Return]

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2.8. cutPaper

This method is used for cutting the paper

POSPrinter cutPaper()

POSPrinter cutPaper(int model)

POSPrinter cutHalfAndFeed(int distance)

Feed paper distance, and half cut paper.

[Parameter]

➤ model

Cut paper mode, Default is CUT_HALF.

| Variable | Description |
|----------|-------------|
| CUT_ALL | Full cut |
| CUT_HALF | Half cut |

➤ distance

Feed distance

[Return]

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2.9. openCashBox

Open a cash drawer.

POSPrinter openCashBox(int pinNum)

POSPrinter openCashBox(int pinNum, int onTime, int offTime)

[Parameter]

➤ pinNum

Pin number to generate pulse.

| Variable | Description |
|----------|-------------|
| PIN_TWO | PIN 2 |
| PIN_FIVE | PIN 5 |

➤ onTime

Start time to generate pulse. onTime*2ms, range [0,255], Default is 30

➤ offTime

Stop time to generate pulse. offTime*2ms, range [0,255], Default is 255

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.10. setCharSet

Set character encoding,Default is "gbk"

void setCharSet(String charSet)

[Parameter]

➤ charSet

Character set name.

2.11. setTextStyle

This function is used for set the font style.

POSPrinter setTextStyle(int attribute, int textSize)

[Parameter]

➤ attribute

This value is text attributes. It sets text attributes to print. default is FNT_DEFAULT

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|----------------|------------------------------------|
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| FNT_BOLD | bold font |
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➤ textSize

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| TXT_5WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x5 |
| TXT_6WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x6 |
| TXT_7WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x7 |

| | |
|------------|--------------------------|
| TXT_8WIDTH | Set up width ratio as x8 |
|------------|--------------------------|

| Variable(Set up height ratio) | Description |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| TXT_1HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x1 |
| TXT_2HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x2 |
| TXT_3HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x3 |
| TXT_4HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x4 |
| TXT_5HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x5 |
| TXT_6HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x6 |
| TXT_7HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x7 |
| TXT_8HEIGHT | Set up height ratio as x8 |

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.12. setAlignment

This method is used for set up the alignment of the text

POSPrinter setAlignment(int alignment)

[Parameter]

➤ alignment

The alignment of the text, and the default is ALIGNMENT_LEFT

| Variable | Description |
|------------------|--------------|
| ALIGNMENT_LEFT | Align left |
| ALIGNMENT_CENTER | Align center |
| ALIGNMENT_RIGHT | Align right |

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.13. printerCheck

This function is used for query all of the printer states.

void printerCheck(int type, int timeout, IDataCallback callback)

[Parameter]

➤ type

| Variable | Description |
|----------------|-------------|
| STS_TYPE_PRINT | Print state |

| | |
|------------------|----------------------|
| STS_TYPE_OFFLINE | off-line state |
| STS_TYPE_ERR | Error state |
| STS_TYPE_PAPER | Transfer paper state |

➤ timeout

Receive timeout, Unit is ms

➤ callback

Read the data callback, the callback content is the corresponding printer state, if the data is not received in the timeout time, then the empty byte is returned.

```
public interface IDataCallback {
    void receive(byte[] data);
}
```

2.14. printerStatus

This method is used to query the common state of the printer, Timeout time is 5000ms

```
void printerStatus(IStatusCallback callback)
```

[Parameter]

➤ callback

Read the status callback.

```
public interface IStatusCallback {
    void receive(int status);
}
```

The status-values are shown in the table below.

| | |
|----------------|---|
| STS_UNKNOWN | Unknown state, read data timeout or received data length is not 1 |
| STS_NORMAL | The printer is normal |
| STS_COVEROPEN | Cover open |
| STS_PAPEREMPTY | Printer lack of paper |

2.15. cashBoxCheck

This method is used to query the cash drawer status.

```
void cashBoxCheck(IStatusCallback callback)
```

[Parameter]

➤ callback

Read the status callback.

```
public interface IStatusCallback {
    void receive(int status);
}
```

The status-values are shown in the table below.

| | |
|----------------|--|
| STS_UNKNOWN | Unknown state, read data timeout or received data length is not 1. |
| STS_CASH_OPEN | Cash drawer is open. |
| STS_CASH_CLOSE | Cash drawer is close. |

2.16. setPrintArea

Set up the print area in page mode.

POSPrinter setPrintArea(int x, int y, int width, int height)

POSPrinter setPrintArea(int width, int height)

[Parameter]

➤ x

The x-coordinate of the starting position,Default is 0.

➤ y

The y-coordinate of the starting position,Default is 0.

➤ width

Width of printing area.

➤ height

Height of printing area.

[Return]

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2.17. setPageModel

Change to page mode or standard mode.

POSPrinter setPageModel(boolean isOpen)

[Parameter]

➤ isOpen

Enable or Disable page mode. (TRUE, FALSE)

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.18. printPageModelData

Print and return to standard mode in page mode.

POSPrinter printPageModelData()

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.19. setPrintDirection

Select print direction in page mode.

POSPrinter setPrintDirection(int direction)

[Parameter]

➤ direction

Print direction

| Variable | Description |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| DIRECTION_LEFT_TOP | From top left to right |
| DIRECTION_LEFT_BOTTOM | From bottom left to top |
| DIRECTION_RIGHT_BOTTOM | From bottom right to top |
| DIRECTION_RIGHT_TOP | From top right to bottom |

[Return]

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2.20. setAbsoluteHorizontal

Set absolute horizontal print position . (X axis)

POSPrinter setAbsoluteHorizontal(int position)

[Parameter]

➤ position

Starting position.

