# **8807 Ticket Printer** User's Guide

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### Safety Standards, Warnings, and Compliance

### EMC and Safety Standards

#### Printer

Product Name: METTLER TOLEDO 8807 (TM-U295)

Model Name: M66SA

The following standards are applied only to the printers that are so labeled. (EMC is tested using the packaged AC adapter and the EPSON PS-170 power supply.)

Europe:	CE Marking Safety: EN60950
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Japan:	EMI: VCCI Class A
Oceania:	EMC: AS/NZS 3548
Taiwan:	EMI: Class B
AC Adapter	

Product Name: PS170

Model Name: M122A

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The connection of a non-shielded printer interface cable to this printer will invalidate the EMC standards of this device.

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PERMIT ONLY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL TO SERVICE THIS EQUIPMENT. EXERCISE CARE WHEN MAKING CHECKS, TESTS, AND ADJUSTMENTS THAT MUST BE MADE WITH POWER ON. FAILING TO OBSERVE THESE PRECAUTIONS CAN RESULT IN BODILY HARM.

- Read this manual before installing or servicing this equipment. Save this manual for future reference.
- Follow these instructions carefully.
- Do not allow untrained personnel to operate, clean, inspect, maintain, service, or tamper with this equipment.
- Always disconnect this equipment from the power source before cleaning or performing maintenance.

Call METTLER TOLEDO for parts, information, and service.

### FCC Compliance Statement

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This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment.

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# Introduction

### Overview

The METTLER TOLEDO 8807 Ticket Printer is an RS232 dot matrix impact printer, which is used for printing weight or data or slips or tickets.



#### **Printer Parts**

- (1) Upper case
- (2) Printer cover
- (3) Document table
- (4) Power switch



- (6) Interface connector
- (7) FG
- (8) Drawer kick-out connector
- (9) Power connector
- (10) DIP switches

### Setting Up the Printer

### Unpacking

Make sure the following parts are present. If any parts are missing or damaged, please contact your authorized METTLER TOLEDO representative.



Power supply

### Installation

Install the printer on a horizontal surface. Do not expose it to water or use it in wet environments.

### Interfacing

The 8807 printer contains an RS232 serial interface. Default settings for the interface are: 9600 baud, 7 data bits, even parity, and x-on / x-off handshaking. Make sure the host device matches these parameters, or adjust the printer settings using the internal DIP switches.

### **Cable Connection**

Make sure that the printer and the host device are turned off. Then plug the cable into the connector on the printer, as shown here.



NOTE: The 8807 printer comes with inch-type hexagonal lock screws installed. If you plan to use an interface cable that requires millimeter-type lock screws, replace the inch-type screws with the enclosed millimeter-type screws using a hex screwdriver (5 mm). The inch-type screws have one or more lines engraved on the barrel of the screws.

## Interface Cable Selection

RS-232 INTERFACE CABLE MATRIX – 8807 TICKET PRINTER						
Device	Device Connector	Required Cable	Cable Length	Printer Connector		
Cougar, Lynx, Jaguar/Jagxtreme, Panther, Panther/Panther Plus, Speedweigh/Speedweigh Plus,	Terminal block	Factory number 0900-0309-000	15 ft	DB25 female TxD: Pin 2 RxD: Pin 3		
TRIMWEIGH II		Part number 14656000A		Shield: Pin 1:		
BC, SC, HAWK, WILDCAT	DB9 female TxD: Pin 3	Factory number 0900-0255-000	6 ft	DSR: Pin 6 DTR Pin 20		
	Ground: Pin 5	Part number 13191100A				
SP, SPIDER,	DB9 female TxD: Pin 2	Factory number 0900-0313-000	15 ft			
VIPER	RxD: Pin 3 Ground: Pin 5	Part number 14861700A				
8582, 9360, PUMA	DB25 TxD: Pin 2	Factory number 0900-0243-000	6 ft			
	RxD: Pin 3 Ground: Pin 7	Part number 13230500A				
PR, SR, SG	LocalCAN	Part number 229050	6 ft			
PG, PB, SB	DB9 female TxD: Pin 2 RxD: Pin 3 Ground: Pin 5	Part number 1110-1052	3 ft			
ID Terminals	DIN	Part number 503755	10 ft			
SMx using 21200013 adapter	MiniMettler	Part number 33640	6 ft			

# Connecting the Power Supply

The 8807 printer uses an external universal power supply.

