

A7 Operation Manual

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1 Demo Instruction

The Demo mainly carries out the functions of system control, parameter set and get, tag reading and writing, and data display, etc.

Before using the demo, please check whether the reader hardware connection is all done, and pay attention to the following aspects:

1. The network parameters are configured correctly;
2. The antenna ports that need to be used are connected to antennas;
3. The reader is power-on(the buzzer is ringing).

2 Demo Applying Environment

◆ Software Environment

Windows Server 2003、Windows XP Service Pack 2、Windows 7、Windows10 operating systems.

◆ Hardware Environment

P4/1.7GHz PC with better configuration,512M or larger storage, 40G hard disk.

3 Demo Version

◆ V0.39.0.0

4 Demo Operation

4.1 Connect Reader

All functions can only be operated after a successful connection.

4.1.1 USB-HID Communication Connection

Double click “GReaderDemo.exe” to start the Demo. Grey icons on the main interface means the reader is not connected. Select communication mode “RS232 connection”, “connection parameters”, “USB” in Device Connection, then click “Confirm”, as figure 4.1.1.1 shows.

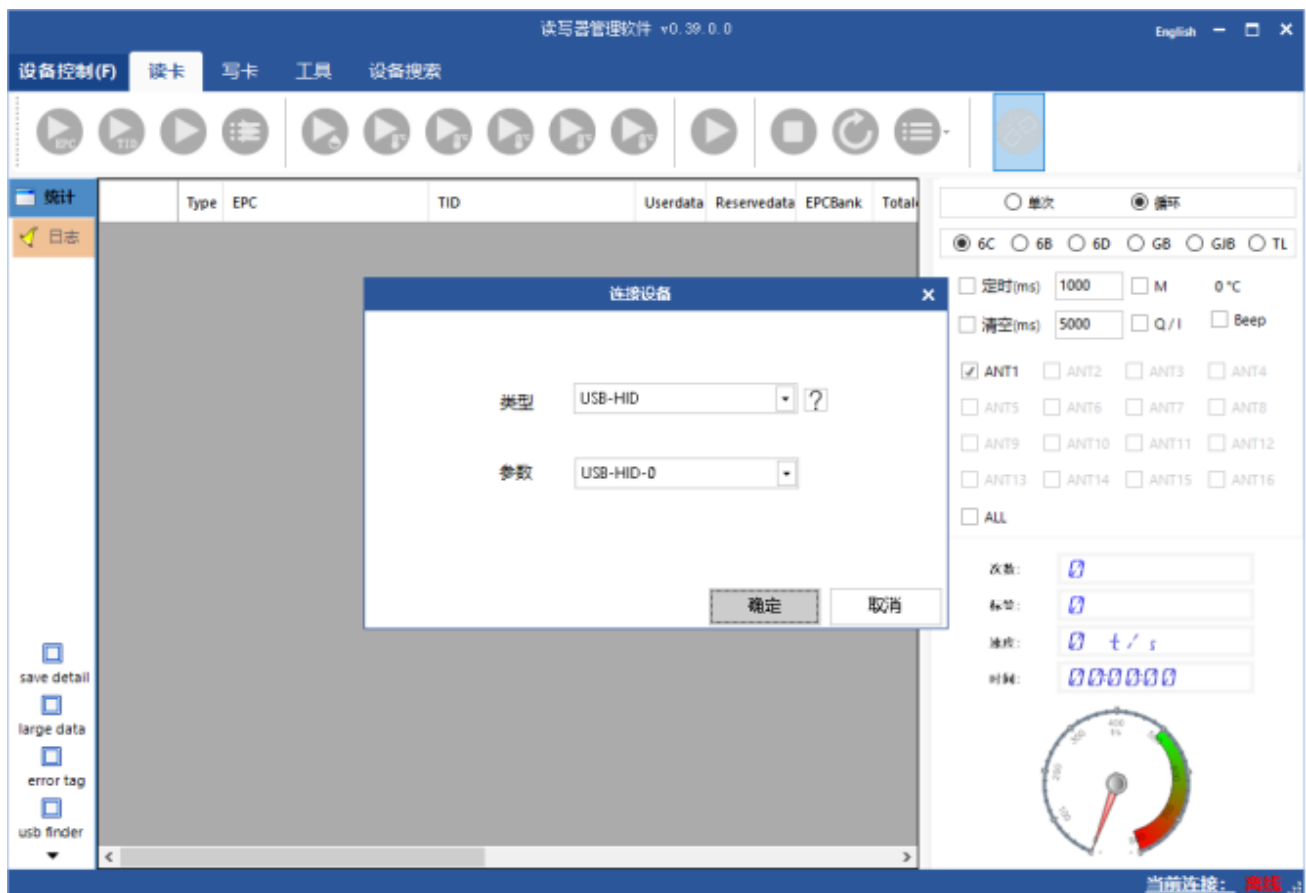


Figure 4.1.1.1 RS232 Connection

If the connection is successful, the icons in the tool bar will be colored as figure

4.1.1.2 shows. It means COM is connected.

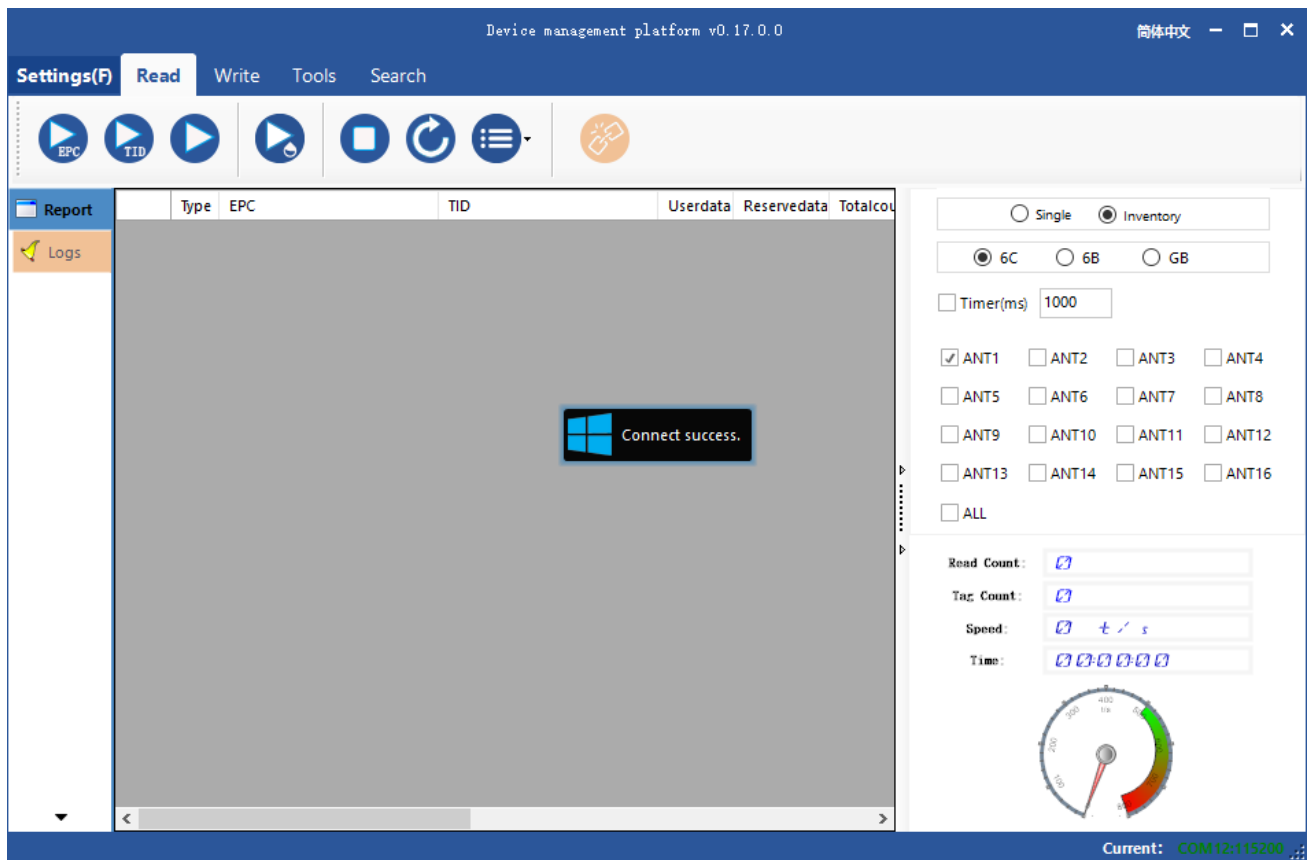



Figure 4.1.1.2 RS232 Connection success

4.2 Data Displaying Area

Click , the data displaying area will be like Figure 4.2.1.

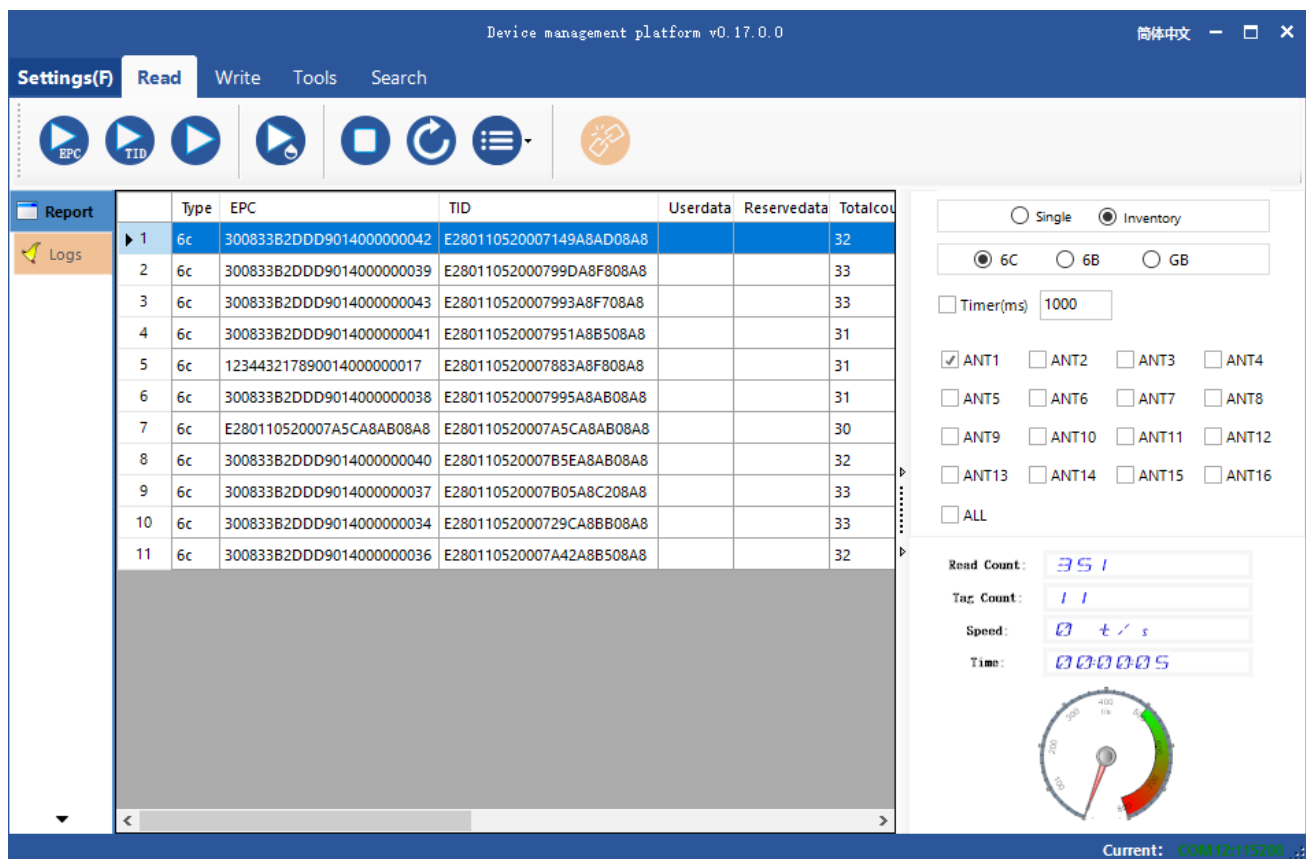


Figure 4.2.1 data displaying area parameter meaning

Type: type of tag:6C, 6B and GB ;

EPC: EPC data of the tag which is readable and writable ;

TID: TID data of the tag, which is a unique identification and readable only ;

Userdata: data of the user area, readable and writable ;

Reservedata: data of the reserved data, to store the tag password, etc. ;

Totalcount: total number of the times the tag read ;

ANT1: number of the times antenna 1 read ;

ANT2: number of the times antenna 2 read ;

ANT3: number of the times antenna 3 read ;

ANT4: number of the times antenna 4 read ;

ANT5: number of the times antenna 5 read ;

ANT6: number of the times antenna 6 read ;

ANT7: number of the times antenna 7 read ;

ANT8: number of the times antenna 8 read ;


RSSI: signal strength ;

Frequency: the frequency of the tag being read ;

Phase: phase value of the tag being read ;

ReadTime: reading time .


4.2.1 Read EPC

Click , and the EPC being read will be displayed on the data displaying area. It can read the EPC data area of the ISO18000-6C tag and national standard tag.

EPC is displayed in hexadecimal strings, and the length is in words (1 word=2 bytes=4 hexadecimal character) .

To read the EPC data of custom length, please refer to Custom Reading for details.

4.2.2 Read TID


Click , and the EPC and TID data being read will be displayed on the data displaying area. It can read the EPC and TID data area of ISO18000-6B, ISO18000-6C, and national standard tag.

TID is displayed in hexadecimal strings, and the length is in words (1 word=2 bytes=4 hexadecimal character) . The length of TID is defaulted to be 6 words.

To read the TID data of custom length, please refer to Custom Reading for details.

4.2.3 Custom Read

4.2.3.1 ISO18000-6C Tag

Select "6C" as tag type , click , and a dialog box will pop up, like Figure 4.2.3.1. Detail parameter instruction will be as follows:

Match parameter, which can be read by matching the known tag data, means that only this tag can be read.

Read TID: select read tag TID data. The reading mode is defaulted to be "self-adaptable" and the reading length is in words, as shown in Figure 4.2.3.1.

Read user data: choose to read the data of the tag user area. The starting address and reading length are in words, as shown in Figure 4.2.3.2.

Read reserved area: select the data of the tag reserve area. The starting address and reading length are in words, as shown in Figure 4.2.3.3.

Access password, the access password for tag checking, as shown in Figure 4.2.3.4.

ISO18000-6C custom read

Match parameter

No match Start(bit)

EPC(Hex)

TID(Hex)

Userdata(Hex)

TID Userdata Reserved Password/Other

Mode Length(word)

☒ Read TID

Figure 4.2.3.1 Custom Reading for EPC Tag (TID)

ISO18000-6C custom read

Match parameter

No match Start(bit)

EPC(Hex)

TID(Hex)

Userdata(Hex)

TID Userdata Reserved Password/Other

Start(word) Length(word)

☒ Read Userdata

Figure 4.2.3.2 Custom Reading for EPC Tag (Userdata)

ISO18000-6C custom read

Match parameter

No match Start(bit)

EPC(Hex)

TID(Hex)

Userdata(Hex)

TID Userdata **Reserved** Password/Other

Start(word) Length(word)

☒ Read reserved

Figure 4.2.3.3 Custom Reading for EPC Tag (reserved area)

ISO18000-6C custom read

Match parameter

No match Start(bit)

EPC(Hex)

TID(Hex)

Userdata(Hex)


TID Userdata Reserved **Password/Other**

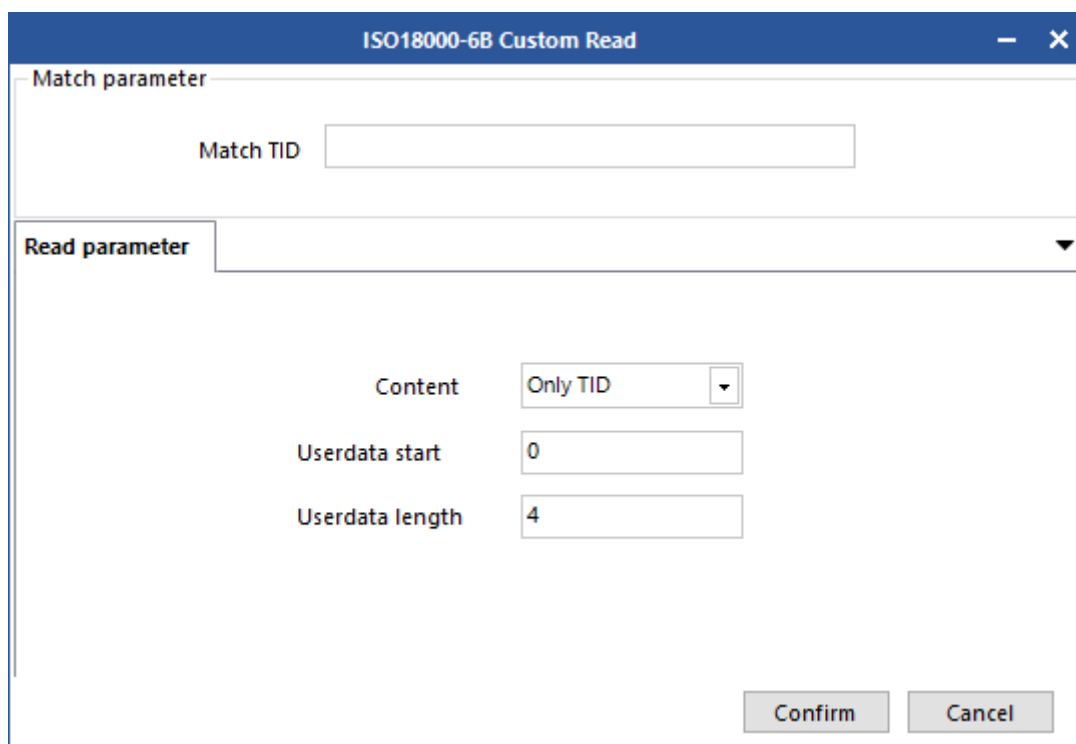
☐ Password

☐ Monza QT Peek ☐ Rfmicron ☐ EM Sensor data

Figure 4.2.3.4 Custom Reading for EPC Tag (Access Password/Other)

4.2.3.2 ISO18000-6B Tag


Select "6B" as tag type, click , and the dialog box will pop up. As shown in Figure 4.2.3.5. TID data or user data can be selected to read, and TID matching reading can be performed. Users unfamiliar with tag protocol please ignore this function. The starting address and reading length are in words.

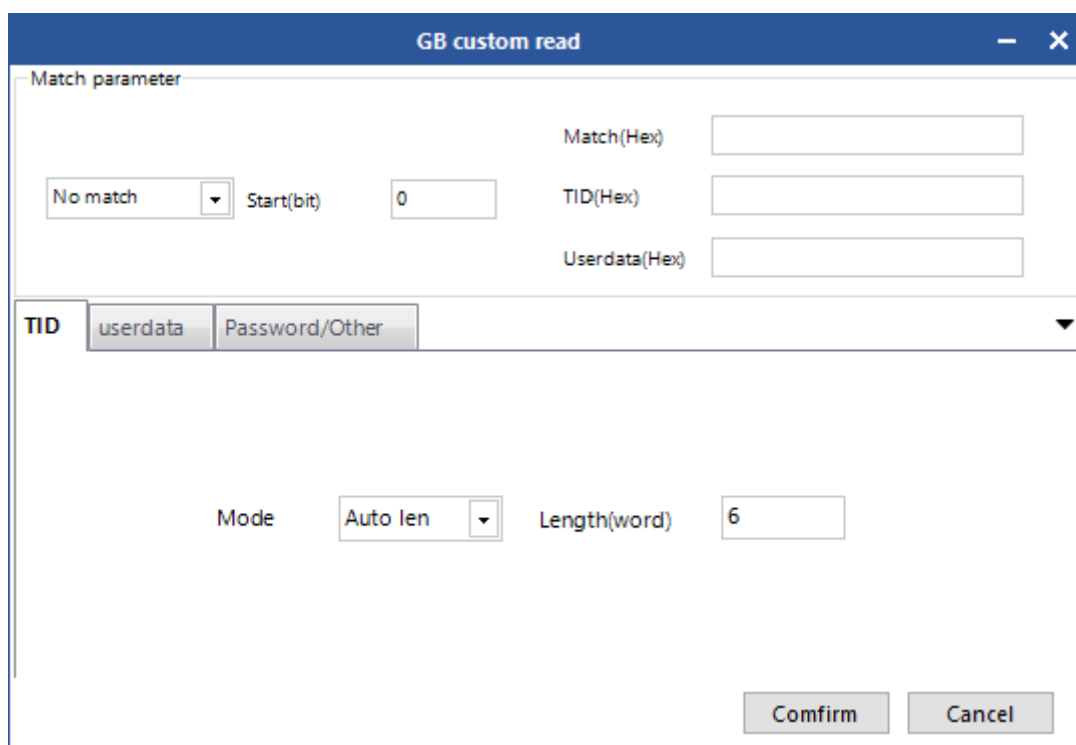


The dialog box is titled "ISO18000-6B Custom Read". It has a blue header bar with standard window controls (minimize, maximize, close). The main area is divided into two sections: "Match parameter" and "Read parameter". The "Match parameter" section contains a "Match TID" label and an empty text input field. The "Read parameter" section contains three labels with corresponding input fields: "Content" with a dropdown menu showing "Only TID", "Userdata start" with a text input field containing "0", and "Userdata length" with a text input field containing "4". At the bottom right of the dialog box are two buttons: "Confirm" and "Cancel".

Figure 4.2.3.5 Custom Reading for 6B tag

4.2.3.3 GB/T 29768—2013 Tag

Select "GB" as tag type, click , and the dialog box will pop up as shown in Figure 4.2.3.6. TID data or user data can be selected to read, and TID matching reading can be performed.



The dialog box is titled "GB custom read" and has a "Match parameter" section at the top. It includes a "No match" dropdown, a "Start(bit)" field set to "0", and three hex input fields for "Match(Hex)", "TID(Hex)", and "Userdata(Hex)". Below this is a tabbed interface with "TID", "userdata", and "Password/Other" tabs. The "TID" tab is active, showing a "Mode" dropdown set to "Auto len" and a "Length(word)" field set to "6". "Confirm" and "Cancel" buttons are at the bottom right.

GB custom read

Match parameter

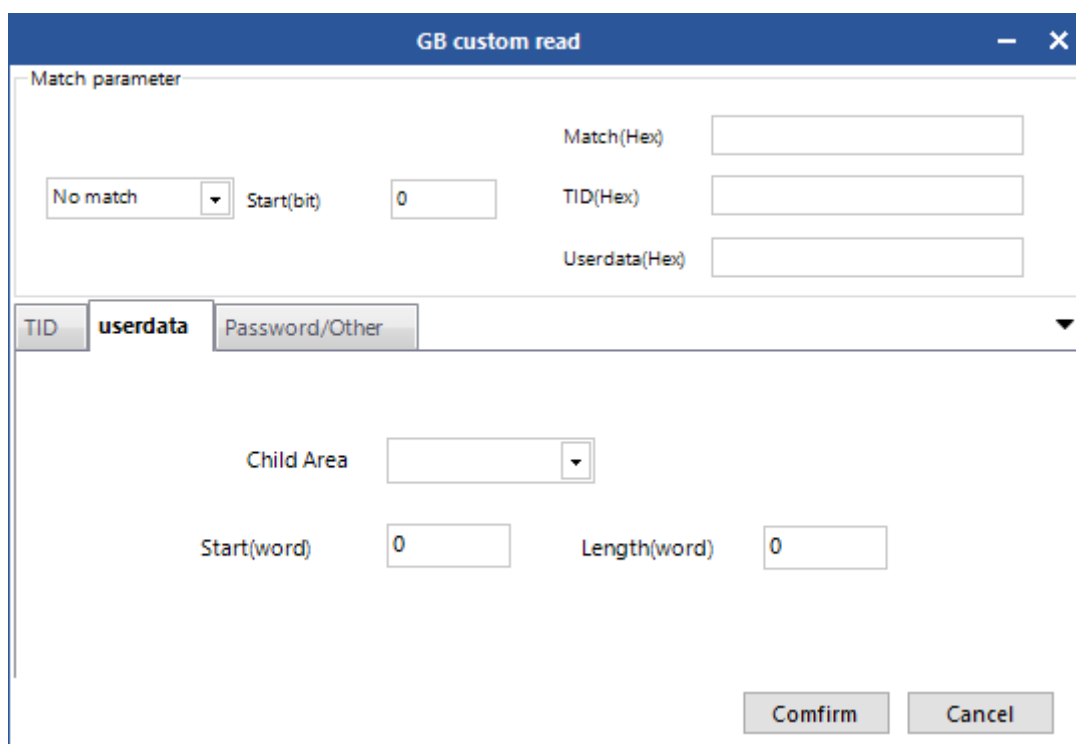
No match Start(bit) 0 Match(Hex) TID(Hex) Userdata(Hex)

TID userdata Password/Other

Mode Auto len Length(word) 6

Confirm Cancel

Figure 4.2.3.6 Custom Reading for GB-T 29768—2013 Tag (TID)



This dialog box is identical to the previous one but with the "userdata" tab selected. The "Match parameter" section remains the same. In the "userdata" tab, there is a "Child Area" dropdown, a "Start(word)" field set to "0", and a "Length(word)" field set to "0". "Confirm" and "Cancel" buttons are at the bottom right.

