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Symbols Used in This Guide



Indicates a **Warning** in which the Operator should pay close attention as an error may occur, damage to the machine, software or injury to the Operator may also occur.



Indicates a **Note** or tip that the Operator should be aware of or may be helpful during the set up.

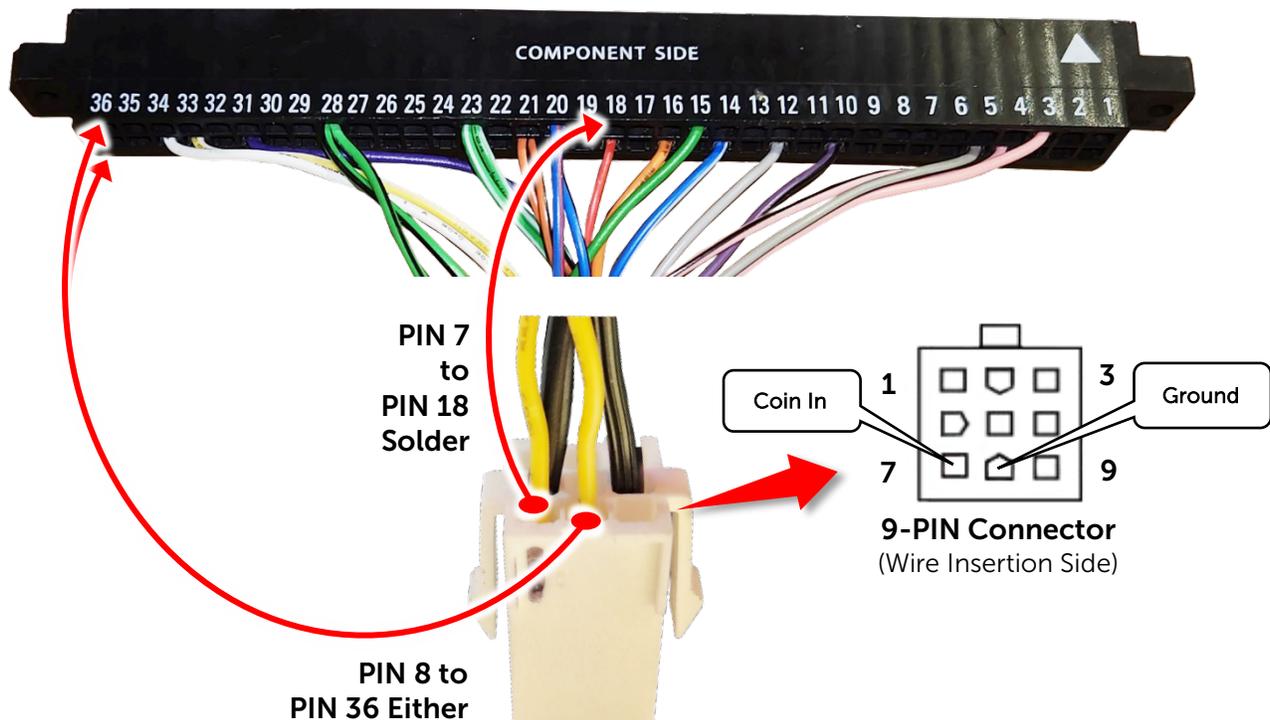


PA7, TAO and Apex Pulse Connector Diagram

This diagram shows the wiring setup for the 9-Pin Connector when using PA7, TAO and Apex Pulse Bill Acceptors.

Note: No settings in the Operator Menu need to be changed.

PIN	Connector Function
1	(No Connection)
2	(No Connection)
3	(No Connection)
4	120 VAC Hot Power (Not used for +12 VDC Model)
5	(No Connection)
6	120 VAC Neutral Power (24 VAC Neutral for +12 VDC Model)
7	Bill Acceptor Relay Contact – Coin In (Normally Open) (Connects to 18 Solder on Harness)
8	Bill Acceptor Relay Contact (Ground) (Connects to either PIN 36 on Harness)
9	(No Connection)
	Greyed Out = Not Used

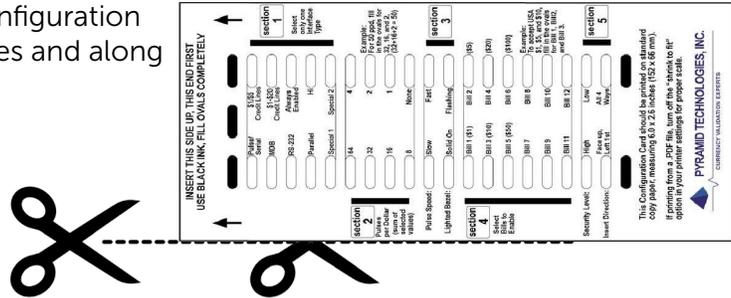


Note: Wire colors may differ depending on the cabinet or game machine.