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USING AN INCORRECT POWER SUPPLY MAY CAUSE FIRE OR ELECTRICAL SHOCK.

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WHEN CONNECTING OR DISCONNECTING THE POWER SUPPLY FROM THE PRINTER, MAKE SURE THAT THE POWER SUPPLY IS NOT PLUGGED INTO AN ELECTRICAL OUTLET; OTHERWISE YOU MAY DAMAGE THE POWER SUPPLY OR THE PRINTER.

- 1. Make sure that the printer and power supply are turned off.
- 2. Plug the power supply's cable into the printer's connector as shown below. Note that the side of the connector faces up.



3. Plug the power supply's cord into an outlet.

# Installing the Ribbon Cassette

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NEVER TURN THE RIBBON CASSETTE'S FEED KNOB IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION OF THE ARROW MARKED ON THE CASSETTE; OTHERWISE THE RIBBON MAY BE DAMAGED. BE SURE THE PRINTER IS NOT RECEIVING DATA WHEN YOU REPLACE A RIBBON CASSETTE; OTHERWISE DATA MAY BE LOST.

Be sure to use a ribbon cassette that meets the printer's specifications. The EPSON ERC-27 is recommended.

Note: For instructions on replacing a used ribbon, refer to page 1-7.

1. Open the printer cover by slightly pressing the ridges on the top left and pulling the cover forward, as shown in the illustration below.



- 2. Check to see that the ribbon in the cassette is not creased or twisted. Then turn the feed knob in the direction of the arrow on the ribbon cassette to take up any slack in the ribbon.
- 3. Carefully insert the ribbon cassette in the printer as shown in the illustration below. Notice exactly where the ribbon must go.



4. Then push firmly on the right side and then the lift side of the ribbon cartridge until each side clicks into place.

5. To put the cover back on the printer, align the left and insert the tab on the top. Then press the bottom until it clicks into place, as shown below.



### **Inserting Paper**

To insert paper, follow these steps:

- 1. Make sure that a ribbon cassette is installed in the printer.
- 2. Turn on the printer. The POWER light comes on.
- 3. Insert the paper from either the front or the side, as shown in the illustration below. Insert the paper into the printer until it is stopped by the form stopper. The markings on the side of the printer can also be used to judge how far to insert the paper.



5. Check the PAPER OUT light. When you insert the paper correctly, the PAPER OUT light goes out. If the PAPER OUT light is still on, remove the paper and re-insert it.

### **Running the Self-Test**

Any time that you want to check the performance of your printer, you can run the self-test described below. This shows whether your printer is working correctly. It is independent of any other equipment or software.

The self-test checks the control circuits, printer mechanisms, print quality, RAM, ROM version, and DIP switch settings.

To perform the self-test, follow these steps:

- 1. Insert a sheet of paper following the instructions on page 1-6 (Inserting Paper).
- 2. Turn off the printer.
- 3. While holding down the RELEASE button, turn the printer back on.
- 4. Remove your finger from the RELEASE button. The printer prints the current printer settings.

- 5. Eject the paper.
- 6. Press the RELEASE button to eject the paper completely. Insert new paper to begin the second part of the test.
- 7. After the printer prints a pattern, it prints the following message:
- 8. \*\*\*completed\*\*\*
- 9. The printer ejects the paper; then enters the normal mode.

### Replacing a Used Ribbon

When your printing is not dark enough, it is time to replace the ribbon.