GB custom read

Match parameter

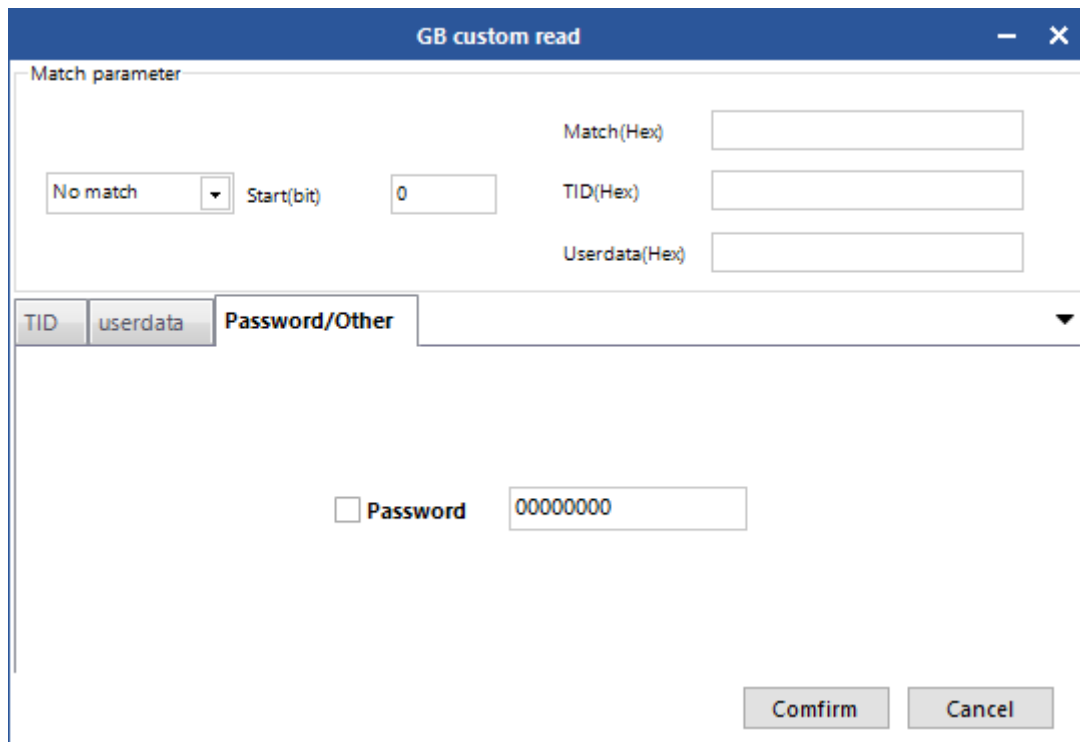
No match Start(bit) 0 Match(Hex) TID(Hex) Userdata(Hex)

TID **userdata** Password/Other

Child Area Start(word) 0 Length(word) 0

Confirm Cancel


Figure 4.2.3.7 Custom Reading for GB-T 29768—2013 Tag (userdata)



The dialog box is titled "GB custom read" and has a blue header bar with standard window controls. It is divided into two main sections. The top section, labeled "Match parameter", contains a dropdown menu set to "No match", a "Start(bit)" field with the value "0", and three empty text boxes for "Match(Hex)", "TID(Hex)", and "Userdata(Hex)". Below this is a tabbed interface with three tabs: "TID", "userdata", and "Password/Other", with the "Password/Other" tab currently selected. The "Password/Other" section contains a checkbox labeled "Password" which is unchecked, and a text box containing the value "00000000". At the bottom right of the dialog are "Confirm" and "Cancel" buttons.


Figure 4.2.3.7 Custom Reading for GB-T 29768—2013 Tag (accesss password)

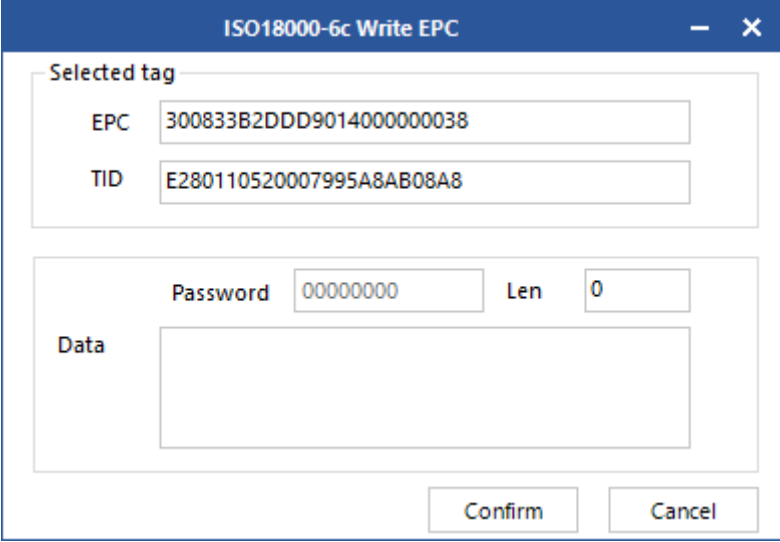
4.2.4 Stop

Click  to stop all RFID operations of the reader and put the reader into an idle state.

4.3 Write Data

4.3.1 Write EPC Data

Select Write on the main interface -> click , and the dialog box will pop up as shown in Figure 4.3.1 .



The dialog box titled "ISO18000-6c Write EPC" contains the following fields:

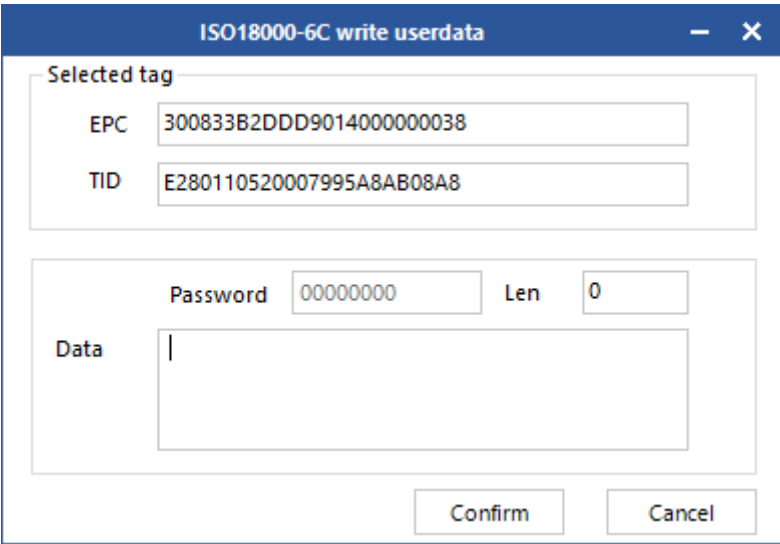
- Selected tag**
 - EPC: 300833B2DDD9014000000038
 - TID: E280110520007995A8AB08A8
- Data**
 - Password: 00000000
 - Len: 0
 - A large empty text area for data entry.
- Buttons**: Confirm, Cancel

Figure 4.3.1 Write EPC Data

Select data (with TID information) of a tag, fill in EPC data (hexadecimal character string), then click “Confirm”.

4.3.2 Write User Data

Select Write on the main interface -> click  and the dialog box will pop up, as shown in Figure 4.3.2.



The dialog box titled "ISO18000-6C write userdata" contains the following fields:

- Selected tag**
 - EPC: 300833B2DDD9014000000038
 - TID: E280110520007995A8AB08A8
- Data**
 - Password: 00000000
 - Len: 0
 - A large empty text area for data entry.
- Buttons**: Confirm, Cancel


Figure 4.3.2 write user data

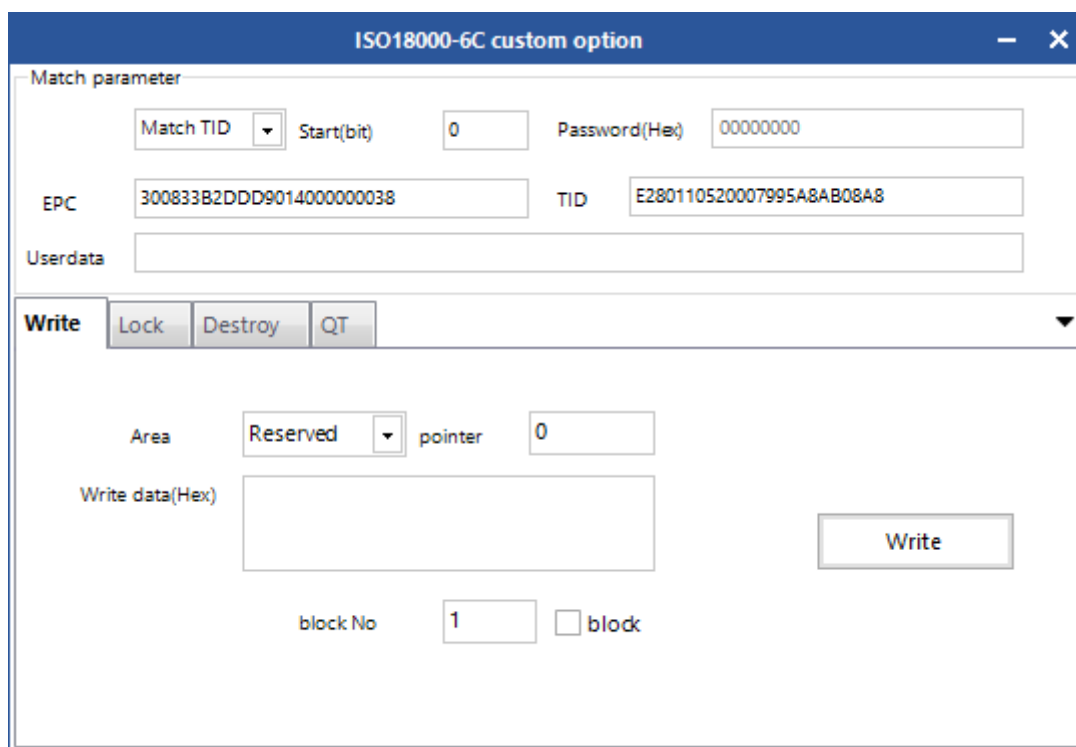
Select data (with TID information) of a read tag, fill in EPC data (hexadecimal character string), then click “Confirm”.

4.3.3 Custom Tag Operation

Select a tag data in the displaying data area before custom tag operation. Otherwise, the tag with the best signal will be the default one. Take care to follow the communication protocol about the writing/ reading/ locking/ destroying for the tag.

4.3.3.1 ISO18000-6C Tag

Select 6C as tag type. Click , and the dialog box will pop up, as shown in Figure 4.3.3.1. Writing operation can change data of the specified area of the tag. Access password is needed if such area is locked.

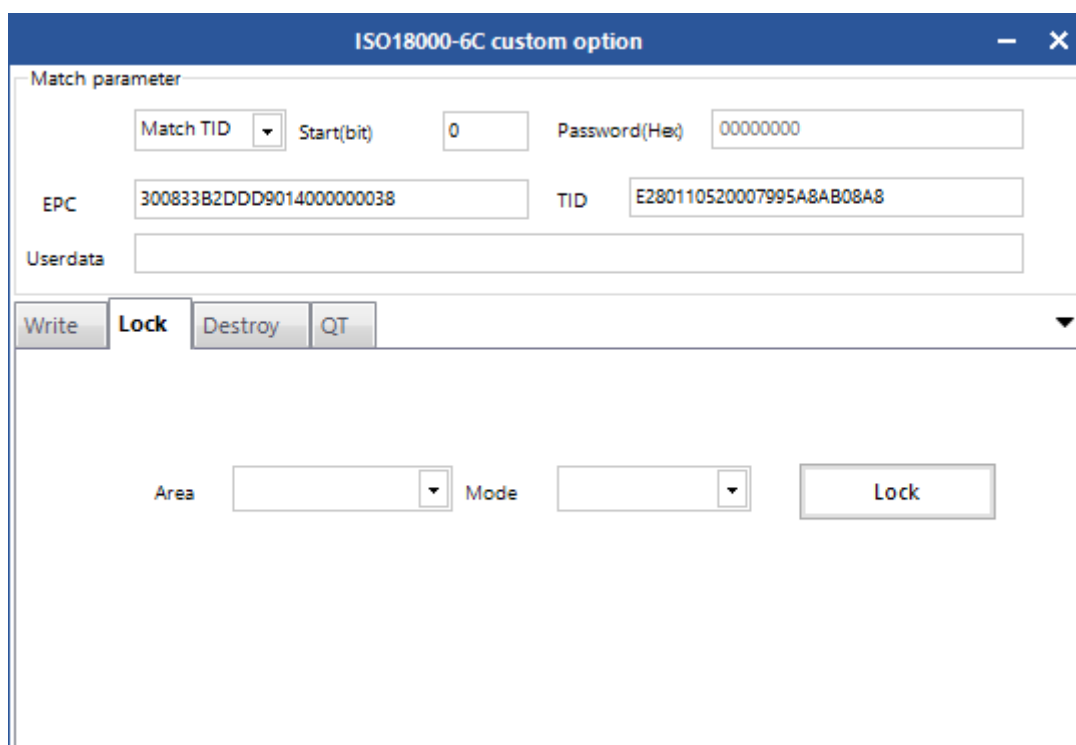


The dialog box titled "ISO18000-6C custom option" contains the following fields and controls:

- Match parameter** section:
 - Match TID**: dropdown menu.
 - Start(bit)**: text input field with value "0".
 - Password(Hex)**: text input field with value "00000000".
 - EPC**: text input field with value "300833B2DD90140000000038".
 - TID**: text input field with value "E280110520007995A8AB08A8".
 - Userdata**: empty text input field.
- Write** section (indicated by a tab):
 - Area**: dropdown menu with "Reserved" selected.
 - pointer**: text input field with value "0".
 - Write data(Hex)**: large empty text input field.
 - block No**: text input field with value "1".
 - block**: checkbox (unchecked).
 - Write**: button.

Figure 4.3.3.1 6C Tag Custom Operation(Write)

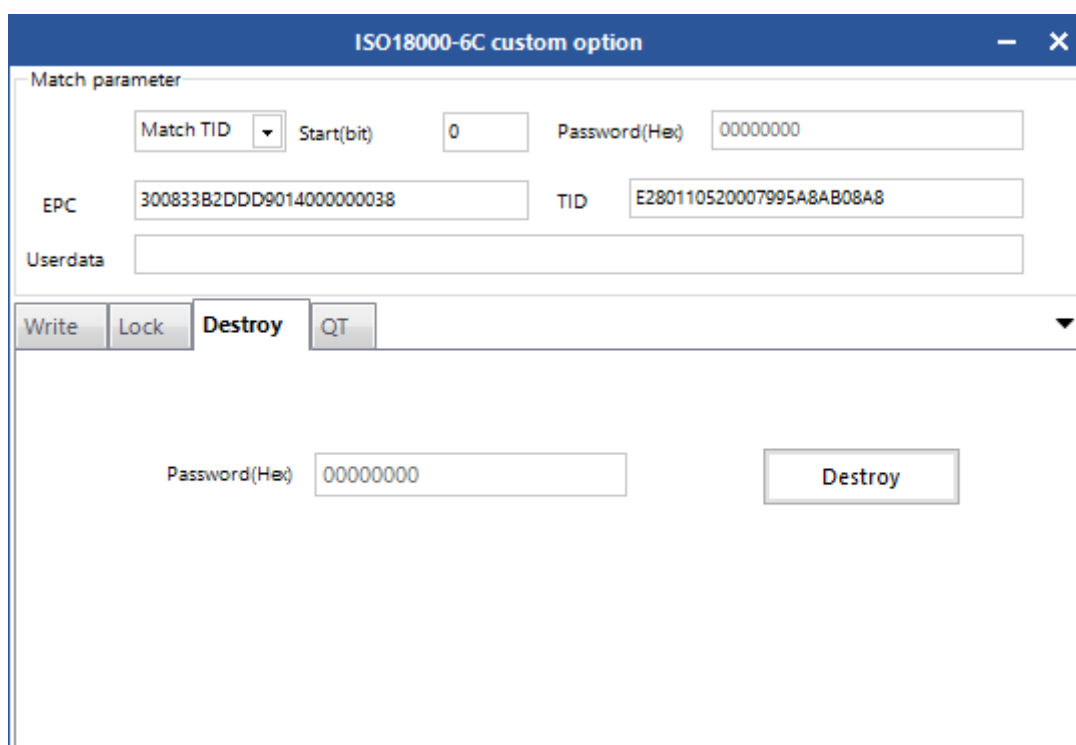
Locking operation to 6C tag. The interface is 6C as shown in Figure 4.3.3.2. Select the area for operation and corresponding operation, fill in password then the operation can be done, or it will fail (it also fails for tag without any password).



The dialog box is titled "ISO18000-6C custom option". It features a "Match parameter" section with the following fields: "Match TID" (dropdown menu), "Start(bit)" (text box with "0"), "Password(Hex)" (text box with "00000000"), "EPC" (text box with "300833B2DDD9014000000038"), "TID" (text box with "E280110520007995A8AB08A8"), and "Userdata" (empty text box). Below these fields is a row of four buttons: "Write", "Lock", "Destroy", and "QT". The "Lock" button is highlighted. The main area of the dialog contains two dropdown menus labeled "Area" and "Mode", followed by a "Lock" button.

Figure 4.3.3.2 6C Tag Custom Operation(Lock)


Destroying operation to 6C tag is as shown in Figure 4.3.3.3. Click Destroy after filling in the password, then the tag will be destroyed. This operation is irrevocable and the tag destroyed will be invalid permanently.

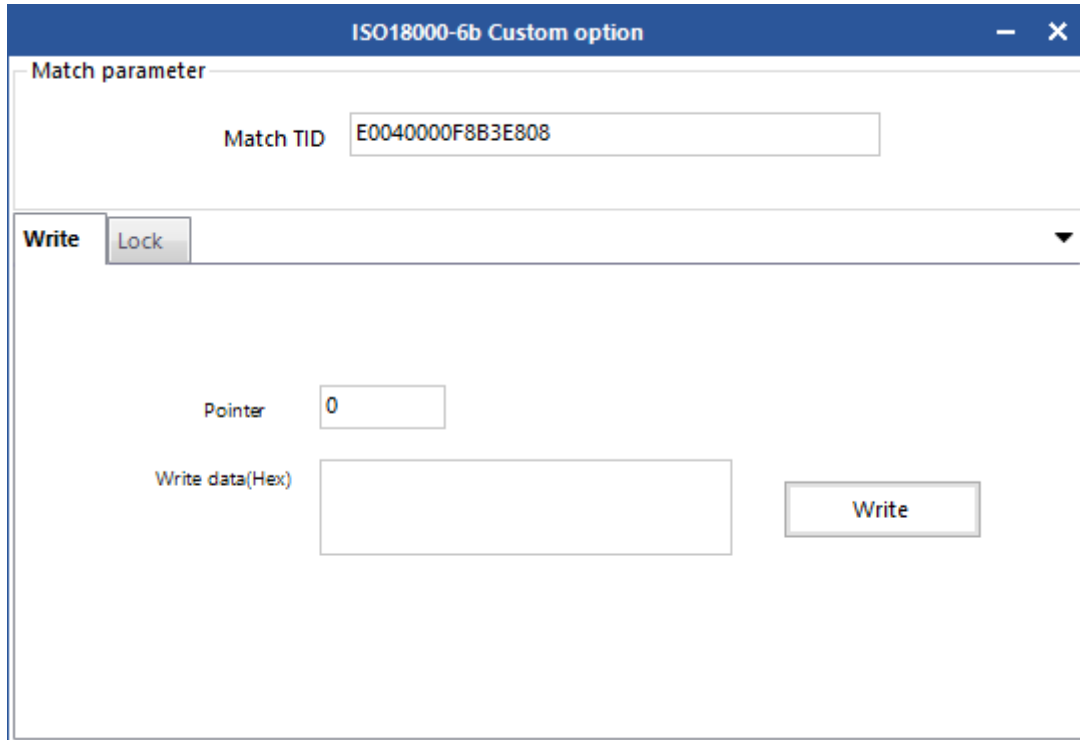


The dialog box is titled "ISO18000-6C custom option". It features a "Match parameter" section with the following fields: "Match TID" (dropdown menu), "Start(bit)" (text box with "0"), "Password(Hex)" (text box with "00000000"), "EPC" (text box with "300833B2DDD9014000000038"), "TID" (text box with "E280110520007995A8AB08A8"), and "Userdata" (empty text box). Below these fields is a row of four buttons: "Write", "Lock", "Destroy", and "QT". The "Destroy" button is highlighted. The main area of the dialog contains a "Password(Hex)" text box with "00000000" and a "Destroy" button.

Figure 4.3.3.3 6C Tag Custom Operation(Destroy)

4.3.3.2 ISO18000-6B Tag

Select 6B as tag type. Click , and the dialog box will pop up, as shown in Figure 4.3.3.4. Only user area is writable area for 6B tag. Click “Write” after filling in the start address and writing content.



The dialog box titled "ISO18000-6b Custom option" has a blue header bar with standard window controls. It contains a "Match parameter" section with a "Match TID" field containing the value "E0040000F8B3E808". Below this is a "Write" section with a "Write" button and a "Lock" button. The "Write" button is highlighted. Under the "Write" button, there is a "Pointer" field with the value "0" and a "Write data(Hex)" field. To the right of the "Write data(Hex)" field is a "Write" button.

Figure 4.3.3.4 6B Tag Custom Operation(Write)

The locking operation for 6B tag includes locking and locking get. As shown in Figure 4.3.3.5, fill in operation address, and click “Lock” to lock this address. The locked address is irreversible. Click “Get” to check if the address is locked.

Notes: The locking for 6B tag is irrevocable and irreversible. And The lock operation defined by this command is a single operation.

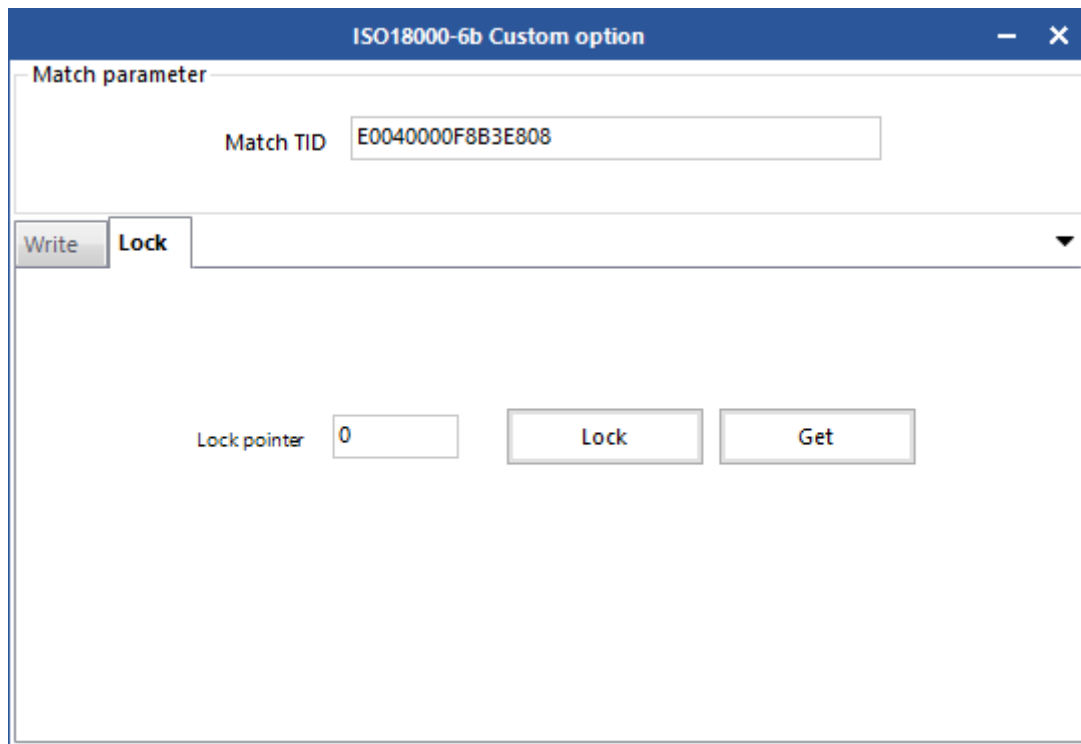



Figure 4.3.3.5 6B Tag Custom Operation(lock)

4.3.3.3 GB/T 29768—2013 Tag

Select GB as tag type. Click , and the dialog box will pop up, as shown in Figure 4.3.3.6. Select the writing area, fill in the address and content, click “Write”, then the operation is done with the Write successfully Prompt. Read the data after writing to check if the data writing is correct if needed.

GB custom option

Match parameter

TID Start(bit) Password(Hex)

EPC TID

Userdata

Write

Area

Data(Hex)

Figure 4.3.3.6 GB/T 29768—2013 Tag Custom Operation(Write)

The locking operation of national-standard tag is as shown in Figure 4.3.3.7. Select the area for operation and corresponding operation, fill in password then the operation can be done, or it will fail (it also fails for tag without any password).

GB custom option

Match parameter

TID Start(bit) Password(Hex)

EPC TID

Userdata

Lock

Area

Figure 4.3.3.7 GB/T 29768—2013 Tag Custom Operation(Lock)

Destroying operation to national-standard tag is as shown in Figure 4.3.3.8. Click Destroy after filling in the password, then the tag will be destroyed. **This operation is irrevocable and the tag destroyed will be invalid permanently.**

The screenshot shows a software window titled "GB custom option" with a blue header bar. Inside, there is a "Match parameter" section with several input fields: a dropdown menu set to "TID", a "Start(bit)" field with the value "0", a "Password(Hex)" field with "00000000", an "EPC" field with "300833B2DDD90140000000037", and another "TID" field with "E280110520007B05A8C208A8". Below these is an empty "Userdata" field. A row of three buttons—"Write", "Lock", and "Destroy"—is positioned below the input fields. The "Destroy" button is highlighted. Below this row is a large, empty rectangular area. At the bottom of this area, there is a "Password(Hex)" field containing "00000000" and a "Destroy" button.

