



Intelligence
inside the printer.



**SATO
AEP**
Application
Enabled Printing

Web AEP Solution

Providing a unique solution to your customer

Why AEP?

AEP is a powerful on-board intelligence which enables customization of printer operations to significantly simplify labeling processes and reduce business costs.

Key Values

- Built on open source technology
- Full flexible modern programming
- Connects to many peripheral devices
- Future ready for AUTO ID technology



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AEP with Web AEP

The AEP concept provides 2 solutions building on the programming skills of the application developer

AEP

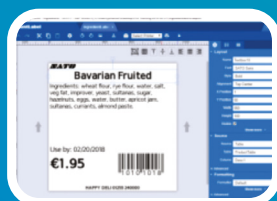
For application developers who usually use labeling software for creating printing application for PC.

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Application can be developed without programming but advanced features can be added with Lua scripting.



Application development is done with a PC software called AEP Works 3.



Web AEP

The GUI is developed as a Single Page web Application (SPA) with JavaScript, HTML5 and CSS.



The GUI development is done with the preferred JavaScript frontend framework like Vue.js, Angular, JQuery or React. The label lay-out is created in AEP Works 3 and the web application and lay-outs are linked to each other through the Web AEP API.

REACT JS



ANGULAR





VUE JS





Web AEP supported All-in-One printers

	FX3-LX	CT4-LX
		
Print method	Direct Thermal	Direct Thermal / Thermal Transfer
Size (W x D x H)	132mm x 225mm x 161mm	178mm x 238mm x 214mm
Resolution	305dpi	203 / 305 dpi
Print speed	6 ips	203 dpi: 8 ips, 305 dpi: 6 ips
Media width	85 mm	115 mm
Display panel	7" TFT Full Color touch screen LCD (480 x 800)	4.3 TFT Full Color touch screen LCD (480 x 272)
Interfaces	USB-A x 3, USB-B, LAN, NFC, Bluetooth (option), WLAN (option)	USB-A x 2, USB-B, LAN, RS232-C (option), NFC, Bluetooth (option), WLAN (option)
Specifications	No	Optional HF and UHF RFID
Adapted to user environment	Can be operated with gloves Space saving design Optional battery for portability Anti-bacterial casing Splash proof IPx2 & IK06 compliant	Can be operated with gloves Space saving design

For more details, please refer to the respective printer's catalogs.

Why FX3-LX and CT4-LX with Web AEP?

Application

- Develop web apps with common web technologies (JavaScript, HTML5 and CSS)
- Convert existing web apps and assets to run on FX3-LX and CT4-LX
- Run your existing cloud apps on FX3-LX and CT4-LX with a minimum of modifications
- Easy deployment and create label formats with AEP Works 3
- Minimal training requirements

Printer

- **Space saving and avoid connectivity issues:** FX3-LX and CT4-LX are both multifunctional all-in-one devices
- **Durability:** our printers are developed and tested for business operation in the food, retail, logistics and other markets
- **Connectivity:** Connect various peripheral devices like scanners, keyboards and scales directly to the printer via USB or Bluetooth
- **Adapted to user environment**
- **Simple operation:** intuitive GUI, onboard guidance videos, functional design

FX3-LX

CT4-LX



Supported models

Case Study 1

Local web application

Web AEP allows creating the screens with JavaScript, HTML5 and CSS which are popular to ISVs

The partner's benefits

- Provide a unique solution to your customer with the multi-functional all-in-one device
- Develop applications with common web technologies (JavaScript, HTML5 and CSS)
- Convert your existing web apps and assets to run on FX3-LX and CT4-LX
- Web applications allow more flexible and creative screen designs than screens created with AEP Works 3



Short learning curve

Case Study 2

Cloud applications

Web AEP allows running an app from the cloud on the printer

The partner's benefits

- Provide a unique solution to your customer with the multi-functional all-in-one device
- The application business logic is running on reliable/powerful server hardware and software – important for business critical applications with multiple printers
- Business logic enhancements/bug fixes will require a single deploy of the server application (no need to upgrade each printer)
- Easy to connect to all types of databases, third party API, etc. and easy integration with existing web solutions
- Faster development for your complex solutions in JavaScript/HTML5/CSS, ASP.NET, PHP, C#/Blazor, etc
- Connect to your existing cloud application with a minimum of modifications



	AEP	Web AEP local app	Web AEP cloud app
Label design	AEP Works 3	AEP Works 3	AEP Works 3
Screen (GUI) design	AEP Works 3	JavaScript, HTML5, CSS	JavaScript, HTML5, CSS, ASP.NET, PHP, C#/Blazor, etc
Table management	AEP Works 3	AEP Works 3, Web app	Web app
Access external database via LAN or WLAN	✓	✓	✓
Application running on	Printer	Printer	Cloud or server
Running internal web app on the printer	✗	✓	✗
Access and run remote web app on the printer	✗	✗	✓
Internet connection required	No	No	Yes
Peripheral device connection (scanner, keyboard, scale etc)	✓	✓	✓
Supported printers	FX3-LX CT4-LX PW208NX CL4NX Plus CL6NX Plus	FX3-LX CT4-LX	FX3-LX CT4-LX



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