- 1. First, follow steps 1 through 4 from the Installing the Ribbon section.
- 2. Then remove the used ribbon by grasping the handle and pulling straight out, as shown by the arrow in the illustration below.



### Setting the DIP Switches

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TURN OFF THE PRINTER BEFORE REMOVING THE DIP SWITCH COVER TO PREVENT AN ELECTRICAL SHORT, WHICH CAN DAMAGE THE PRINTER.

You can change several interface settings by changing the DIP switch settings. If you need to change any of these settings, follow the steps below:

- 1. Make sure that the printer is turned off.
- 2. Turn the printer over and locate the DIP switches, as shown below.
- 3. Notice that ON is marked on the set of switches. Use tweezers or another narrow tool to move the switches.

### Use the table that follows to set the DIP switches.

Serial interface DIP-Switch Functions

Default settings in **bold** 

Function	Ch	aracter set selec	tion	Word length & Parity	Inverted print	Print key select	Baud	l Rate	Must be set to OFF
Switch	SW1	SW2	SW3	SW4	SW5	SW6	SW7	SW8	SW9 SW10
USA	ON	ON	ON						
France	OFF	ON	ON						
Germany	ON	OFF	ON						
UK	OFF	OFF	ON						
Denmark	ON	ON	OFF						
Sweden	OFF	ON	OFF						
Italy	ON	OFF	OFF						
Spain	OFF	OFF	OFF						
7 data bits Even parity				ON					
8 data bits				OFF					
No parity									
						-			
Normal print					OFF				
Forward									
paper feed						-			
Inverted print					ON				
Reverse									
puper leeu									
Send ASCII "P" when print key is proceed						ON			
Sond ASCII						OFF	1		
°S″ Cr Lf						UFF			
when print									
key is									
pressed									
9600 baud							OFF	OFF	
2400 baud							ON OF	OFF	
1200 baud							UFF	<u>UN</u>	
300 baud							ON	ON	

# Using the Printer

### **Operations**

You can feed paper with the button on the control (operation panel) which is shown below. The indicator lights monitor the printer's status.



### **Power Switch**

The power switch on the printer turns the printer on and off.

### Keypad

- **FORWARD:** This key will feed paper forward (towards the rear) into the printer as long as it is held. This function ignores the paper sensors.
- **REVERSE**: This key will feed paper to the reverse (towards the front) out of the printer as long as it is held. This function ignores the paper sensors.
- PRINT:This key will cause the printer to transmit an ASCII "P: or "S"<br/><CR> <LF> character to the scale of printer. Most METTLER<br/>TOLEDO products will accept an ASCII "P" character as a remote<br/>print request. High Precision products will respond to an ASCII<br/>"S", <CR> <LF> as a print request.

### **LED Displays**

- **POWER:** (Green) On when the printer has power.
- **RELEASE:** (Green) On when the paper clamp is released and the printer is ready for the operator to insert or remove paper. This LED goes out during printing or feeding. This LED will flash to indicate an error.
- **PAPER OUT:** (Red) On when there is not paper in the printer. The 8807 printer has two paper sensors along the right edge of the paper path. Printing is inhibited if the 8807 printer does not detect paper.

# Troubleshooting

Control Panel Lights	<ul> <li>The lights on the control panel do not come on.</li> <li>Make sure that the power supply cables are correctly plugged into the printer, the power unit, and to the power outlet.</li> <li>Make sure that power is supplied to the power outlet. If a switch or timer controls the outlet, use another outlet.</li> </ul>
Power Problems	<ul> <li>The POWER light does not come on.</li> <li>Make sure that the power supply cables are correctly plugged into the</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>printer, the power unit, and to the power outlet.</li> <li>Make sure that power is supplied to the power outlet. If the outlet is controlled by a switch or timer, use another outlet.</li> </ul>
Printing Problems	<ul><li>The PAPER OUT light is on and nothing is printed.</li><li>If the PAPER OUT light is on, the paper is not inserted or is not inserted correctly.</li></ul>

The RELEASE light is flashing and nothing is printed.

