
OpenDev RFID USB Reader

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1 Overview

This reference manual provides operating instructions, command references for different firmwares, and other detailed product information. If you have any questions, please visit our Knowledge Base, and if you need further assistance, send us a Technical assistance request.

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2 Features

- Reader is a bus-powered USB 2.0 full-speed device with micro-USB connector. The device dimensions are 10.3x6.8x1.1cm.
- Indication: a green LED and a buzzer.
- Available firmware types include: HID (emulates a keyboard) - out-of-the-box OS support. No driver installation on Microsoft Windows, Apple macOS and Linux; CDC/ACM (virtual serial port) - works out of the box in Microsoft Windows 8 and 10, Apple macOS and Linux, a driver for Microsoft Windows 7 (32 bit and 64 bit) is available.
- Supports 13.56 MHz RFID MIFARE tags (Classic 1K/4K/Mini and Ultralight)
- Extensible and future-proof design: the device firmware can be easily changed or updated using built-in HID USB Bootloader.

3 CDC Firmware

The device appears as a virtual serial port (COM port) by implementing the USB Communications Device Class, Abstract Control Model (CDC/ACM) specification. All major operating systems, including Windows, Linux, and MacOS support such devices out-of-the-box.

An AT command set is provided to query tags, read and write data, and configure the device itself.

3.1 Port settings

The device represents itself as a virtual COM port. As such, port settings, like communication speed, parity or stop bit settings will be ignored. No specific configuration is necessary and the port can be operated at any settings (without influencing the communication speed).

3.2 General Frame Format

- Host-to-Device data must start with an **AT** keyword and end with a carriage-return character (ASCII code 13 decimal, 0x0d hexadecimal, “\r” as C string literal)
- Device-to-Host frames start and end with a carriage-return character followed by a line-feed character (ASCII codes 13,10 decimal, 0x0d,0x0a hexadecimal, “\r\n” as C string literal).
- Device-to-Host response to a Host-to-Device request consists of one or more frames, the last one being \r\nOK\r\n or \r\nERROR\r\n, depending on whether the request/command has been completed successfully or failed.
- Do **not** add any unnecessary white space characters (space, back-space, tab, carriage-return, line-feed, etc.) to the request data, they will not be removed by the command-line parser leading to “*ERROR*” response.

3.3 Device modes

RFID device can be in two modes: scanning (**SCAN1**) and application controlled mode (**SCAN0**). The default mode (i.e. the device mode after POR) is selected via the device settings. Factory defaults set it to *scanning* mode.

- **SCAN1** - the device continuously scans whether an RFID tag is present or not (actually it queries the tag presence once every N ms, factory default - 1000ms) and reports it to the PC:
 - **SCAN**: +<HEX UID> when a new tag is detected
 - **SCAN**: -<HEX UID> when a tag is no longer present (All commands except LED control, BUZZ control, settings related, and device reboot will fail with **ERROR** while in **SCAN1** mode)
- **SCAN0** - the device does not scan for RFID tags on its own, only when a corresponding request arrives.

3.4 Error codes

When a tag reports an error, an additional frame describing the error can be returned before the **ERROR** frame. This additional frame has the following format:

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1 +CME ERROR: <code>
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where code is the last error reported by RFID IC. It is a 32bit unsigned integer in decimal format with the following bit fields:

- 0x00000001 - Protocol error
- 0x00000002 - Parity error

- 0x00000004 - Checksum error
- 0x00000008 - Collision
- 0x00000010 - Buffer overflow
- 0x00000020 - Tear event
- 0x00000040 - IC overheated
- 0x00000080 - FIFO write error
- 0x00000100 - Operation timed out
- 0x00000200 - Mifare NAK
- 0x00000400 - Authentication failure
- 0x00000800 - Generic communication error

3.5 CDC/ACM AT Command Set. API Referece.

3.5.1 Device Information

This command queries the product information and firmware version of the device.

Syntax:

Request	ATI\r
Response	<product description> <firmware version/build date> S/N <serial number>

Example:

Request	ATI\r
Response	Open-Development RFID Reader (CDC-AT)1.0F Jan 17 2018 S/N 220333635434B431500280010

3.5.2 LED Control

This command controls the state of the light-emitting diode (LED).

