

OKI ES8431DM DICOM Embedded Printer DICOM Printing Function User's Guide

Important note:

This manual describes all the functionalities available in the version of OKI DICOM Embedded Server **Version V3.50.06**.

Introduction

This manual describes how to print from devices supporting the DICOM protocol using the DICOM embedded Server in the OKI DICOM Embedded Printer.

Refer to the user manual of the standard printer model for instructions on tasks such as how to load paper and replace consumables with the OKI DICOM Embedded Printer.

The OKI DICOM Embedded printer prints DICOM format images sent via a network from medical imaging applications and medical devices.

The OKI DICOM Embedded Printer can generate pages in both grayscale and color.

CAUTION!

This is not medical equipment. Do <u>not</u> use the printed images from this equipment for medical diagnosis.

Features of the OKI DICOM Embedded printer

- High quality printing with ProQ2400 © multi-level technology
- Compliant with the DICOM 3.0 standard
- Reliability
- Ergonomic features
- Achieves low-cost DICOM-compatible printing

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1 Install the printer

The following procedures are performed while referencing the Setup Guide/User's Guide/Network Guide supplied on CD/DVD with the printer.

- 1. Remove the OKI DICOM Embedded Printer (hereinafter referred to as "printer") from the packing box and install it.
- 2. Remove the protective tapes and the protective sheets from the printer.
- 3. Open the top cover, and remove the stopper (orange) of the fuser unit.
- 4. Install the image drum.
- 5. Load paper on the paper tray. (For DICOM format image printing, A4, Letter, A3 and Tabloid are supported.)
- 6. Connect the AC cord to the printer, and turn on the power.

Note!: Do not connect the network cable to the printer yet.

7. Enter the IP address provided by your network administrator with the printer control panel.

Perform test printing, and confirm that the IP address is set for the printer correctly.

8. Connect the network cable to the printer.

Next, set up the printer from your computer.

Prepare a computer connected to the same network as the printer.

2 Open the embedded DICOM server home page

1. Open the web browser on your computer.

Note!: This will work even if the computer is not connected to the Internet.

2. In the address bar of your web browser, enter the IP address set to the printer as follows.

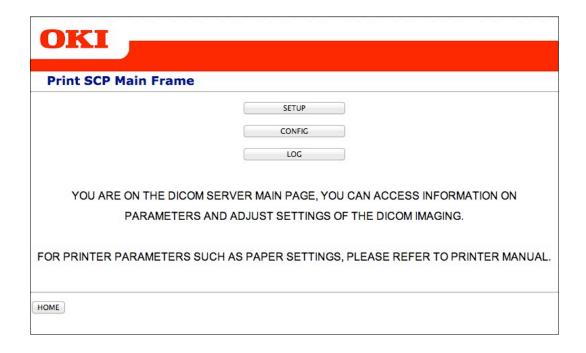
Example:

When the IP address set to the printer is 192.168.0.13, enter "http://192.168.0.13:8080/oki/dcm" in the address bar.



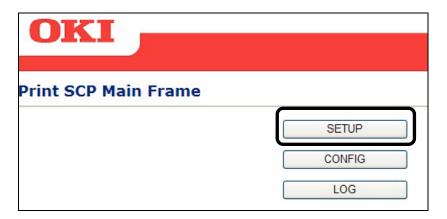
Note!: This action might not be successful if done just after "Ready" is displayed on the printer control panel. In this event, wait for 5 to 10 seconds and try again.

The embedded DICOM server home page is displayed.

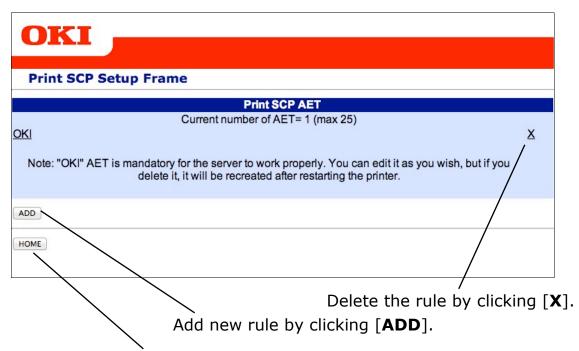


3 Open the SETUP menu

1. Click [SETUP]



- 2. The print rules represented by the AET will be listed (AET is an abbreviation for Application Entity Title). You can create up to 25 rules to match your requirements.
- 3. You can edit the rules by clicking the rule names (in this case [OKI]).



