

CCD Barcode Scanner

- MS250 -



User's Manual

Version 2.1



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Chapter 1. Quick Tour





Chapter 2. Installation and Operation



1. Connect the USB connector of MS 250 to the USB port of a host PC.



2. Aim at the barcode and pull the trigger to scan the barcode.



Chapter 3. CONFIGURATION 3.1 Flow Chart



Set All Defaults



3.2 Loop of Programming

The philosophy of programming parameters has been shown on the flow chart of 3.1. Basically user should

- 1. Scan Start of Configuration.
- 2. Scan all necessary labels for parameters that meet applications.
- 3. Scan End of Configuration to end the programming.

4. To permanently save the settings you programmed, just scan label for Save Parameters.

To go back to the Default Settings, just scan label for Set All Defaults.

3.3 Factory Default Settings

The factory default settings are shown with <> and bold in the following sections. You can make your own settings by following the procedures in this manual. If you want to save the settings permanently, you should scan the label of "Save Parameters" in chapter 3.4,otherwise the settings will not be saved after the decoder power is off, and all settings will go back to previous settings.

By scanning "Set All Default" label, the settings will go back to the factory default settings.

3.4 Main Page of Configuration





Save Parameters	
Recall Stored Parameters	

Save Parameters -The parameter settings will be saved permanently.

Recall Stored Parameters -

Replace the current parameters by the parameters you saved last time.

Set All Defaults -

Set all the parameters to the factory default settings.

Abort Configuration -Terminate current programming status.

Version Information -

Display the decoder version information and date code.



Chapter 4 Interface and Reading Mode Selection

4.1 Interface Selection

<usb mode=""></usb>	%0XO8	
Keyboard Mode	 	
RS232 Mode	%00U8	
WAND Emulation	%00M2	
Virtual Com Port Mode	%0088	
4.2 Reading Mode Selection		
<trigger off="" on=""></trigger>	% 0270	
Good Read OFF	%0271	
Continuous/Trigger OFF	%0272	
Testing	%0275	



Continuous/Auto Power On

Flash	111 %0274
Flash/Auto Power On	%0276
Reserved1	%0277
Auto Sense (Option)	%09F8
Reserved3	%09F9
Reserved4	%09FA
Reserved5	%09FB

%0273



Chapter.5 Communication Parameters

5.1 RS232 Communication Parameters A. Set Up BAUD Rate

1200	%0Y71
2400	%0Y72
4800	%0Y73
<9600>	%0Y77
19200	%0Y74
38400	%0Y75

B. Set Up Data Bits

7 Data Bits	%0¥80
<8 Data Bits>	%0Y88



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C. Set Up Stop Bits	
<1 Bit>	%0YO8
2 Bits	%0YOO
D. Set Up Parity	
<none></none>	%0YN7
Even	%0YN2
Odd	%0YN3
Mark	%0YN1
Space	%0YN0
E. Handshaking	
RTS/CTS Enable	%0188
<rts cts="" disable=""></rts>	

%0180





5.2 Keyboard Wedge Mode Parameters A. Terminal Type









B. Upper/Lower Case



C. Caps Lock Detection



D. Send Character by ALT Method

Enable	%03O8
<disable></disable>	%03O0





5.3 Output Characters Parameters

A. Select Terminator

ON

<cr+lf></cr+lf>	%7S2+
None	%7S7+
CR	%7SO+
LF	%7S1+
Space	%7S4+
HT(TAB)	%7S3+
STX-ETX	%7S5+



B. Time-out Between Characters

<0 ms>	//////////////////////////////////////
5 ms	% 0071
10 ms	%0072
25 ms	%0073
50 ms	111 760074
100 ms	%007 <i>5</i>
200 ms	%0076
300 ms	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1



5.4 Wand Emulation Mode Parameters

A. TTL Level Representation



B. Scan Speed Selection

<Fast>

Slow



C. Output Format Selection





Chapter. 6 Bar Codes & Others

6.1 Symbologies Selection

UPC-A <on></on>	%0A44
OFF	%0A40
UPC-E <on></on>	%0BO8
OFF	%0BO0
EAN-13/JAN-13/ISBN-13 <on></on>	%0A22
OFF	%0A20
EAN-8/JAN-8 <on></on>	%0A11
OFF	%0A10
CODE 39 <on></on>	%0EO8
OFF	%0EO0







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CODE 93 ON	// М () () () () () () () () () () () () ()
<off></off>	%0KOO
CODE 11 ON	%0LO8
<off></off>	%0LOO
China Postage ON	%0MO8
<off></off>	%0MOO
MSI/PLESSEY ON	%0NO8
<off></off>	%0NO0
Code 2 of 6 ON	%0PO8
<off></off>	%0PO0