Syntax:

Request	AT+D1=[0 1 2 nil]\r	Changes the state of the LED to
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0=off, 1=on, 2=blinking.

If no state is specified (i.e. *nil*),
the application relinquishes
control to the firmware

Response	OK
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Example:

Request	<code>AT+D1=1\r</code>	Turn the LED on
Response	OK	

Request	<code>AT+D1=\r</code>	Return control to the firmware
Response	OK	

Request	<code>AT+D1?\r</code>	Query LED state
Response	<code>+D1=1</code>	LED is on
	OK	

3.5.3 Buzzer Control

This command controls the state of the buzzer

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+B=[0 1 nil]\r</code>	Changes the state of the buzzer to <i>0=off, 1=on.</i>
		If no state is specified (i.e. <i>nil</i>), the application relinquishes control to the firmware
Response	OK	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+B=1\r</code>	Turn the buzzer on
Response	<code>OK</code>	

Request	<code>AT+B=\r</code>	Return control to the firmware
Response	<code>OK</code>	

Request	<code>AT+B?\r</code>	Query the buzzer state
Response	<code>+B=1</code>	Buzzer is on
	<code>OK</code>	

3.5.4 RFID Mode Control

This command switches the device mode.

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+SCAN[0 1]\r</code>
Response	<code>OK</code>

Example:

Request	<code>AT+SCAN0\r</code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	Scanning disabled

3.5.5 Enable/Disable RF Field

This command switches the RF field, generated by the IC, *on* or *off*

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+RF=[0 1]\r</code>	1 - switch on 0 - switch off
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Response	OK
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Example:

Request	AT+RF=0\r
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Response	OK	RF field is off
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Request	AT+RF?\r	Query the RF field state
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Response	+RF=0	RF field is currently off
	OK	

3.5.6 Inventory scan

Requests an inventory scan. Returns a list of UIDs (may be empty) of active tags.

Syntax:

Request	AT+I\r
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Response	+UID=<HEX UID><SAK>	possibly repeated or absent
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	OK
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Example:

Request	AT+I\r
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Response	+UID=EC6D140708
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	+UID=343D7091725D8600
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	OK
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3.5.7 Inventory Scan (without Anti-Collision)

Requests an inventory scan without anti-collision (returns the first detected tag, if any).

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+i\r</code>	
Response	<code>+UID=<HEX UID><SAK></code>	possibly absent
	<code>OK</code>	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+i\r</code>
Response	<code>+UID=EC6D140708</code>
	<code>OK</code>

3.5.8 Inventory Scan (select next tag)

Halts the currently selected tag and requests an inventory scan without anti-collision (i.e select the next tag)

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+n\r</code>	
Response	<code>+UID=<HEX UID><SAK></code>	possibly absent
	<code>OK</code>	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+n\r</code>
Response	<code>+UID=343D7091725D8600</code>
	<code>OK</code>

3.5.9 Select Tag

Select a single tag by UID for further processing. The tag access commands (read/write block) address the *current* tag. *current* means either the first one according to the anti-collision algorithm, or the one, selected with this command.

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+SELECT=<HEX UID>\r</code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	Tag selected
	<code>ERROR</code>	Tag is not present

Example:

Request	<code>AT+SELECT=343D7091725D86\r</code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	Tag selected
Request	<code>AT+SELECT=343D7091725D87\r</code>	
Response	<code>ERROR</code>	Tag is not present

3.5.10 Check Tag Presence

Check whether a tag with the specified UID is currently present. Unlike the `AT+SELECT=...` command this one just checks the tag presence, it does select the tag and does not make it the current one.

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+C=<HEX UID>\r</code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	Tag is present
	<code>ERROR</code>	Tag is not present

Example:

Request	<code>AT+C=343D7091725D86\r</code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	Tag is present
	<i>The current UID has not changed!</i>	

Request	AT+C=343D7091725D87\r	
Response	ERROR	Tag is not present

3.5.11 Get Current Tag Information

Request detailed information about the current tag: UID, block size, block count, type. UID us returned in hexadecimal format, BS (block size), BC (block count), T (type) in decimal format.