Return to the home page by clicking [HOME].

Options for the [OKI] print rule



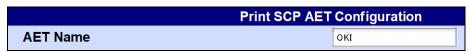
Print SCP Setup Frame		
Print SCP AET Configuration		
AET Name	ОКІ	
Activate Max Dicom Log		
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Use US format paper		
Printer Tray	AUTO	
Сору	CLIENT -	
Page Format	CLIENT -	
Border Density	CLIENT	
Empty Image Density	CLIENT	
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Replace Header by Logo	Using Logo as Header reduce image printing area	
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Footer	DICOM Embedded Printer - Not for diagnostic use - O	
	Editing this original statement footer is full responsability of the user.	
Contrast	0 🔻	
Brightness	0 🔻	
Black gamma (0.01 to 2.90)	1.0	
Cyan gamma (0.01 to 2.90)	1.0	
Magenta gamma (0.01 to 2.90)	1.0	
Yellow gamma (0.01 to 2.90)	1.0	
Smoothing Filter	CLIENT	
Smoothing Level	LOW →	
Polarity	CLIENT	
SAVE Reset		
HOME		

Options description

A number of rules can be added to the system. The maximum number or AET is of 25.

The following information can be configured for each rule:

AET Name:



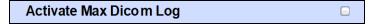
AET is an abbreviation for Application Entity Title. The call method is assumed to be compliant with the DICOM Print SCU protocol.

The AETs defined in this rule have a maximum length of 16 characters. Only the following range of characters are allowed (a - z, A - Z, 0 - 9).

Note!: • The names are case-sensitive.

• In the event of an error or if a name is not present, the printer will use the default Setting.

Activate Max Dicom Log:



Check this box if you want the DICOM Server to report all details of DICOM exchange. Useful in case of trouble.

Use US format paper:



Check this box if you want the DICOM Server to print in Letter/Tabloid size.

Printer Tray:



Auto: allows the DICOM Server to select the suitable tray up to the needed size.

Tray#: Force the printer to use the selected tray whatever the needed format. Useful if different quality of paper is loaded in the different trays.

Number of Copy:



Client: Lets the modality ask for the desired number of copy.

1 to 10: Overrides the modality value and always outputs de desired value.

Page Format:



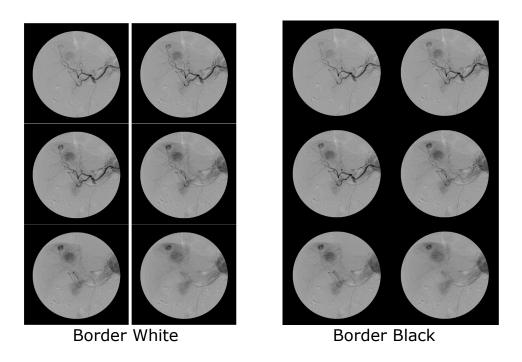
For the A3/Tabloid printer models, you can force the printout on the format you wish, A4/Letter or A3/Tabloid. [**CLIENT**] means that the printout will be managed by the DICOM console and/or resized to the nearest paper size. Refer to DCS for more details.

Border Density:



Defines the images background, to black or white.

[CLIENT] means that the settings will be managed by the DICOM console.

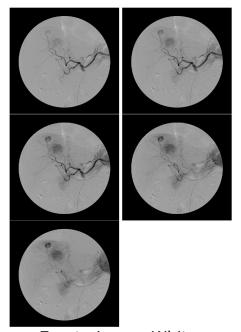


Empty Image Density:

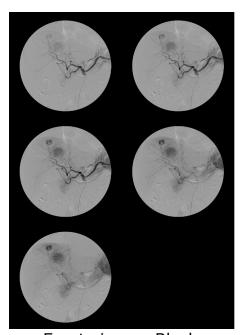


Defines an image-free zone in black or white.

[CLIENT] means that the settings will be managed by the DICOM console.



Empty image White



Empty image Black

Replace Header By Logo:

Replace Header by Logo

Used to customize the header of your printouts, you can replace the text header by a logo. Free creation is possible. Refer to Logo Creation manual.

Header:

Header

Used to quickly customize the header of your printouts.

This customization is limited to one line of text only. Typeface is Courier at 18 points size, length available is the width of the page minus 10mm.

