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SECTION 1. FEATURES AND SPECIFICATIONS

INTRODUCTION

This document describes the properties, methods and events provided by the Java Applet component to communicate with MagTek Bluetooth Readers. For additional information, refer to the reader the Bluetooth Reader specific manual.

SECTION 2. METHODS

In general, most methods return an integer of 0 to indicate a successful call. Otherwise, a non-zero integer value is returned to inform that there is an error, and the error message can be retrieved with the “GetLastErrorMessage()” method.

AUTOCONNECT METHOD

Returns an integer value.

Syntax

```
int AutoConnect()
```

Remarks

The Java Applet uses the default setting and tries to connect to the available ports in the system until it finds the first MagTek Bluetooth MSR reader that it can communicate with. AutoConnect returns a zero (0) if the connection is established, otherwise a non-zero for an unsuccessful auto-connection. Moreover, it is recommended that one should use function named SetReaderType(readerType) prior to AutoConnect () call, where readerType of 1 is MagTek Bluetooth card reader, and readerType of 0 is for a standard RS232 reader type.

Default Serial Port Parameters

Baud Rate: 9600

Parity: N

Data Bits: 8

Stop Bits: 1

Example

```
int SetReaderType(1);           // 1: Bluetooth; 0: standard RS232 card reader.  
int AutoConnect();
```

The AutoConnect returns zero (0) if the connection is established with a MagTek Bluetooth card reader.

CARDDATA METHOD

Returns a string value indicating the whole card-data-swiped.

Syntax

```
String CardData()
```

CARDDATAMASKED METHOD

Returns a string value indicating the masked card data.

Syntax

String CardDataMasked()

CARDENCODETYPE METHOD

Returns a string value indicating the card encode type from the reader.

Syntax

String CardEncodeType()

Remarks

Always returning an empty string at this time. (RFU)

CLOSEPORT METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the status of the ClosePort method.

Syntax

int ClosePort(*String port*)

Remarks

Returns zero (0) if the closes successfully, otherwise a non-zero for error.

The **ClosePort** method syntax has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
port	String	The port name is a combination of the word “COM” and the port number, e.g. The Bluetooth has port 7, therefore, the portName is COM7. If port name is not provided, the ClosePort() function will close the port that the applet has previously opened.

Example

```
int stat = ClosePort(“COM7”);
```

This returns a zero (0) if the port can be close.

DEVICEPORT METHOD

Sets the serial port number.

Syntax

```
void DevicePort(int devPortNumber)
```

The **DevicePort** method syntax has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
devPortNumber	int	Serial device port number

DEVICSERIALNUMBER METHOD

Returns a string value indicating the device serial number from the reader.

Syntax

```
String DeviceSerialNumber()
```

DEVICESETTINGS METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the status of the setting.

Syntax

```
int DeviceSettings(String settings)
```

Remarks

Sets the basic serial port parameter. The DeviceSettings returns a zero (0) if the setting is OK, otherwise a non-zero for error.

The **DeviceSettings** method syntax has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
settings	String	The settings consist of baud rate, parity, data bits and stop bits.

Example

```
int stat = DeviceSetting("9600, N, 8, 1");  
This returns a zero (0) if the setting is OK.
```

DUKPTKSN METHOD

Returns a string value indicating the key serial number from the reader.

Syntax

String DUKPTKSN()

FINDELEMENT METHOD

Returns particular information after parsing out specific card data.

Syntax

String FindElement(*int whatTrack, String strStart, int offset, String strEnd*)

Remarks

Returns particular information after parsing out specific card data based on parameters selected by the user.

The **FindElement** method has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
whatTrack	int	User input track
strStart	String	User input start
offset	int	User input offset
strEnd	String	User input End

Example

```
String var = FindElement(2, ",", 0, "=");
```

FINDELEMENTMASKED METHOD

Returns particular information after parsing out specific card data.

Syntax

String FindElementMasked(*int whatTrack, String strStart, int offset, String strEnd*)

Remarks

Returns particular information after parsing out specific card data based on parameters selected by the user.