• This indicates an error condition. Turn off the printer. Make sure that no paper is jammed in the printer. Turn the printer back on. If the RELEASE light is still flashing, contact a qualified service person.

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# 4 Reference Information

## **Advanced Commands**

	COMMANDS AND ESCAPE SEQUENCES					
	Decimal	Description	Value of n			
SI	15	Switches back from printing in double wide mode to the normal mode				
SO	14	Starts printing in double wide mode. Double wide mode is exited when a <si>, <cr> or <lf> character is received.</lf></cr></si>				
LF	10	Prints the data in the buffer and feeds one line				
CR	13	Prints the data in the buffer (no line feed)				
ESC SP n	27 32 n	Sets character spacing for the right side of the character to (n x $0.159$ mm) (range $0 < n < 255$ )		Default is 0		
Select justification ESC a n 27 97 n (Must be input at the beginning of a line)			LEFT = 0 CENTER = 1 RIGHT = 2			
ESC ! n 27 33 n Selects special print mode				nge 0 < n < 255)		
	Example of	of commands for special print modes	16	Double height		
	Double	e width: ESC ! Chiff P (decimal 16)	32	Double width		
	Double	height/width: ESC ! 0 (decimal 48)	48	Double height and double width		
ESC % n	27 33 69	De-select special print mode above	Revert to default font			
ESC – n	27 45 n	Enable underline mode on or off	OFF: when $n = 0$ ON: when $n = 1$			
ESC { n	27 123 n	Enable inverted print mode	OFF: when $n = 0$ ON: when $n = 1$			
ESC 3 n	27 51 n	Set line spacing (range 0 < n < 255)		Default is 24 (1/6 inch)		

COMMANDS AND ESCAPE SEQUENCES						
	Decimal	Description		Value of n		
ESC R n	27 82 n	Select international character set	0	USA		
			1	France		
			2	Germany		
			3	UK		
			4	Denmark		
			5	Sweden		
			6	Italy		
			7	Spain		
			8	Japan		
			9	Norway		
			13	Korea		

# **Printing Specifications**

Printing Method:	Impact dot matrix
Head Wire	7-pin shuttle type
Configuration:	Unidirectional
Lines per Second	$5 \times 7$ font: 1.9 to 2.3
	7 x7 font: 1.9 to 2.3
Characters per Line	5 x 7 font: 35
	7 x7 font: 42
Characters per Inch	5 x 7 font: ANK: 0.63
	Graphics: 0.315
	7 x7 font: ANK .63
	Graphics: 0.315
Paper feed speed	Approximately 12.5 lines (52.5 mm {2.10"}/second) – when the <b>ESC d</b> and <b>FF</b> commands are used.

## **Character Specifications**

Number of	Alphanumeric characters: 95	
Characters	Extended graphics: 128 x 3	
	International characters: 32	
Character	5 x 7 with 1-dot spacing (normal dot)	
Structure:	7 x 7 with 3-dot spacing (half dot)	
Character Size:	5 x 7 font:	
	ANK: 1.6 mm {.063"} x 2.9 mm {.114"}	
	Graphics: 1.9 mm {.075"} x 2.9 mm {.114"}	
	7 x 7 font:	
	ANK: 1.3 mm {.051"} x 2.9 mm {.114"}	
	Graphics: 1.6 mm {.063"} x 2.9 mm {.114"}	