Footer:

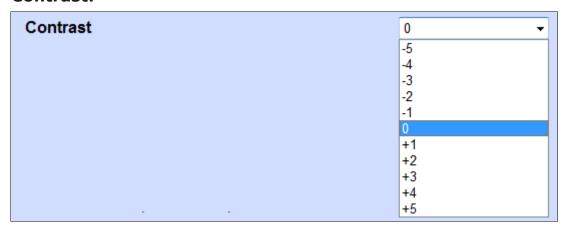


Allows editing the original statement of the footer.

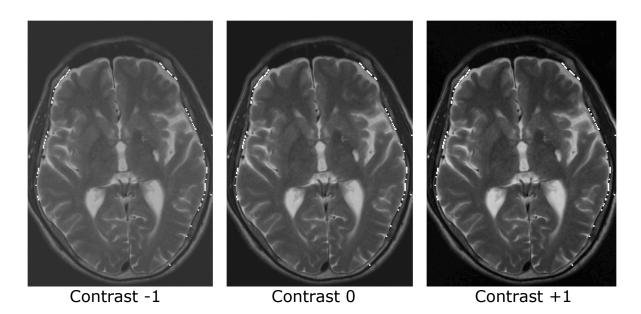
This customization is limited to one line of text only. Typeface is Courier at 6 points size, length available is the width of the page minus 10mm.

Warning: Editing this original statement footer is full responsibility of the user

Contrast:



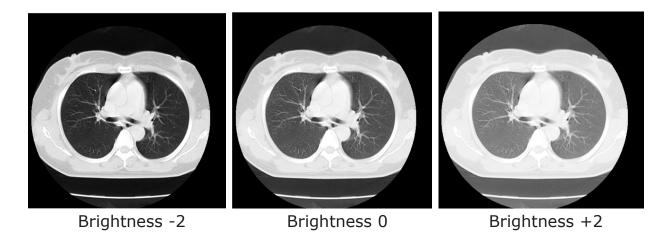
Used to adjust contrast of the printouts. The choices are from [-5] to [+5]. Minus values reduces contrast to flatten the image, 0 is no change, positive values increases contrast to enhance the image.



Brightness:



Used to adjust brightness of the printouts. The choices are from [-5] to [+5]. Minus values reduces light to darken the image, 0 is no change, positive values increases light to lighten the image.



Black Gamma:



Adjusts the gamma for Black when grey images are printed in pure black. Values can be within a range from 0.01 to 2.90, with increments of 0.01. Values below 1.00 will lighten the Black component of the image and values above 1.00 will darken it.

Cyan Gamma:



Adjusts the gamma for Cyan. Values can be within a range from 0.01 to 2.90, with increments of 0.01. Values below 1.00 will lighten the Cyan component of the image and values above 1.00 will darken it.

Magenta Gamma:



Adjusts the gamma for Magenta. Values can be within a range from 0.01 to 2.90, with increments of 0.01. Values below 1.00 will lighten the Magenta component of the image and values above 1.00 will darken it.

Yellow Gamma:



Adjusts the gamma for Yellow. Values can be within a range from 0.01 to 2.90, with increments of 0.01. Values below 1.00 will lighten the Yellow component of the image and values above 1.00 will darken it.

Smoothing Filter:



Defines the aspect rendering of the printed image. The choices are [CLIENT], [NORMAL] or [SHARP]. By default, [CLIENT] is selected.

[SHARP]: Force the use of the image sharpening filter (which only works on monochrome images).

[CLIENT]: Manage the settings from the DICOM console.

[NORMAL]: No Sharpen even if asked by client.

Smoothing Level:



Defines the level of action of the filter. The choices are **[LOW]**, **[MEDIUM]** or **[STRONG]**. By default, **[LOW]** is selected.



No Sharpen

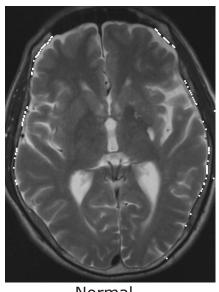


MEDIUM Sharpen

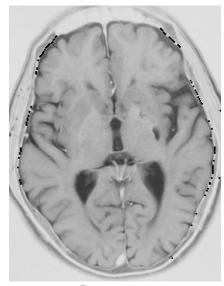
Polarity:



[NORMAL] or [REVERSE] mode to print images in positive or negative. [CLIENT]: Manage the settings from the DICOM console.







Reverse

Make whatever setting you feel appropriate for the kind of exam you have to print.

4. Save the edited settings.

When you have finished editing the values, save the settings by clicking [SAVE].



Memo: Click [Reset] to restore to the past saved settings.

