^MN – Media Tracking

Description This command specifies the media type being used and the black mark offset in dots.

This bulleted list shows the types of media associated with this command:

- Continuous Media – this media has no physical characteristic (such as a web, notch, perforation, black mark) to separate labels. Label length is determined by the ^LL command.

- Continuous Media, variable length – same as Continuous Media, but if portions of the printed label fall outside of the defined label length, the label size will automatically be extended to contain them. This label length extension applies only to the current label. Note that ^MNV still requires the use of the ^LL command to define the initial desired label length.

- Non-continuous Media – this media has some type of physical characteristic (such as web, notch, perforation, black mark) to separate the labels.

Format ^MNa,b

Parameters	Details
a = media being used	*Accepted Values:* N = continuous media Y = non-continuous media web sensing [d, e] W = non-continuous media web sensing [d, e] M = non-continuous media mark sensing A = auto-detects the type of media during calibration [d, f] V = continuous media, variable length [g] *Default Value:* a value must be entered or the command is ignored
b = black mark offset in dots	This sets the expected location of the media mark relative to the point of separation between documents. If set to 0, the media mark is expected to be found at the point of separation. (i.e., the perforation, cut point, etc.) All values are listed in dots. This parameter is ignored unless the a parameter is set to M. If this parameter is missing, the default value is used. *Accepted Values:* -80 to 283 for direct-thermal only printers -240 to 566 for 600 dpi printers -75 to 283 for KR403 printers -120 to 283 for all other printers *Default Value:* 0

d. Provides the same result.
e. This value is not supported on the KR403 printer.
f. This parameter is supported only on G-series printers.
g. This parameter is supported only on the KR403 printer.

Comments This command is ignored on the HC100™ printer.