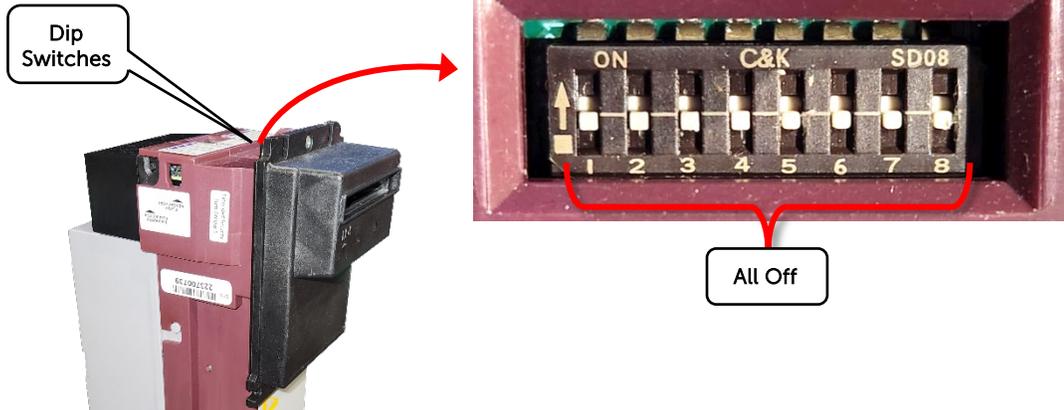


Pyramid Apex 7600 Serial on HD

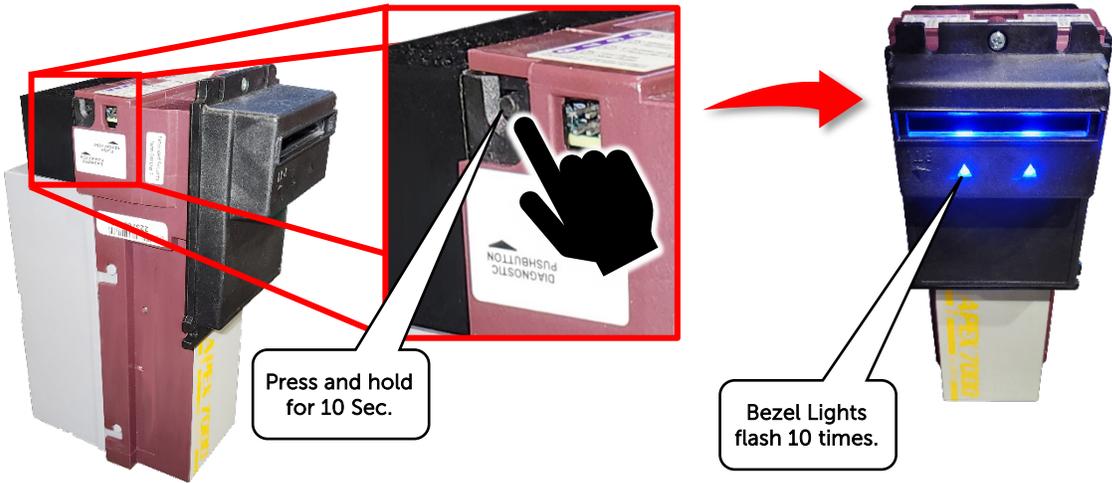
1. Print the Configuration Cards below.
2. Carefully Cut out the appropriate Configuration Card, being careful to cut straight lines and along the black frame of the card.



3. Make sure all Dip Switch positions are set to Off.
(If not, power off the Bill Acceptor and set all the Dip Switches to the Off position and Power the Bill Acceptor back On.)



4. Press and hold the Diagnostic Pushbutton located at the left rear of the Bill Acceptor for at least ten 10 seconds, then release. The bezel lighting on the front of the validator will flash ten 10 times.





5. Insert the appropriate Configuration Card into the validator, arrows first, printed side face up. The validator will hold the Configuration Card for a second or two and then feed it back out again.



6. The bezel lights should flash rapidly, indicating the validator has read the Configuration Card correctly. The configuration is now in permanent memory in the Bill Acceptor which should now reset itself by doing a stacker cycle.



Bezel Lights flash rapidly.



Warning: If the Bill Acceptor has not read the Configuration Card correctly, it will quickly reject the card and / or the bezel lights will flash slowly. Should this occur, check to make sure the Configuration Card was printed correctly, clearly and in the correct size. Also, make sure the card was cut out correctly with straight lines and is the proper width in line with an actual bill.



Note: The Bill Acceptor will stay in the Configuration Mode until it has correctly read a Configuration Card or powered off.



Print Instructions

It is critical that the Configuration Cards print in the correct size for the Bill Acceptor to read them precisely. Print on 8.5 x 11-inch paper. The Configuration Card should be the same width as a standard Bill. Be sure to print only the Configuration Cards page and set the Page Sizing and Handling to Actual size. Once printed, carefully cut out the appropriate card along the black outline. Cards may be printed in Black and White.

Pages to Print = Current

Page Sizing & Handling = Actual size

Paper Size = 8.5 x 11 inches

The screenshot shows the printer settings interface. Under 'Pages to Print', the 'Current' radio button is selected and highlighted with a red box. A callout bubble labeled 'Current' points to it. Under 'Page Sizing & Handling', the 'Actual size' radio button is selected and highlighted with a red box. A callout bubble labeled 'Actual size' points to it. The 'Document: 8.5 x 11.0in' label is at the top right. A preview of a page titled 'STORM - Operator Manual 2.1 Configuration Card' is shown, with a red box around it and a callout bubble labeled '8.5 x 11 Inches'. A pair of scissors icon indicates where to cut. A callout bubble labeled 'Configuration Cards Page is Shown' points to the preview.

