

FPT models and MTX30 series: All PWD/PIN are erased after connecting to clock

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CAUSES: Instead of using download to send a new employee to the clock, send maps was done even when a backup was not performed via receive maps prior.

- Incorrect method- Send maps without first using Receive maps
- Correct method- Download

Here are the definitions to clock communication:

- **Receive maps** - to backup clock data of prints and PWD/PIN
- **Download** - to send new cards or to send new employee templates
- **Send maps** - for sending cards/fingerprints only that were already received prior
 - Warning: Do not use **Send Maps** for sending new employee templates for PWD/PIN. Instead, use Download. You can use **Send Maps**, as long as you have **Received maps** before hand.

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