Recognized tag types

- 0 - Classic 1K
- 1 - Classic 4K
- 2 - Classic Mini
- 3 - Ultralight
- 4 - Ultralight C
- 5 - Ultralight C EV1 (640 bits)
- 6 - Ultralight C EV1 (1312 bits)
- 7 - Plus S 2K
- 8 - Plus S 4K
- 9 - DesFire 2K
- 10 - DesFire 4K
- 11 - DesFire 8K
- 12 - Classic 2K
- 13 - Plus X 2K
- 14 - Plus X 4K
- 15-254 RFU
- 255 - Unknown

Syntax:

Request	AT+S\r	
Response	+UID=<HEX UID>,BC=<bc>, BS=<bs>,T=<t>	
	OK	
	ERROR	tag did not respond
		or SCAN1 mode is enabled

Example:

Request	AT+S\r
Response	+UID=EC6D140708,BC=64,BS=16,T=0
	OK

3.5.12 Read Data Block

Read data block from tag memory. The block number must be within the range supported by the tag (see **BC** field in the AT+S\r request), and passed in decimal format. Returns the block number, followed by the actual data in hexadecimal format. Number of bytes in the data equals the tag block size (see **BS** field in the AT+S\r request). A tag must be selected prior to executing this command (either by calling AT+i,AT+S, or AT+SELECT)

Syntax

Request	AT+R0\r	
Response	+DATA <number of bytes >:<hex data>	
	OK	
	+CME ERROR: <code>	tag did not respond, reported an error
	ERROR	or SCAN1 mode is enabled

Example

Request	AT+R0\r
Response	+DATA 0:EC6D1407920804009944314230353913
	OK

3.5.13 Write Data Block

Write data block to tag memory. The block number must be within the range supported by the tag (see **BC** field in the AT+S\r request), and passed in decimal format. The data must be passed in hexadecimal

format. The length of the data must match the size of a data block as returned in the **BS** parameter (i.e. pass $2*BS$ hexadecimal characters).

Syntax

Request	<code>AT+W<block number>:<HEX DATA></code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	
	<code>+CME ERROR: <code></code>	write or auth error (if <code>+CME . . .</code> is reported)
	<code>ERROR</code>	syntax error or <code>SCAN1</code> mode is enabled (if no <code>+CME . . .</code>)

Example

Request	<code>AT+W1:000102030405060708090A0B0C0D0E0F\r</code>
Response	<code>OK</code>

3.5.14 Device Settings

The following commands change various device settings. They are executed regardless of the device mode. Individual commands change only in-RAM settings. In order to save the current settings to ROM, execute the `AT+P` command.

Enable/Disable the LED

This command enables/disables the LED. This setting only affects whether the firmware switches the LED when a tag is detected/lost. Regardless of this setting, you can switch the LED on and off using `AT+D1 . . .` command.

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+L[0 1 ?]\r</code>	? - query the current value 0 - do not switch LED on/off 1 - switch LED on/off
Response	<code>OK</code>	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+L?\r</code>	
Response	<code>+L=1</code>	LED will be switched on/off
	<code>OK</code>	

Enable/Disable the Buzzer

This command enables/disables the buzzer. This setting only affects whether the firmware will make a *beep* when a tag is detected or not. Regardless of this setting, you can switch the buzzer on and off using `AT+B...` command.

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+Z[0 1 ?]\r</code>	? - query the current value 0 - do not make a <i>beep</i> 1 - make a <i>beep</i>
Response	<code>OK</code>	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+Z?\r</code>	
Response	<code>+Z=1</code>	The device will beep when a tag is detected
	<code>OK</code>	

RFID Receiver Gain

The receiver gain is measured in *dBm*. The valid range is [18; 48] *dBm*. The default value is 33 *dBm*.

The valid gain values are

- 18 *dBm*
- 23 *dBm*
- 33 *dBm*
- 38 *dBm*
- 43 *dBm*
- 48 *dBm*

If any other value is passed, it will be rounded (to the nearest available value greater than the one passed).

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+G=[18-48]\r</code>	? - query the current value +G= - revert to default (33)
Response	<code>OK</code>	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+G=24\r</code>	
Response	<code>OK</code>	The value will be rounded The value will not be applied immediately

Request	<code>AT+G?\r</code>	
Response	<code>+G=33</code> <code>OK</code>	The value (24) has been rounded.