Figure 4.3.3.8 National-standard Tag Custom Operation(destroy)

4.4 Device Configuration

Select Device Control in the main interface of the Demo ->Device Configuration and then the dialog will pop up as shown in Figure 4.4 .

The screenshot shows a 'Device settings' window with a sidebar on the left containing 'Base', 'WIFI', 'GPIO', and 'Cus-1'. The 'Base' tab is selected. The main area is divided into several sections:

- RS232**: Baudrate is set to '115200 bps' (dropdown). There are 'Get' and 'Set' buttons.
- RS485**: Baudrate is set to '115200 bps' (dropdown) and a parity bit is set to '1'. There are 'Get' and 'Set' buttons.
- Ethernet**:
 - Radio buttons for '[Static IP]' (selected) and '[Auto IP]'.
 - Fields for IP: '192.168.1.168', Mask: '255.255.255.0', Gateway: '192.168.1.1', DNS1: '114.114.114.114', and DNS2: '8.8.8.8'.
 - 'Get' and 'Set' buttons at the bottom.
- Time**: A text field shows '2019.08.28 10:35:02'. There are 'Get' and 'Set' buttons.
- MAC**: A text field shows 'A6-B0-09-BF-3B-F4'. There is a 'Get' button.
- Client/Server**:
 - Radio buttons for 'Server' (selected) and 'Client'.
 - For 'Server', a port field shows '8160'.
 - For 'Client', two port fields show '192.168.11.236' and '8160'.
 - 'Get' and 'Set' buttons.

Figure 4.4 Device Configuration

4.4.1 RS232 Parameter

The COM parameter is on the top left corner as shown in Figure 4.4.1. Click “Get” to acquire the communication baud rate parameter of the COM. Then click Setting to set the communication baud rate parameter of the COM. Baud rate includes 9600 bps, 19200 bps, 115200 bps, 230400 bps and 460800bps, and the others are unsupported. The default one is 115200 bps.

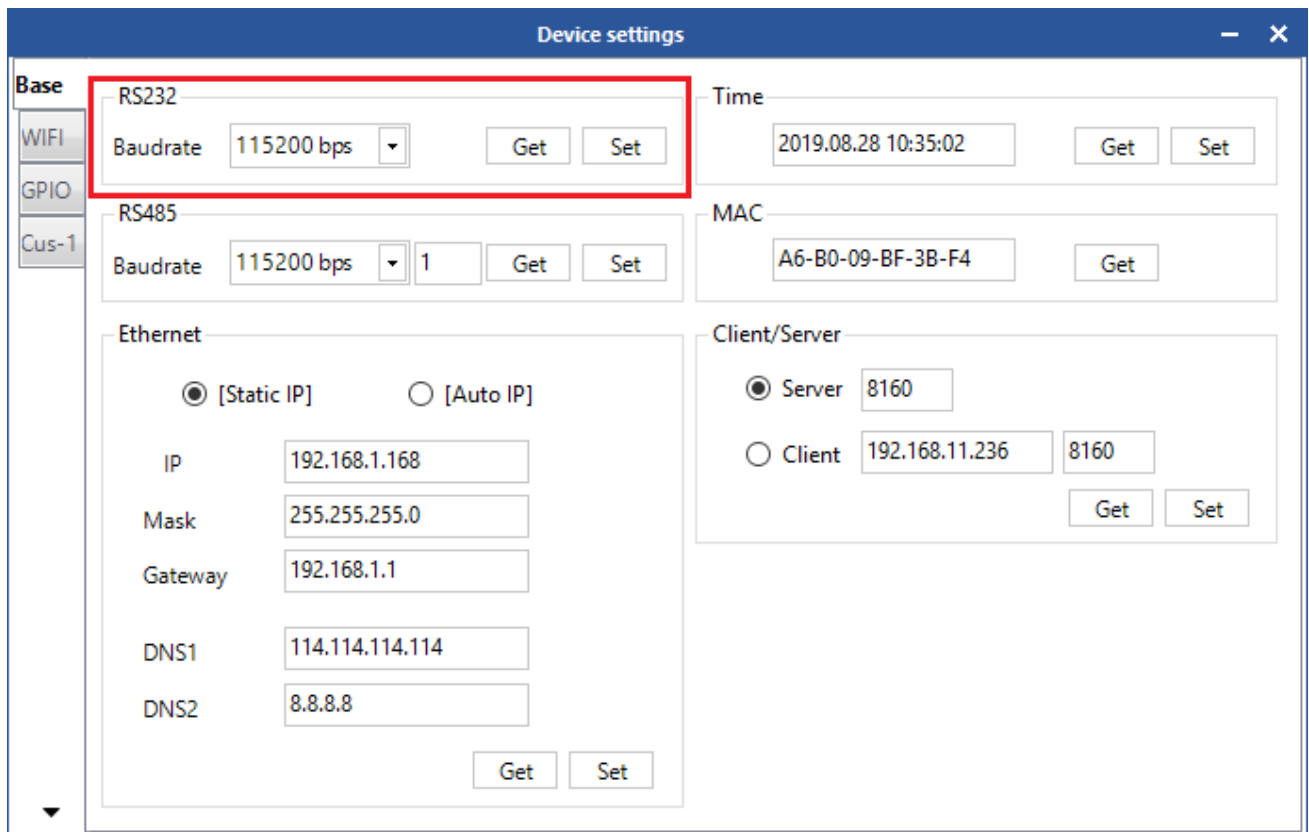


Figure 4.4.1 COM Parameter

4.4.2 RS485 Parameter

The RS485 parameter is on the top left corner as shown in Figure 4.4.2. Click “Get” to acquire the communication baud rate parameter of the RS485. Then click Setting to set the communication baud rate parameter of the COM. Baud rate includes 9600 bps, 19200 bps, 115200 bps, 230400 bps and 460800bps. The default one is 115200 bps. The RS485 BUS address(0~255) is on the text box on the right.

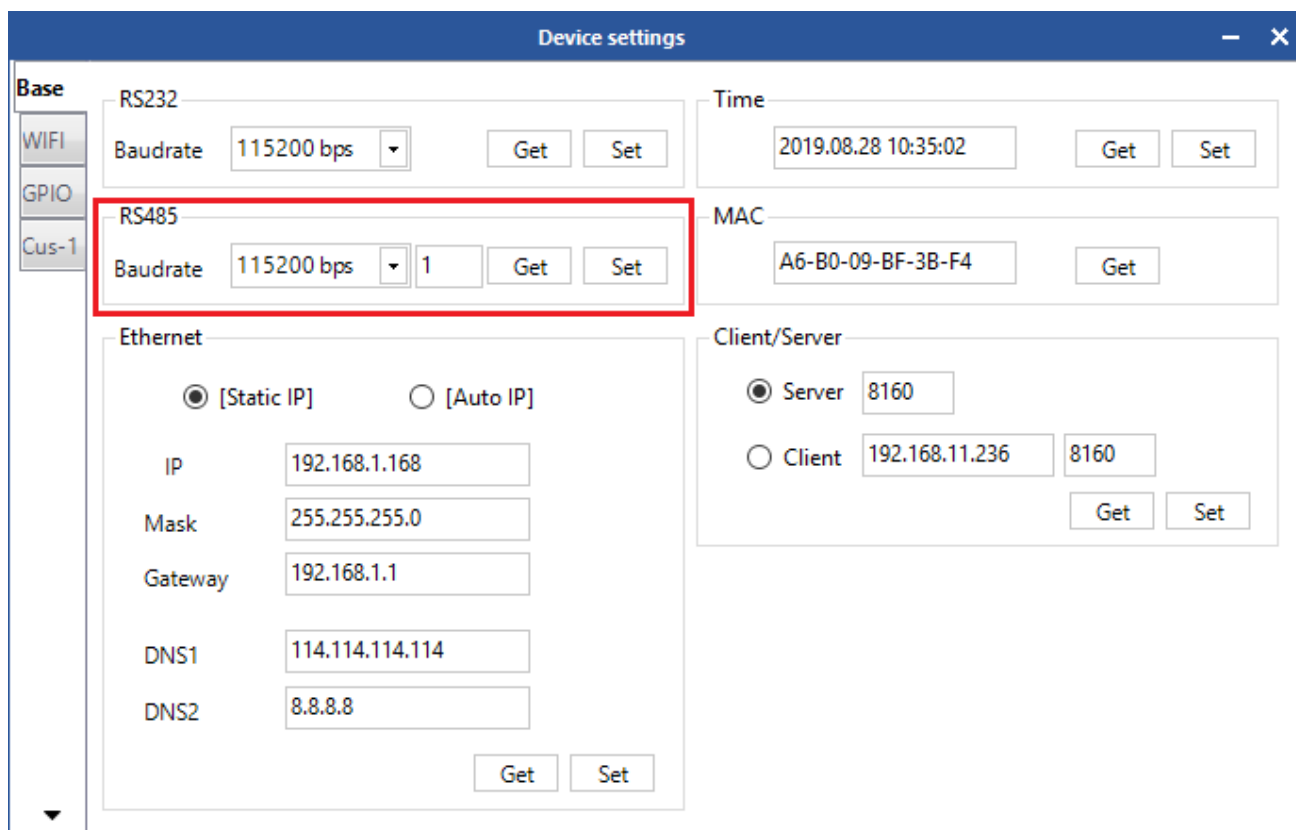


Figure 4.4.2 RS485 parameter

4.4.3 Ethernet Parameter

The Ethernet parameter is on the lower left corner as shown in Figure 4.4.3.1. Click “Get” to check the Ethernet parameter of the reader, then click Setting to set the Ethernet parameter.

Click “Get” to check the Ethernet parameter after configuration(as shown in Figure 4.4.3.2) if Acquire IP Automatically is being used as shown in Figure 4.4.3.3. Connect the reader with TCP as shown in Figure 4.4.3.4,fill in IP address, click “Set”, then the prompt will pop up as shown in Figure 4.4.3.5. Acquire IP Automatically normally works with a router.

Device settings

Base

WIFI

GPIO

Cus-1

RS232

Baudrate 115200 bps Get Set

RS485

Baudrate 115200 bps 1 Get Set

Ethernet

☒ [Static IP] ☐ [Auto IP]

IP 192.168.1.168

Mask 255.255.255.0

Gateway 192.168.1.1

DNS1 114.114.114.114

DNS2 8.8.8.8

Get Set

Time

2019.08.28 10:35:02 Get Set

MAC

A6-B0-09-BF-3B-F4 Get

Client/Server

☒ Server 8160

☐ Client 192.168.11.236 8160 Get Set

Figure 4.4.3.1 Ethernet parameter

Device settings

Base

WIFI

GPIO

Cus-1

RS232

Baudrate 115200 bps Get Set

RS485

Baudrate 115200 bps 1 Get Set

Ethernet

☒ [Static IP] ☐ [Auto IP]

IP 192.168.1.168

Mask 255.255.255.0

Gateway 192.168.1.1

DNS1 8.8.8.8

DNS2 114.114.114.114

Get Set

Time

2019.08.28 10:35:02 Get Set

MAC

A6-B0-09-BF-3B-F4 Get

Client/Server

☒ Server 8160

☐ Client 192.168.11.236 8160 Get Set

Set success.

Figure 4.4.3.2 Acquire IP Automatically

The 'Device settings' window is divided into several sections. On the left, a sidebar shows 'Base' selected, with 'WIFI', 'GPIO', and 'Cus-1' below it. The main area contains:

- RS232:** Baudrate set to 115200 bps. Buttons: Get, Set.
- RS485:** Baudrate set to 115200 bps, a dropdown set to 1. Buttons: Get, Set.
- Ethernet:** Radio buttons for [Static IP] (selected) and [Auto IP]. Fields for IP (192.168.1.168), Mask (255.255.255.0), Gateway (192.168.1.1), DNS1 (8.8.8.8), and DNS2 (114.114.114.114). Buttons: Get, Set.
- Time:** Field showing 2019.08.28 10:35:02. Buttons: Get, Set.
- MAC:** Field showing A6-B0-09-BF-3B-F4. Button: Get.
- Client/Server:** Radio buttons for Server (selected) and Client. Server field shows 8160. Client fields show 192.168.11.236 and 8160. Buttons: Get, Set.

Figure 4.4.3.3 IP Parameter

The 'Device management platform v0.17.0.0' interface has a top menu bar with 'Settings(F)', 'Read', 'Write', 'Tools', and 'Search'. Below this is a toolbar with icons for EPC, TID, and other functions. The main area is a table with columns: Type, EPC, TID, Userdata, Reservedata, Totalcount. A 'Report' button is on the left. A 'Logs' button is also visible. A 'Connection' dialog box is open, showing:

- Type:** TcpClient (dropdown menu).
- Param:** 192.168.1.168:8160 (text field, highlighted with a red border).
- Buttons:** Confirm, Cancel.

On the right side of the main interface, there are settings for 'Single' and 'Inventory' (selected), a 'Timer(ms)' field set to 1000, and a grid of checkboxes for ANT1 through ANT16. At the bottom right, there are fields for 'd Count', 'e Count', 'Speed', and 'Time', along with a circular gauge and a 'Current: Offline' status indicator.

Figure 4.4.3.4 TCP Connection

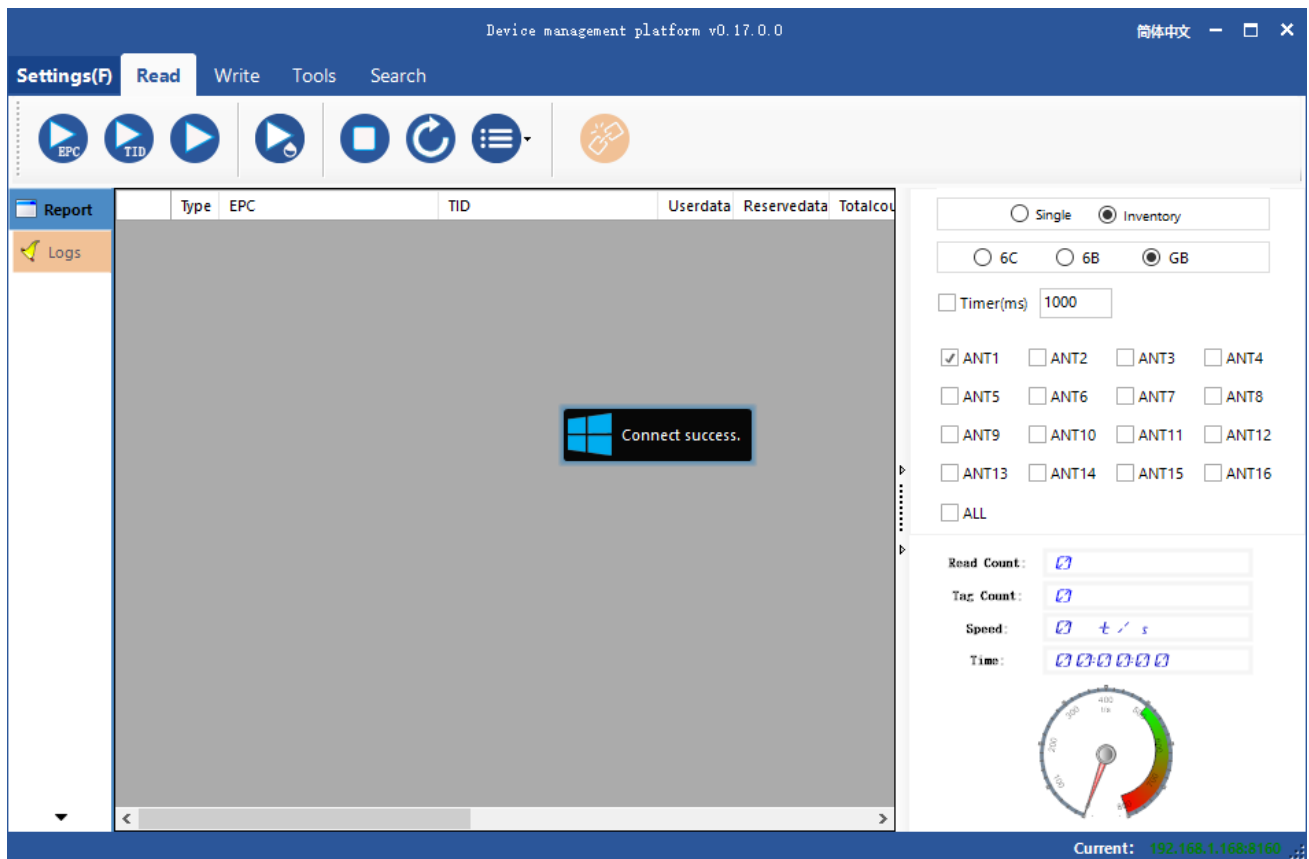


Figure 4.4.3.5 TCP Connect Success

4.4.4 Reader Time

The reader time is on the top right of the reader as shown in Figure 4.4.4.1. Click “Get” to acquire the time of the reader. The time is based on UTC and displayed according to the current time zone. Double click the text box to fill in the current system time automatically. Click setting to set the reader time as shown in Figure 4.4.4.2 .

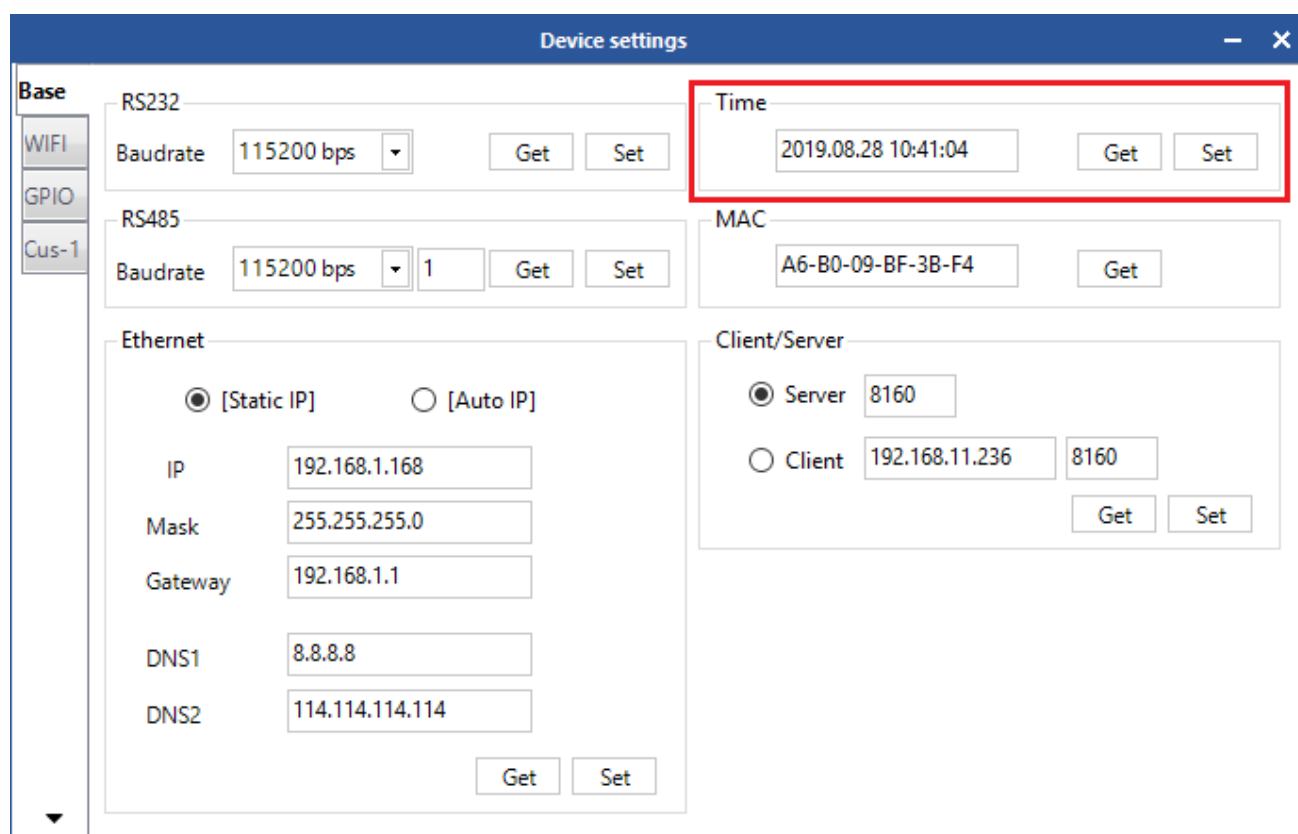


Figure 4.4.4.1 Get the Reader Time

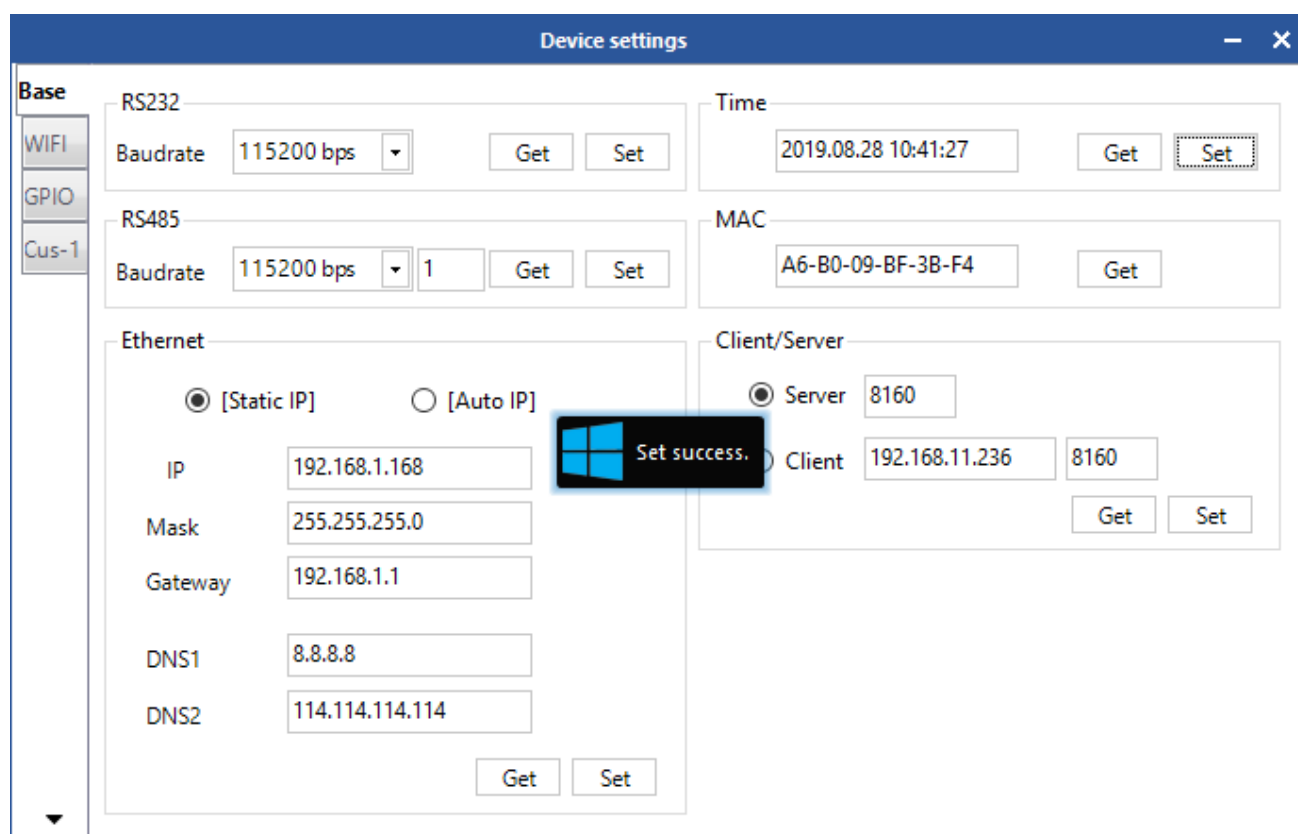


Figure 4.4.4.2 Reader Time Setting

4.4.5 Reader MAC

The MAC parameter is on the top right of the popup as shown in Figure 4.4.5.

Click “Get” to acquire the MAC parameter of the reader.