5. Click [HOME] on the AET list screen to return to the home page.

4 Open the CONFIG menu

1. Click [CONFIG] on the DICOM server home page.

The CONFIG page is displayed. This will give you a summary of all information.

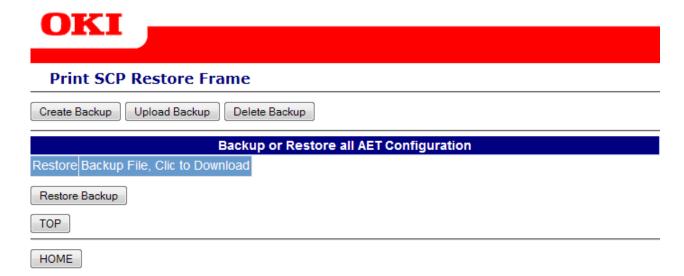


Print SCP Config Frame Printer name OKI DM PRINTER Printer manufacturer Oki Data Corp Printer model ES8431DM Dicom Version SC3-V3.50.06 Input DICOM Port 11112 Default AET (used if wrong AET called) OKI IMPORTANT Note: A default AET is mandatory for the server to work properly. You can edit it as you wish, but if you delete it, it will be recreated with the name "OKI" after you exit this windows. **Backup or Restore all AET Configuration** BACKUP

5 Open the Backup menu

1. Click [BACKUP] on the Print SCP Config Frame.

The Backup page is displayed.

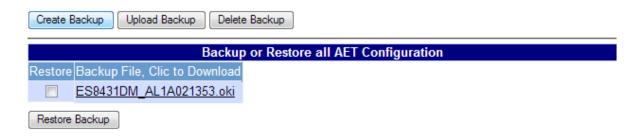


Create Backup:

Create Backup

Use this button to create the backup of the current server configuration.

Once the backup is created you will see the file named upon Machine Model and Serial Number.



Save Backup File

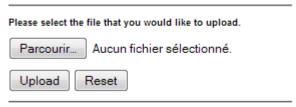
- By clicking on the file name, you'll open the download dialog of your web browser to save on your computer.
- Backup files can only be used on same printer model.
- Do not rename the file nor change extension.

Upload Backup:

Upload Backup

Use this button to upload a locally saved backup file to the DICOM server. You will be prompted to select the file and then upload it.

Print SCP Upload File Frame



x if you want the DICOM Server to report all details of DICOM exchange. Useful in case of trouble.

Print SCP Upload File Frame

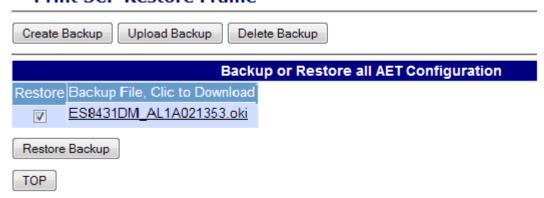
Please select the file that you would like to upload.

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Upload Reset

Restore Backup:

Print SCP Restore Frame



Just Select the wanted file and click [Restore Backup].

Delete backup:

Delete Backup

Use this button if you want to delete files on the server You'll be directed to the "Delete Files Frame".

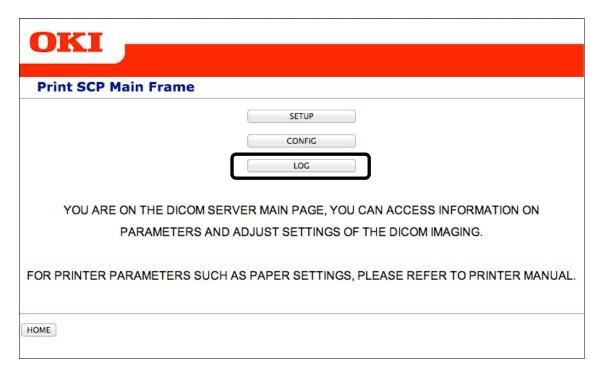
Print SCP Delete Files Frame



Select the file(s) you want to delete and click [Delete]

6 Open the LOG menu

1. Click [LOG] on the DICOM server home page.



The log menu is displayed.



This page lists the DICOM dialogue logs during printing. This is useful for identifying the source of an error in the event of problems.

7 How to print the test pattern

Those test patterns are designed to help you troubleshooting your printer consumables quality.

- 1. Select [Print Information] on the printer control panel.
- 2. Select [Demo Page].
- 3. Select [CMY test] to check the color imaging units or [K test] for black unit.
- 4. The test pattern is printed.

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