

Device Central 3.0

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Highlights

Starting with Android 10, Device Central is no longer built-in the device. It is required to be downloaded through the Zebra support portal.

Support added for Android 10 – Device Central 3.0 is the first version supporting Android 10.

Install via downloaded APK – On Android 10 or higher, Device Central is released via Zebra support portal.

Mobility DNA Enterprise License Required – For Zebra Professional-series devices, Device Central requires a [Mobility DNA Enterprise License](#).

Device Support

Newly supported devices in this release: TC21, MC33x, PS20, TC26, TC52 running Android 10

Device support dropped with this release: All devices with Android 9 Pie or lower.

See [all supported devices](#)

New in Device Central 3.0

Connection Management for any Bluetooth Peripheral

Device Central now supports Pairing/Unpairing of all Bluetooth peripherals that follow the Bluetooth standards, whereas previously only a restricted list of peripheral devices were supported.

Resolved Issues

- Device Central 3.0 can now pair printers and other accessories when authentication is set with a custom PIN code other than “0000”.
- The connection state is now reported properly when multiple RS5100 devices are paired.

Usage Notes

- When in Android Multiple User mode, Device Central supports only the Primary user.
- The scanning profile named “DeviceCentral” in DataWedge should not be removed or modified, otherwise unexpected behavior may occur.
- Only Zebra Bluetooth scanners are listed in the notification drawer in Android. All other devices are listed only in the Device Central main UI.

Known Issues

- The serial number for HS3100 Bluetooth headset may report incorrectly.
- When connecting a Bluetooth peripheral device that provides battery information, such as RS6000 scanner or HS3100 headset, it may take 10-15 seconds for the battery information to appear.

Important Links

- [About Device Central](#)
- [Using Device Central](#)

About Device Central

Device Central provides a centralized way for an organization to connect and monitor supported Bluetooth peripherals. Using the simple user interface, Device Central easily pairs and unpairs Bluetooth peripherals, monitors connection status, and provides details on supported peripherals. If supported by the peripheral, additional capabilities may exist such as paging the peripheral or updating the firmware.