This block compares a 20-dollar bill with a configuration card. A red double-headed arrow indicates that the width of the configuration card matches the width of the bill. A callout bubble labeled 'Same Width' points to the arrow. The configuration card is divided into two sections. Section 1 includes fields for Pulse/Serial, Credit Lines (\$1-\$5 and \$1-\$20), Always Enabled, Parallel, Special 1, and Special 2. Section 2 includes fields for Pulse Speed (Slow, Fast) and an example calculation: 'Example: For 50 ppd, fill in the ovals for 32, 16, and 2. (32+16+2 = 50)'. The card also has a 'Pulse Speed' field with 'Slow' and 'Fast' options.



Configuration Cards

Carefully cut out the cards along the black outline.

TTL RS232

- Low Security
- 4 Way Bill Insertion

TTL RS232

- High Security
- 1 Way Bill Insertion

INSERT THIS SIDE UP, THIS END FIRST
USE BLACK INK, FILL OVALS COMPLETELY

↑ ↑

Pulse/Serial \$1/\$5 Credit Lines

MDB \$1-\$20 Credit Lines

RS-232 Always Enabled

Parallel Hi

Special 1 Special 2

section 1 Select only one Interface Type

64 4

32 2

16 1

8 None

Pulses per Dollar (sum of selected values)

Pulse Speed: Slow Fast

Lighted Bezel: Solid On Flashing

section 2 Example: For 50 ppd, fill in the ovals for 32, 16, and 2, (32+16+2 = 50)

section 3

Bill 1 (\$1) Bill 2 (\$5)

Bill 3 (\$10) Bill 4 (\$20)

Bill 5 (\$50) Bill 6 (\$100)

Bill 7 Bill 8

Bill 9 Bill 10

Bill 11 Bill 12

Example: To accept USA \$1, \$5, and \$10, fill in the ovals for Bill 1, Bill 2, and Bill 3.

Security Level: High Low

Insert Direction: Face up, Left 1st All 4 Ways

section 4 Select Bills to Enable

section 5

This Configuration Card should be printed on standard copy paper, measuring 6.0 x 2.6 inches (152 x 66 mm).

If printing from a .PDF file, turn off the "shrink to fit" option in your printer settings for proper scale.

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ICT PA7 and TAO Dip Switch Settings for Serial

Both PA7 and TAO Bill Acceptors have been tested for the WEL-RV706 Serial Cable only.

Warning: Power Off the Cabinet or Game Machine prior to making any changes to the Bill Acceptor Dip Switches or Cables.

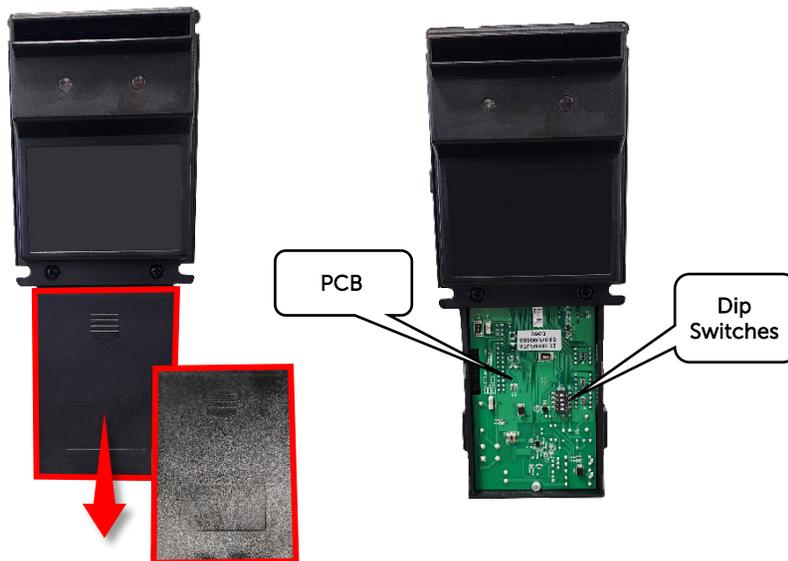


ICT PA7 Dipswitch and Menu Settings

There are two sets of dip switches, internal and external, that need to be addressed for Serial Cables to function as well as the Bill Acceptor settings in the Operator Menu.