B Supplemental Set Up

<not transmit=""></not>	%0B33
Transmit 2 Code	%0B31
Transmit 5 Code	%0B32



C Check Digit Transmission

UPC-A Check Digit Transmission <on></on>	%0AI2
OFF	%OAIO
UPC-E Check Digit Transmission <on></on>	%0BI2
OFF	%0BIO
EAN-8 Check Digit Transmission <on></on>	%0A88
OFF	%0A80
EAN-13 Check Digit Transmission <on></on>	%0AH1
OFF	%0AH0





C Output Start/Stop Character

Enable

<Disable>

D Decode Asterisk

Enable

<Disable>

%0E40

E Set Up Code Length

To set the fixed length:

1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.

2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.

3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set. Repeat the steps 1 - 3 to set additional lengths.

<Variable>



%4F1+

Fix Length (2 Sets Available)

1.1st Set Begin



2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)



- 3. 1st Set Complete
- 1. 2nd Set Begin

2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)

3. 2nd Set Complete

Minimum Length

- 1. Begin
- 2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)
- 3. Complete



%4E00

%4E02

%2+-/

6.4 Code 128 Parameters A Reading Type

UCC/EA1-128 Enable
Image: Comparison of the second sec





- length to be read.
- 3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set.
- 4. Repeat the steps 1 3 to set additional lengths.

<Variable>







1. 1st Set Begin



- 2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)
- 3. 1st Set Complete
- 1. 2nd Set Begin



3. 2nd Set Complete

Minimum Length

- 1. Begin
- 2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)
- 3. Complete



%4F02

%2C1+





D Set 8p Code Length

To set the fixed length:

1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.

2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.

3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set. Repeat the steps 1 - 3 to set additional lengths.



Fix Length (2 Sets Available)

1.1st Set Beg

<Variable>



2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)



3. 1st Set Complete

1.2nd Set Begin

2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)

3. 2nd Set Complete

Minimum Length

- 1. Begin
- 2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)
- 3. Compete



%2+-/

%4G00

%4G02

6.6 Industrial 25 Parameters A Reading type

IATA25 Enable

<Disable>





B Check Digit Transmission

<Do Not Calculate Check Digit>



%2C2+



C Set Up Code Length

To set the fixed length

1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.

2. Go the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.

- 3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set.
- 4. Repeat the steps 1 3 to set additional lengths.





Fix Length (2 Sets Available)

1. 1st Set Begin



2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)

- 3. 1st Set Complete
- 1. 2nd Set Begin
- 2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)
- 3. 2nd Set Complete







%4H02



Minimum Length

1. Begin



2. Decimal Value (See Appendix A)

3. Complete



6.7 Matrix 25 Parameters A Check Digit Transmission

<Do Not Calculate Check Digit>

Calculate Check Digit & Transmit

Calculate Check Digit & Not Transmit







B Set Up Code Length

To set the fixed length:

1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.

2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.

- 3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set.
- 4. Repeat the steps 1 3 to set additional lengths.

<Variable>





Fix Length (2 Sets Available)

1.1st Set Begin



- 3. 1st Set Complete
- 1. 2nd Set Begin



3. 2nd Set Complete

Minimum Length

- 1. Begin
- 2. Decimal Value (Appendix A)
- 3. Complete



6.8 CODABAR/NW7 Parameters

A Set Up Start/Stop Characters Upon Transmission

ON



%4100

%4100



%4I07





C Set Up Code Length

To set the fixed length:

1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.

2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.

3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set. Repeat the steps 1 - 3 to set additional lengths.

<Variable>



(2 Sets Available) **Fix Length**

1st Set Begin



Decimal Value (Appendix A)

1st Set Complete





Decimal Value (Appendix A)

2nd Set Begin

2nd Set Complete





Minimum Length

Begin



Decimal Value (Appendix A)

Complete



%2C5+

6.9 Code 93 Parameters

A Check Digit Transmission

<Calculate Check 2 Digits & Not Transmit>



Do Not Calculate Check Digit

B Set Up Code Length

To set the fixed length:

1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.

2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.

- 3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set.
- 4. Repeat the steps 1 3 to set additional lengths.





1st Set Complete

2nd Set Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

2nd Set Complete

Minimum Length

Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

Complete



762 + -1

%4K00

%4K02

6.10 Code 11 Parameters

A Check Digit Transmission







Minimum Length

Begin

%2+-/

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

Complete

%2C7+

6.11 MSI/PLESSEY Code Parameters

A Check Digit Transmission



B Set Up Code Length

To set the fixed length:

- 1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.
- 2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.
- 3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set.
- 4. Repeat the steps 1 3 to set additional lengths.







