## **EPSON**<sup>®</sup>

# EMP Monitor Operation Guide







	Indicates something that may cause injury or damage to the projector.	
Indicates information that is related to a topic or which may be useful to know.		
	Indicates a page where a related topic or more a detailed explanation is provided.	
[ (Name) ]	Indicates the name of a projector port or a computer menu or item name. Example: [InputA] [Start]	

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### **Operating Environment**

You can display status information on a computer screen for multiple projectors that are connected to a network and also carry out batch operations on all projectors such as turning the power on and off and changing the image source. A maximum of 64 projectors can be monitored and controlled by batch operations.



**Projector C** 

System configuration example

If the projector's "Network Monitoring" or "Standby Mode" configuration menu is set to "ON" or "Network ON", the projector can still be monitored when it is in standby mode (when the  $\bigcirc$  (Power) indicator is lit orange).

#### **Compatible computers**

\* Macintosh computers cannot be used.

OS*	98SE/Me/NT4.0/2000 Professional/XP Home Edition/XP Professional
CPU	Pentium MMX 166 MHz or higher (Pentium II 233 MHz or higher recommended)
Memory capacity	64 MB or more (128 MB or more recommended)
Free hard disk space	6 MB or more
Display	XGA (1024×768) or higher resolution, 16 bit or higher display colour

#### Before starting operations

Check the following points before starting up EMP Monitor.

- EMP Monitor must be installed in the computer to be used for monitoring and control.
- The computer and the projectors must be connected to the network.
- If using Windows 2000, NT4.0 or XP, the computer must be started up in Administrator mode.

(When using EMP-81/61)

- To use EMP Monitor, an adapter and cable for conversion are required.
- You need to make a setting for the adapter before connecting it to the projector. The adapter's documentation

Refer to the "Appendices" for details about the adapter setting. ( p.12

### **Registering projectors for monitoring**

This operation is carried out when starting EMP Monitor for the first time after it has been installed and when you would like to add projectors. Once a projector has been registered, the status for the projector will be displayed automatically each time EMP Monitor is started from that point onwards.

#### PROCEDURE

Click [Start] - [Programs] (or [All Programs]) - [EPSON Projector] - [EMP Monitor] in that order to start EMP Monitor.

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#### Click [Register projector].

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Click to add a projector to be monitored

The [Register projector] dialogue box will be displayed.



Use the "Registration using automatic detection" ( $\bigcirc$  p.5) or "Registration using IP address (Manual registration)" ( $\bigcirc$  p.6) procedure to register projectors.

#### **Registration using automatic detection**

#### PROCEDURE

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Click [Auto detect] in the [Register projector] dialogue box.

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### Select the projector(s) to be registered, and then click [Add].

You can select several projectors at the same time.

If a projector does not appear in the list, use "Registration using IP address (Manual registration)". The p.6

Name	IP address	Add
EMPXXXXXXXX	192.168.0.31	
		<u>C</u> lose

### TIP

- Projectors that have been registered using automatic detection will be re-detected on the basis of projector name and the IP addresses for these projectors will be displayed each time EMP Monitor is started.
- If a password entry screen is displayed, enter the password for the projector's Administrator and then click [OK]. If more than one projector was selected, the password entry screens for each projector will be displayed in succession.

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### Click [Close] to return to the main EMP Monitor window.

Refer to "Main EMP Monitor window" for details on using the main window.  $\bigcirc$  p.8

#### **Registration using IP address (Manual registration)**

#### PROCEDURE

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Click [Manual registration] in the [Register projector] dialogue box.

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#### Enter the IP address for the projector to be registered in the [IP address] box, and then click [Confirm].

If a projector with the specified IP address is found on the network, the projector's name will be displayed, so check that it is the target projector. If it is not the target projector, re-enter the IP address.

anually register proje	stor	X
Projector name: IP address:	EMPXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	Confirm
	Add	Cancel

#### When using EMP-81/61

The following "Manually register projector" window will be displayed.

Complete the form and click [Confirm].

Projector name	Enter the projector name of up to 16
	alphanumeric characters, from 0 to 9
	and from $A(a)$ to $Z(z)$ and You cannot
	use a numeric-only name.
IP address	Enter the IP address of the projector.
Use Serial⇔TCP/IP	Check the box.
conversion adaptor.	
Port Number	Enter the port number.



If a password entry screen is displayed, enter the password for the projector's Administrator and then click [OK].

TIP

#### Editing the manually-registered projector list

Use the following procedure to change the projector name or IP address for projectors that have been registered manually.

#### PROCEDURE



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Select the projector to be edited in the [Register projector] dialogue box, and then click [Edit].

If the projector name has changed, simply click [Confirm]. If the IP address has changed, enter the new IP address and then click [Confirm].

Check that the projector name is correct.

Click [Update].

#### Deleting a projector from the projector list

Select the projector to be deleted from the list in the [Register projector] dialogue box, and then click [Delete].

