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PORTI-ST30 Desk Top printer operator’s manual.
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Caution
Some semiconductor devices are easily damaged by static electricity. You should turn the printer “OFF”, before you connect or removed the cable on the rear side, in order to guard the printer against the static electricity.
If the printer is damaged by the static electricity, you should turn the printer “OFF”

Notice
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Introduction

The Porti-ST30 is the ideal solution for taxi receipt printer, receipt printer, Medical analyzer, industrial instrument, recorder, geological analyzer, underground analyzer, chemical analyzer, metallic analyzer, etc.

The general features of Porti-ST30 printer are as follows:

- Pocket size(75 * 95 * 35mm)
- Light weight(169g) for true mobility.
- Very silent printing thru direct thermal printing method
- High speed(50mm/sec, MAX)
- High resolution(203dpi : 8dots/mm).
- UART(RS-232C or TTL) or RS-485 interface
- Support text and graphic printing.
- Low power consumption
- Easier paper loading by CLAMSHELL design.
- Easier maintenance with self-diagnostics.
- In field programming – Update Firmware, Download Fonts and Logos
- Flow control : Software (XON/XOFF)
  - Hardware flow control not supported in printer.
- Agency Approvals

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Operating Precautions

Please follow the precautions below to enjoy and maintain the full performance of the printer.

Using the Printer

- Be careful not to drop or bump the printer on a hard surface.
- Do not install the printer in direct sunlight or such areas. Suitable environment for the use of the printer is as follows:
  - Operating temperature: -10°C to 50°C
  - Relative humidity: 10% to 90% (No condensation)
- Do not install the printer near devices that generate strong electromagnetic fields such as a copy machine.
- Do not open the platen cover during printing.
- Do not remove or reinstall the communication cable during printing or transmission.
- Do not touch the connectors of the communication during printing.
- Switch the POWER OFF when not in use.
- Do not use alcohol or other solvent.
- The AC adapter, the battery charger and the battery pack may become warm when in use. This is normal and is not a malfunction.
- When the battery pack is used at low temperature, the length of time the printer can be used may be shortened.

Thermal Paper Handling

- Store the thermal paper in a cool, dry and dark place.
- Do not rub the paper with hard object.
- Do not leave the paper with hard object.
- Do not allow plastic film, erasers, or adhesive tape to touch the paper for long periods.
- Do not stack the thermal paper with diazo copies immediately after copying or wet-type copies.
- Do not use chemical glue.
- Always use the clean thermal paper.
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1. Outline

1.1. Model classifications

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Model name

Interface
None: UART
A : RS-485

Power
None : DC 12V

1.2. Product Part Number System

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Model name / Interface Spec.</th>
<th>Wired</th>
<th>Wireless</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>A RS-232C</td>
<td>1 Bluetooth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>B TTL</td>
<td>2 IrDA</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>C USB</td>
<td>0 None</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>D RS-485</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>E Parallel</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Z None</td>
<td></td>
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</tbody>
</table>

Example) 1. Porti-S40  Serial/Bluetooth  Part No. S40/A1
2. Porti-SC30  Bluetooth Only  Part No. SC30/Z1
### 1.3. Specifications

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Specification</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Printing method</td>
<td>Direct thermal line printing</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Characters per line</td>
<td>42cpl (MAX)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Character size</td>
<td>Eng. : 9<em>24dots, 12</em>24dots   Kor. : 16<em>24dots, [24</em>24dots]</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Optional Charaters</td>
<td>Simplified/Traditional Chinese, Arabic, Cyrillic, Russian, Turkish, Greek, Japanese, Persian, Latin9 and Others upon request.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Resolution</td>
<td>203dpi, 8dots/mm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Print width</td>
<td>2-inch (48mm, 384dots)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printing speed</td>
<td>50mm / sec (MAX)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dimensions</td>
<td>75 * 95 * 35 mm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Weight</td>
<td>169g  (including roll paper )</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Interface</td>
<td>UART(RS-232C or TTL) or RS-485</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Paper supplied</td>
<td>Thermal roll paper (57mm wide, 30ø)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receive buffer size</td>
<td>10K bytes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Input Power</td>
<td>12VDC, Standby 60mA and Max 3A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Environment Conditions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| Temperature            | -10°C ~ 50°C (operating)  
                         | -10°C ~ 70°C (storage)                                                                                                                        |
| Humidity               | 30% - 80%  (operating)  
                         | 10% - 90%  (storage)                                                                                                                          |
| MCBF (Mean Cycle Between failure) | Mechanical 37,000,000 lines  
                         | Head Approximately 50 Km                                                                                                                       |

< Table 1 >
2. Setting up the printer

2.1. Printer & Accessories

Your printer box should include these items.
If any items are damaged or missing, please contact your dealer for assistance.

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Thermal roll paper
2.2. Printer Features

2.2.1. Part name

2.2.2. Dimensions
2.3. Replacing the paper roll

Note: Be sure to use paper rolls that meet the specifications.
    Do not use paper rolls that have the paper glued to the core because the printer can not detect the paper end correctly.

1. Make sure that the printer is not receiving data; otherwise, data may be lost.
2. Open the paper cover using finger on both side of printer, and remove the remaining paper.

3. Insert a new paper roll as shown.

4. Tear the excess paper off using the edge of paper door as a tear bar.

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2.4. Power supply

The following specifications are requested for Power supply.

Input : DC 12V/ Max 3A

Avoid using power supply which its power capacity of power current is extremely high.
3. Interface

3.1. Serial

The Porti-ST30 printer has a UART(RS-232C or TTL) or RS-485 interface is connected by means of a 9 pin D-sub (Female Type) connector.

In the following table, the signals present on the connector are listed:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Pin No.</th>
<th>Signal Name</th>
<th>Direction</th>
<th>Function</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>TxD</td>
<td>Output</td>
<td>Transmit Data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>RxD</td>
<td>Input</td>
<td>Receive Data</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>GND</td>
<td></td>
<td>Ground</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>Input Voltage</td>
<td></td>
<td>12VDC / 3A</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<D-Sub 9p Female >
4. Using the printer

4.1. Control panel

- **FEED Button**: When the printer is on, paper can be feed manually by pressing and holding the FEED button for more than one second.

- **POWER Button**: Press the power button when turning on /off.
  
  Function of the printer it stops but the power is perfect and it does not intercept.
  
  (The electric current is consumed in the normality)

**Panel lamp**

- **Power(Green)**: Printer is ON and ready to receive data.

- **Error (Red)**: Indicates a fault condition or a printer error.
  
  (i.e : no paper, paper cover opened. etc.)

4.2. The self test

The self test procedure will check most of the printer functions. For self test, turn on the power while holding down the FEED Button. The Self-Test checks the following:

1) Make sure paper roll has been installed properly.

2) The Self-Test prints the current printer status, which provides the control ROM version and the communication method setting.

3) After printing the current printer status, Self-Test will print a pattern using the built-in character set.

4) The Self-Test automatically ends.

The printer is ready to receive data as soon as it completed the self test.
5. Consumable Parts

5.1. Recommended paper

- Type: Thermal Paper
- Paper width: 57mm
- Paper thickness: 60±5
- Outer diameter: Ø30mm or less
- Recording side: Outside of roll

⚠️ Cautions

1. Do not paste the paper to the core. And the roll paper which has near end mark printing on its near end is recommended.
2. Chemicals or oil may change the color of paper, or printed characters may fade.
3. Change of paper color starts from approx. 70°C. Pay attention to heat, humidity and sun light.
4. Color of paper may be changed by being scratched by nail or hard metal, etc.

5.2. Printing position

![Diagram of printing position]

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