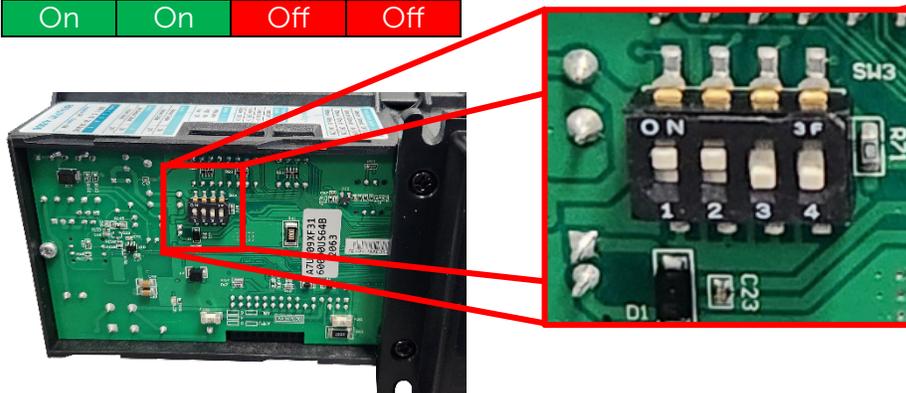
PA7 Internal / External Dip Switch Settings

1. Remove the PCB Cover.



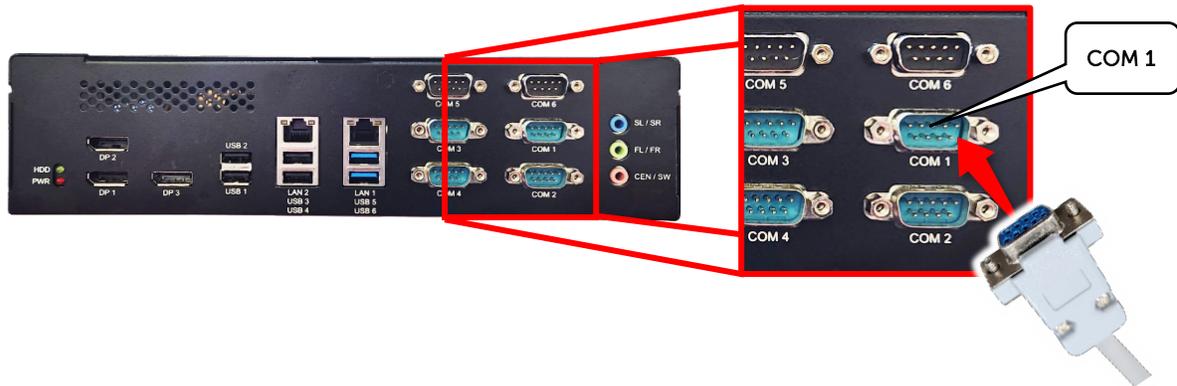
2. Set the Dip Switches to the settings below.