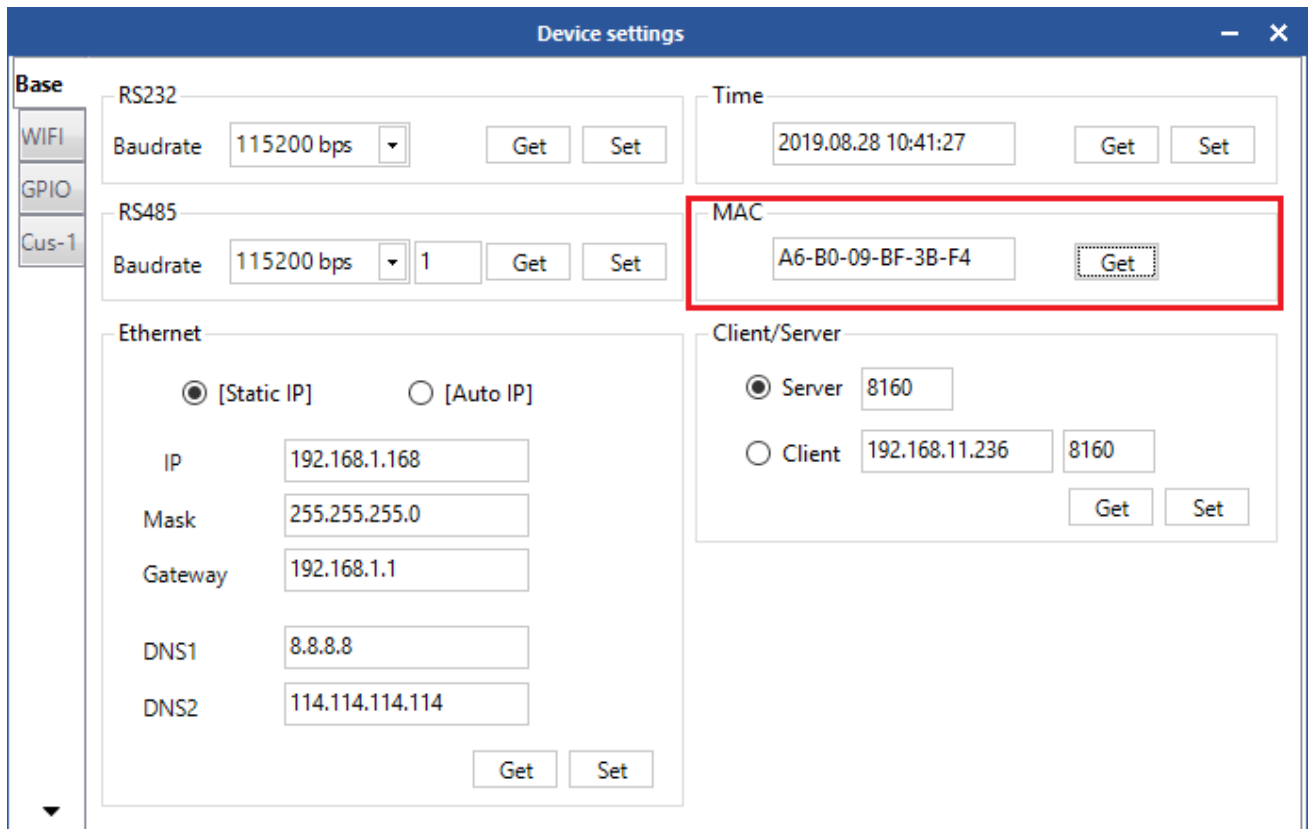


Figure 4.4.5 Reader MAC

4.4.6 TCP Server/Client Mode

The TCP server/client mode parameter is on the lower right of the popup as shown in Figure 4.4.6.1. Click “Get” to acquire the TCP server/client mode parameter of the reader. If it is configured to be client mode, this IP should be fill in the IP of the user’s computer, then click Setting as shown in Figure 4.4.6.2. The default port is 8160.

Disconnect and go back to the main interface after setting, select Connect Device

->Tcp Server,then the tcp server interface will pop up as shown in Figure 4.4.6.3. Click Start Monitoring as shown in Figure 4.4.6.4, there will be prompt saying the connection is successful after a few seconds. Then click Stop Monitoring or close the popup directly.

The screenshot shows a 'Device settings' window with a sidebar on the left containing 'Base', 'WIFI', 'GPIO', and 'Cus-1'. The 'Base' tab is selected. The main area is divided into several sections: 'RS232' with a Baudrate of 115200 bps; 'RS485' with a Baudrate of 115200 bps and a value of 1; 'Ethernet' with radio buttons for '[Static IP]' (selected) and '[Auto IP]', and fields for IP (192.168.1.168), Mask (255.255.255.0), Gateway (192.168.1.1), DNS1 (8.8.8.8), and DNS2 (114.114.114.114); 'Time' with a date/time field (2019.08.28 10:41:27); 'MAC' with a field (A6-B0-09-BF-3B-F4); and 'Client/Server' which is highlighted with a red border. The 'Client/Server' section has radio buttons for 'Server' (selected) and 'Client'. The 'Server' option has a port field set to 8160. The 'Client' option has IP (192.168.1.120) and port (8160) fields. 'Get' and 'Set' buttons are present for several fields.

Figure 4.4.6.1 TCP Server/Client Mode Parameter

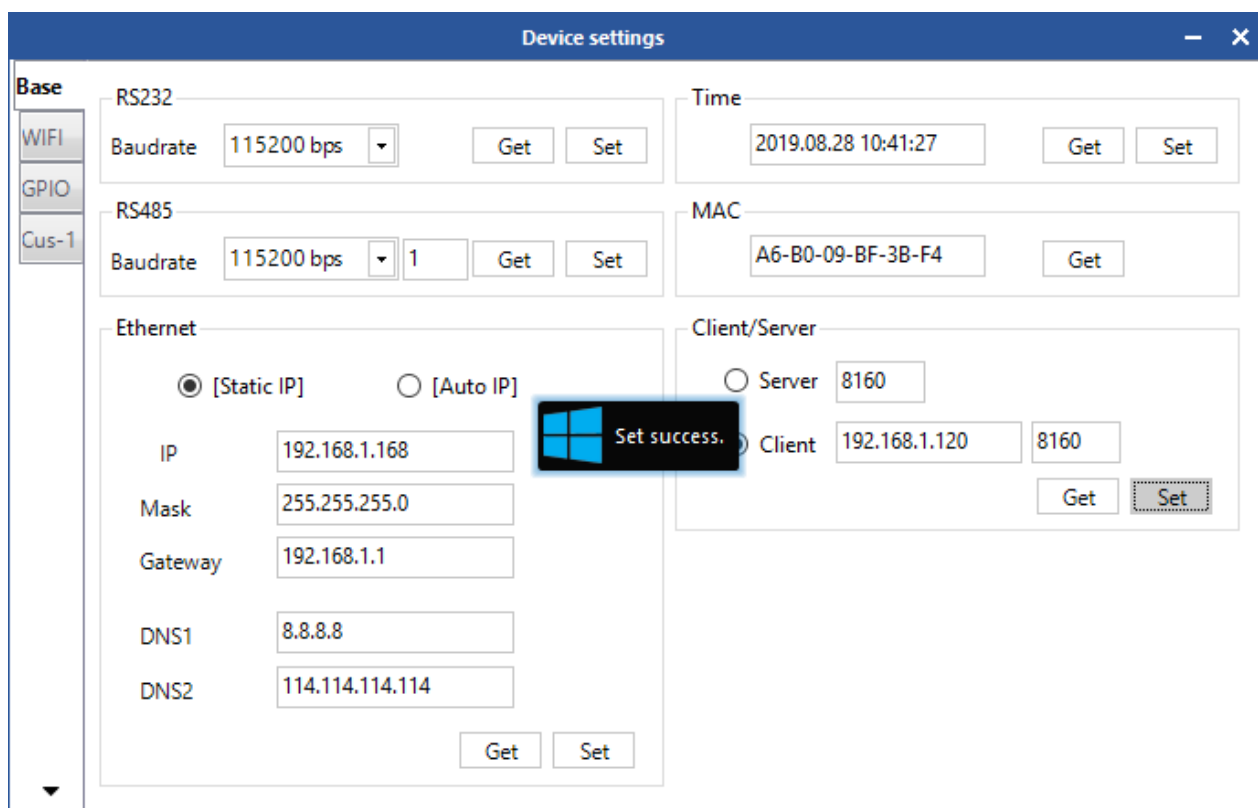


Figure 4.4.6.2 Set TCP Server/Client Mode Parameter

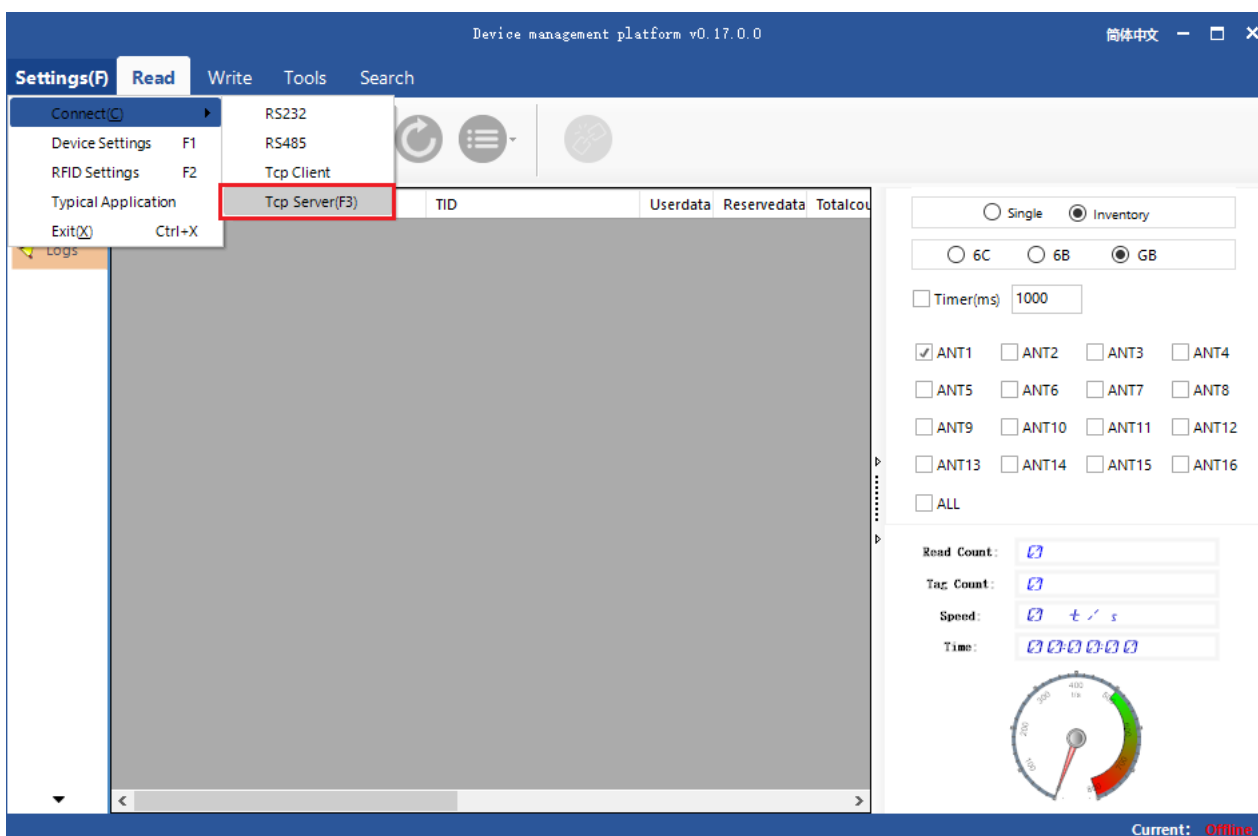


Figure 4.4.6.3 TCP Client Mode

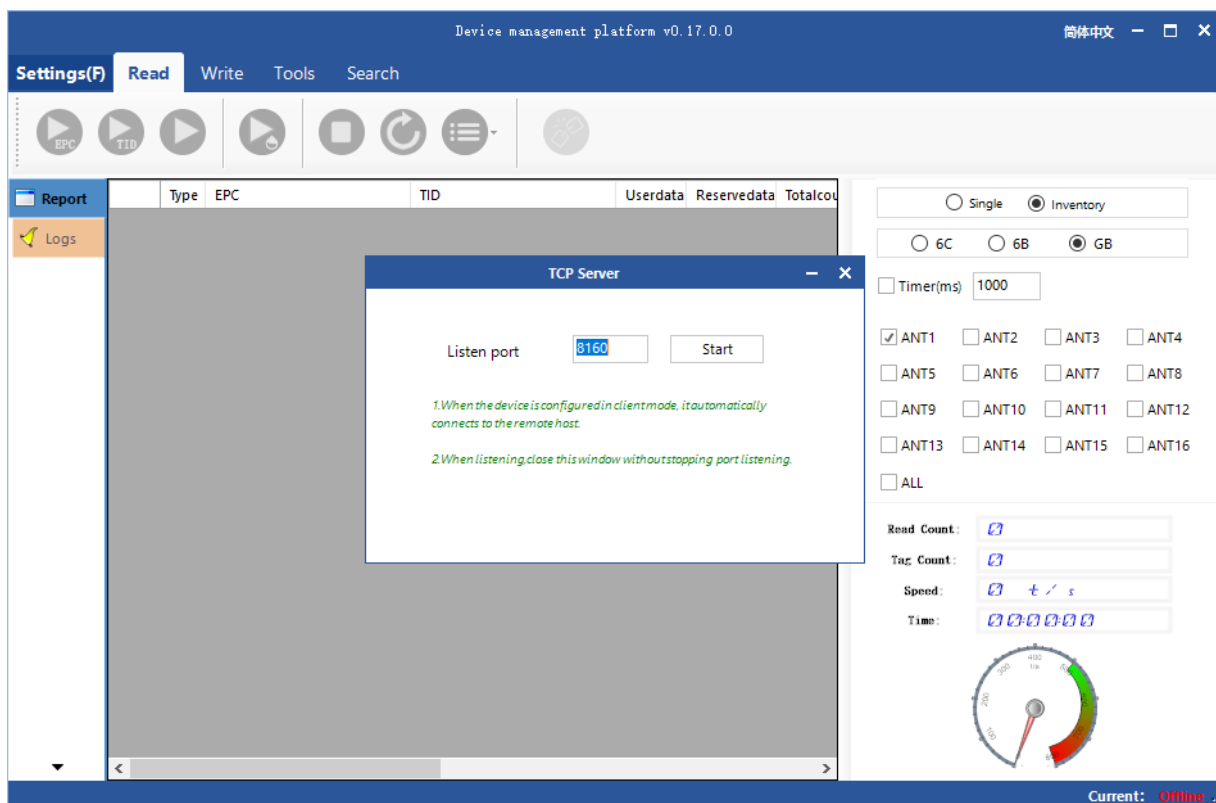


Figure 4.4.6.4 Monitoring Port

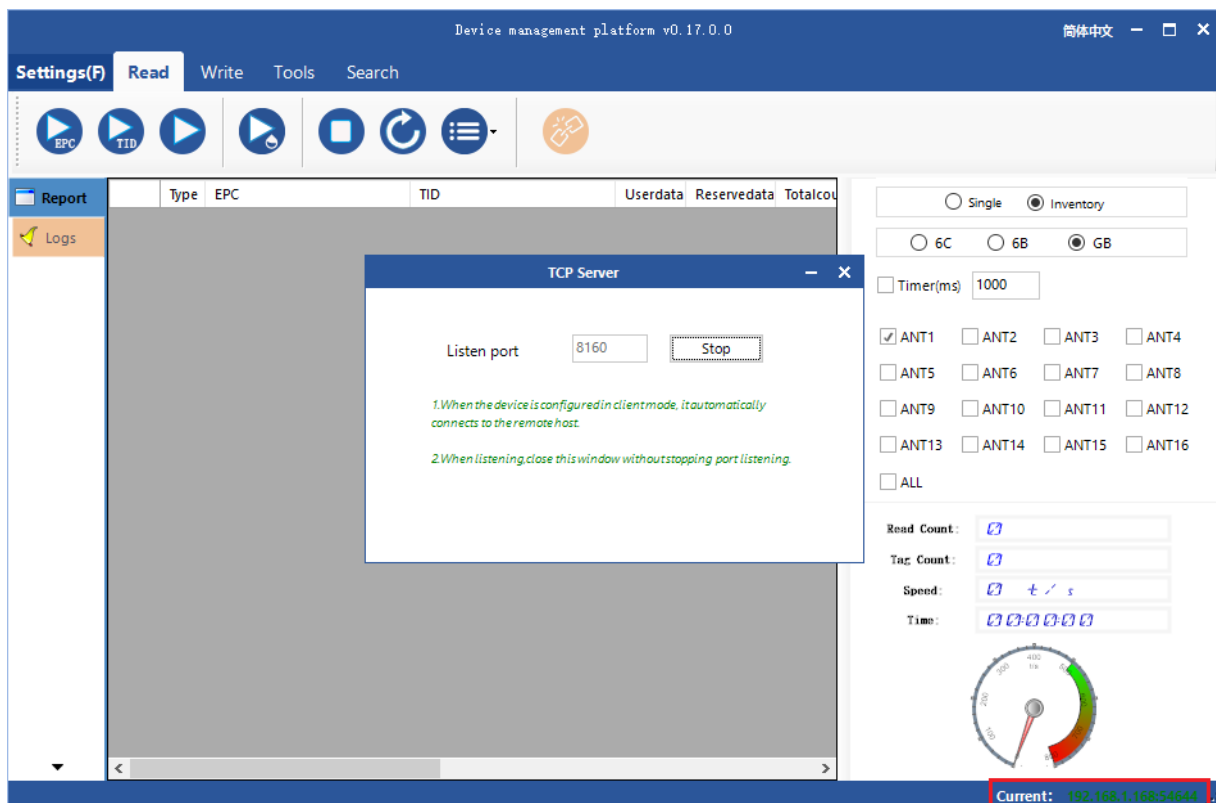


Figure 4.4.6.5 Connection success

4.6 GPI/O Configuration

Select Device Control in the main interface of the Demo->Device Configuration, and the dialog box will pop up. Select GPIO on the left of the popup and enter the GPIO controlling interface as shown in Figure 4.6 .

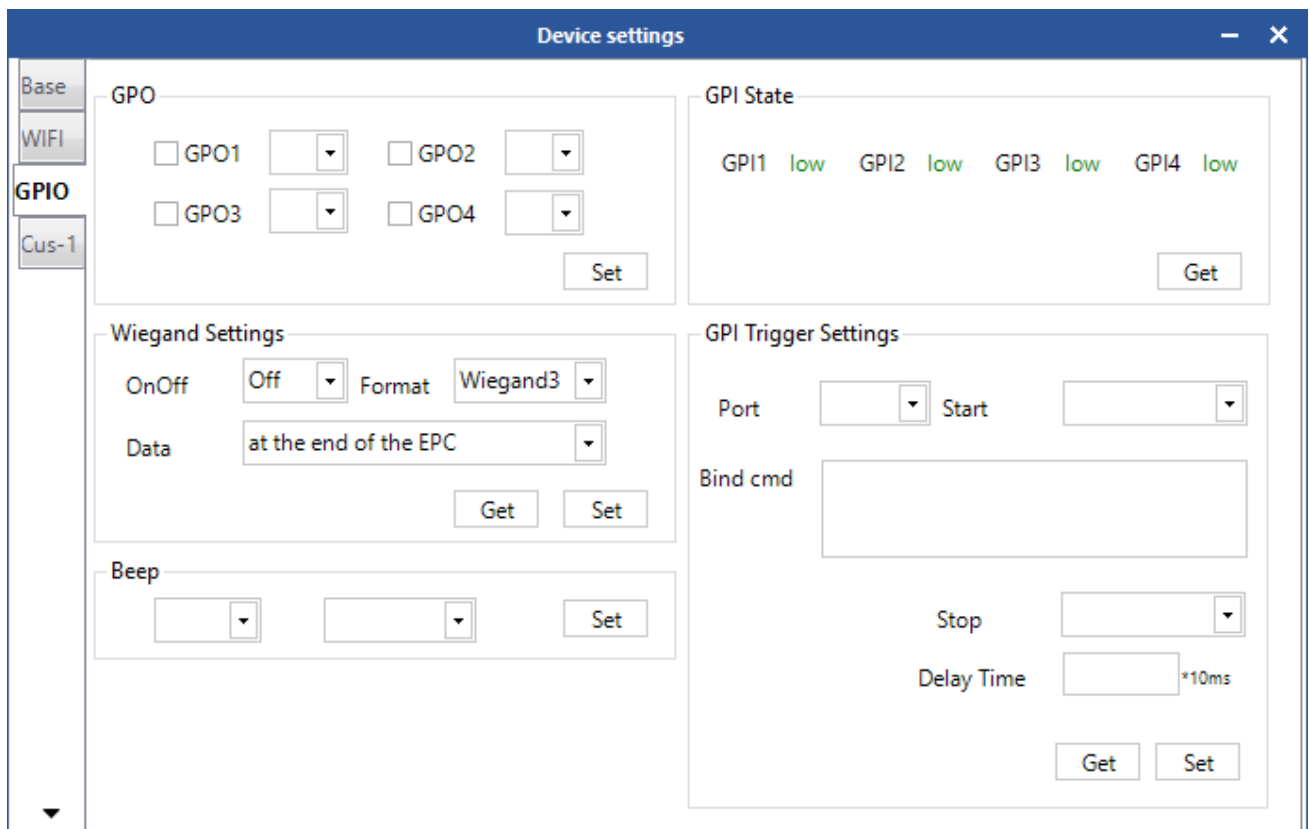


Figure 4.6 GPIO Configuration

4.6.1 GPO Configuration

GPO configuration is on the top left of the interface, through which the electrical level of the GPO can be configured as shown in Figure 4.6.1. The low electrical level will be on and high electrical level will be off, if it is connected with a relay. If it is connected with a optocoupler, the electrical levels remain unchanged.

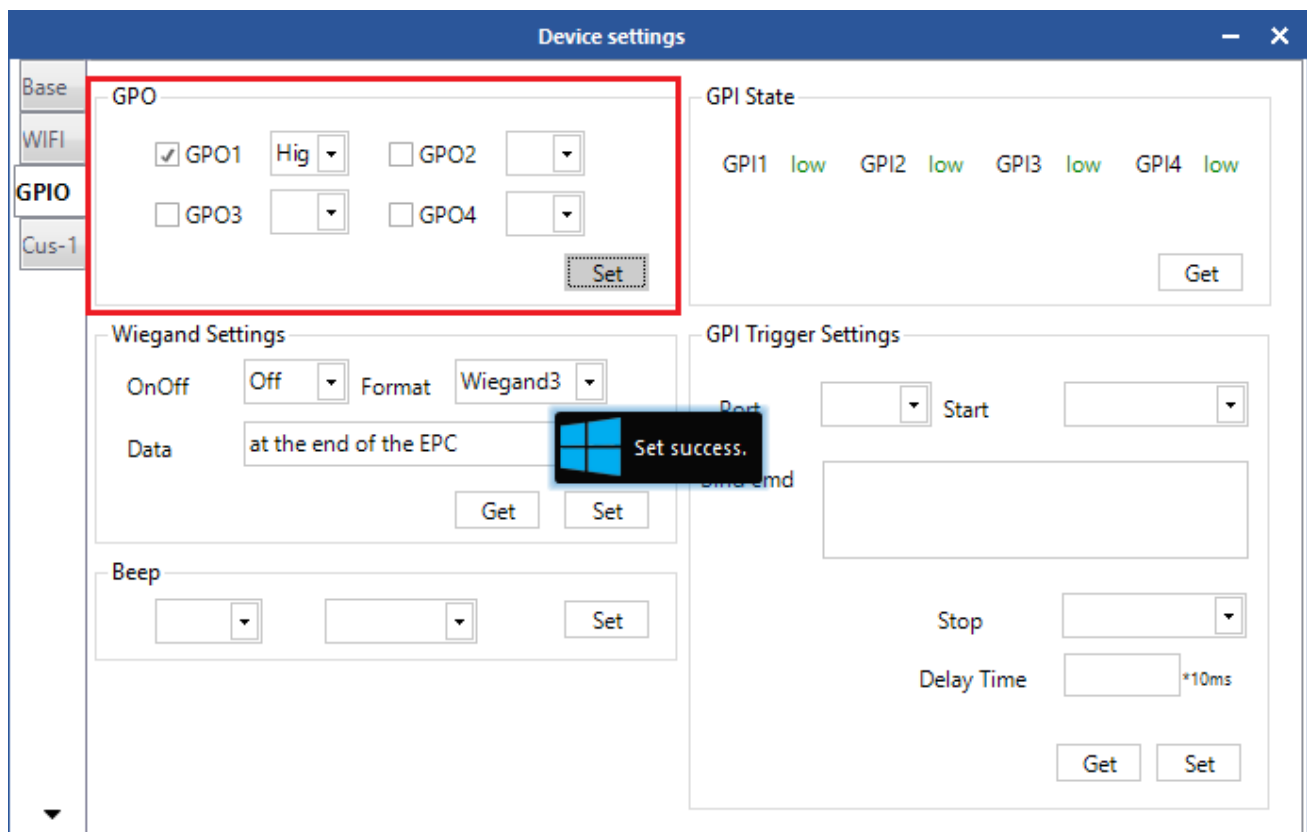


Figure 4.6.1 GPIO Configuration

4.6.2 GPI State Get

The GPI state is on the top right of the interface. Through which the GPI state can be queried as shown in Figure 4.6.2.

