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Application Note

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1. Introduction

This document provides information on how to check the current firmware versions and on how to update the firmware on the main board and docking station of the Elo Tablet (hereafter referred to as the tablet). The main board and docking station firmware can both be updated via the procedure and utility specified in Chapter 3. This utility allows a user to select the new firmware file that the tablet main board and/or docking station are to be updated to.

Note: Take care to ensure that the correct firmware file is chosen. The firmware files may be obtained by contacting Elo Technical Support.

The current latest firmware versions are as follows:

Tablet main board firmware

Filename: ELO-EC-V1.32.bin The MainBoard EC Version will be listed in InfoAbout (discussed in Chapter 2) as 1.32.

Docking station firmware

Filename: ELO-EC-DS-V1.26.zed The Docking EC Version will be listed in InfoAbout (discussed in Chapter 2) as 1.26.

Note: Please ensure that the tablet / docking station is connected to a power supply via the AC/DC power adapter kit during a firmware update. This is to ensure that power is not interrupted while the update is taking place. If power is lost while the update is in progress, the device will be rendered unusable. Once the update starts, leave the device undisturbed until the update is complete.

If you still have questions after reading this document, please contact an Elo Touch technical representative or customer service.

Visit http://www.elotouch.com/Support/TechnicalSupport/default.asp for technical support.

Refer to the last page of this user manual for Elo contact information worldwide.

2. Checking the Installed Firmware Version

To check the installed firmware version:

- 1. Navigate to the Control Panel.
- 2. Access InfoAbout. The InfoAbout window will display the Embedded Controller (EC) firmware versions.

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Software Info Hardware Info	ScreenRotation	
OS Version	1.16	
BIOS Version	V019	
MainBoard EC Version	1.29	
Docking EC Version	1.06	
	1.20	
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Note: The versions shown above are for example only.

If the EC versions are not as specified in Chapter 1, proceed with the firmware update.

Separate Application Notes are available for updating the BIOS and installing a new operating system image.

3. Updating the Firmware

Before updating the firmware, please ensure that the tablet / docking station is connected to a power source via the AC/DC power adapter kit. To update the firmware:

1. On the Tablet, navigate to \Windows\SYSAPP\FWUPGRADE



2. Right-click ECFWDN.exe and select Run as Administrator.

3. When the "Do you want to allow ..." message comes up, click **[Yes]**. This will bring up the firmware utility.

Firmware Download	
Tablet Firmware Filename	
Docking Firmware Filename	
Start	
ECFWDN Version 1.2.2.0	^
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- 4. Plug the USB stick that contains the firmware update file into the tablet and copy the file to a known location on the Tablet's hard drive.
- 5. Click the [...] button to the right of the appropriate Firmware textbox (Tablet or Docking).
- 6. Navigate to the appropriate firmware file and double-click it. The selected filename should now appear in the appropriate Firmware textbox.
- 7. Click the green [Start] button A counter will appear just below the [...] button and will begin to increment. A blue progress bar will slowly increase from left to right to demonstrate the download progress. Mouse and keyboard will be inactive while the update is in progress. The update may take several minutes, hence allow for some time for the update to complete. When done, the following message will appear:



- 8. As mouse may not respond, touch the OK button to shut the Tablet down. It is not necessary to remove and reinstall the battery. In the case of a Docking firmware update, you must remove the tablet from the docking station and reinstall the tablet onto the docking station.
- 9. Power the tablet up and check the firmware version via the procedures outlined in Chapter 2 of this document.

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