1	2	3	4
On	On	Off	Off

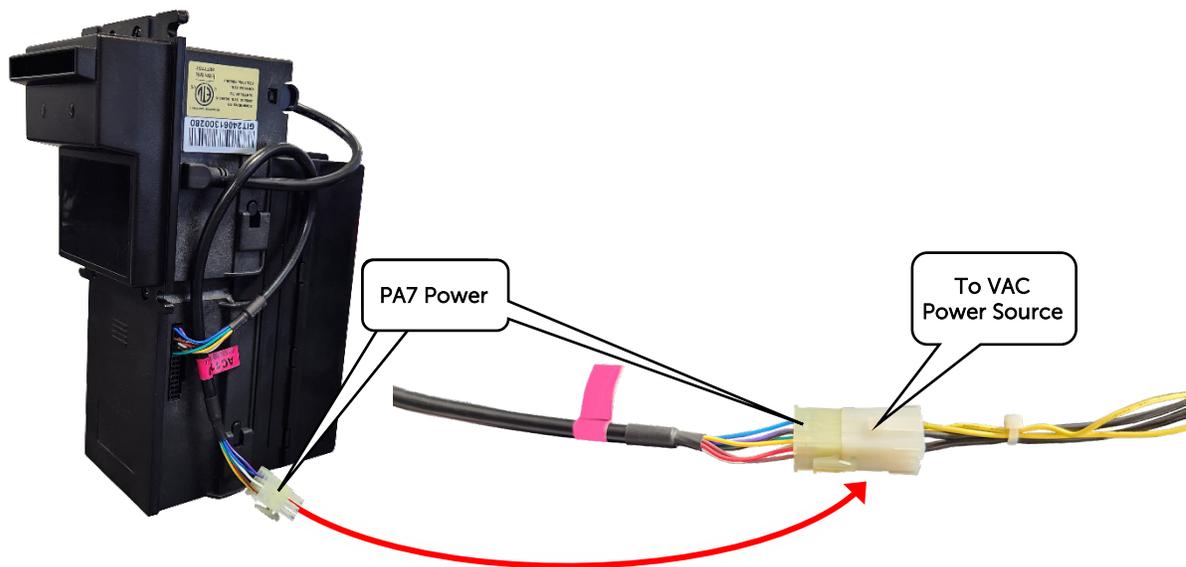




6. Connect the DB9 on the WEL-RV706 Serial Cable to COM 1 on the Board.

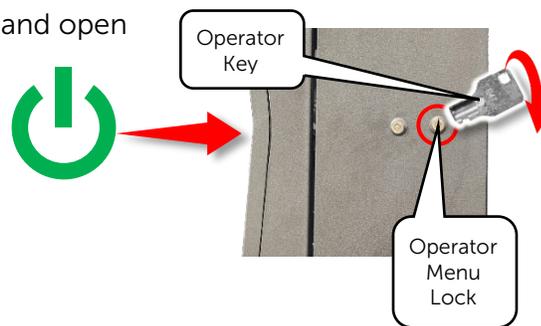


7. Connect the PA7 Power cable to the VAC Power Source inside the Cabinet or Game Machine.



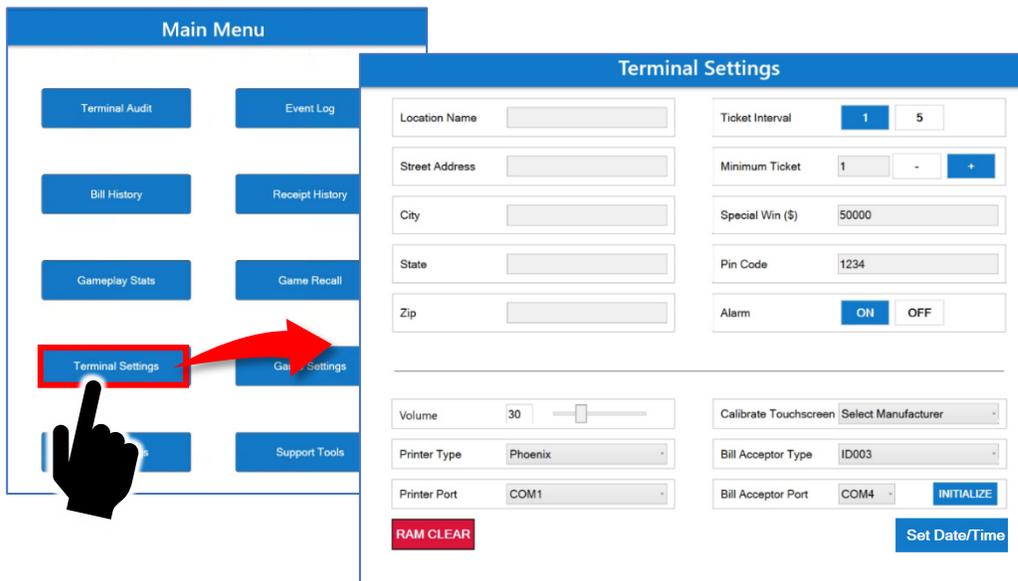
PA7 Menu Settings

8. Power up the Cabinet or Game Machine and open the Operator Menu via the Operator Key.

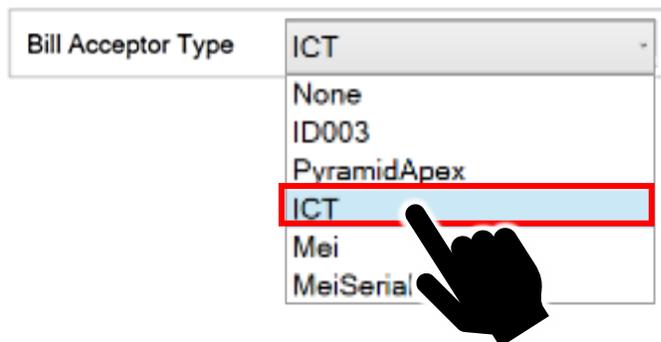




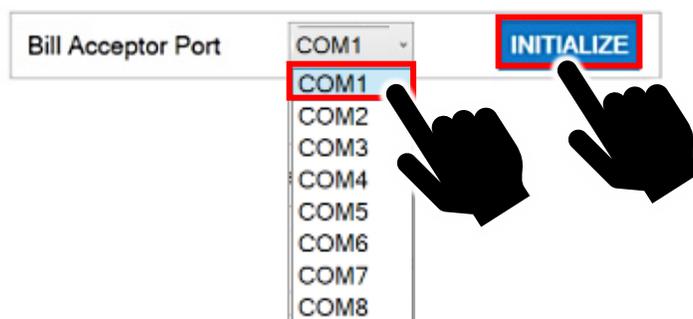
9. In the [Operator Menu](#), Navigate to the [Terminal Settings](#).