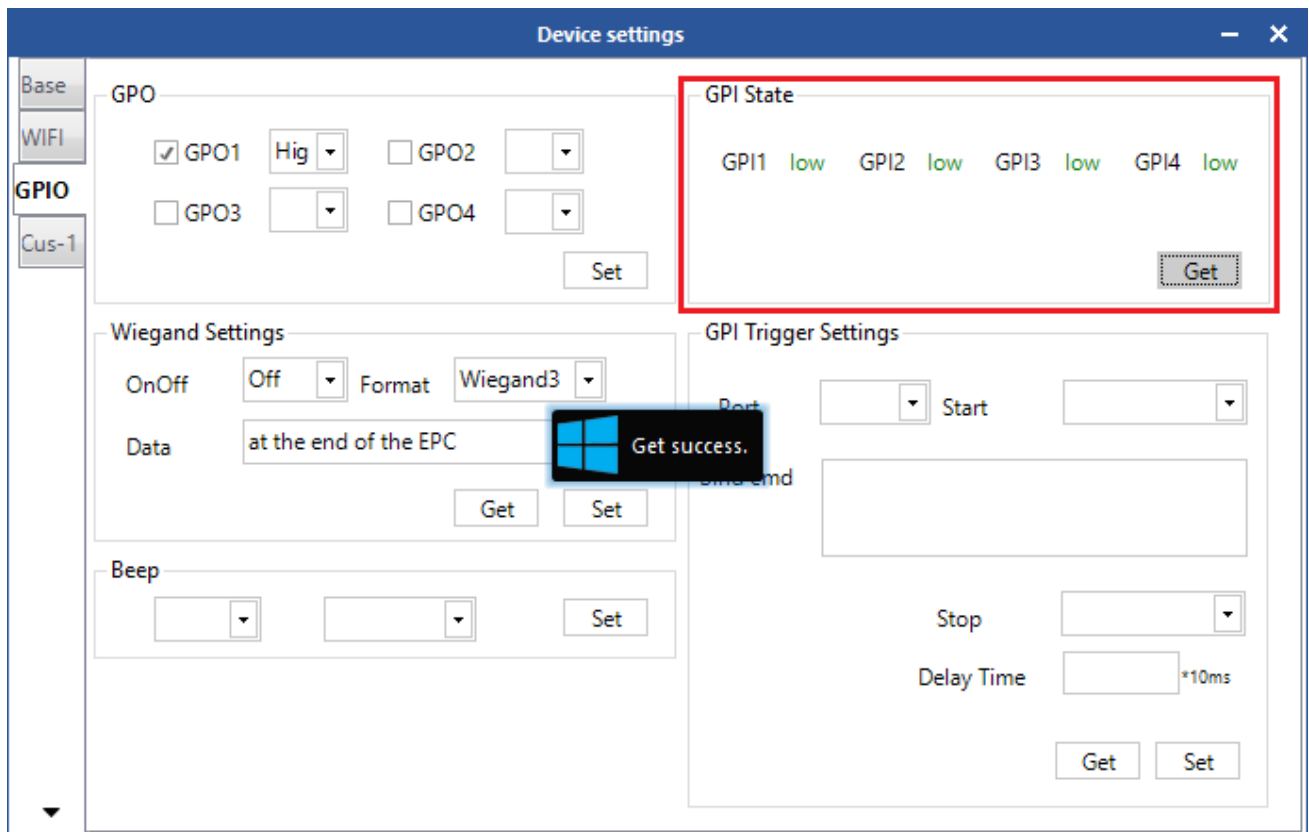
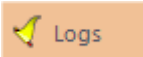


Figure 4.6.2 GPI State Get

4.6.3 GPI Operation Configuration

The GPI operation is on the lower right of the interface. Select a GPI port number, and click “Get” to check the related configuration of the port as shown in Figure 4.6.3.1. There are multiple conditions optional for trigger condition and Stop condition. Trigger instructions can be written according to communication protocols or extract directly from logs with the following methods:

1. Suppose that a port (GPI1) need to be configured to read the TID of the 6C tag after triggering. Operations are detailed in Read TID, as shown in Figure 4.6.3.2 and Figure 4.6.3.3 ;

2. Click  on the left to switch and an interface as shown in Figure 4.6.3.4 will be seen ;

3. Find data with “send-[MsgBaseInventoryEpc]-[5A00010210000800000000101020006ED08]” in the log interface and extract” 5A00010210000800000000101020006ED08” from it ;

4. Remove the 2-digit frame header and 4-digit check code in the end. 00010210000800000000101020006 is the TID command for tag reading. Other command can be also acquired with the same operation ;

5. Open GPIO interface, select GPI 1 get as shown in Figure 4.6.3.1. Select trigger condition and stop condition, fill the command from step 4 in the trigger command, then click Configure as shown in Figure 4.6.3.4. When the configuration is successful, the reader reads the TID operation of 6C tag when the electrical level of GPI1 port is high and stop reading when the electrical level is low .

When the stop condition is "delay stop", the specific delay time can be filled in at delay time area (0 means infinite delay time). And the unit is 10ms. The reader will stop after corresponding period when the stop condition is triggered if the configuration is done.

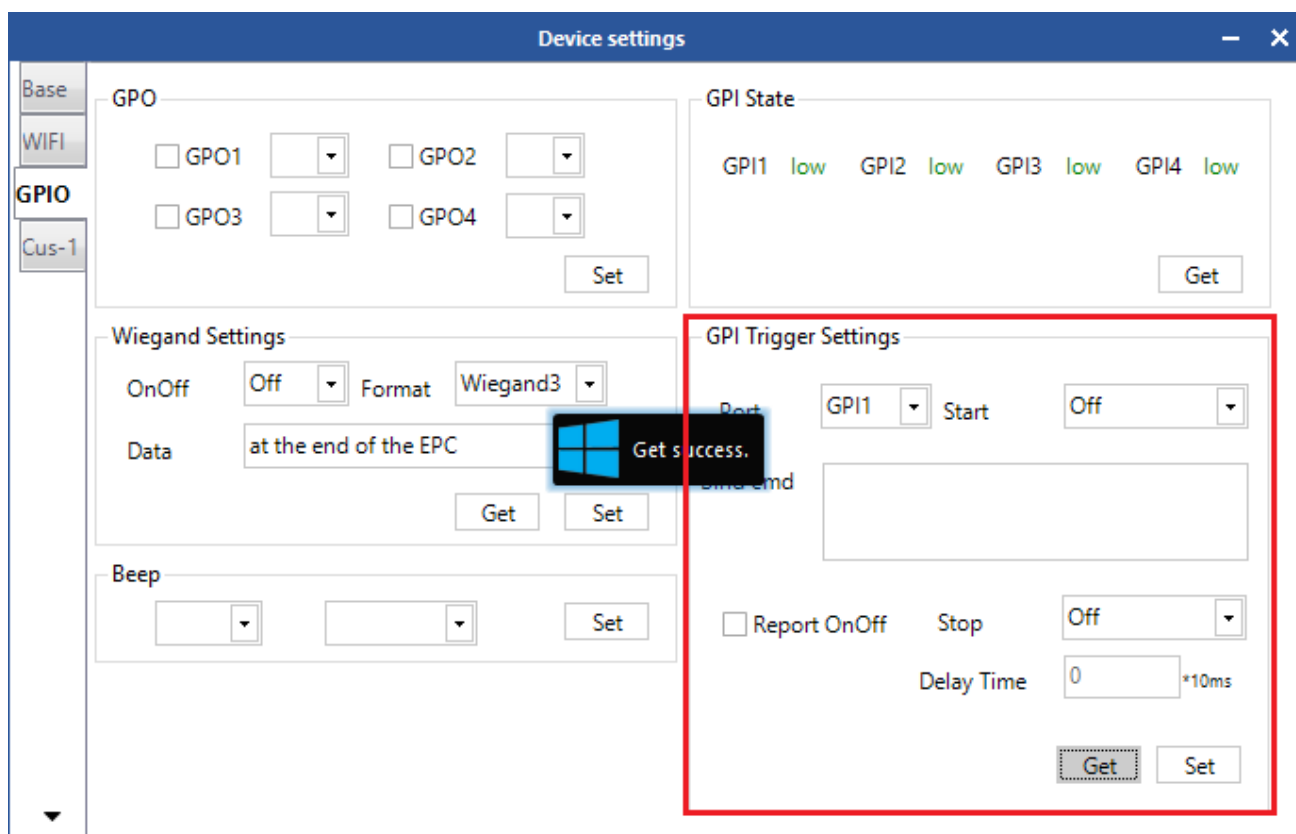


Figure 4.6.3.1 GPIO Operation Get

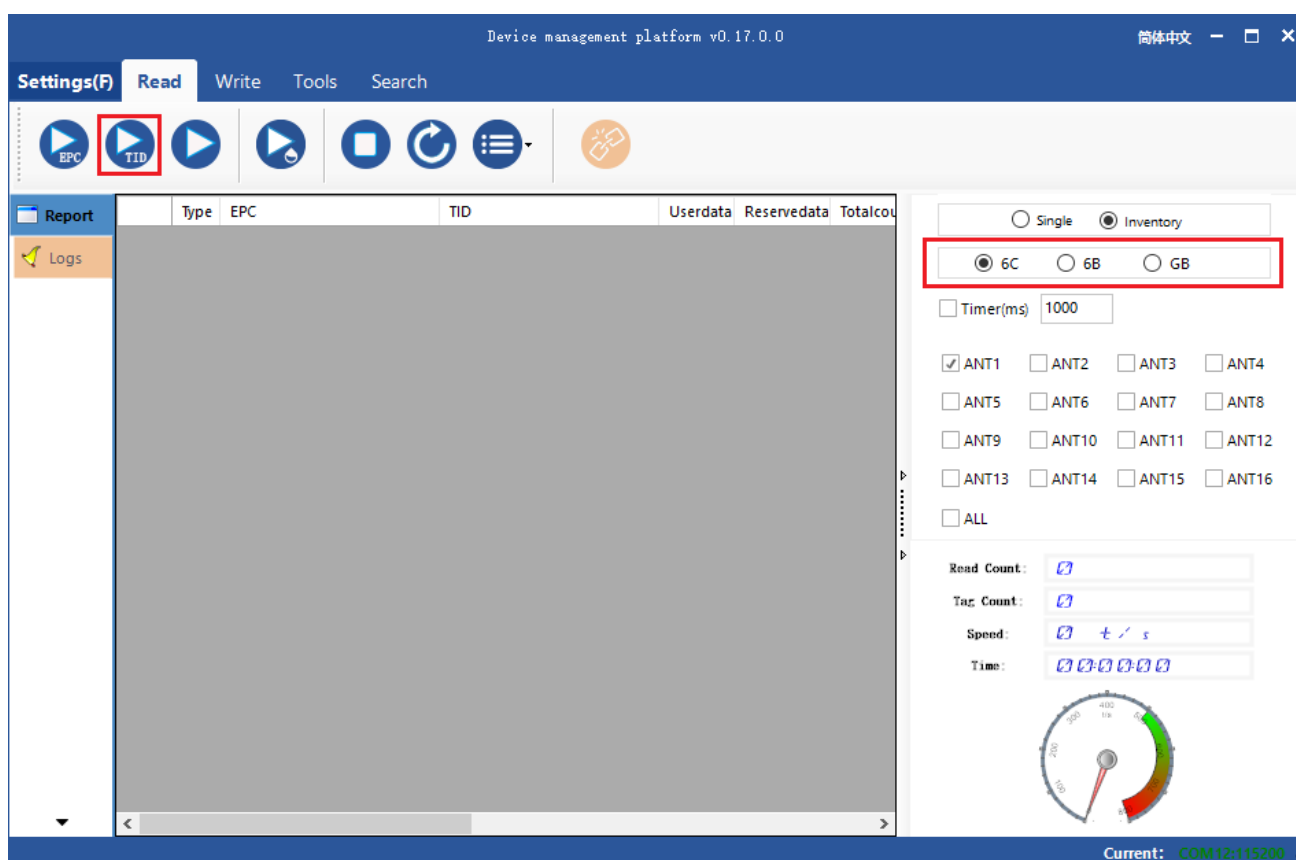


Figure 4.6.3.2 Main Interface

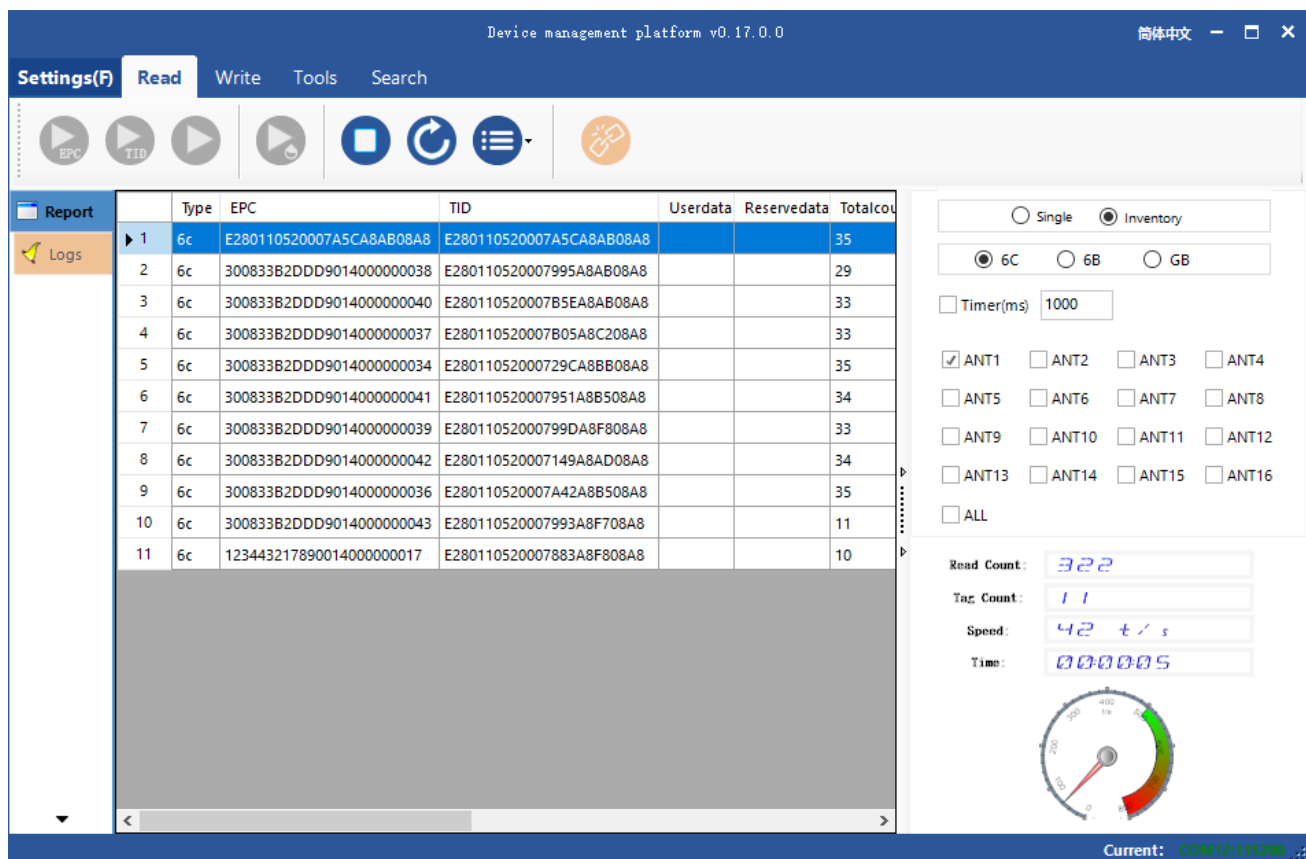


Figure 4.6.3.3 Read TID of 6C tag

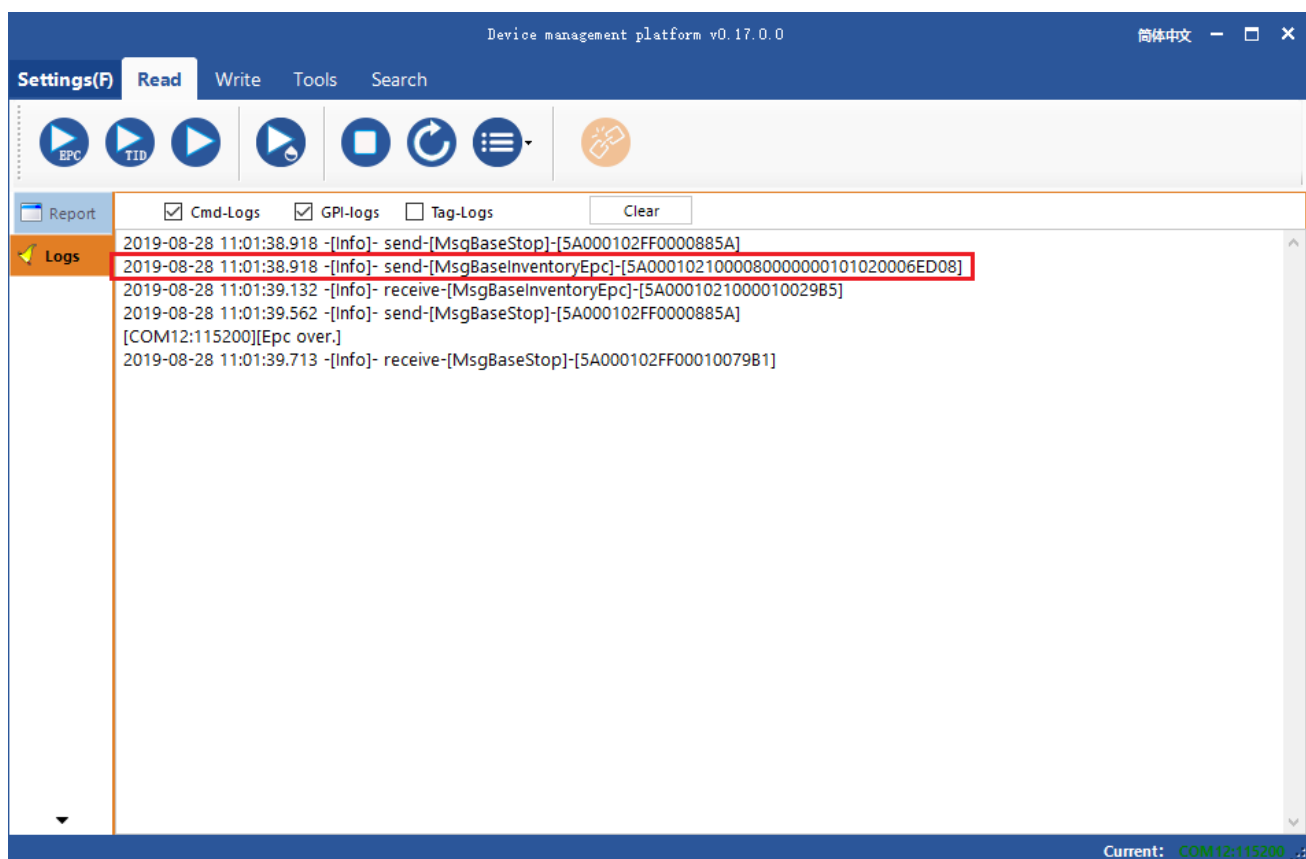


Figure 4.6.3.3 Log

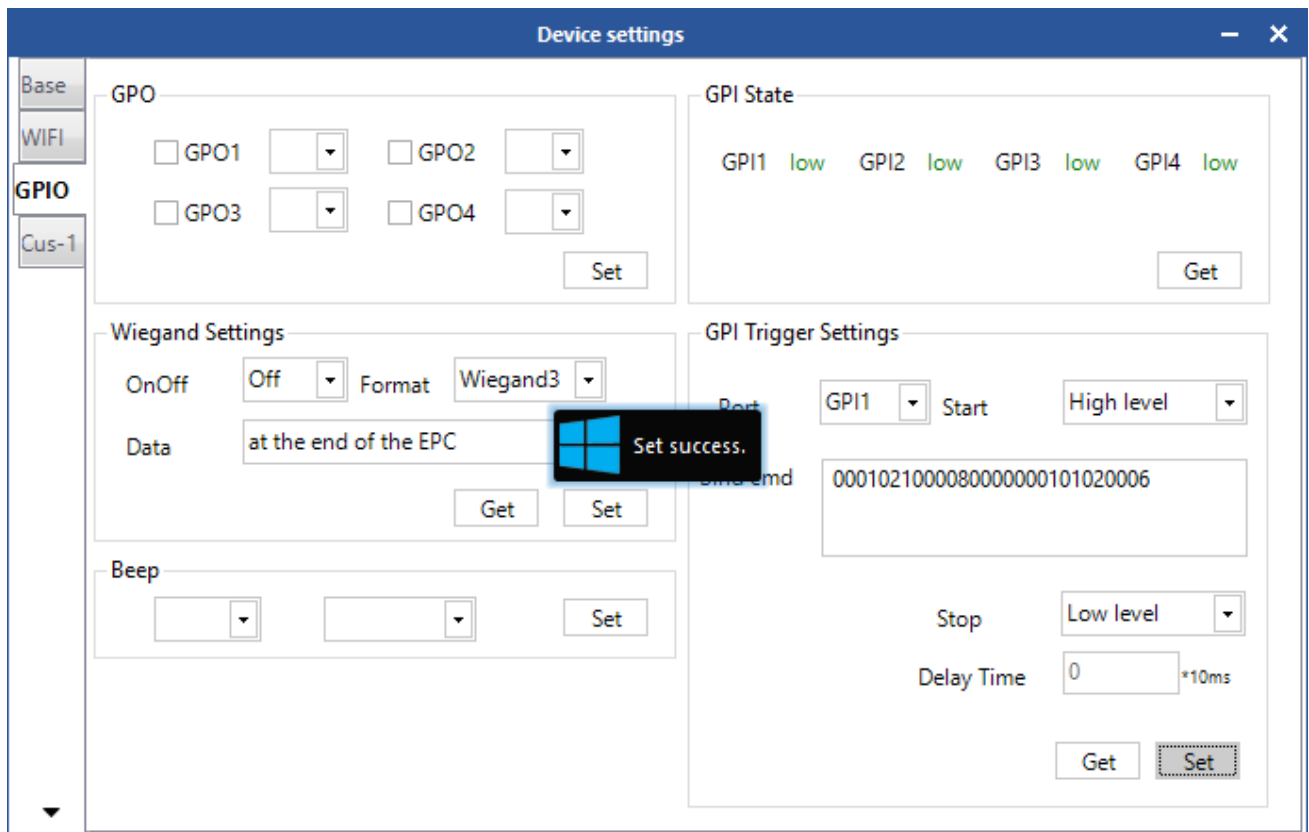


Figure 4.6.3.4 GPI Operation Configuration

4.7 RFID Configuration

Select Device Control in the main interface of the Demo-> RFID Configuration and the dialog will pop up as shown in Figure 4.7 .

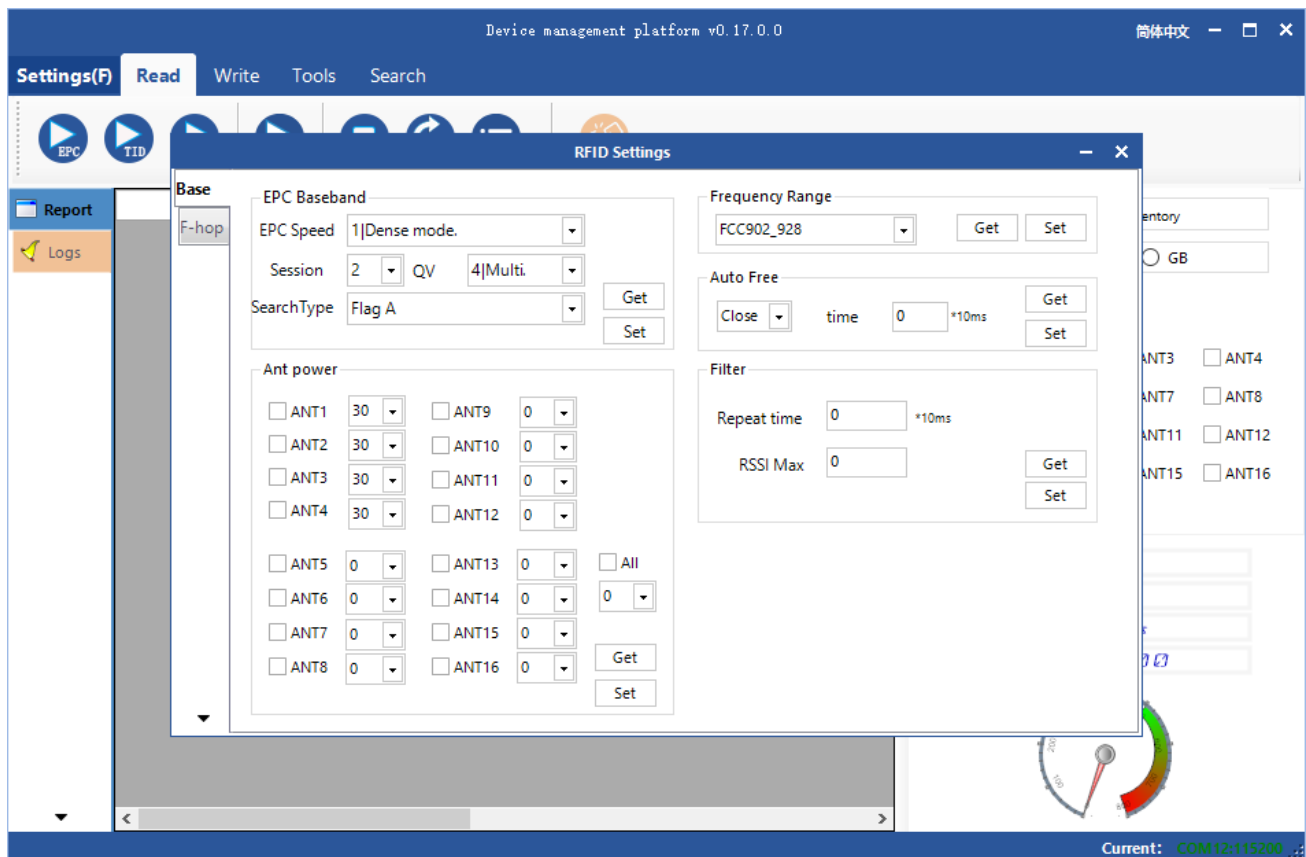


Figure 4.7 RFID Configuration

4.7.1 EPC Baseband Parameter

The EPC baseband parameter is on the top left as shown in Figure 4.7.1. Click “Get” to acquire the EPC baseband parameter. And click Setting to set the EPC baseband parameter.

