

## Master Device

### About this guide:

This guide consists of 3 sections:

- **Overview** – Describes the Master Device selection in a TrueOrder™ Kitchen Display System (KDS).
- **How to Select the Master Device** – A procedure to be followed to select Master Device within a Multi-Station KDS Setup.
- **Appendix** – System diagrams for KDS and POS menu routing.

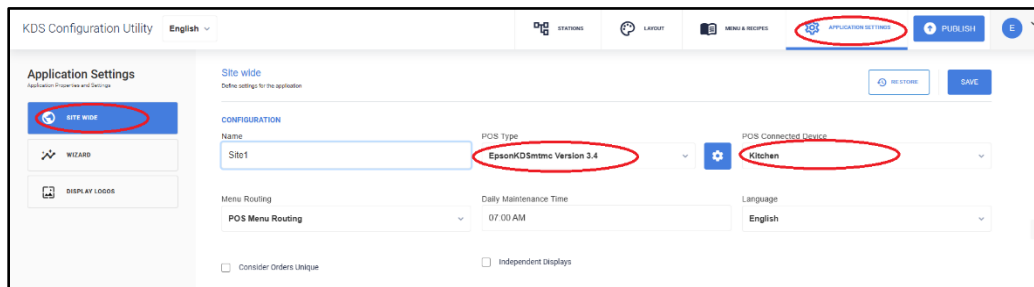
## Overview

Every TrueOrder KDS must have one device designated as the Master, *POS Attached Device*. In systems with just one device the choice is automatic and there is nothing to configure. In multi-station systems that have more than 1 device one needs to be designated as the Master, *POS Attached Device*. Which one to configure depends on your multi-station routing method:

- **KDS Menu Routing** – All print jobs are sent directly to a main device. The menu configuration and routing determine which stations items in an order are sent to. This device needs to be the Master, *POS Attached Device*.
- **POS Menu Routing** – All print jobs are sent from the POS directly to their intended display stations. The POS determines which items are sent where and all menu management remains on the POS. Any device can be designated as the Master, *POS Attached Device*.

# How to Select the Master Device

1. Click “APPLICATION SETTINGS” -> “SITE WIDE”, select Master Device from “POS Connected Device” drop-down list, and select POS parser from “POS Type” drop-down.



**IMPORTANT:** The POS parser gets installed on the selected POS Connected device and is different for each hardware model. By default, every device ships with a full list of parsers built for itself. The parser name and corresponding IPK filename have the hardware variant in them. For example, in the above picture the POS Type “EpsonKDS~~mtmc~~ Version 3.4” contains “mtmc”, which means MicroTouch Mach platform. Below is the list of supported hardware platforms for each hardware variant.

Supported hardware platforms for POS parsers with name **mtic**:

- MicroTouch AIO 21.5” Touchscreen Part#: IC-215P-AA2-A016
- MicroTouch Media Player Part#: MP-000-AA2-A017

Supported hardware platforms for POS parsers with name **ls89**:

- Logic Controls Controller Part#: LS8900-Epson

Supported hardware platforms for POS parsers with name **eloi**:

- ELO AIO 21.5” Touchscreen Part#: E166526
- ELO Backpack Part#: E166712

Supported hardware platforms for POS parsers with name **mtmc**:

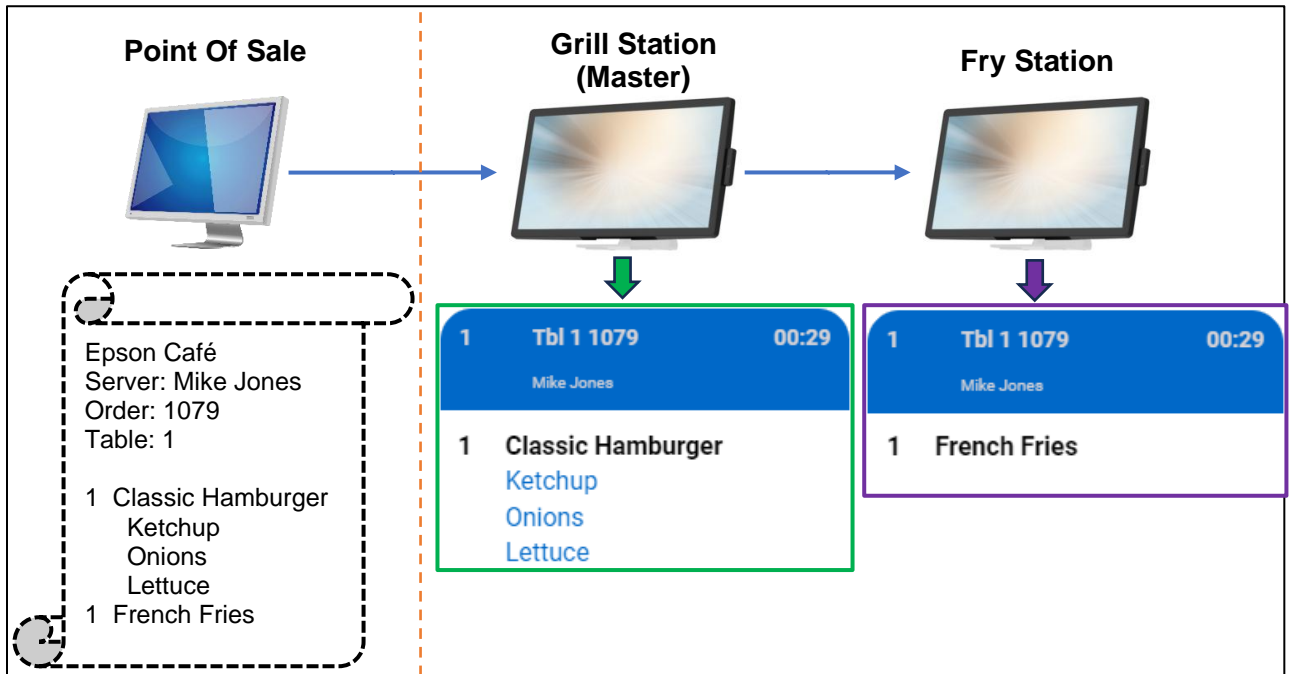
- MicroTouch All-In-One Touchscreens Part#:
  - M1-215IC-AA2-A037    M1-215IC-AA3-A038 (PoE)
  - M1-156IC-AA2-A040    M1-156IC-AA3-A041 (PoE)
- MicroTouch Mach Media Player Part#:
  - M1-MP-AA2-A039

## 2. Click “PUBLISH” to apply setting.

The screenshot displays the KDS Configuration Utility interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs for STATIONS, LAYOUT, MENU & RECIPES, APPLICATION SETTINGS, and PUBLISH. The PUBLISH tab is highlighted with a red circle. Below the navigation bar, the left sidebar shows options for SITE WIDE, WIZARD, and DISPLAY LOGOS. The main content area is titled 'Application Settings' and includes a 'Site wide' section with a 'RESTORE' button and a 'SAVE' button. The 'CONFIGURATION' section contains fields for Name (Site Name), POS Type (EpsonKDS Version 3.2), POS Connected Device (Kitchen), Menu Routing (POS Menu Routing), and Daily Maintenance Time (07:00 AM). There is also a checkbox for 'Consider Orders Unique' and a checkbox for 'Independent Displays'.

## Appendix: Menu Routing Diagrams

### *KDS Menu Routing*



### *POS Menu Routing*