10. From the Bill Acceptor Type dropdown, Select ICT.



11. From the Bill Acceptor Port dropdown, Select COM 1 and Tap Initialize.



12. Insert Bills to Test the Bill Acceptor.



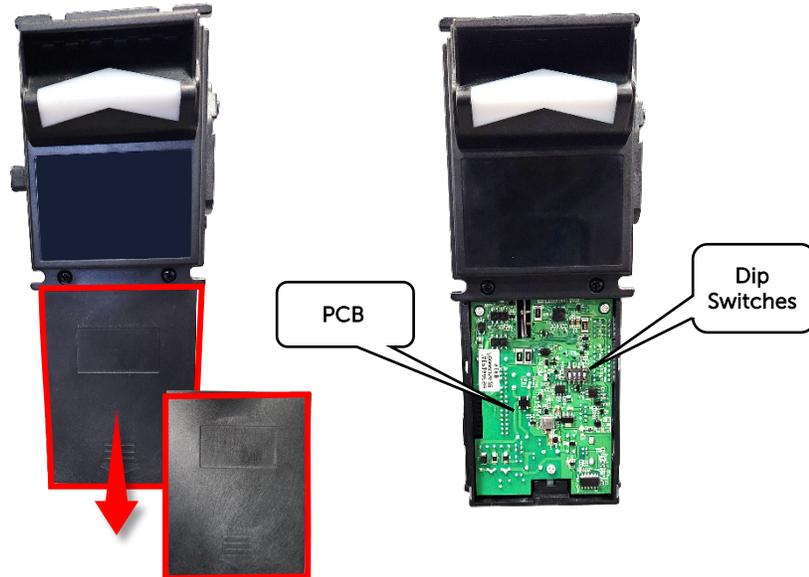


ICT TAO Dipswitch Settings

There are two sets of dip switches, internal and external, that need to be addressed for Serial Cables to function as well as the Bill Acceptor settings in the Operator Menu.

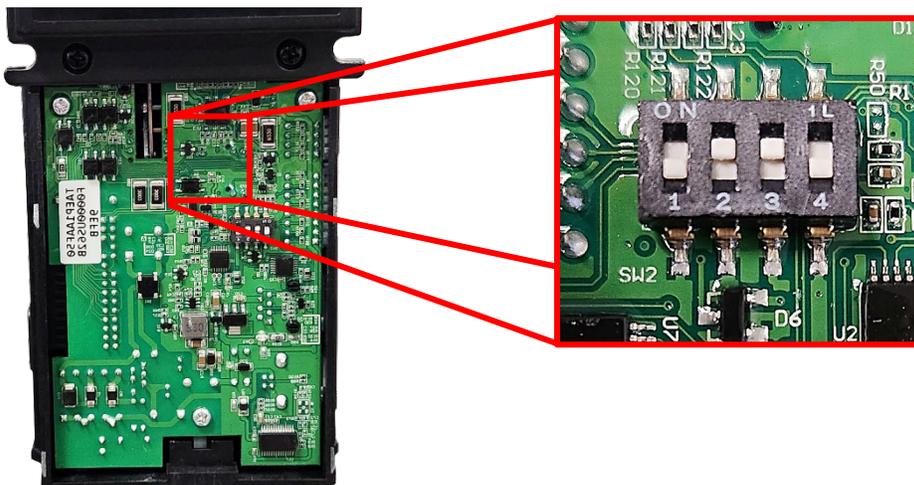
TAO Internal / External Dip Switch Settings

1. Remove the PCB Cover.



2. Set the Dip Switches to the following settings.
For more Dip Switch Settings see the chart below.

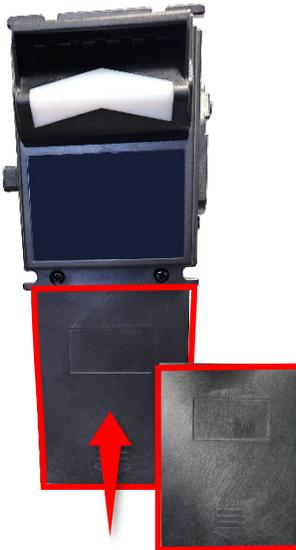
1	2	3	4
Off	On	On	Off



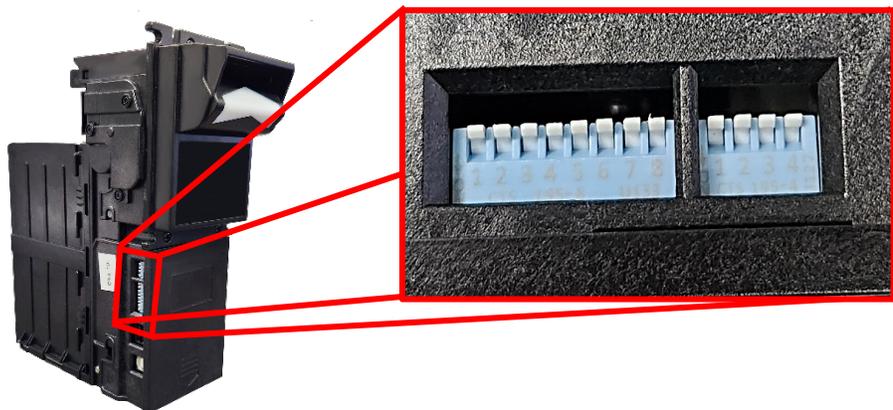


Main 4 Bit Dip Switch Settings				
Function	1	2	3	4
Credit-Pulse Normal HIGH*	On			
ICT Mode	Off	On	On	Off
PULSE Mode		On	Off	
* Not Used in ICT Mode				

3. Replace the PCB Cover.



4. External Dip Switches are set to Off by default. The charts below show the Dip Switch positions for various Bill Acceptor settings.