The **FindElement** method has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
whatTrack	int	User input track
strStart	String	User input start
offset	int	User input offset
strEnd	String	User input End

Example

```
String var = FindElementMasked(2, ";", 0, "=");
```

GETCURRENTPORTNAME METHOD

Return the name of the port that's opened.

Syntax

```
String GetCurrentPortName()
```

Remarks

Returns the port name, e.g. COM7

GETEXPIRATIONMONTH METHOD

Returns the Expiration Month as a string.

Syntax

```
String GetExpirationMonth()
```

GETEXPIRATIONYEAR METHOD

Returns the Expiration Year as a string.

Syntax

```
String GetExpirationYear ()
```

GETLASTERRMESSAGE METHOD

Returns the last error message that the applet has detected.

Syntax

```
String GetLastErrMessage()
```

Example

```
byte [] output;  
int stat = SendDataSync("00011000", output); // send in the wrong length
```

```
if(stat != 0)  
    alert("Error Message: " + GetLastErrMessage()); // display the last error message.
```

output: Error Message: send request error

GETFNAME METHOD

Returns the First Name of the track data.

Syntax

String GetFName()

GETFNAMEMASKED METHOD

Returns the First Name from the masked track data.

Syntax

String GetFNameMasked()

GETLNAME METHOD

Returns the Last Name of the track data.

Syntax

String GetLName()

GETLNAMEMASKED METHOD

Returns the Last Name from the masked track data.

Syntax

String GetLNameMasked()

GETTRACK METHOD

Returns card data from a specific track (1,2,3)

Syntax

String GetTrack(*int iTk*)

The **GetTrack** method syntax has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
iTk	int	Track 1,2,3

GETTRACKMASKED METHOD

Returns the masked card data if supported by the reader from a specific track (1,2,3)

Syntax

String GetTrackMasked(*int iTk*)

The **GetTrackMasked** method syntax has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
iTk	int	Track 1,2,3

GETPAN METHOD

Returns PAN.

Syntax

String GetPAN()

GETPORTNAMES METHOD

Returns an array of port names that are available for connections.

Syntax

String[] GetPortNames()

GETPORTNAMESSTRING METHOD

Returns a string of port names that are available for connections

Syntax

String GetPortNamesString()

GETPORTOPENSTATUS METHOD

Returns a boolean indicating if the port is open or close.

Syntax

boolean GetPortOpenStatus()

GETREADERTYPE METHOD

Gets the current setting of the reader interface type.

Syntax

```
int GetReaderType()
```

Remarks

1 = Bluetooth; 0 = other reader

GETUPDATESPDRIVERSTATUS METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating if the status of the serial port driver installation.

Syntax

```
int GetUpdateSPDriverStatus()
```

Remarks

Retrieves the status of the serial port driver installed. If the returning value is zero (0) then the status is OK, otherwise non-zero for error.

MAGNEPRINTDATAHEX METHOD

Returns the MagnePrint data if supported by the reader in 2 Byte Hex format.

Syntax

```
String MagnePrintDataHexString()
```

MPRINTDATA METHOD

Returns a byte-array of MagnePrint data.

Syntax

```
byte[] MPrintDData()
```

MPRINTLEN METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of MagnePrint data.

Syntax

```
int MPrintLen()
```


MPRINTSTATUS METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the status of MagnePrint data.

Syntax

```
int MPrintStatust()
```

OPENPORT METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the status of the OpenPort method. This OpenPort(port) function provides a short-cut to connect to a Magtek Bluetooth card reader using default settings: baud rate of 9600, parity of 'N', data bits of 8, and stop bits of 1.

Syntax

```
int OpenPort(String port)
```

Remarks

Returns zero (0) if the port can be open, otherwise a non-zero for error.

The **OpenPort** method syntax has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
portName	String	Name of a port to open such as COM1, COM7

Example

```
String portName = "COM7";
int stat = OpenPort(portName);
This returns a zero (0) if the port can be open.
```

OPENPORT METHOD 2

Returns an integer value indicating the status of the OpenPort method.

Syntax

```
int OpenPort(String sPortname, String sBaudRate, String sDataBits, String sStopBits, String sParityType)
```

Remarks

Returns a zero (0) if the port can be open, otherwise a non-zero for error.