More than one projector can be selected at the same time.

### **Main EMP Monitor window**

The main window shows the status information for each projector. To carry our operations for projectors, select the projectors from the projector list and then click the buttons.



To close the window, click the  $\blacksquare$  in the top-right corner.

#### **Button functions**

The power can be turned on or off and the input source can be changed for the projectors that are selected from the projector list. The same operations can also be carried out using the commands in the [Tools] menu.

Detail display	Shows detailed information for the selected projectors.
Power ON	Turns the projector power on.
O Power OFF	Turns the projector power off.
PC1, InputA	Switches to the input source connected to the [Computer] port, [Computer1] port or [InputA] port.
PC2, InputB	Switches to the input source connected to the [Computer2] port or [InputB] port.
BNC	Switches to the input source connected to the [BNC] port.
S-Video	Switches to the input source connected to the [S-Video] port.
📼 Video	Switches to the input source connected to the [Video] port.
<b>D</b> 4	Switches to the input source connected to the [D4] port.
DVI, HDMI	Switches to the input source connected to the [DVI] port or [HDMI] port.
EasyMP	Switches to EasyMP or EasyMP.net.

TIP

Some connected projectors may not be equipped with all of the above ports or functions. If you click a button for a port or function that is not available, nothing will happen.

### Understanding the projector list

The projector list uses the following icons to show the projector statuses.

S	Status: Shows the projector status.		
	۲	Power on and normal status	
		Power off and normal status	
	٢	Power on and abnormal status	
		Power off and abnormal status	
		Network error (such as not connected to network or power cord not connected)	
Ν	ame: Shows	s the projector name.	
S	ource: Show	ws the selected image source.	
	<b>I</b>	Computer, Computer1 or InputA	
		Computer2 or InputB	
	<b>S</b> s	S-Video	
		Video	
		D4 (Digital)	
	-D	DVI or HDMI (Digital)	

<b>Error information:</b> Uses the following icons to show the status if an error occurs with a projector.								
	2	End of lamp life warning	Replace with a new lamp. "Replacing the Lamp" in the "Replacing Consumables" section of the accessory <i>User's Guide</i> .					
		Lamp problem High internal temperature (overheating)	"Reading the Indicators" • Refer to the "Troubleshooting" section of the accessory User's					
		Temperature warning Internal problem	<i>Guide</i> and carry out the suggested remedy.					
	-51	Fan problem						
	2	Temperature sensor problem						

The projector information that is generated when a problem is detected is stored until EMP Monitor is closed. The EMP Monitor displays will not be updated automatically even if the projector status returns to normal. Click [Refresh] in the main window to update the status.

#### **Displaying detailed information**

You can check detailed information on the status of individual projectors that are connected.

#### PROCEDURE



Select the projector to be checked in the main window.

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Click [View details].



Detailed status information will be displayed in the [Details] dialogue box.

Dasic Information		
Projector name	EMPXXXXXXXX	
Lamp	32 h	
Ceiling	OFF	
Rear Proj.	OFF	
Source	Computer1,InputA	
Frequency	H, kHz V, Hz	
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SYNC Mode		
SYNC Mode Resolution	X	
SYNC Mode Resolution Refresh Rate	x Hz	

The details that are displayed may vary slightly depending on the projector connected.

### A projector cannot be monitored or controlled using EMP Monitor <sup>11</sup>

Cause	Remedy
Is the projector connected to the network correctly?	Connect the network cable correctly. The "Network Cable Connections" in the accessory User's Guide
Has the projector been set up correctly for connection to the network?	Check the settings for the "Network" configuration menu command.
Has EMP Monitor been installed to the computer correctly?	Uninstall EMP Monitor and then re-install it.
Have all projectors that are to be monitored and controlled been registered in the projector list?	Register the projector in the projector list.
Is the projector's "Network Monitoring" or "Standby Mode" configuration menu set to "ON" or "Network ON"?	In order to use EMP Monitor to monitor and control the projector when it is in standby mode, the projector's "Network Monitoring" or "Standby Mode" configuration menu must be set to "ON" or "Network ON". Carter Accessory User's Guide

### Appendices

When using EMP-81/61, you need to make a setting for the adapter. Make the setting as shown in the following table.

Мори	Main Itam	Sub Itom	Set	ting
Menu		Subitem	UDS100	UDS200
Port Properties	Serial Port Settings	Serial Protocol	RS232	
		Speed	9600	
		Character Size	8	
		Parity	None	
		Stopbit	1	
		Flow Control	None	
	Connect Mode Settings	UDP Datagram Mode	Disable	
		UDP Datagram Type	(Bla	ank)
		Response	Nothing (quiet)	
	Additional Settings	Port Password	Disable	
		Telnet Mode	Disable	
		Inactivity Timeout	Enable	
		Port Password	(Blank)	
Security	Security Settings	Encryption	_	Disable (Not selectable)
		Twofish Key	-	(Blank)

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