Main 8 Bit Dip Switch Settings								
Function	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Settings Based on Location Requirements	Reject \$1	On						
	Accept \$1	Off						
	Reject \$5		On					
	Accept \$5		Off					
	Reject \$10			On				
	Accept \$10			Off				
	Reject \$20				On			
	Accept \$20				Off			
	Reject \$50 & \$100					On		
	Accept \$50 & \$100					Off		
Reserved						Off		
Harness Disable*							On	
Harness Enable							Off	
Inhibit Low Activity								Off

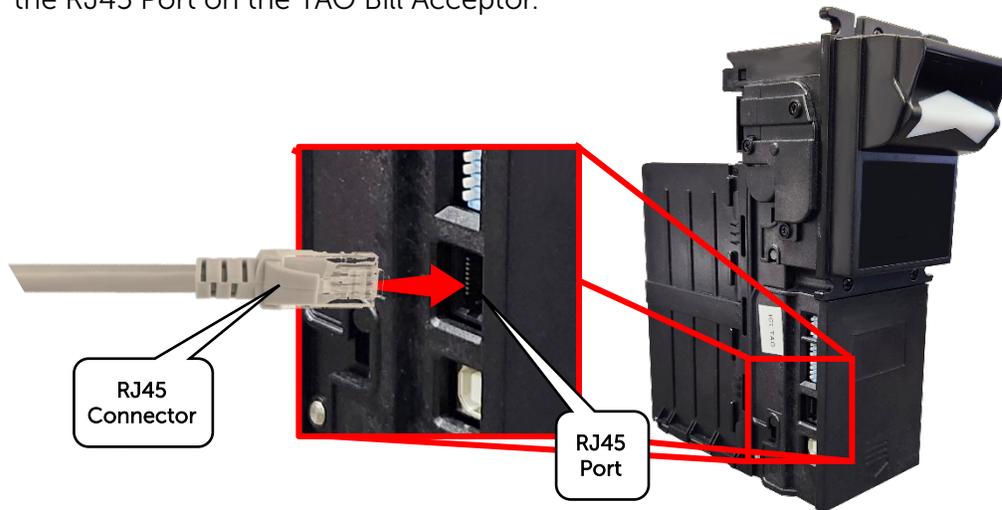
Note: All currency in US Dollars *Only On when connected by Pulse.

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1 Pulse / \$1	Off	Off		
Interface Timing Conversion 50ms on/ 50ms off			Off	Off

Note: All currency in US Dollars

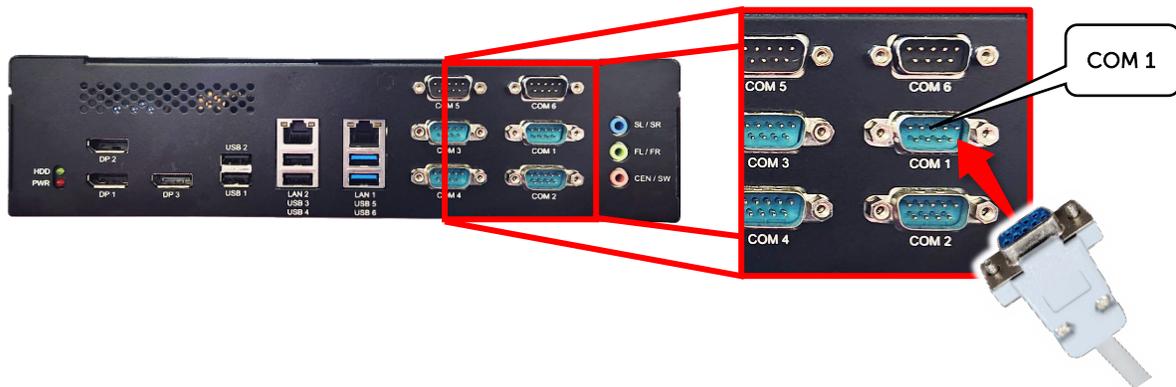
Serial Cable and Power Connections

- Connect the RJ45 connector on the WEL-RV706 Serial Cable to the RJ45 Port on the TAO Bill Acceptor.