Tag Presence Query Frequency

When in `SCAN1` mode, the device queries the tag presence every N ms (default value: 1000ms). This command controls the query frequency (i.e. the interval N). Valid range is [250-65535] ms. Values smaller than the minimum one will be accepted and silently increased to fit in the range. Values greater than the aximum one will result in an error.

Syntax:

Request	<code>AT+T[? <value>]\r</code>	? - query the current value
Response	<code>OK</code>	

Example:

Request	<code>AT+T?\r</code>	
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Response	+T=1000 OK	The current interval value is 1000ms
Request	AT+T1500\r	
Response	OK	The current interval value set to 1500ms

Mifare Authentication Key

Mifare Classic tags need an authentication key to be read/written. The following command sets the key (the key type and 6 bytes long key itself), which will be used to authenticate connected Mifare Classic tags. The default value is FF

Syntax:

Request	AT+K<type><hex data>\r	type can be A or B
Response	OK	

Example:

Request	AT+KA000102030405\r	
Response	OK	Key set to 00 . . 05 type A
Request	AT+K?	
Response	+A000102030405\r OK	returns current key type and value

Write settings to ROM

This command saves the current in-RAM setting to ROM, i.e. makes them permanent

Syntax:

Request AT+P\r

Response	OK
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3.5.15 Device Control

The following commands manage the RFID reader device itself:

Device Reboot

Reboot the device

Syntax:

Request	AT+Q\r
Response	OK

Firmware Update

Reboot the device and start the bootloader (this command may not be supported by some devices. If not supported, acts as AT+Q\r).

Syntax:

Request	AT+X\r
Response	OK

4 HID Firmware

The HID firmware acts as a USB HID Keyboard and a Vendor-Specific HID device. The device scans for new tags and types the UID of a found tag by using virtual keystrokes.

4.1 Device modes

RFID device can be in two modes: scanning and application controlled mode. The default mode (i.e. then device mode after POR) is selected via the device settings. Factory defaults set it to *scanning* mode.

- When in scanning mode the device scans for new tags and types the UID of a found tag by using virtual keystrokes. One can control how the UID is printed via the device settings (upper case / lower case, carriage return, sak etc). The tag presence is queried once every N ms. Factory default is 1000ms. Custom HID commands (except the one switching the mode) are ignored in the *scanning* mode.
- When the device in the application controlled mode, the user controls the device behavior via custom HID commands.

4.2 HID Reports

This firmware has two reports

- Report 0 is used to send keyboard events when the device is in scanning mode and follows the standard HID Keyboard Report format
- Report 1 is used to configure the device, switching scan modes and query/read/write tags. Both *IN*- and *OUT* reports with ID 1 always consist of 63 bytes.

4.3 Custom HID commands

Custom HID commands are sent and received via HID report with ID 1. The report always consists of 63 bytes. The report ID is prepended to the data, therefore the full report length is 64 bytes. The first byte (after the ID one) is the command ID. Valid commands are listed below. The next bytes are command parameters. If the command parameters occupy less than 62 bytes, the remaining unused bytes are padding and can have any arbitrary values.

The device answers with a report, where the first byte (after the report ID) is the command id (the same as the request), the next 4 bytes are the error code (32bit unsigned integer, little endian), and the following bytes are command specific. If the command parameters occupy less than 62 bytes, the remaining unused bytes are padding and can have any arbitrary values.

The error code has the following bit fields:

- 0x00000001 - Protocol error
- 0x00000002 - Parity error
- 0x00000004 - Checksum error
- 0x00000008 - Collision
- 0x00000010 - Buffer overflow
- 0x00000020 - Tear event
- 0x00000040 - IC overheated
- 0x00000080 - FIFO write error

- 0x00000100 - Operation timed out
- 0x00000200 - Mifare NAK
- 0x00000400 - Authentication failure
- 0x00000800 - Generic communication error

The error code of 0 is *OK* (i.e. *no error*). **ATTENTION:** the data following the error code bytes is valid only if the error code is 0.

