Configure a Check Capture Terminal Online

Application Tip

The Check Capture Administrators (CCA) and Check Capture Supervisors (CCS) are authorized to configure a check capture terminal. The Card Administrator (CA) is authorized to configure a card terminal.

Application Tip

If you are configuring a check capture terminal, you must first start the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) application.

For more details, refer to the Start and Stop the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Application printable job aid.

Before starting the OLB application, ensure the following steps have been completed in this order:

- The CCA or CA can download the OLB application
- The OLB certificate is installed on the terminal (for OLB versions 1.2.0 and below)
- The OLB application is installed on the terminal
- Each user has created their OLB profile, ensuring that the OLB credential file was not renamed (the file name remained the same as it was generated)
- Each user has imported their OLB credentials to the terminal

For step-by-step instructions, refer to the Download the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Application, Install the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Certificate, Install the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Application, Create the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Profile, and Import OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Credentials printable job aids.

To configure a check capture terminal online, complete the following steps:

1. Click the Administration tab.
2. Select Manage Check Processing>Terminal Configuration>Modify. The Step 1 of 4: Gathering Terminal Information page may appear briefly.

**Application Tip**

If you are configuring a check capture terminal and you have not started the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) application, you will receive the following message: Terminal detection failed. Please ensure that the OLB application is running. Refer to the Start and Stop the OTCnet Local Bridge (OLB) Application printable job aid for step-by-step instructions on starting the OLB application.

3. The Step 2 of 4: Update the Terminal Configuration page appears. Enter the system configuration.

Under **System Configuration**, Set **LVD Usage** by, **optional**

- Checking or unchecking **Personal Check** and/or **Non-Personal** for Customer Present
- Checking or unchecking **Personal Check** and/or **Non-Personal** for Customer Not Present

**Application Tip**

By default, all four checkboxes (Personal Check and Non-Personal for Customer Present and Customer Not Present) are checked for (Local Verification Database) LVD Usage. These are optional. If all of them are not checked, then the LVD verification feature is disabled.

Set **Receipt Printing** by, **optional**

- Checking **Customer Present**, **optional**
  - Click the **Manual** or **Automatic** radio button
    - Check with preview
- Checking **Customer Not Present**, **optional**
  - Click the **Manual** or **Automatic** radio button
    - Check with preview
Application Tip
Leaving both the Customer Present and Customer Not Present fields unchecked results in the disabling of this option. If receipts are desired, click the appropriate box(es). Choosing Manual requires that the operator take additional steps to print the receipt. Choosing Automatic results in a receipt printout each time a transaction has been entered. Choosing the with preview option allows the operator to see the receipt on the screen prior to the generation of the printout. When the Customer Present and/or Customer Not Present fields are clicked, the default setting is Manual.

Application Tip
When printing receipts, the system will go to the Windows default printer. All receipts will print to the Windows default printer.

Under Application Configuration,
- Enter the Terminal ID

Application Tip
The Terminal ID field is available for data entry during initial setup. After the Terminal ID is assigned, it is protected and cannot be changed.

Application Tip
The Host Name field is automatically generated based on your computer’s registry and cannot be changed.

- Select Single or Batch for Processing mode

Application Tip
The Single processing mode allows the user to scan only one check at a time. The Batch processing mode allows groups of checks to be scanned all at once, prior to the data entry for the items. The Batch processing mode is available for EC7000i, EC9100i, and all Panini scanners.

- Select Settle Best Method or Truncate All Items for Cashflow
- Check Back Office Processing Only
Application Tip

The Settle Best Method is the default selection, and when selected exclusively on the configuration screen, all processing methods (Customer Present, Customer Not Present, and Back Office) are allowed for either personal or non-personal items on the Entry Screen. The Back Office processing method should be used by agencies that receive payments in person, and then scan the checks at a later time in a controlled, back office environment. If Truncate All Items is selected, only non-personal items are allowed (for all processing methods) on the Entry Screen.

- Select Optional or Mandatory for Batch Control

Application Tip

If the Batch Control is set to Optional, OTCnet prompts the user to use the batch control. If the Batch Control is set to Mandatory, OTCnet prompts for batch control totals.

- Click Prompt on Batch Create and/or Prompt on Batch Close for Batch Control Prompts

Under Devices Configuration,

- Select the Scanner model, required
- Select USB Port or Serial Port, required
  - Select the Serial Port type

Application Tip

**USB Port:** EC7000i, EC9100i, Panini MyVision, Panini VisionX, and Panini I: Deal scanners require a USB port communication channel. EC7000i scanners support USB and Serial communication channels.

**Serial Port and COM dropdown:** The user selects the serial port (i.e., COM port) where they have connected a serial scanner.

**USB-to-Serial adapters:** USB-to-serial adapters are not supported. EC7000i scanners support USB and Serial communication channels.
Application Tip

A “No Serial Ports are available for configuration” message displays if a Serial Port is not available for the terminal. A “No Serial Ports are available for configuration” message does not display if the terminal has a COM port enabled or if there is a COM port enabled, and there is no physical Serial Port.

- Check Franking Enabled, optional

Application Tip

The Franking Enabled option allows the scanner to automatically stamp the front of checks. Franking is available for EC7000i, EC9100i, and Panini I: Deal scanners.

4. Click Next. The Step 3 of 4: Update the Configured OTC Endpoints page appears.

Under Available OTC Endpoints,
- Select the OTC Endpoint(s) you want to Add by checking the box(es) under the Add column, and click Add

Application Tip

The OTC Endpoints are permission based and are only visible to users with the appropriate permissions.

Under Configure OTC Endpoint,
- Select a Default OTC Endpoint, required

Application Tip

Selecting a Default OTC Endpoint determines which OTC Endpoint to use when performing Check Scan actions.
Application Tip
Multiple OTC Endpoints can be selected, but only one can be set as a Default OTC Endpoint.

- Select the OTC Endpoint(s) you want to Delete by checking the box(es) under the Remove column, and click Remove, if applicable.

Application Tip
At least one Default OTC Endpoint is required per terminal.

5. Click Next. The Step 4 of 4: Review the Terminal Configuration page appears. Verify the Terminal Configuration is correct and click Submit. Click Edit if you need to modify the information entered.

6. A Confirmation page appears stating that the Terminal Configuration record has been updated.

Application Tip
Additional buttons on the page that help you perform other tasks:
- Click Cancel to return to the OTCnet Home Page. No data will be saved.
- Click Previous to return to the previous page.
- Click Return Home to return to the OTCnet Home Page.

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