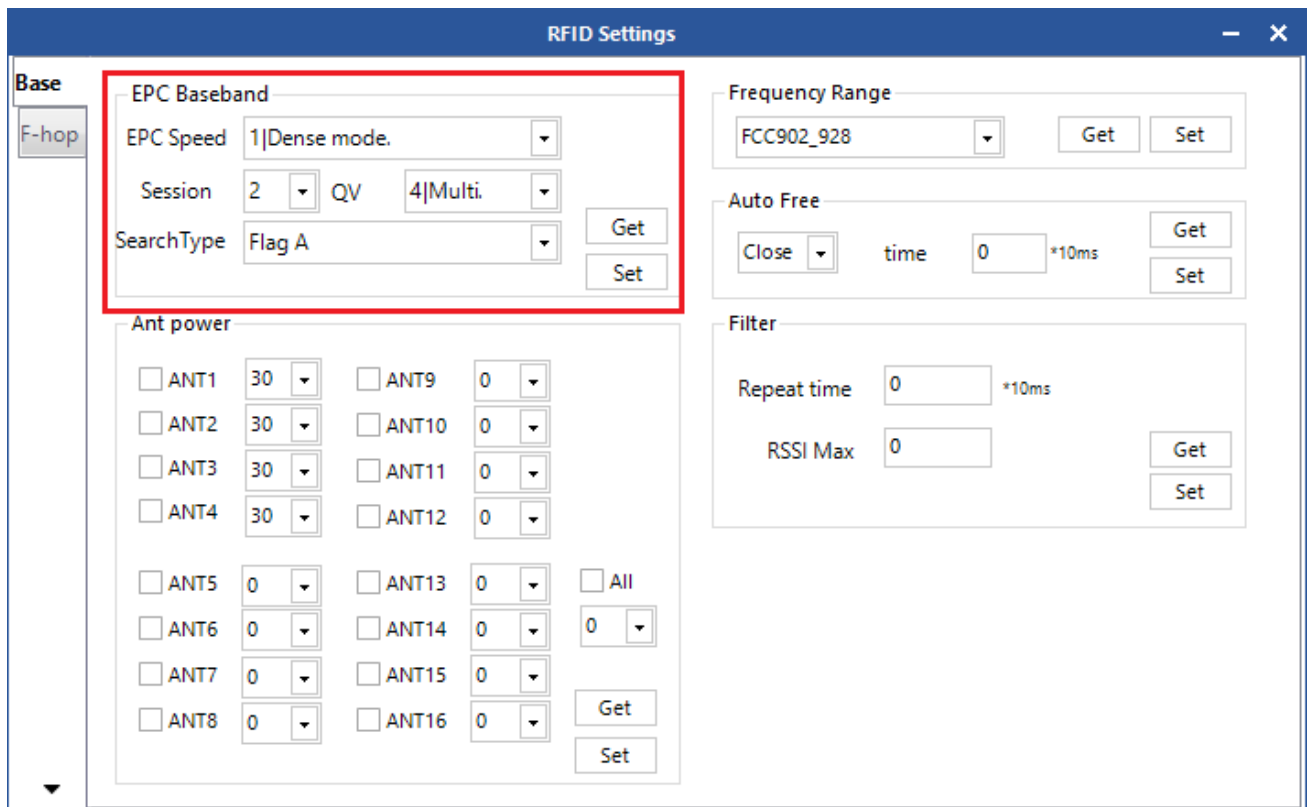


Figure 4.7.1 Baseband Parameter Configuration

R/W effect changes with the changing of the baseband parameter configuration (the configuration can be customized according to the real application, but under the guidance of our engineer).

There are 6 choices for EPC baseband rate: Tair=25us, FM0, LHF=40KHz; dense reading mode; Tair=25us, Miller4, LHF=300KHz; fast reading mode; Tari=25us, Miller4, LHF=320KHz; 255/AUTO .

4 choices for Session:0 ; 1 ; 2 ; 3 .

16 choices for Q value:0/single tag; 1; 2; 3; 4/multiple tag; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15 .

3 choices for tag searching: A side inventory-taking; B side inventory-taking; A|B double sides inventory-taking .

4.7.2 Power Configuration for Antenna Port

The antenna port is on the lower left as shown in Figure 4.7.2. Click “Get” to acquire the antenna power. And click Setting to set the antenna power.

The image shows a software window titled "RFID Settings". On the left, there is a sidebar with "Base" and "F-hop" tabs. The "Base" tab is selected. The main area contains several configuration sections:

- EPC Baseband:** Includes "EPC Speed" (set to 1|Dense mode.), "Session" (set to 2), "QV" (set to 4|Multi.), and "SearchType" (set to Flag A). There are "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Frequency Range:** Includes a dropdown set to "FCC902_928" and "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Auto Free:** Includes a "Close" dropdown, a "time" field set to 0 with a "*10ms" multiplier, and "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Filter:** Includes a "Repeat time" field set to 0 with a "*10ms" multiplier, an "RSSI Max" field set to 0, and "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Ant power:** This section is highlighted with a red border. It contains a grid of checkboxes and dropdown menus for 16 antennas (ANT1 to ANT16). ANT1-ANT4 have a power value of 30, while ANT5-ANT16 have a power value of 0. There is also an "All" checkbox and a power dropdown set to 0. "Get" and "Set" buttons are at the bottom of this section.

Figure 4.7.2 Power Configuration for Antenna Port

Select the corresponding antenna port (connected with antenna), and select corresponding power value from the power list. Then click Set, and the Configured Successfully prompt will pop up.

4.7.3 Auto-idleness Configuration

Automatic idle mode means: when in constantly reading, the reader will enter idle state automatically for power saving for a period if no tag is read for 3 round constantly. When the idle state is over time, the reader will start reading again as

shown in Figure 4.7.3.

The image shows a software window titled "RFID Settings" with a sidebar on the left containing "Base" and "F-hop" options. The main area is divided into several sections:

- EPC Baseband:** Includes "EPC Speed" (set to 1|Dense mode.), "Session" (set to 2), "QV" (set to 4|Multi.), and "SearchType" (set to Flag A). There are "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Frequency Range:** Includes a dropdown set to "FCC902_928" and "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Auto Free (highlighted with a red box):** Includes a "Close" dropdown, a "time" input set to 0 with a "*10ms" multiplier, and "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Filter:** Includes "Repeat time" (input 0, "*10ms") and "RSSI Max" (input 0) with "Get" and "Set" buttons.
- Ant power:** A grid of checkboxes and dropdowns for antennas ANT1 through ANT16. ANT1-4 are checked and set to 30. ANT5-16 are unchecked and set to 0. There is also an "All" checkbox and a dropdown set to 0. "Get" and "Set" buttons are at the bottom.

Figure 4.7.3 Automatic Idleness Configuration

4.7.4 Tag Filtering

The antenna power is on the lower left as shown in Figure 4.7.4. Click "Get" to acquire the tag uploading parameter. And click Setting to set the tag uploading parameter.

Filtering Time: means during a reading instruction execution period, the same tag content can only be uploaded once in repeated tag filtering time, 0~65535, the time unit is 10ms.

RSSI threshold value: give up uploading and discard when the RSSI value of the tag is lower than the threshold value.

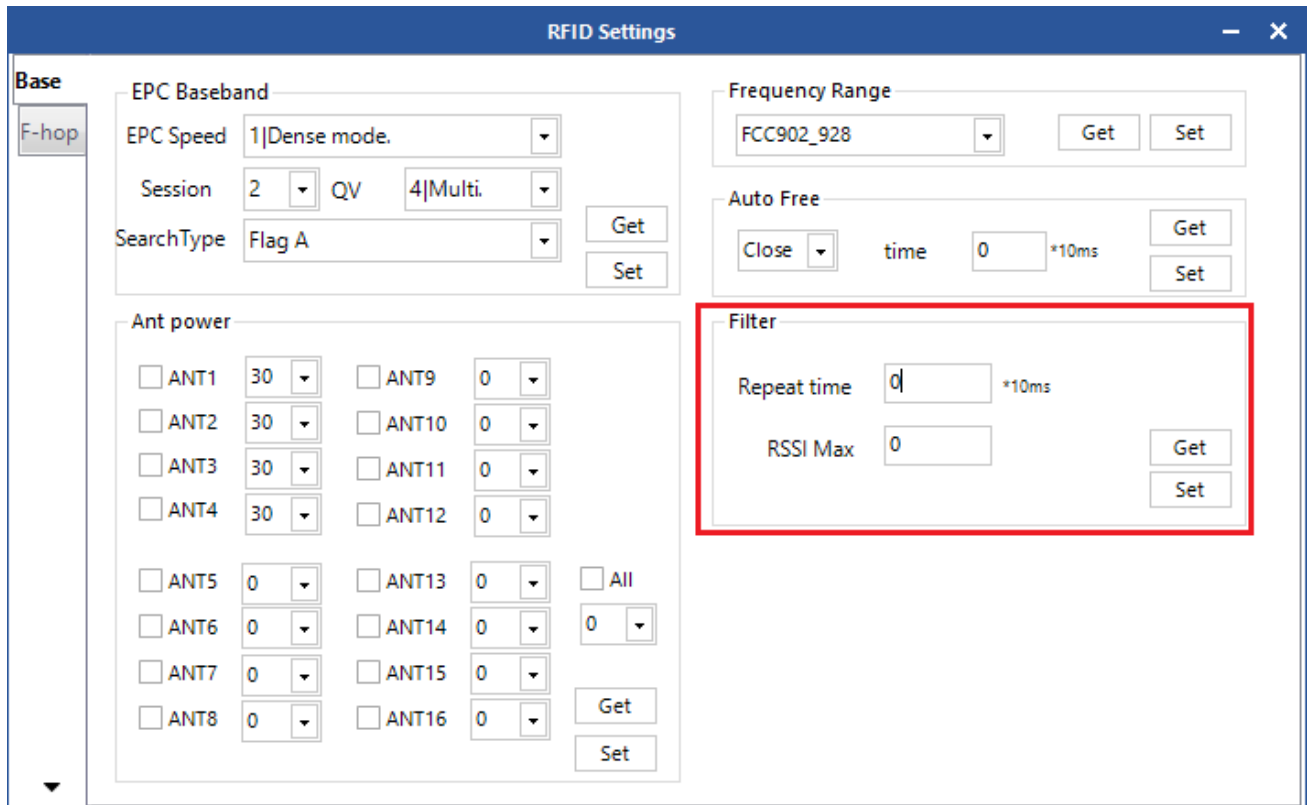


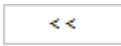


Figure 4.7.4 Tag Filtering

4.7.5 Hopping Frequency Management

Select hopping frequency in the menu bar on the left as shown in Figure 4.7.5.1. Select FCC902~928MHz in the Working frequency range spinner (as shown in Figure 4.7.5.2). Click Set Frequency Range, then select single frequency(as shown in Figure 4.7.5.4) in the frequency list on the left. Click "" to import it to the list box on the right. Then click Set again. To choose full frequency range, just click . All frequency is in the list box on the right. All frequency in the list box on the right will be removed if  is clicked.

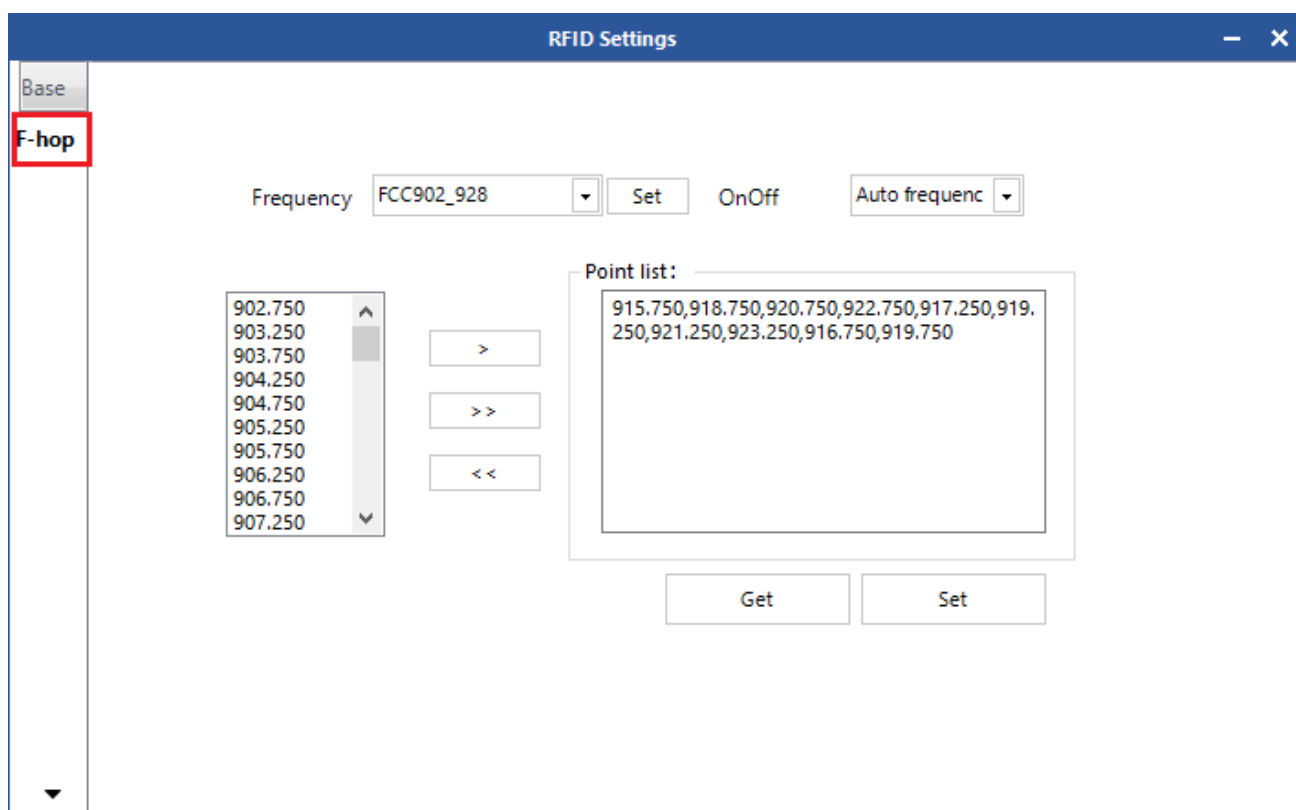


Figure 4.7.5.1 Hopping Frequency Management

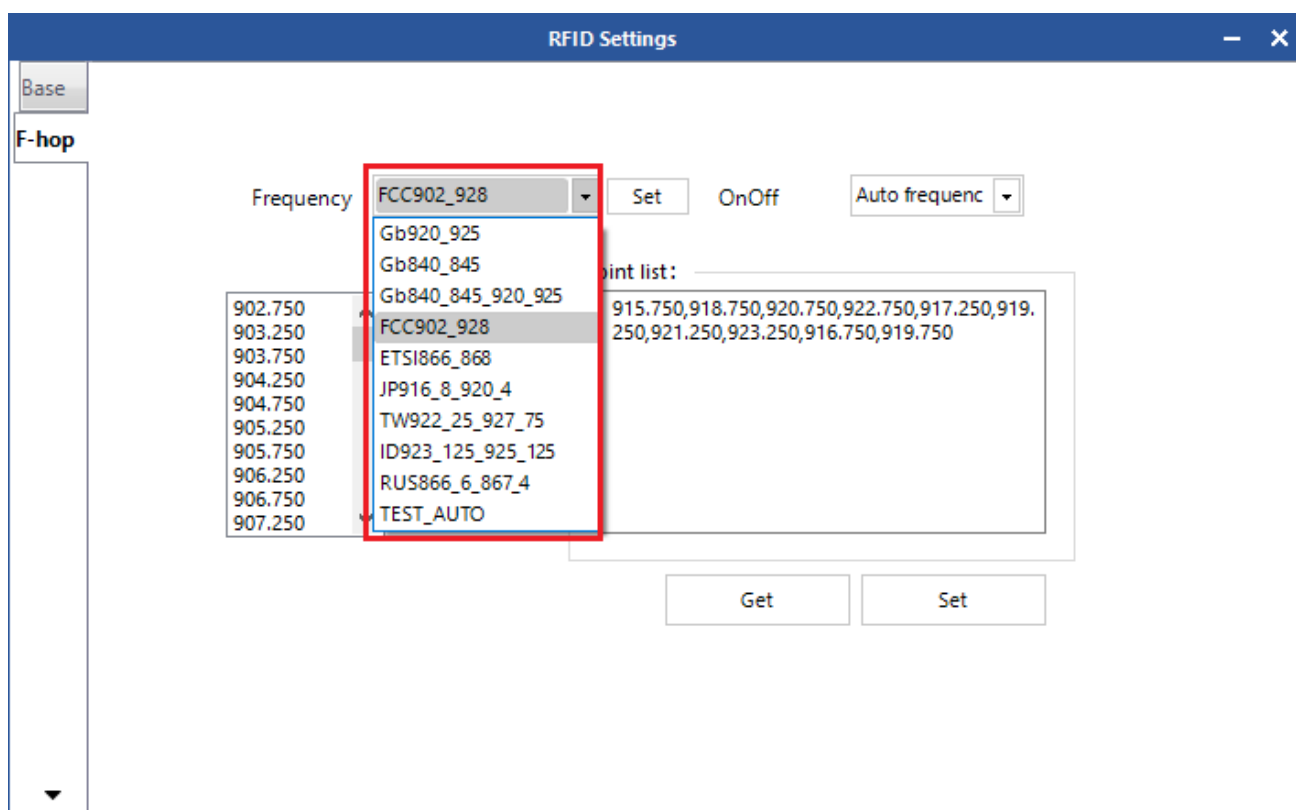


Figure 4.7.5.2 Working Frequency Range Selection

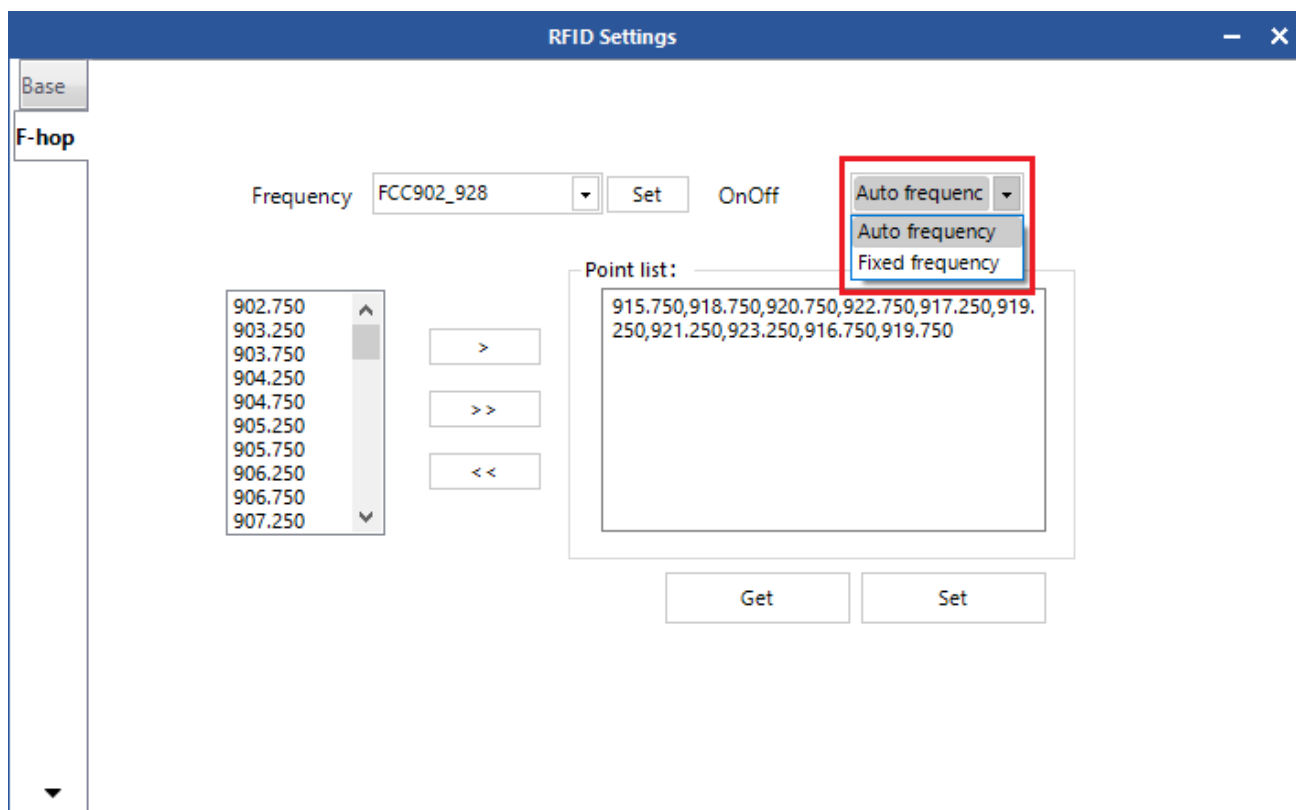


Figure 4.7.5.3 Hopping Frequency Switch Selection

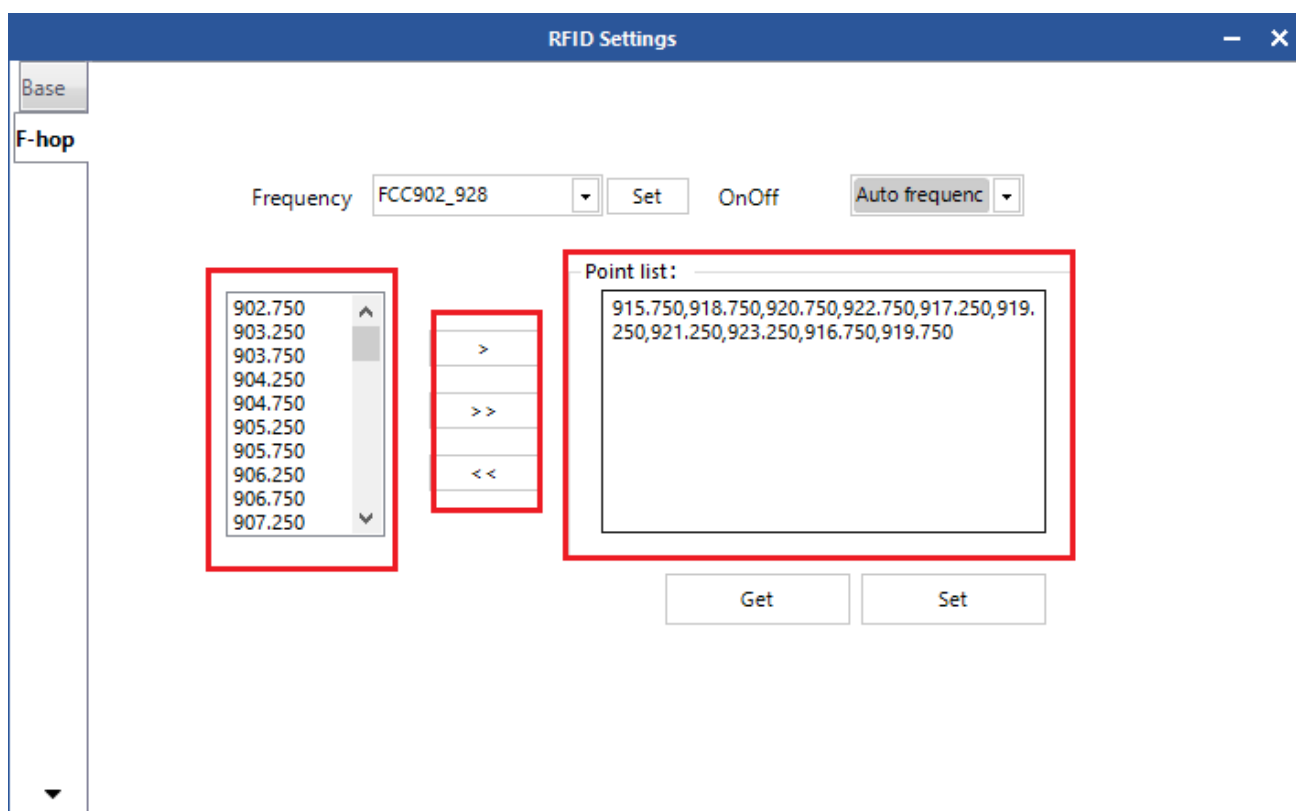


Figure 4.7.5.4 Frequency Selection

Notes: When doing this setting, the purpose of the automatic operations is to avoid the external signal interference. Normally it is defaulted to be automatically(as shown in the spinner of Figure 4.7.5.3).

4.8 Other Configurations

4.8.1 Wiegand Communication Parameter Configuration

Select Device Control in the main interface of the Demo->Device Configuration, and the dialog box will pop up. Select GPIO on the left popup. The Wiegand Configuration is at the lower left. Click “Get” to check the Wiegand communication parameter of the current device as shown in Figure 4.8.1.1.

There are 3 types of Wiegand communication: Wiegand 26, Wiegand 34 and Wiegand 66. Reader extracts the end data of EPC code or TID code according to Wiegand communication format and outputs it through Wiegand signal. It extracts 3 bytes at the end for Wiegand 26 , 4 bytes for Wiegand 34 format and 8 bytes for Wiegand 66 format. There are 2 types for data transfer: Transfer EPC end data and transfer TID end data. Click Set after selecting corresponding parameters as shown in Figure 4.8.1.2.