[Return]

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2.21. setRelativeHorizontal

Set relative horizontal print position. (X axis)

POSPrinter setRelativeHorizontal(int position)

[Parameter]

➤ position

Starting position.

[Return]

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2.22. setAbsoluteVertical

Set absolute vertical print position in page mode. (Y axis)

POSPrinter setAbsoluteVertical(int position)

[Parameter]

➤ position

Starting position.

[Return]

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2.23. setRelativeVertical

Set relative vertical print position in page mode. (Y axis)

POSPrinter setRelativeVertical(int position)

[Parameter]

➤ position

Starting position.

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.24. downloadNVImage

This function is used for save the NV images in flash.

POSPrinter downloadNVImage(String imagePaths, int imageWidth)
POSPrinter downloadNVImage(List<Bitmap> bitmaps, int imageWidth)

[Parameter]

➤ imagePaths

It sets the absolute path of the image files.

',' = separator

(Example: "/storage/emulated/0/tmp/logo1.bmp,/storage/emulated/0/tmp/logo2.bmp")

➤ bitmaps

The bitmap list

➤ imageWidth

This value is image width.

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.25. printNVImage

This function is used to support the Bitmap Image printing stored in Flash Memory.

POSPrinter printNVImage(int index, int model)

[Parameter]

➤ index

It sets the index image stored in Flash Memory to print,range[1,255]

➤ model

Print model

| Variable | Description |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| BMP_NORMAL | Normal size |
| BMP_WIDTH_DOUBLE | Double width |
| BMP_HEIGHT_DOUBLE | Double height |
| BMP_WIDTH_HEIGHT_DOUBLE | Double size |

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.26. initializePrinter

Initialize Printer, This function clears the print buffer data.

POSPrinter initializePrinter()

[Return]
POSPrinter Instance

2.27. selectBitmapModel

Select bitmap model
POSPrinter selectBitmapModel(int model, byte[] bytes)

[Parameter]

➤ model

Bitmap model

| Variable | Description |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| SINGLE_DENSITY_8 | 8-point single density |
| DOUBLE_DENSITY_8 | 8-point double density |
| SINGLE_DENSITY_24 | 24-point single density |
| DOUBLE_DENSITY_24 | 24-point double density |

➤ bytes

Bitmap byte array

[Return]
POSPrinter Instance

2.28. printAndFeed

Print buffer data and run n points
POSPrinter printAndFeed(int n)

[Parameter]

➤ n

The paper distance, in horizontal or vertical moving units. The default is point.

[Return]
POSPrinter Instance

2.29. setLineSpacing

Set line-height
POSPrinter setLineSpacing(int space)

➤ space

Line-height, If you want to restore to the default height, use SPACE_DEFAULT.

[Return]
POSPrinter Instance

2.30. isConnect

Query connection status
void isConnect(IStatusCallback callback)

[Parameter]

➤ callback

Status callback.

```
public interface IStatusCallback {  
    void receive(int status);  
}
```

| status | Description |
|----------------|-------------|
| STS_CONNECT | connect |
| STS_DISCONNECT | disconnect |

2.31. setTurnUpsideDownMode

Select / cancel the inverted printing mode.
POSPrinter setTurnUpsideDownMode(boolean on)

[Parameter]

➤ on

True indicates selection, false indicates cancel.

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.32. selectCodePage

Select character code page
POSPrinter selectCodePage(int page)

[Parameter]

➤ page

Code page

| Variable | Description |
|----------|-------------|
|----------|-------------|

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| CODE_PAGE_PC437 | PC437 |
| CODE_PAGE_KATAKANA | Katakana |
| CODE_PAGE_PC850 | PC850 |
| CODE_PAGE_PC860 | PC860 |
| CODE_PAGE_PC863 | PC863 |
| CODE_PAGE_PC865 | PC865 |
| CODE_PAGE_WEST_EUROPE | West Europe |
| CODE_PAGE_GREEK | Greek |
| CODE_PAGE_HEBREW | Hebrew |
| CODE_PAGE_EAST_EUROPE | PC755:East Europe |
| CODE_PAGE_IRAN | Iran |
| CODE_PAGE_WPC1252 | WPC1252 |
| CODE_PAGE_PC866 | PC866:Cyrillice*2 |
| CODE_PAGE_PC852 | PC852:Latin2 |
| CODE_PAGE_PC858 | PC858 |

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.33. selectCharacterFont

Select font

POSPrinter selectCharacterFont(int font)

[Parameter]

➤ font

Font type

| Variable | Description |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| FONT_STANDARD | Standard ascii font (12 × 24) |
| FONT_COMPRESS | Compress ASCII font (9 × 17) |

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.34. setCharRightSpace

Set the right spacing of characters

POSPrinter setCharRightSpace(byte space)

[Parameter]

➤ space

Right spacing distance is $\text{space} * \text{hor_motion_unit}$

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance

2.35. sendData

This function is used to send data to the printer.

POSPrinter sendData(byte[] data);

POSPrinter sendData(List<byte[]> datas);

[Parameter]

➤ data

Byte array to be sent

➤ datas

Byte array collection to be sent

[Return]

POSPrinter Instance