The **OpenPort** method has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
sPortname	String	The port name is a combination of the word "COM" and the port number, e.g. If the Bluetooth is connected to port 7, then the portName is COM7.
sBaudRate	String	Baud Rate
sDataBits	String	Data Bits
sStopBits	String	Stop Bits
sParityType	String	Parity

Example

```
int stat = OpenPort("COM7", "9600", "8", "1", "N");
```

This returns a zero (0) if the port opened with the parameters.

PORTOPEN METHOD

Open or Close the serial port.

Syntax

```
boolean PortOpen(boolean open)
```

Remarks

This function is for backward compatibility with OCX. The new OpenPort method is also available.

The **PortOpen** method has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
open	Boolean	open can be true or false

Example

```
// PortOpen requires three steps, sets the device port, sets the device settings and call
PortOpen(true).
int stat = 1;
DevicePort(7); // assume my port is 7
stat = DeviceSettings("9600,N,8,1");
PortOpen(true); // open the port
PortOpen(false); // close the port
```

READERID METHOD

Returns an empty string . (RFU)

Syntax

String ReaderID()

RXTIMEOUT METHOD

Sets RX timeout. (RFU)

Syntax

void RXTimeout(*int rxtimeout*)

The **RXTimeout** method has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
Rxtimeout	int	RX Timeout

SENDDATA METHOD

Returns a string value from the reader.

Syntax

String SendData(*String sRequest*)

Remarks

Send specific command to the Bluetooth reader. The length of the sRequest is automatically calculated by the component. If the command fails or encounters an error, the error will be returned and the user needs to parse it.

The **SendData** method has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
sRequest	String	Command

Example

String response = SendData ("0010");

The response will be a hexadecimal string returned from the reader. An empty string returned indicates that the communication between the applet and the reader might most likely be disconnected.

SENDDATAWLEN METHOD

Returns a string value from the reader.

Syntax

String SendDataWlen(*String sRequest*)

Remarks

Send specific command to the Bluetooth reader. The length of the sRequest is not automatically calculated by the component. If the command fails or encounters an error, the error will be return and the user needs to parse it.

The **SendDataWlen** method has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
sRequest	String	Command

Example

```
String response = SendDataWlen("000110");
```

The response will be a hexadecimal string returned from the reader. An empty string returned indicates that the communication between the applet and the reader might most likely be disconnected.

SENDDATASYNC METHOD

Returns an integer indicating the execution of the command.

Syntax

```
int SendDataSync(String sRequest, byte[] response)
```

Remarks

Send specific command to the Bluetooth reader. The length of the sRequest is automatically calculated by the component. The result is sent through the response parameter and the result can also be retrieved with SwipeCommandOutput() method. If SendDataSync returns a zero (0) the command executes successfully, otherwise a non-zero for error.

The **SendDataSync** method has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
sRequest	String	Command
response	Byte[]	Response by reference

Example

```
byte [] response;
```

```
int stat = SendDataSync("0010", response);
```

This returns a zero (0) if the command executes successfully. To retrieve the output, use SwipeCommandOutput() method.

The response will be the data part of the returning hex string from the reader.

SENDDATASYNCWLEN METHOD

Returns an integer indicating the execution of the command.

Syntax

```
int SendDataSyncWlen(String sRequest, byte[] response)
```

Remarks

Send specific command to the Bluetooth reader. The result is sent through the response parameter and the result can also be retrieved with `SwipeCommandOutput()` method. If `SendDataSyncWlen` returns a zero (0) the command executes successfully, otherwise a non-zero for error.

The **SendDataSyncWlen** method has these parts:

Part	Data Type	Description
sRequest	String	Command
response	Byte[]	Response by reference

Example

```
byte [] response;
```

```
int stat = SendDataSyncWlen("000110", response);
```

This returns a zero (0) if the command executes successfully. To retrieve the output, use `SwipeCommandOutput()` method. The response will be the data part of the returning hex string from the reader.