Fix Length (2 Sets Available)

1st Set Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

1st Set Complete

2nd Set Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

2nd Set Complete

Minimum Length

Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

Complete

6.12 LCD25 Parameters

A Check Digit Transmission

<Do Not Calculate Check Digit>

Calculate Check Digit & Transmit











%2C9+





%00N7



B Setup Code length

To set the fixed length:

- 1. Scan the "Begin" label of the desired set.
- 2. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the length to be read.
- 3. Scan the "Complete" label of the desired set.
- 4. Repeat the steps 1 3 to set additional lengths.

<Variable>



%4000

Fix Length (2 Sets Available)

1st Set Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

1st Set Complete

2st Set Begin

Decimal Value (Appendix A)

2nt Set Complete

Minimum Length

Begin



Decimal Value (Appendix A)



%4000





6.15 GS1 Databar A GS1 DataBar OmnidirectionI







Chapter 7 Miscellaneous Parameters 7.1 Language Selection

<us english=""></us>	
UK English	%0ZV1
Italian	%0ZV2
Spanish	%0ZV3
French	%0ZV4
German	%0ZV5
Swedish	%0ZV6
Switzerland	%0ZN7
Hungarian	%0ZV8
Japanese	%0ZV9





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scanning code, user may refer to the following table to know what kind of bar code is being scanned.

Please refer to the table below for matching code ID of codes read in.

Code Type	ID	Code Type	ID
UPC-A	Α	UPC-E	Е
EAN-8	FF	EAN-13	F
CODE 39	Μ	CODE 128	K
Interleave 25	I	Industrial 25	Н
Matrix 25	I	Codabar/NW7	Ν
CODE 93	L	CODE 11	L
China Postage	С	MSI	0
LCD25	Q	PLESSEY	Р
GS1 DataBar Omnidirectional	U	GS1 DataBar Expanded	W
GS1 DataBar Limited	V		

User Define Code ID

To set the code ID:

1. Scan the symbologies label.

2. Go to the ASCII Tables in Appendix B, scan label that represents the desired code ID.

Note:

User define code ID will override default value. Program will not check the conflict. It is possible to have more than two symbologies which have same code ID.













B Same Code Delay Reading Interval

Following code sequences represent the length of time before a barcode can be rescanned at continuous and flash reading mode. The value can be defined from 1-50 and they represent 100ms to 5 seconds in 100ms interval. Default value is 3 (0.3 seconds).



To setup same code delay reading interval:

1.Scan the "Begin" label

2.Go the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, Scan label(s),that represents the same code delay reading interval. They are ranged form 1-50.One step is represented 0.1second.So the interval is from 0.1 to 5 seconds.

- 3.Scan the "Complete" label
- 4. Repeat the steps 1-3 to set time out of same symbol

Begin



Decimal Value (1-50) (Appendix A)

Complete



7.7 Reverse Output Characters

<Disable>



%03H0

Enable

7.8 Setup Deletion

To setup the deletion of output characters:

- 1. Scan the label of the desired set below.
- 2. Scan the label of the desired symbology.

3. Go to the Decimal Value Tables listed in Appendix A, scan labels that represents the desired position to be deleted.

4. Scan "Complete" label of "Character Position to be Deleted".

5. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in appendix A,scan labels that represents the desired position to be deleted.

- 6. Scan the "Complete" label of "Number Position to be Deleted".
- 7. Repeat the steps 1 6 to set additional deletion.



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A. Select Deletion Set Number	
1st Set	%800+
2nd Set	%801+
3rd Set	%802+
4th Set	%803+
5th Set	%804+
6th Set	%805+
B Symbology Selection	
UPC-A	%81A+
UPC-E	%81B+
EAN-13/JAN-13/ISBN-13	%81Y+









7.9 Setup Insertion

To setup the insertion of output characters

- 1. Scan the label of the desired set.
- 2. Scan the label of the desired symbology.

3. Go to the Decimal Value Tables in Appendix A, scan label(s) that represents the desired position to be inserted.

4. Scan the "Complete" label of "Character Position to be Inserted".

5. Go to the ASCII Tables in Appendix B or Function Key Tables in Appendix C, scan label(s) that represents the desired characters to be inserted.

6. Scan the "Complete" label of "Characters to be

Inserted".