Command list:

- 1 - Device Information
- 2 - LED Control
- 3 - Buzzer Control
- 4 - Inventory Scan
- 5 - Inventory Scan (w/o Anti-Collision)
- 6 - Inventory Scan (select next tag)
- 7 - Check Tag Presence
- 8 - Select Tag
- 9 - Tag Details
- 10 - Read Data Block
- 11 - Write Data Block
- 12 - Settings: LED
- 13 - Settings: Buzzer
- 14 - Settings: Gain
- 15 - Settings: Query Frequency
- 16 - Settings: Mifare Key
- 17 - Settings: UID Case (KBD)
- 18 - Settings: UID Carriage Return (KBD)
- 19 - Settings: SAK (KBD)
- 20 - Settings: Save to ROM
- 21 - RFID Antenna State
- 22 - RFID Mode Control
- 23 - Reboot Device
- 24 - Reboot Device (DFU)
- 25-255 - **RFU**

Abbreviations:

- *IN* - device to host
- *OUT* - host to device

Several commands have one 1byte parameter (*bValue*), that controls a device state or setting. It can be

one of the following:

QUERY	0	query the current state/value
ON	1	enable
OFF	2	disable
SWITCH	3	switch state
DEFAULT	4	relinquish control to the firmware
-----	other values	treated as QUERY

4.3.1 Device Information

- Command code: 1
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: firmware info length
 - N bytes: firmware info

This command queries the firmware version of the device.

4.3.2 LED Control

- Command code: 2
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - LED on
 - OFF - LED off
 - SWITCH- blink
 - DEFAULT - relinquish control to the firmware
 - other - query state
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current LED state (1 - on, 0 - off)

4.3.3 Buzzer Control

- Command code: 3

- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - buzzer on
 - OFF - buzzer off
 - SWITCH,DEFAULT - relinquish control to the firmware
 - other - query state
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current buzzer state (1 - on, 0 - off)

4.3.4 RFID Mode Control

- Command code: 22
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - enable scan mode
 - OFF - disable scan mode
 - QUERY - query the current mode
 - other - **error** (will return INVARG error)
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current mode (1 - scan mode enabled, 0 - scan mode disabled)

4.3.5 Enable/Disable RF Field

- Command code: 21
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - enable RF field
 - OFF - disable RF field
 - other - query the current mode
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current RF field state (1 - enabled, 0 - disabled)

4.3.6 Inventory Scan

- Command code: 4
- Params(OUT): none

One or more *IN* reports will be sent by the device. Params: * 4 bytes: error code * 1 byte: *L* - UID length (0 for the last report) * *L* bytes: UID * 1 byte: SAK

4.3.7 Inventory Scan (without Anti-Collision)

- Command code: 5
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: *L* - UID length (0 for the last report)
 - *L* bytes: UID
 - 1 byte: SAK

4.3.8 Inventory Scan (select next tag)

- Command code: 6
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: *L* - UID length (0 for the last report)
 - *L* bytes: UID
 - 1 byte: SAK

4.3.9 Select Tag

- Command code: 8
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code

4.3.10 Check Tag Presence

- Command code: 7
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: *L* - UID length (0 for the last report)

- L bytes: UID
- 1 byte: SAK

4.3.11 Get Current Tag Information

- Command code: 9
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: L - UID length (0 for the last report)
 - L bytes: UID
 - 1 byte: SAK
 - 2 bytes: block count (16bit unsigned integer, little endian)
 - 1 byte: block size
 - 1 byte: tag type

Recognized tag types

- 0 - Classic 1K
- 1 - Classic 4K
- 2 - Classic Mini
- 3 - Ultralight
- 4 - Ultralight C
- 5 - Ultralight C EV1 (640 bits)
- 6 - Ultralight C EV1 (1312 bits)
- 7 - Plus S 2K
- 8 - Plus S 4K
- 9 - DesFire 2K
- 10 - DesFire 4K
- 11 - DesFire 8K
- 12 - Classic 2K
- 13 - Plus X 2K
- 14 - Plus X 4K
- 15-254 RFU
- 255 - Unknown

4.3.12 Read Data Block

A tag must be selected prior to executing this command (either by calling Inventory Scan w/o Anti-Collision, Inventory Scan - next tag, Select Tag, or Tag Info). The block number must be within the range supported by the tag.

- Command code: 10
- Params (OUT): 1 byte block number
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: block number
 - N bytes: block data (N is equal to the value of the *block size* field returned by the tag info command)

4.3.13 Write Data Block

A tag must be selected prior to executing this command (either by calling Inventory Scan w/o Anti-Collision, Inventory Scan - next tag, Select Tag, or Tag Info). The block number must be within the range supported by the tag. Data size must be equal to the block size value returned by the tag info command.

