LaserWriter Select 360: Interface Configuration Settings 10/93

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TOPIC -------------------------------------------------------------

Each of the LaserWriter Select 360's interface ports (LocalTalk,
serial, and parallel) has some associated configuration parameters
that you can set.  This article discusses the switch settings.

DISCUSSION --------------------------------------------------------

The rotary switch on the back of the printer allows you to easily
select one of nine commonly-used interface configurations.  If one of
these switch positions doesn't meet your needs, you can customize the
configuration of switch position 8 using the LaserWriter Utility
program for Macintosh or IBM PC and compatible computers.

To change the setting, press the rotary switch. Each time you press,
the switch rotates forward or backward one setting. You can change the
switch position when the printer is on. The new configuration takes
effect within a few seconds. Changing the switch position while a job
is being printed may produce unpredictable results.

NOTE: This is NOT a SCSI switch, and the number displayed is not a
SCSI ID.

The table that follows summarizes the fixed interface configurations for switch
positions 0 through 7, and the factory-default configuration for customizable
switch position 8. Switch 9 is reserved. When the printer is turned on with
the switch in position 4, an interface configuration page is printed instead
of the usual startup page.
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Position	Interface	Serial Parameters	Protocol	AIS
0	Serial	9600,N 8,1,DTR	Raw	AutoSelect
	LocalTalk			PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	AutoSelect
1	Serial	9600,N 8,1,DTR	Normal	PostScript
	LocalTalk			PostScript
	Parallel		Normal	PostScript
2	Serial	9600,N 8,1,DTR	Raw	PCL5

	Port	Settings	Mode	AIS
	LocalTalk			PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	PCL5
3	Serial	9600,N 8,1,	Normal	PostScript
	LocalTalk	XON/XOFF		PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	AutoSelect
4	Serial	19200,N 8,1,DTR	Normal	PCL5
	LocalTalk			PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	PCL5
5	Serial	19200,N 8,1,DTR	Raw	AutoSelect
	LocalTalk			PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	AutoSelect
6	Serial	19200,N 8,1,DTR	Normal	PostScript
	LocalTalk			PostScript
	Parallel		Normal	PostScript
7	Serial	19200,N 8,1,	Normal	PostScript
	LocalTalk	XON/XOFF		PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	AutoSelect
8	Serial	38400,N 8,1,	Raw	AutoSelect
	LocalTalk	DTR		PostScript
	Parallel		Raw	AutoSelect

Note: In the AIS column in the table above:
• PostScript mean that the port is configured to accept only PostScript jobs.
• PCL5 means that the port is configured to accept only PCL5 jobs.
• AutoSelect means that the port can accept either PostScript or PCL5 and can automatically switch back and forth between them.
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