7. Repeat the steps 1 - 6 to set additional insertion.

A Select Insertion Set Number



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B Symbologies Selection	
UPC-A	
UPC-E	%51B+
EAN-13/JAN-13/ISBN-13	%51Y+
EAN-8/JAN-8	%51Z+
CODE 39	%51E+
CODE 128	%51F+
CODABAR/NW7	%51J+
Interleave 25	%51G+
Industrial 25	%51H+
Matrix 25	%51 I +
CODE 93	%51K+







D Characters to be Inserted

ASCII Table (Appendix B)

Complete





Appendix A Decimal Value Table

0	5	
1	6	
2	7	
3	8	
4	9	

Appendix B ASCII Table

NULL	STX		SOH	
ETX	ENQ	05	EOT	
ACK	BS		BEL	
НТ	VT		LF	
FF	SO		CR	
SI	DC1		DLE	



DC2		DC4		DC3	
NAK		ETB		SYN	
CAN		SUB		EM	19
ESC		GS		FS	
RS				US	
SPACE	20	66		!	
#	23	%	25	\$	24
&	26	(28	í	27
)	29	+	2B	*	
,			2E	-	
1	2F	1	31	0	30
2	32	4	34	3	33
5	35	7	3 7	6	36
8	38	:	3A	9	39
;	3B	=	3D	<	3C
>	3E			?	3F



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@		В		Α	
С		Е		D	
F		н		G	
I	49	K	4B	J	
L		Ν		М	4D
0		Q		Р	
R		т	54	S	53
U		W	57	V	56
X	58	Z		Y	59
[5B]		١	5C
۸	5E			_	5F
``		b	62	а	
С	63	е	65	d	64
f		h	68	g	67
i	69	k	6B	j	





Appendix C Function Key Table

F1	F3	F2	
F4	F6	F5	
F7	F9	F8	
F10	F12	F11	
Insert	Home	Delete	
Page Up	End	Page Down	
Left	Up	Right	D3
Down			



8 SPECIFICATION 8.1 Dimensions





8.2 Technical Data

Interface	USB	
Supply Voltage	DC +5V ± 10%	
Output Voltage (Typ.)	+5V	
Output low Voltage (Max.)	0.4V	
Current Draw (Typ.)	± 5%	
Power On (Typ.)	120mA	
Stand by (Typ.)	20mA	
Operation (Typ.)	120mA	
Light Source	Visible Red light 635nm LED	
Sensor	Linear CCD Sensor	
Processor Type	ARM Cortex™-M3, 32-bit	
Operating Freq.	8 MHz (Internal)	
Scan Speed	200 scans/ second ±10%	
Depth of Field	Up to 75mm @ 20mil, PCS90%, Code39	
Width of Field (Window)	80 mm	
Print Contrast Ratio	45%	
Resolution	3mil (0.076mm) @ PCS90%	
Ambient Light	20,000 Lux Max	
Reading Angle	Test Conditions : Code 39, 10mil/0.25mm, PCS 90%	
Forward & Backward	±10°~30° (±5°)	
Left & Right	± 60° (±5°)	
Firmware	Available for updated	
Driver	Support USB emulation COM port	
ESD	8kv contact, 12kv on air	
Bit error rate	50/100,000	
Operating Temperature	0 °C to 50 °C (32 °F to 122 °F)	
Storage Temperature	-20 °C to 70 °C (-4 °F to 158 °F)	
Relative Humidity	20% to 95% (Non-condensing)	



8.3. Readable Symbology

	Readable	Default Enable
All UPC/EAN/JAN	V	V
EAN128 Code	V	V
Code 39	V	V
Code 39 Full ASCII	V	
Code32 / Italian Pharmacy	V	
Code 128	V	V
CODABAR/NW7	V	V
Interleave 25	V	V
Industrial 25	V	
Matrix 25	V	
MSI/PLESSEY	V	
Code 93	V	
Code 11	V	
China Postage	V	
LCD25	V	
GS1 DataBar Omnidirectional	V	
GS1 DataBar Turncated	V	
GS1 DataBar Stacked	V	
GS1 DataBar Omnidirectional	V	
Stacked		
GS1 DataBar Limited	V	
GS1 DataBar Expanded	V	
GS1 DataBar Expanded Stacked	V	



8.4. Reliability

Life Time	
Trigger Switch	1,000,000 times
MTBF(Calculated)	50,000 hours
Thermal Shock	
High Temp.	60 °C (140 °F)
Low Temp.	-20 °C (-4 °F)
Cycle time	20 minutes for high temp., 20 minutes for low temp.
Cycles	5 cycles
Cable Bending Test	25,000 times/ minimum (30 times/ min @ 500g/ 90 $^{\rm o})$
Drop	59.06 inches (150cm) drop on Concrete Surface
Beeper	90 db/ minimum