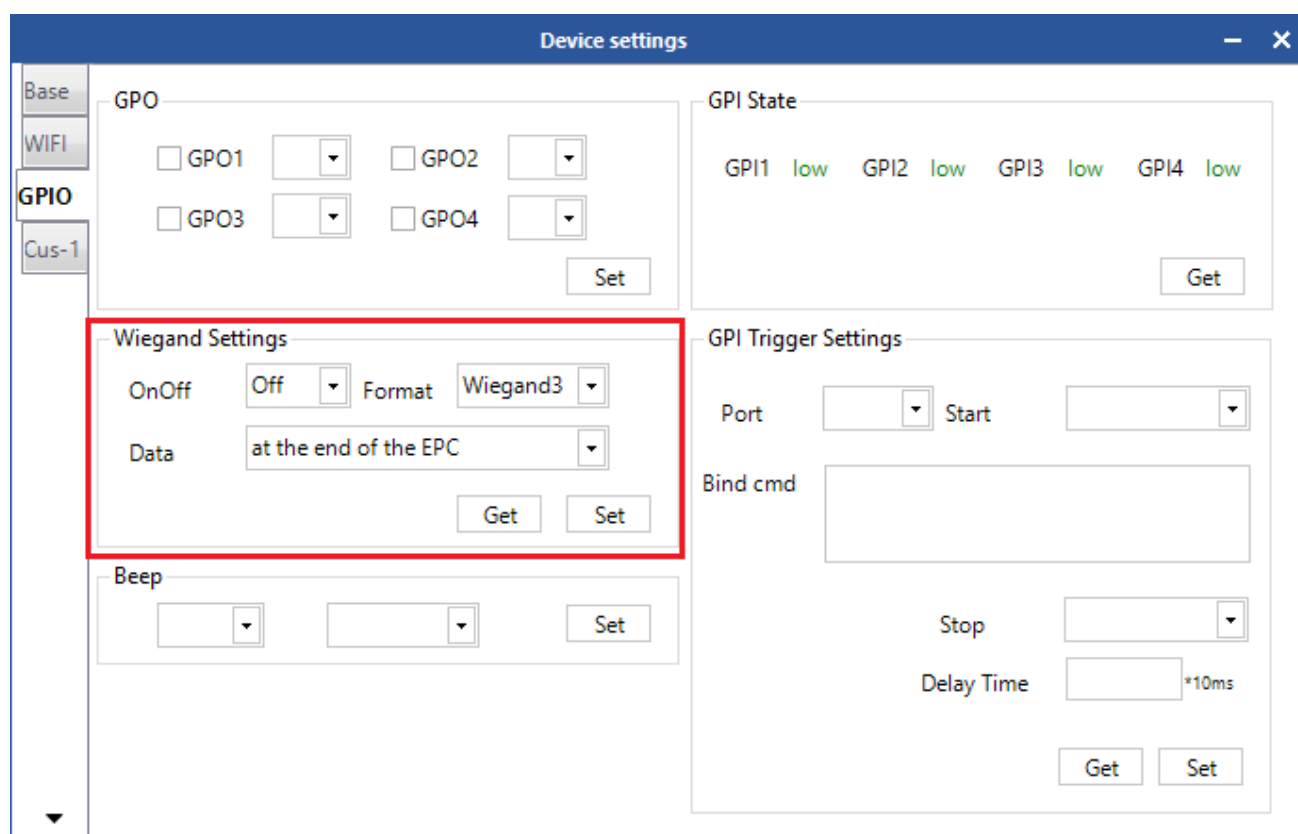


Figure 4.8.1.1 Wiegand Communication Parameter Get

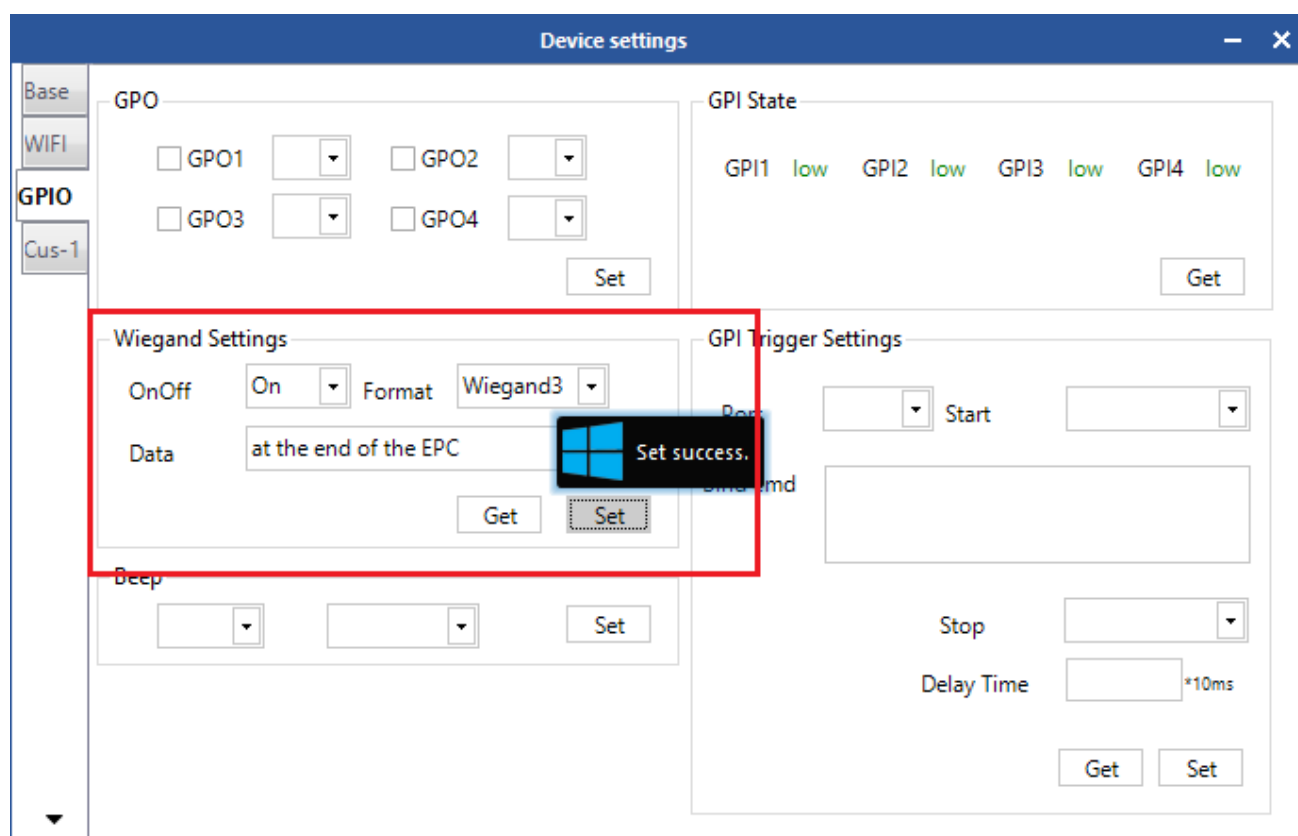


Figure 4.8.1.2 Wiegand Communication Parameter Configuration

4.8.2 Buzzer Control

Select Device Control in the main interface of the Demo->Device Configuration, and the dialog box will pop up. Select GPIO in the popup on the left. The Buzzer Control is on the lower left. Click Set to set the state of the buzzer as shown in Figure 4.8.2.

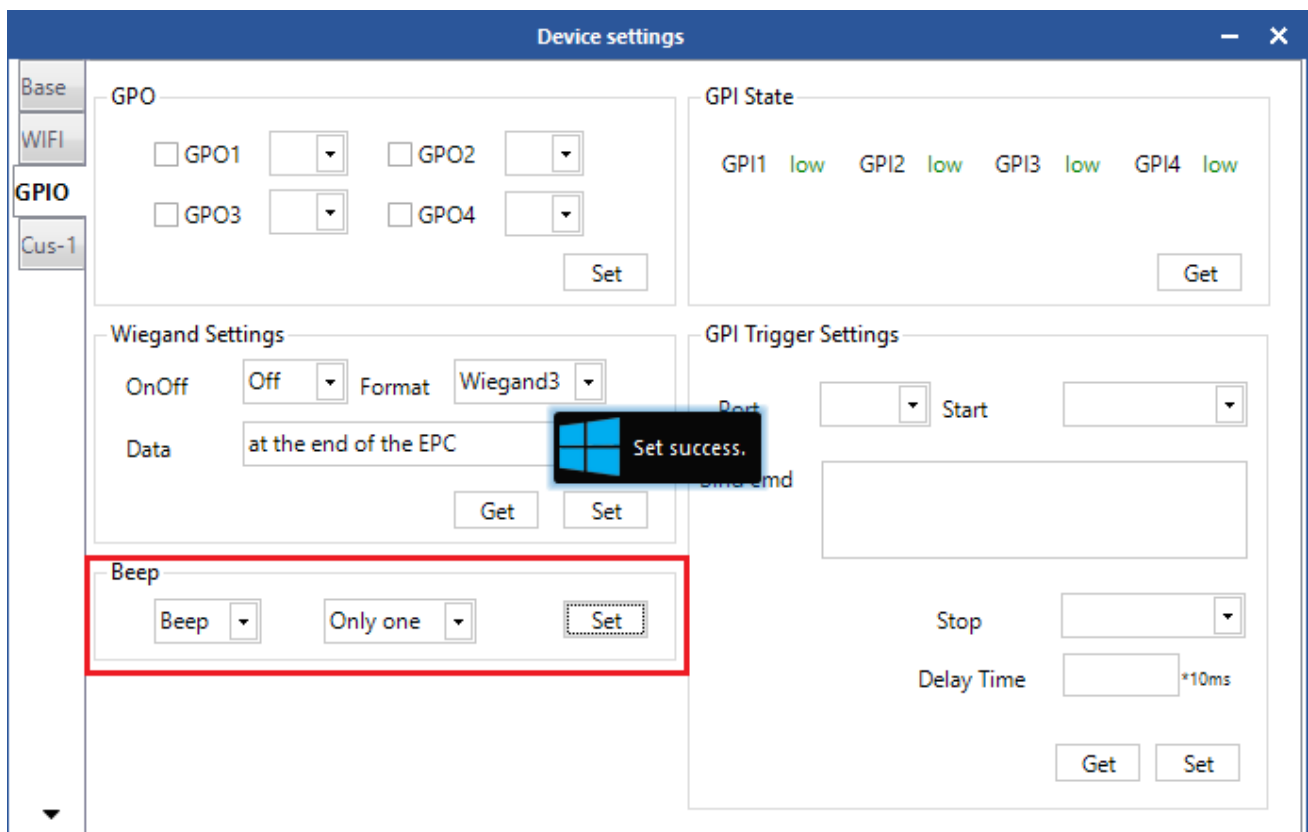


Figure 4.8.2 Buzzer Control

4.8.3 EAS Alarm

Select Device Control in the main interface of the Demo -> Device Configuration, and the dialog box will pop up. Select Custom-1 in the popup on the left as shown in Figure 4.8.3. This operation is used for configuration for matching alarm parameters. “matching succeeded operation” will be performed when the tags meet the matching

condition is read. And “match failed operation” will be performed when the tags fail to meet the matching condition is read. The matching rules are as below:

The calculated result of the mask Bitwise AND and zone data to be matched in the tag is A. And the result of the mask Bitwise AND and zone data matched is B. If A is equal to B, then the matching is successfully, and then the EAS match-successfully operation shall be performed. Conversely, the EAS match-failed operation shall be performed.

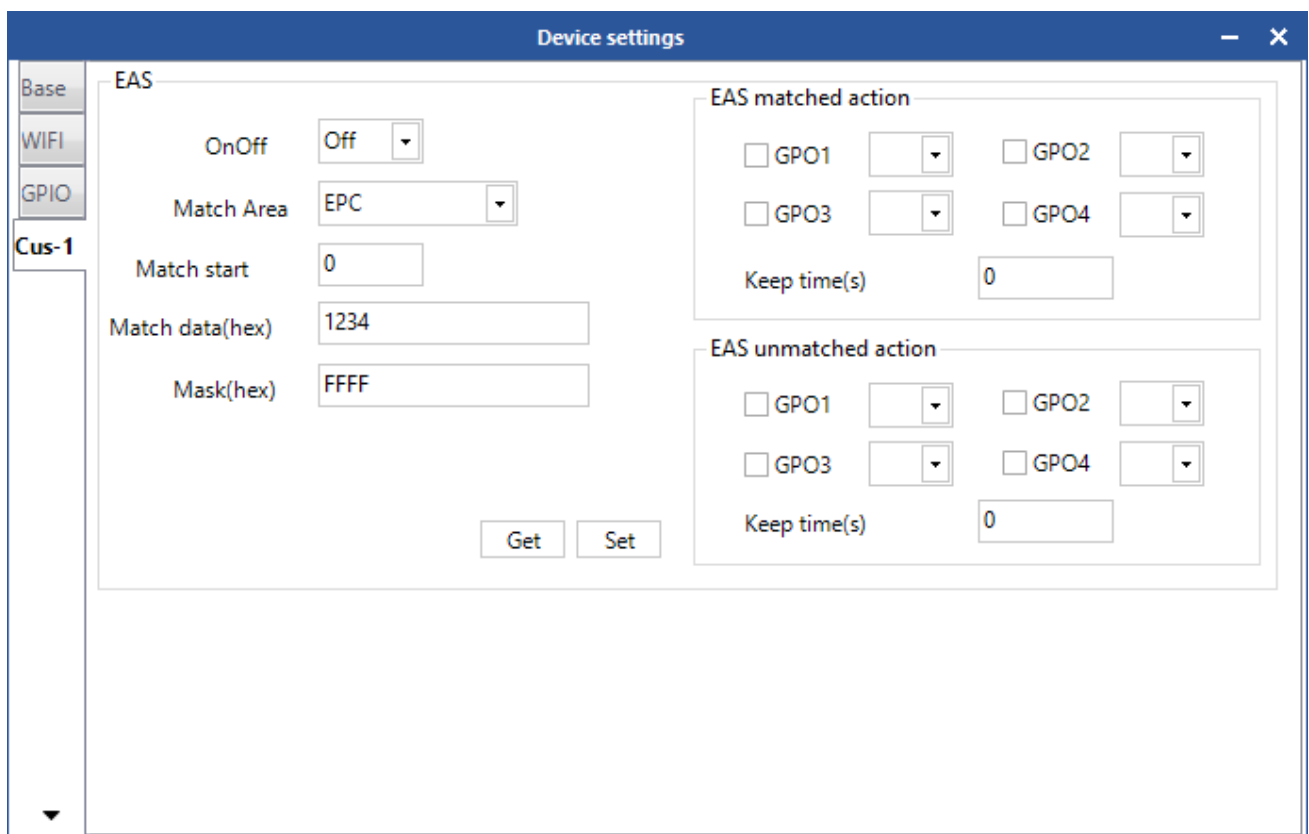


Figure 4.8.3 EAS Alarm

4.9 Tools

4.9.1 Restart

Select Tools -> “” Restart as shown in Figure 4.9.1.1. Click the icon, and the

Command Sent Successfully prompt will pop up as shown in Figure 4.9.1.2.

The reader will restart when it receives this message. And the restart is finished when the beep from the buzzer is heard.

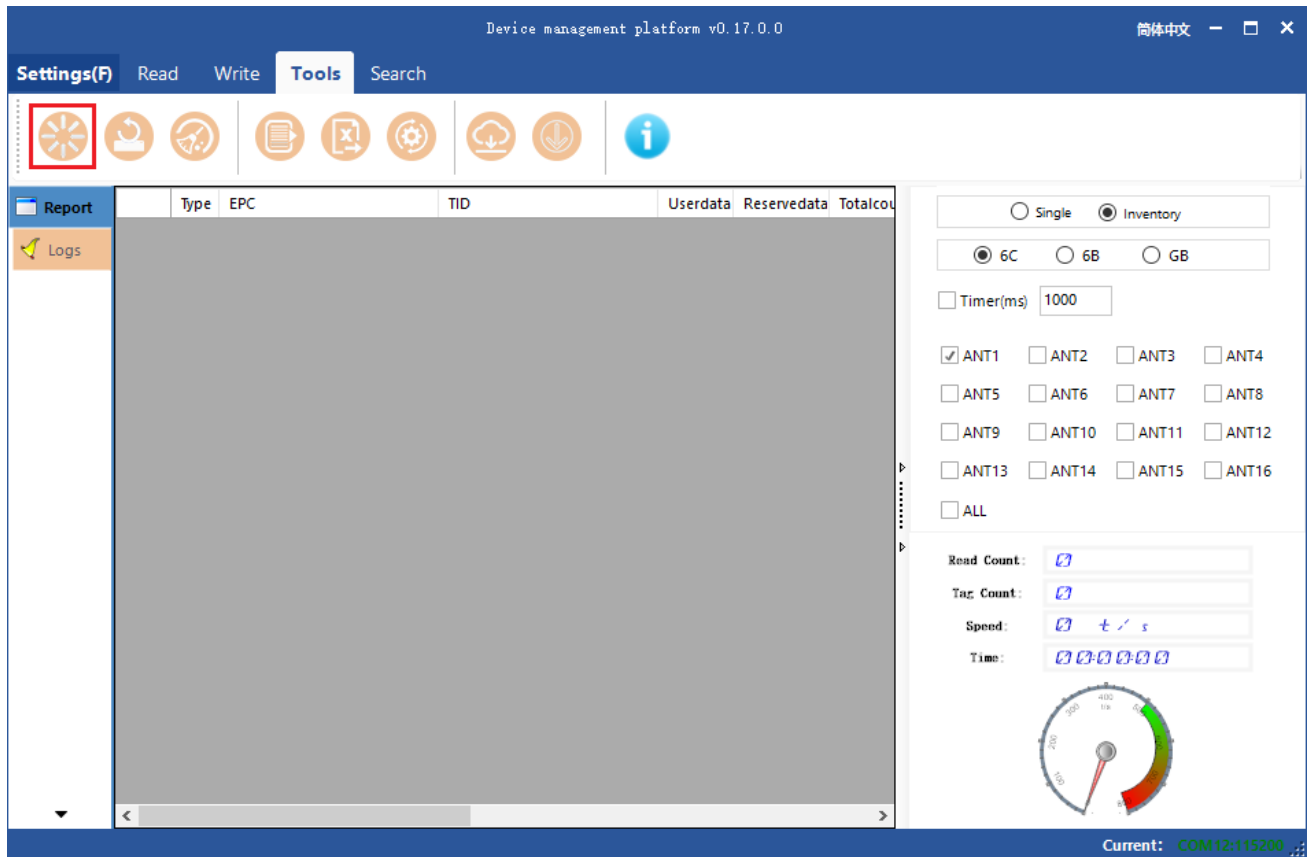


Figure 4.9.1.1 Restart

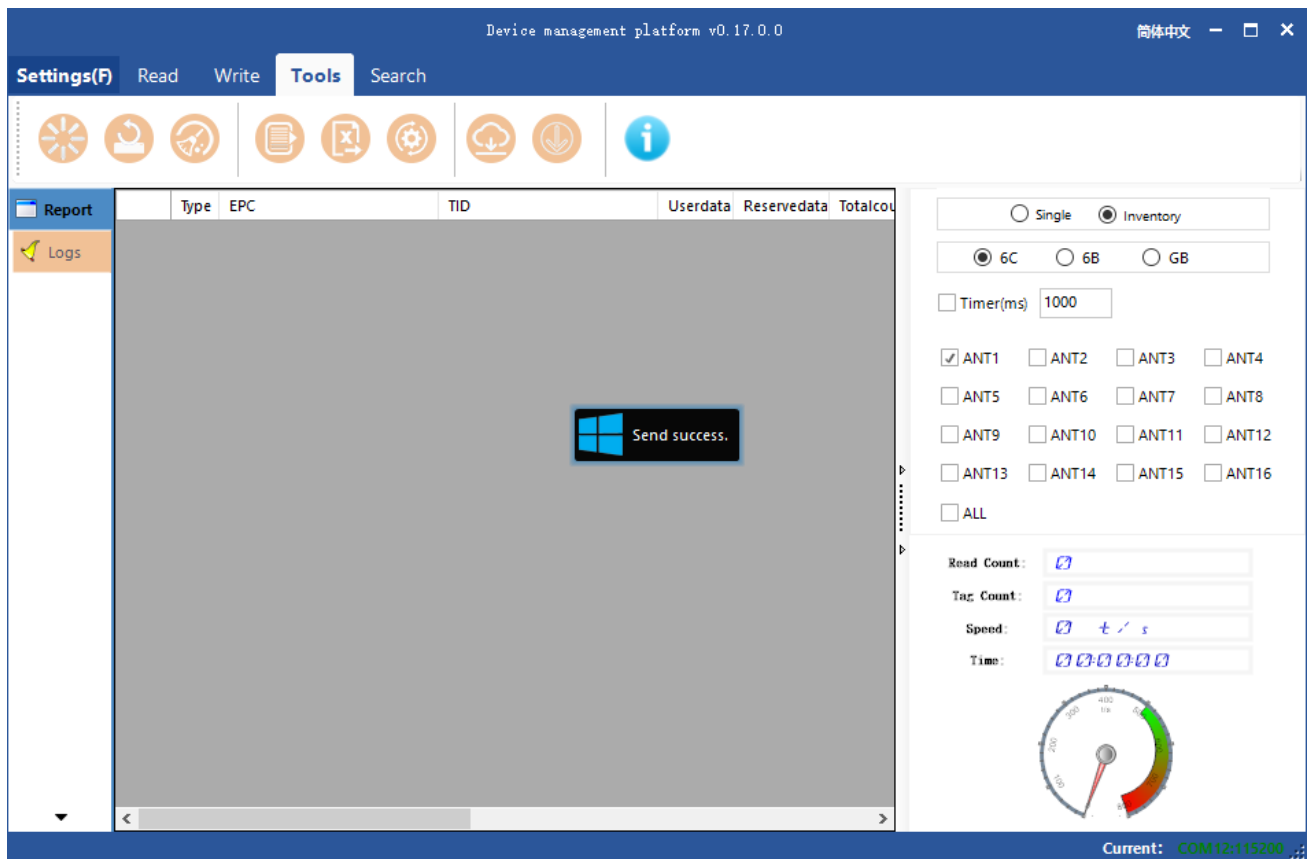



Figure 4.9.1.2 Command Sent Successfully

4.9.2 Restore Factory Setting

Select Tools in the main interface -> “” Factory Reset as shown in Figure 4.9.2.1. Click the icon, and the prompt “Factory Reset?” will pop up as shown in Figure 4.9.2.2. This operation will restore all parameters, including RFID configuration parameters, to factory setting except for system time and MAC address.

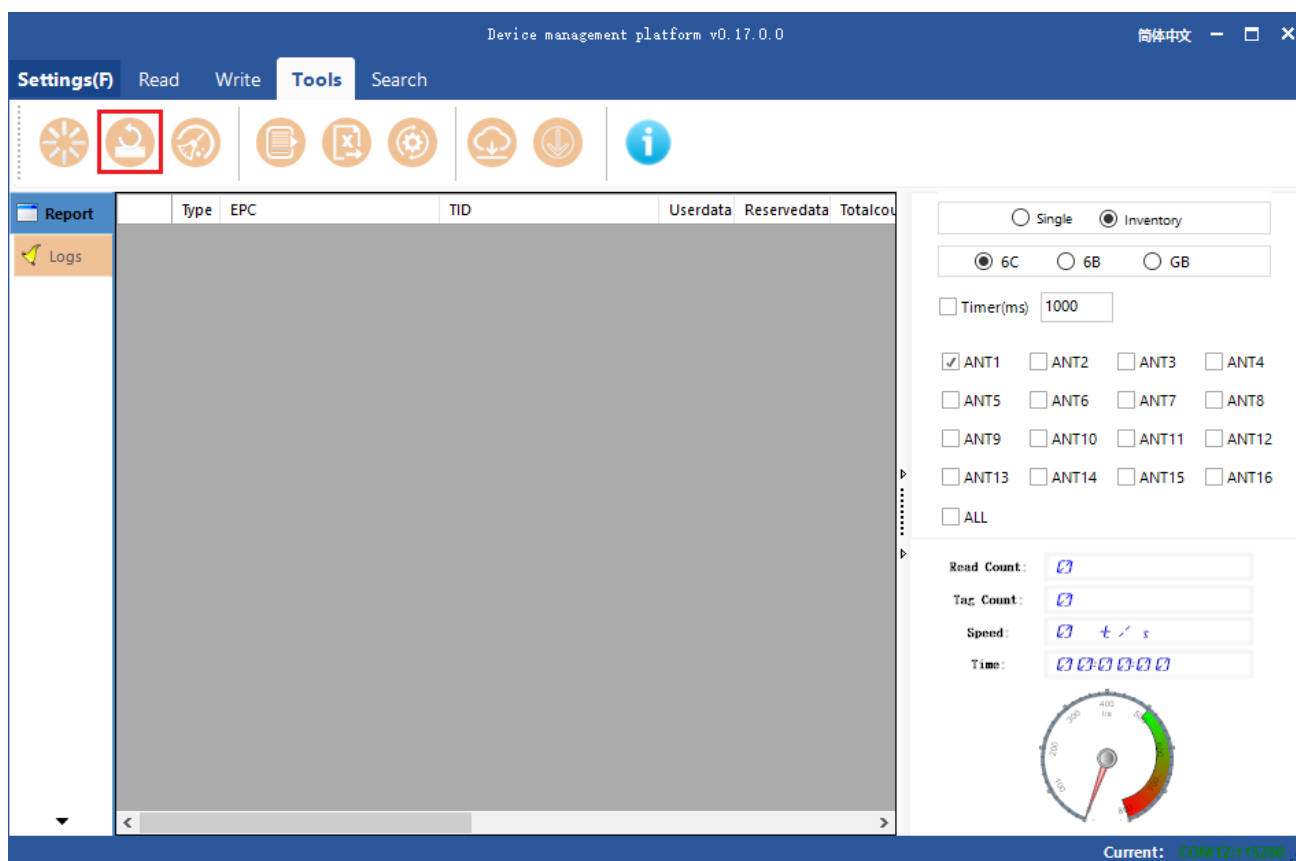


Figure 4.9.2.1 Factory Reset

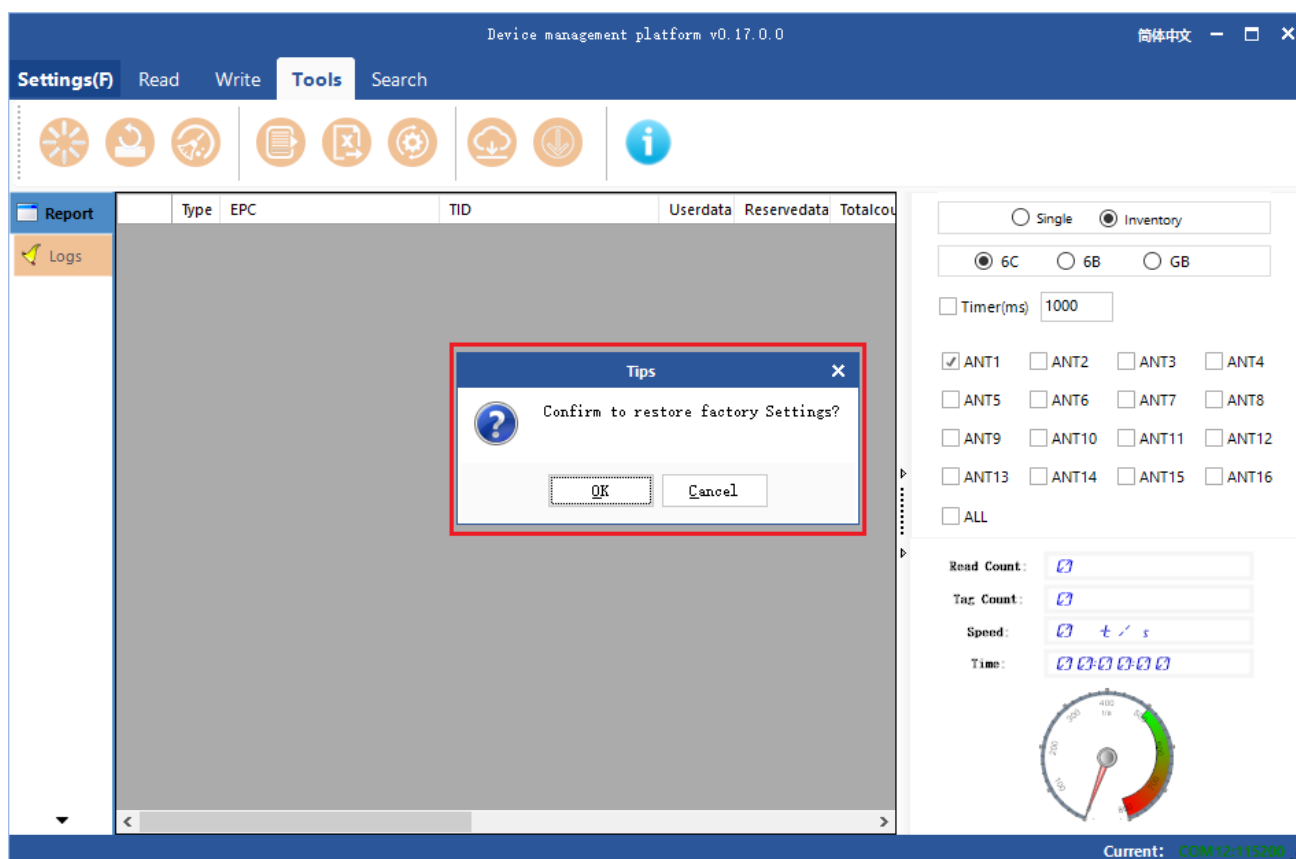




Figure 4.9.2.2 Prompt

4.9.3 Data Export

Select Tools -> “” export the text(or “”export the spreadsheet), and a dialog will pop up as shown in Figure 4.9.3. Then choose the path for the files to be saved.

