

OPN-4000i - Bluetooth® Quick Start Guide

## **Bluetooth Mode** HID (Most Common) (Human Interface Device)

SPP (Serial Port Profile) 

Apple MFi (Made for iDevice) 

Note: Apple MFi mode requires the OPNTerm application which is available for download from the Apple App Store.





# **Bluetooth Options**

- Bluetooth-HID This connection mode is the most common and is normally supported by host devices (computers, tablets and smartphones). Bluetooth-HID mode works as if a Bluetooth keyboard were attached to the host device. This means that all data scanned will be as if typed. It is important that there is a blinking cursor ready to accept your scanned data. Any text field is a valid place to scan a barcode.
- Bluetooth-SPP This connection mode can be complicated and is only recommended for advanced
  users or users who have a dedicated application that manages connections to the scanner. It may also
  be necessary when pairing with host devices that do not support Bluetooth-HID mode (such as most
  older BlackBerry and Android devices). In this case, you may wish to download and install Opticon's
  wedge application (OpticonRL) from our website (see below).
- Apple MFi This Bluetooth mode is a serial connection mode similar to Bluetooth-SPP though in a
  proprietary format devised by Apple. It allows two-way communication with the scanner from an iOS
  application that implements Opticon's iOS SDKs (an example of which is called OPNTerm which can be
  downloaded from the Apple App Store). The associated APIs allow iOS developers to create their own
  OPN-4000i applications or integrate the OPN-4000i into their own existing applications.

## **Feedback Options**

• Beeper Only - The OPN-4000i will only beep to alert the operator of a successful scan.

#### Bluetooth Disconnect / Reconnect

- When connected, a Bluetooth connection can be broken by holding the trigger key for 5 seconds. This will prolong battery life in some situations.
- When disconnected, a Bluetooth connection can be reestablished by holding the trigger key for 5 seconds. Barcode data stored when disconnected will be automatically transmitted.

## **USB Data Options**

- Enabled (Default) This feature allows the data stored on the OPN-4000i to
  be transferred to an attached computer. Data is stored when the Bluetooth
  connection goes out of range or is otherwise interrupted. Stored data is
  automatically transmitted to the host device upon reestablishing the
  Bluetooth connection. The Bluetooth connection mode also determines
  the USB connection mode. Bluetooth-SPP and Apple MFi modes will
  connect as USB-VCP (serial port) devices while Bluetooth-HID mode will
  result in an USB-HID (keyboard) connection.
- Disabled In this mode, the USB connector is used only to charge the OPN-4000i.

## **iOS Keyboard Options**

• iOS On - This mode is a companion mode to Bluetooth-HID and is intended for use with any Apple iDevice (iPhone, iPad and iPod) that has an onscreen keyboard. When this feature is enabled, the on-screen keyboard can be toggled on and off by use of the function key on the OPN-4000i. The typical behavior for an iDevice is to hide the on-screen keyboard when a Bluetooth keyboard is paired (as the OPN-4000i effectively is). Note that this feature is not used in Apple MFi mode.

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# **Defaults**



# iOS Keyboard Options

iOS On



OPNTerm

App Web Address