- Command code: 11
- Params (OUT):
 - 1 byte: block number
 - 1 byte: data size (N)
 - N bytes: data
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: block number

4.3.14 Device Settings

The following commands change various device settings. They are executed regardless of the scanning mode. Individual commands change only in-RAM settings. In order to save the current settings to ROM, execute the Settings Write command.

Enable/Disable the LED

This command enables/disables the LED. This setting only affects whether the firmware switches the LED when a tag is detected/lost. Regardless of this setting, you can switch the LED on and off using LED Control command.

- Command code: 12
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - enable LED switching
 - OFF - disable LED switching
 - other - query the current setting
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current LED control setting (1 - enabled, 0 - disabled)

Enable/Disable the Buzzer

This command enables/disables the buzzer. This setting only affects whether the firmware switches the buzzer on when a tag is detected or not. Regardless of this setting, you can switch the buzzer on and off using BUZZ Control command.

- Command code: 13
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - enable buzzer
 - OFF - mute buzzer
 - other - query the current setting
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current buzzer control setting (1 - enabled, 0 - disabled)

RFID Receiver Gain

The receiver gain is measured in *dBm*. The valid range is [18;48] *dBm*. The default value is 33*dBm*.

The valid gain values are

- 18*dBm*
- 23*dBm*
- 33*dBm*
- 38*dBm*
- 43*dBm*
- 48*dBm*

If any other value is passed, it will be rounded (to the nearest available value greater than the one passed).

- Command code: 14
- Params (OUT): (1 byte) 0 - query the current value, >0 - set new gain value (in dBm)
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current gain value in dBm.

Tag Presence Query Frequency

When in scanning mode, the device queries the tag presence every N ms (default value: 1000ms). This command controls the query frequency (i.e. the interval N). Valid range is [250-65535] ms. Values smaller than the minimum one will be accepted and silently increased to fit in the range. Values greater than the maximum one will result in an error.

- Command code: 15
- Params (OUT): (2 bytes - 16bit unsigned little endian integer) 0 - query the current value, >0 - set new interval value (in ms)
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 2 bytes: the current interval value in ms.

Mifare Authentication Key

Mifare Classic tags need an authentication key to be read/written. The following command sets the key (the key type and 6 bytes long key itself), which will be used to authenticate connected Mifare Classic tags. The default value is `FF`

- Command code: 16
- Params (OUT):
 - 1 byte: key type - "A" (ascii code 65) or "B" (ascii code 66). Any other value - query the current key and key type.
 - 6 bytes: key
- Params (IN):
 - 1 byte: the current key type - "A" (ascii code 65) or "B" (ascii code 66)
 - 6 bytes: the current key

UID in Uppercase/Lowercase (keyboard mode)

- Command code: 17

- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - print UID in upper case
 - OFF - print UID in lower case
 - other - query the current setting
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current case control setting (1 - upper case, 0 - lower case)

Append/Omit SAK (keyboard mode)

- Command code: 19
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - append SAK to UID
 - OFF - do not append SAK to UID
 - other - query the current setting
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current SAK control setting (1 - append, 0 - omit)

Append/Omit Carriage Return (keyboard mode)

- Command code: 18
- Params (OUT): *bValue*
 - ON - print carriage return after UID
 - OFF - do not print carriage return after UID
 - other - query the current setting
- Params (IN):
 - 4 bytes: error code
 - 1 byte: current CR control setting (1 - append, 0 - omit)

Write settings to ROM

This command saves the current in-RAM setting to ROM, i.e. makes them permanent

- Command code: 20
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN): (4 bytes) error code

4.3.15 Device Control

The following commands manage the RFID reader device itself:

Device Reboot

Reboot the device.

- Command code: 23
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN): (4 bytes) error code

Firmware Update

Reboot the device and start the bootloader (this command may not be supported by some devices. If not supported, acts as Device Reboot).

- Command code: 24
- Params (OUT): none
- Params (IN): (4 bytes) error code

4.3.16 Other command (25-255) - RFU

*Params (IN) (4 bytes) error code `0x800` - Generic communication error.

5 Revisions

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