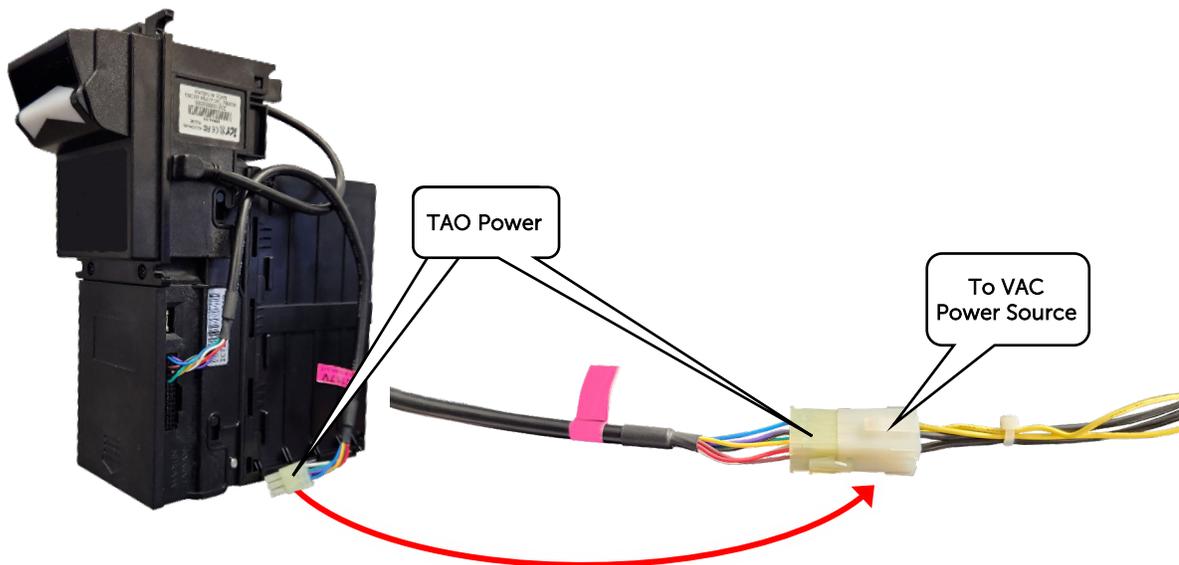




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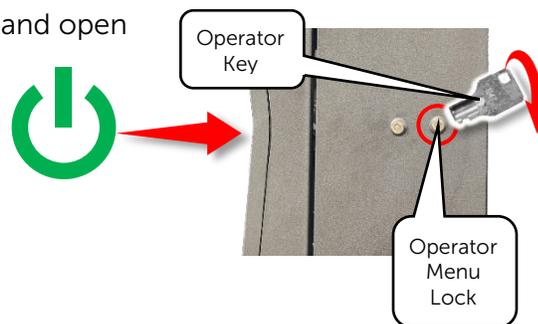


7. Connect the TAO Power cable to the VAC Power Source inside the Cabinet or Game Machine.



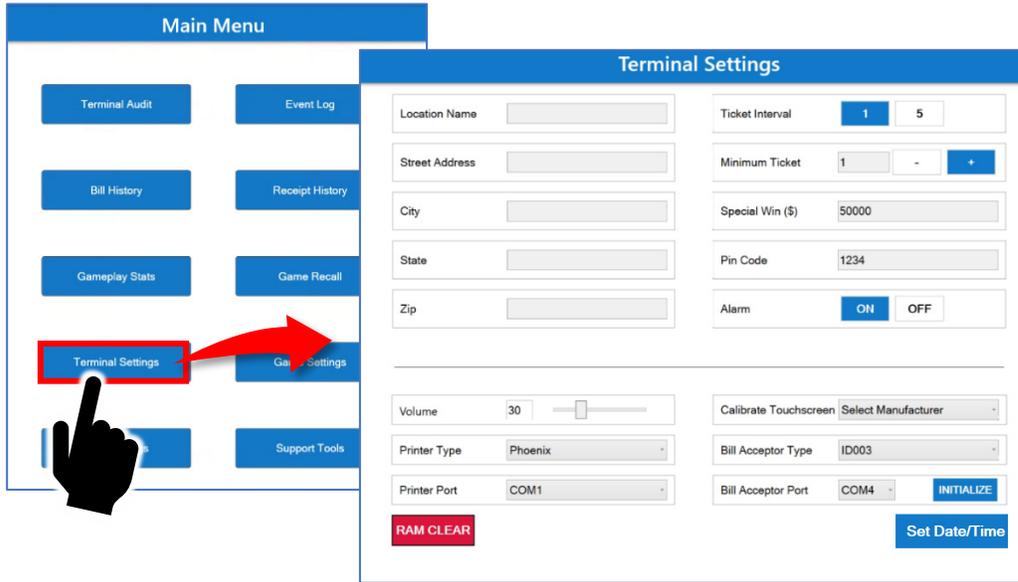
TAO Menu Settings

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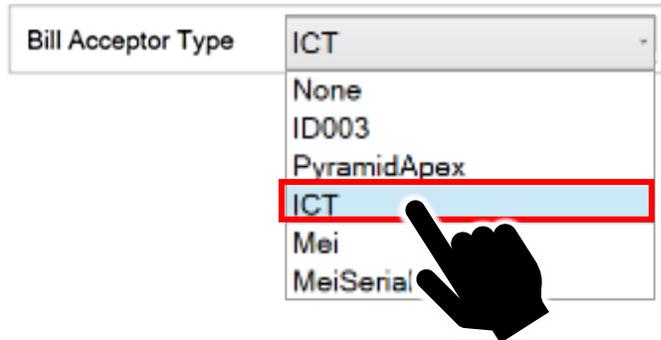




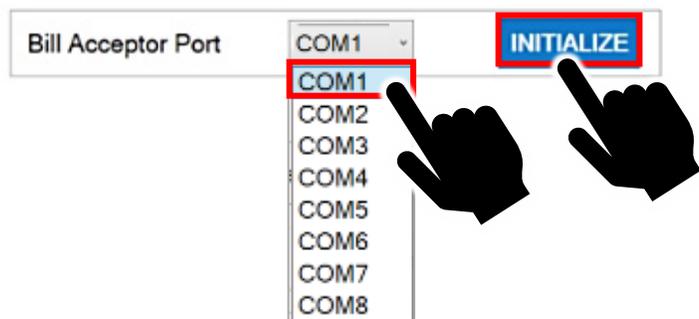
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