### **Paper Specifications**

Paper Type	Normal (high quality), pressure-sensitive, and carbon copy papers
Total Thickness	Single-ply paper: 0.09 to 0.25 mm {.0035" to .0098"}
	Copy paper: 0.09 to 0.35 mm {.0035" to .0138}
Paper Size	80 mm (W) x 69 mm (L) to 182 mm (W) x 257 mm (L)
	{3.15" x 2.72" to 7.17" x 10.12"} up to the European B5 size.
Copy Capability and Paper Thickness	No copies (Single ply) – 0.09 to 0.25 mm {.0035" to .0098"} (135 kg paper or equivalent)
moness	Combination of normal paper and pressure-sensitive paper – 3 sheets maximum (1 original and 2 copies) 0.09 to 0.35 mm {.0035" to .0138"}
	Backing paper: 0.07 to 0.20 mm {.0028" to .0079"} Copy and original paper: 0.04 to 0.07 mm {.0016" to .0028"}
	Carbon copy paper: Approximately 0.035 mm {.0014"}
Copy Capability and Ambient Temperature for Printing	Copying capability is influenced by the ambient temperature. Printing must be performed under the conditions described in the table that follows.

Number of Copies	Ambient Temperature
Original + 1 to 2 copies	5° to 40°C ({41° to 104°F)

### **Notes on Slip Paper**

Slip paper should be flat, without curls, wrinkles, or camber, especially at the paper edges. Otherwise, the paper may become ink stained.

When using multi-ply carbon copy paper, the paper should be flat and the glue area should be as small as possible.

Glue area should be located at the to or left edge of the slip paper.

Since TOF and BOF sensors are optical sensors, paper that has holes at the sensor positions or translucent paper should not be used normally. When using these papers, be sure to disable the paper sensors by **ESC c 4**.

When using slip paper of  $80mm \{3.15''\}$  long or less, load the paper so that it is fed straight.

Use thinner paper (N30 or equivalent) between the top and bottom sheets of multi-ply paper. If thick paper is used, the copy capability is lowered.

Notes:

- The mechanical form stopper is adjustable in the range 26.5 to 36.5 mm {1.04" to 1.44"}
- The OF and BOF sensors are fixed and cannot be adjusted.
- After slip paper is set at the mechanical form stopper, the top margin can be shorted up to 21.2 mm {.83"} by feeding the paper backwards (ejection feeding).
- When ejection feeding is not performed after printing, printing can be performed u to the position at which the paper edge is no longer held by the paper feed roller (13.8 mm {.54"} from the paper edge).
- When ejection feeding is performed after printing, the paper can be fed forward u to 11.8 mm {.46"} (28 dots) after the bottom edge is detected.

### **Electrical Specifications**

Specifications			
Supply Voltage:	+24 VDC ±10%	Output voltage: +24 VDC, 2A	
Current Consumption:	Operating	Mean – approximately 600 mA at 24 VDC (ful-column printing and data transmission of ANK characters)	
		Peak – approximately 5.5 A at 24 VDC (Full column printing and data transmission of ANK characters)	
		Standby: approximately 100mA (at 24 VDC, 25°C {77°F}	

### Reliability

Life:	Mechanism: 3 million lines
	Print head: 100 million characters (using an average of 2 dots/wire per character)
	End of Life is defined as the point at which the printer reaches the
	beginning of the Wearout Period.
MTBF:	180,000 hours
	Failure is defined as Random Failure occurring at the time of the Random Failure Period.
MCBF:	7,000,000 lines
	This is an average failure interval based on failures relating to wearout and random failures up to the life of 3 million lines.

**Environmental Conditions** 

Temperature5 to 40° C (41 to 104° F)-10 to 50° C (14 to 122° F)<br/>(except for paper and ribbon)Humidity10 to 90% RH (except for paper and ribbon)

## Replacement Parts

- Repair of the 8807 Printer is limited to replacement of major assemblies. Listed below are the available parts for the 8807.
- Contact METTLER TOLEDO or an authorized METTLER TOLEDO Distributor for parts and service.

Description	Part Number
Power supply (universal)(PS170)	083503020
Printer mechanism complete	083497020
Print head	083498020
Keypad switch with overlay	(*)14115200A
Main PCB	083499020
Ribbon cartridge	Epson part # ERC-27B (black)

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