SEQUENCENUMBER METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the sequence number from the reader. Currently returns 0 only. (RFU)

Syntax

```
int SequenceNumber()
```

SESSIONID METHOD

Returns a bye-array indicating the session ID from the reader.

Syntax

```
byte[] SessionID()
```

SESSIONIDHEXSTRING METHOD

Returns the MagnePrint data if supported by the reader in 2 Byte Hex format.

Syntax

```
String SessionIDHexString()
```

SETREADERTYPE METHOD

Sets the type of the reader.

Syntax

```
void SetReaderType(int iRdrInterface)
```

The **SetReaderType** method has this part:

Part	Data Type	Description
iRdrInterface	int	1 = Bluetooth; 0 = Generic RS232 reader

SWIPECOMMANDOUTPUT METHOD

Returns the result as string of a previously sent command.

Syntax

```
String SwipeCommandOutput()
```

Remarks

Returns the result as a string based on the input command.

TRACK1LENGTH METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of track1 data.

Syntax

```
int Track1Length()
```

TRACK2LENGTH MEDTHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of track2 data.

Syntax

```
int Track2Length()
```

TRACK3LENGTH MEDTHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of track3 data.

Syntax

```
int Track3Length()
```

TRACK1LENGTHMASKED METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of masked track1 data.

Syntax

```
int Track1LengthMasked()
```

TRACK2LENGTHMASKED METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of masked track2 data.

Syntax

```
int Track2LengthMasked()
```

TRACK3LENGTHMASKED METHOD

Returns an integer value indicating the length of masked track3 data.

Syntax

```
int Track3LengthMasked()
```


SECTION 3. EVENTS

1) On a card data change event:

In the event of card data change, the applet will return the card-swipe data by calling the Java script provided in the para name of RunJSONCardDataChange. The Java script to be called must have one parameter to receive the card-swipe data. For example, the applet will return the card-swipe data by calling the “SetCardData” Java script in the following example. The “SetCardData” function prototype is as follows:

```
function SetCardData(cardSwipedData)
{ //Do something on a card data change event. }
<script language="JavaScript">
if(window.navigator.appName.toLowerCase().indexOf("netscape")!=-1)
{ // set object for Netscape:
    document.getElementById('dvObjectHolder').innerHTML ="<applet
    type=\"application/x-java-applet;version=1.5\" " +
    "codebase =\".\" \" +
    "archive = \"JMTBluetoothReader.jar\" " +
    "code=\"JMTBTCARDReader.class\" " +
    "name=\"MTRS232MSR\" " +
    "scriptable=\"true\" " +
    "style=\"visibility:hidden;\" " +
    "mayscript=\"mayscript\" " +
    "pluginspage=\"http://java.com/en/download/index.jsp\" " + ">" +
    "<param name=\"cache_option\" value=\"No\">" +
    "<param name=\"classloader_cache\" value=\"true\">" +
    "<param name= \"ReportJavaPluginVersion\" value=\"no\">" +
    "<param name= \"RunJSONCardDataChange\" value=\"SetCardData\">" +
"</applet>";
}
else if(window.navigator.appName.toLowerCase().indexOf('internet
Explorer')!=-1){ //set object for IE
    document.getElementById('dvObjectHolder').innerHTML = "<object
    type=\"application/x-java-applet;version=1.5\" " +
    "codebase =\".\" \" +
    "archive = \"JMTBluetoothReader.jar\" " +
    "code=\"JMTBTCARDReader.class\" " +
    "name=\"MTRS232MSR\" " +
    "height=\"0\" width=\"0\" >" +
    "<param name=\"mayscript\" value=\"true\">" +
    "<param name=\"classloader_cache\" value=\"true\">" +
    "<param name=\"cache_option\" value=\"No\">" +
    "<param name= \"ReportJavaPluginVersion\" value=\"no\">" +
    "<param name= \"RunJSONCardDataChange\" value=\"SetCardData\">" +
" </object>"
}
</script>
```

2) If the param name “ReportJavaPluginVersion” is set to “yes”, the Java script “ReportJavaPluginVersion” should be available to be called and will have the following function prototype:

```
function ReportJavaPluginVersion(ver) { //Do something }
```