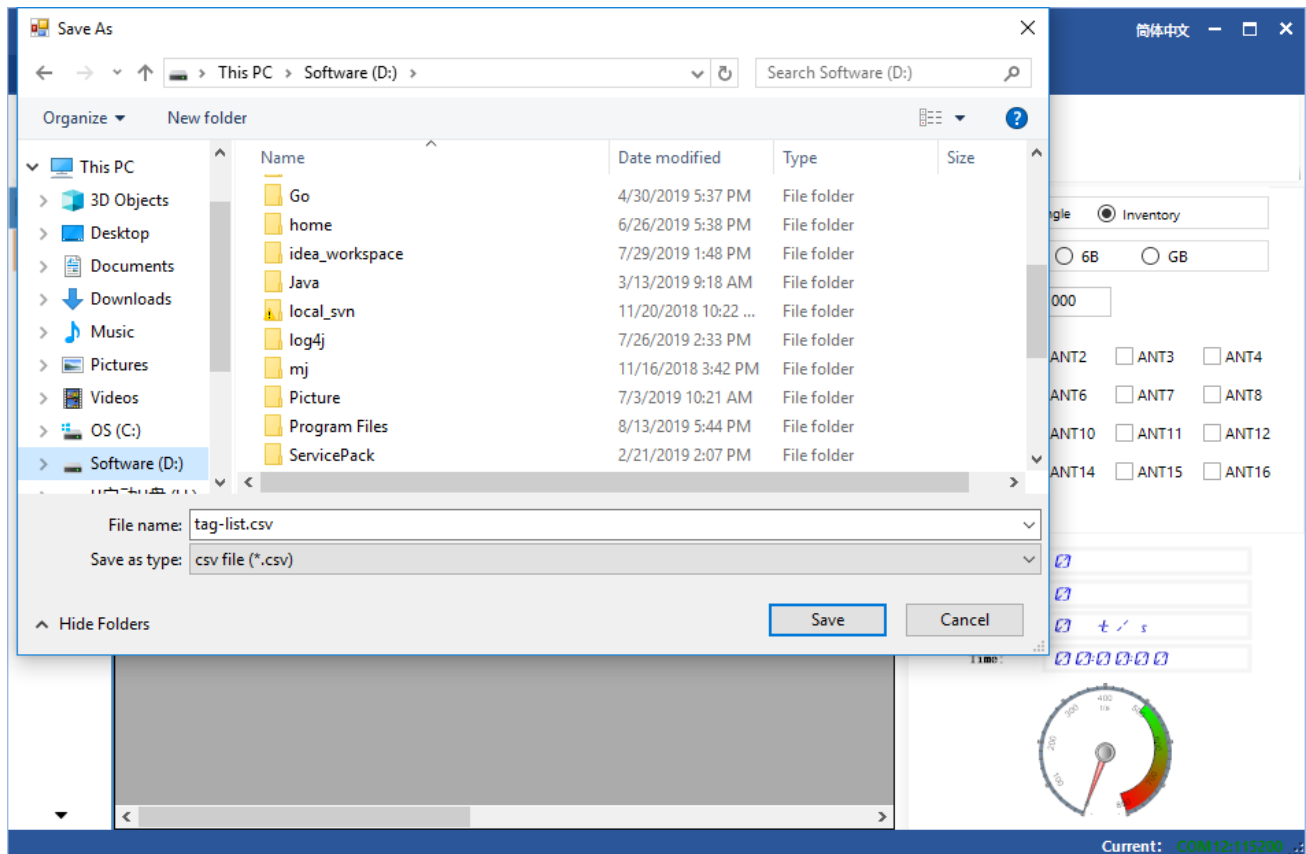


Figure 4.9.3 Data Export

The tag data supports data export and the exporting format can be .csv and .xls(Excel datasheet).

4.9.4 Upgrade



It supports baseband software (underlying software) upgrading and application software (system application software) upgrading. Select Tools -> “” upgrade baseband (or “” upgrade application). And the dialog box will pop up as shown in

Figure 4.9.4.

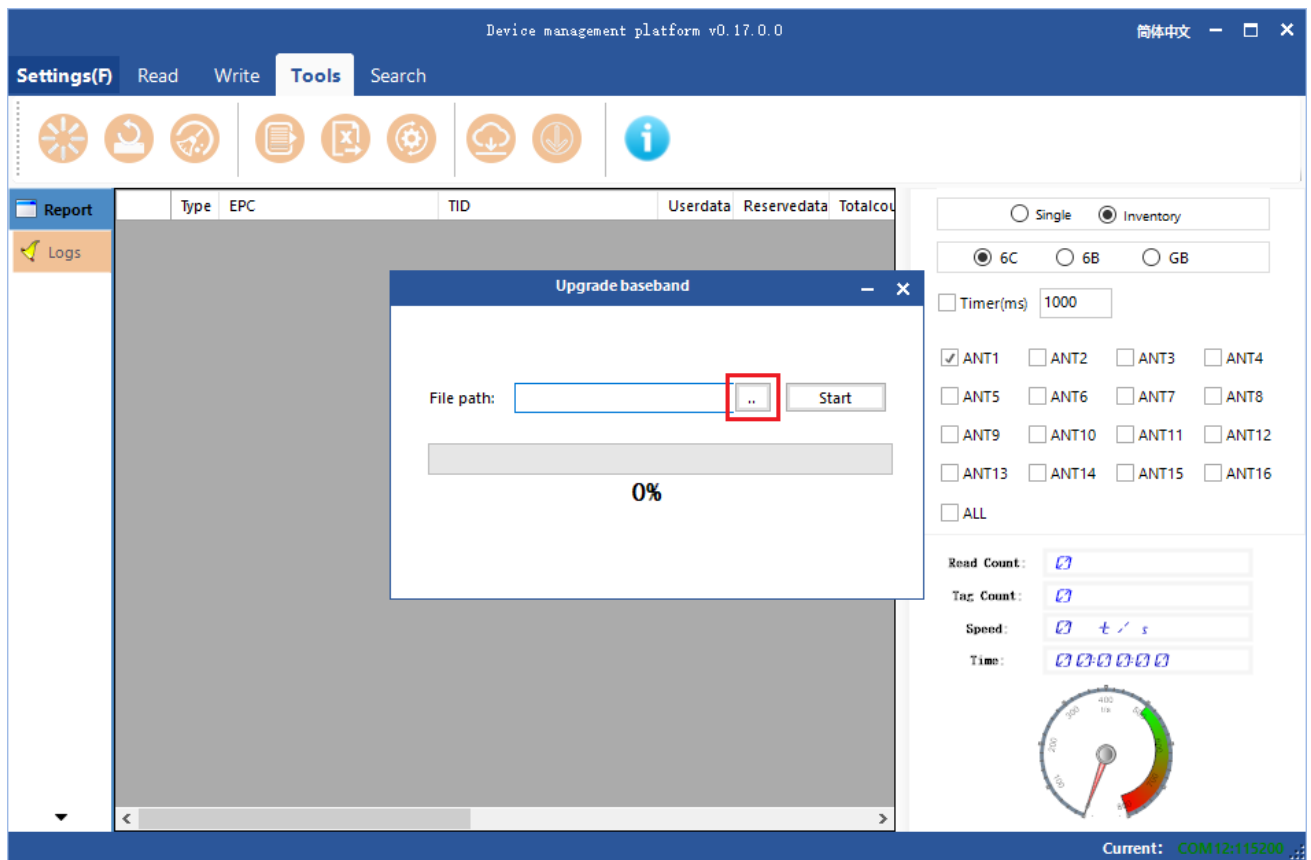


Figure 4.9.4.1 upgrade baseband

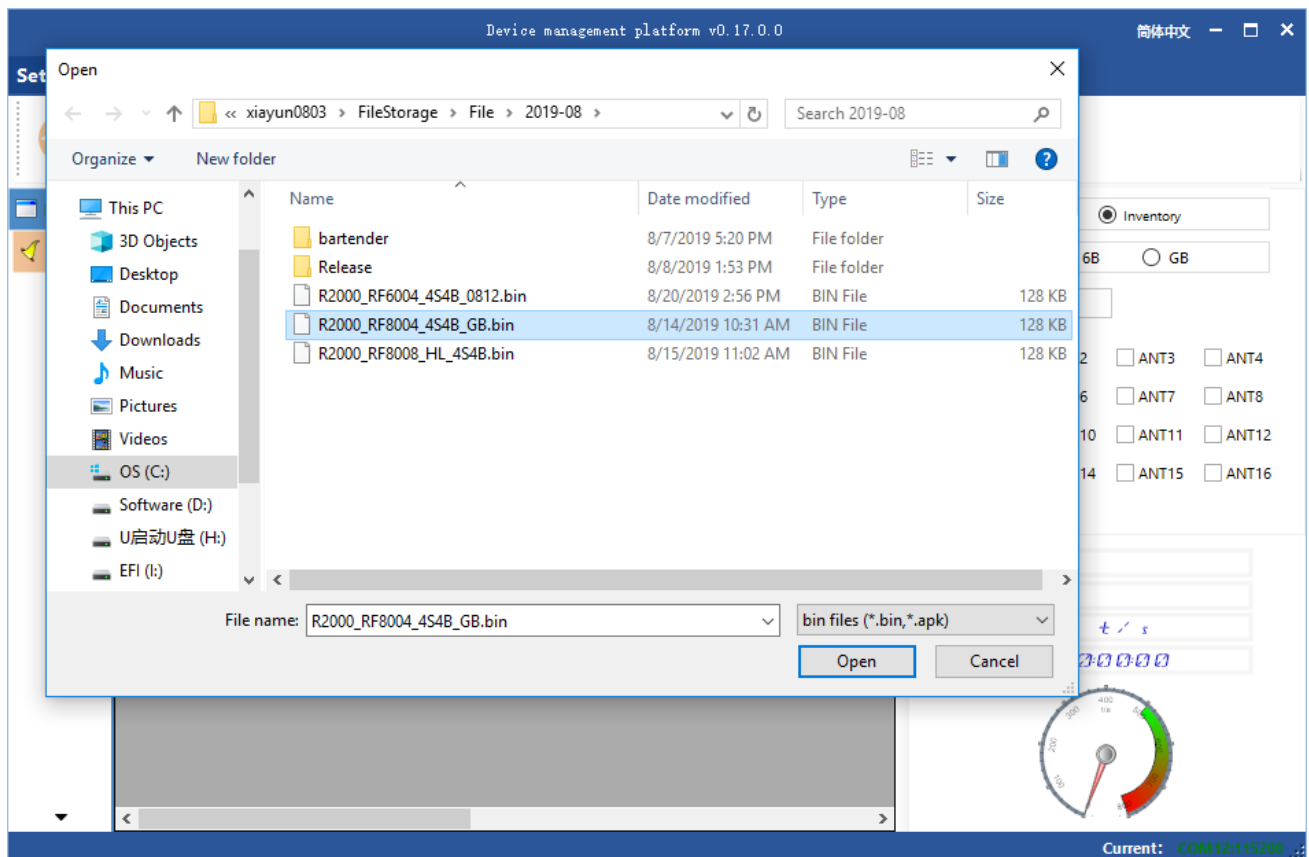


Figure 4.9.4.2 Select Upgrade Files

Find the path to the required. bin(.apk) upgrading file in the Upgrade File list as shown in Figure 4.9.4.3, click **Start**. The baseband is upgraded when the upgrading progress bar shows 100%. And then the Upgraded Successfully prompt will pop up. Then click “OK” to restart as shown in Figure 4.9.4.4 .

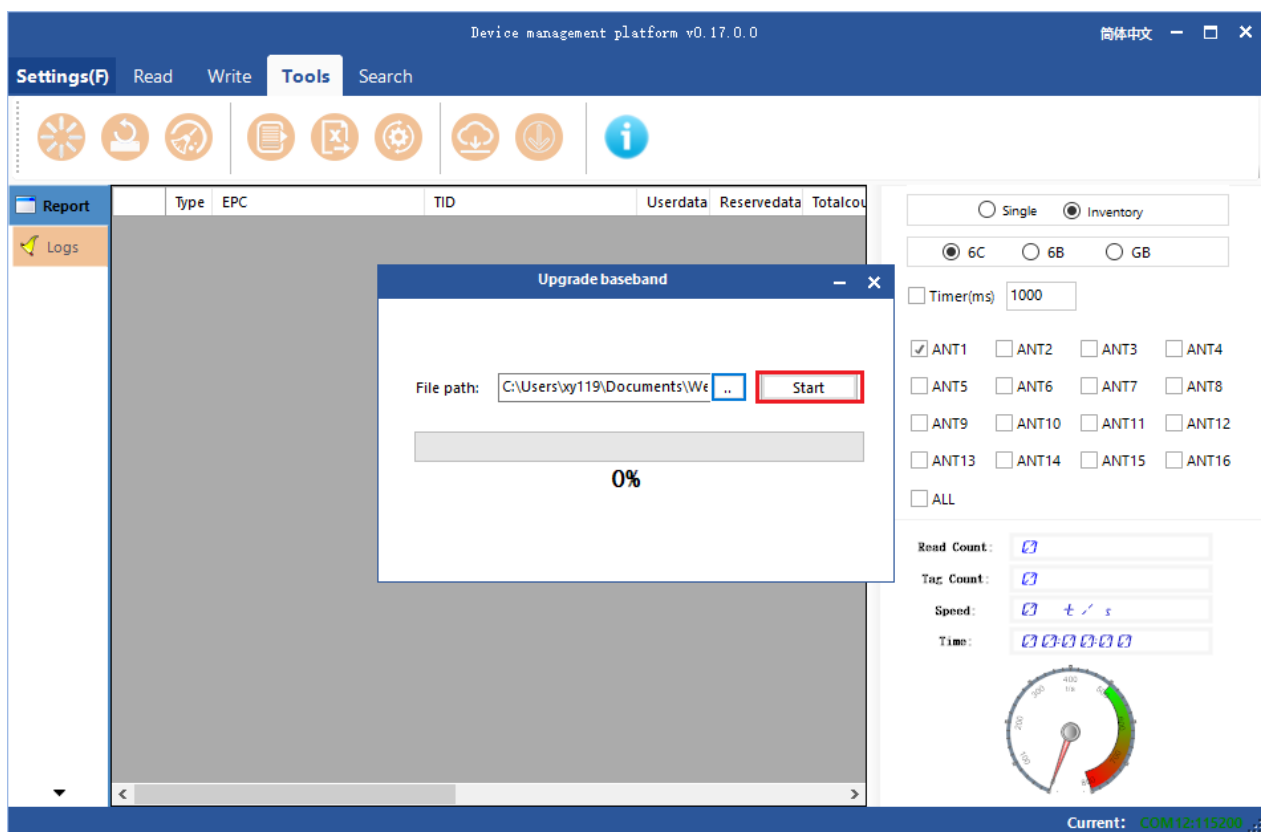


Figure 4.9.4.3 Upgrading baseband

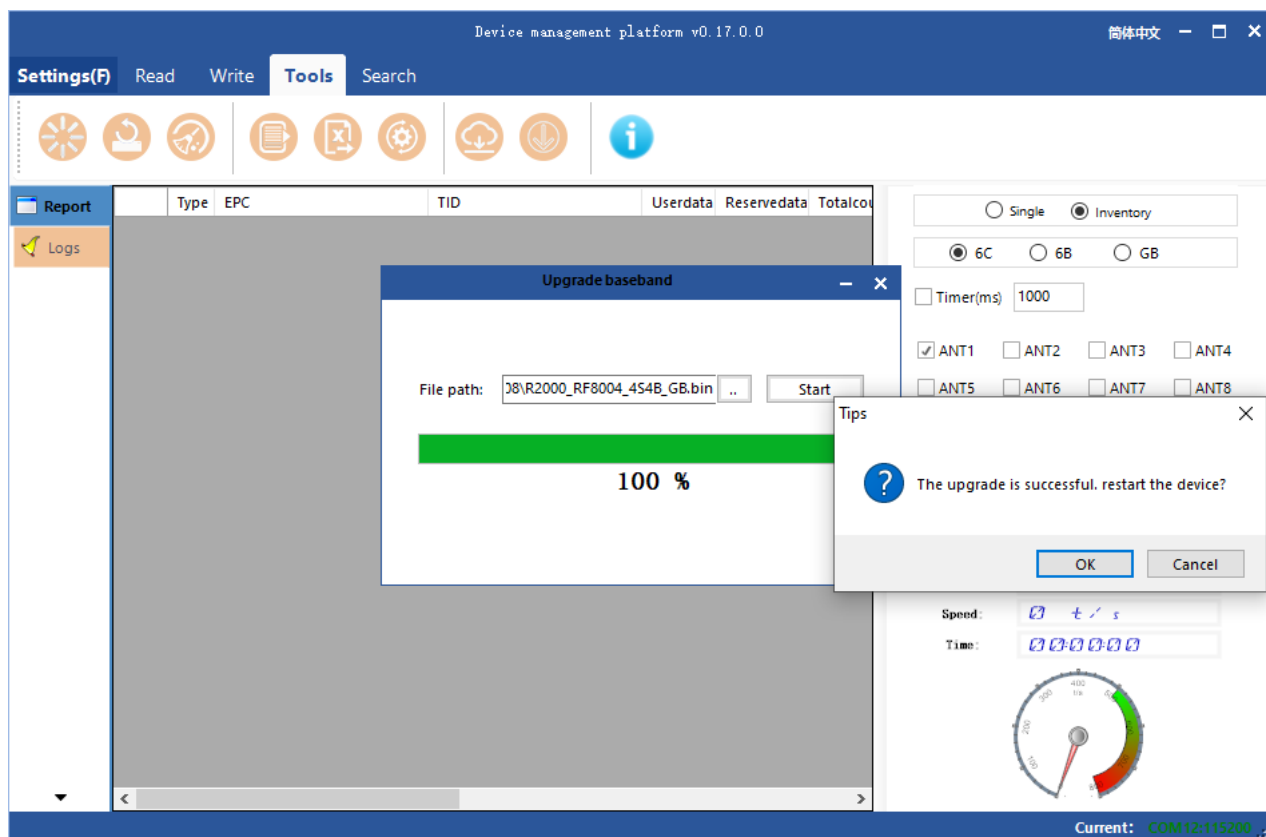



Figure 4.9.4.4 Restart Confirm

The upgrading process of baseband software is the same as the application software. And the detail operation is the same also.

4.9.5 Custom Command

Select Tools -> “” Custom Command as shown in Figure 4.9.5.1. Click the icon, and a custom command sending popup will come out as shown in Figure 4.9.5.2.

Head: data frame header, defaulted to be 5A

Command: can be written according to the communication protocol of the reader, or extract by double clicking lines of the log window (detailed in GPI Operation Configuration)

CRC: check code(automatically generated by filling in command and head and clicking the CRC text box).

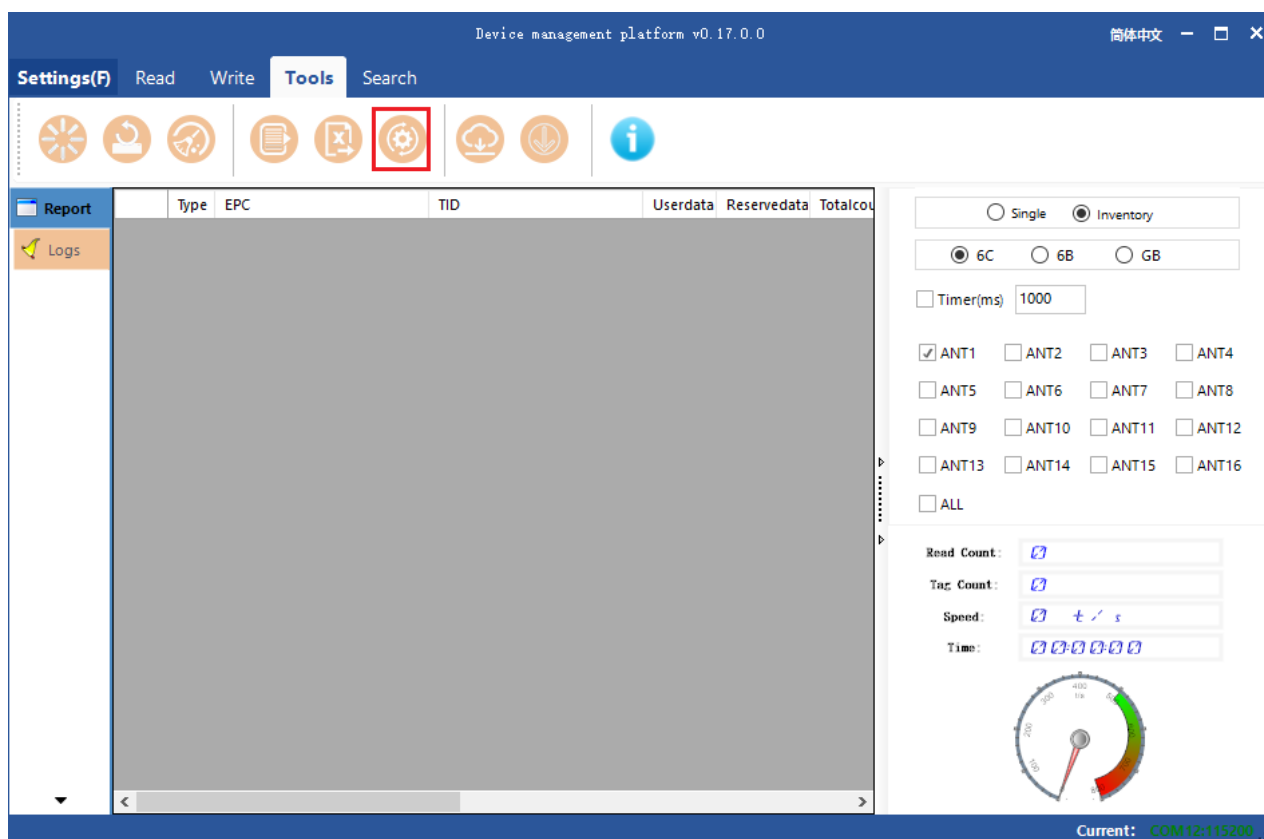


Figure 4.9.5.1 Custom Command

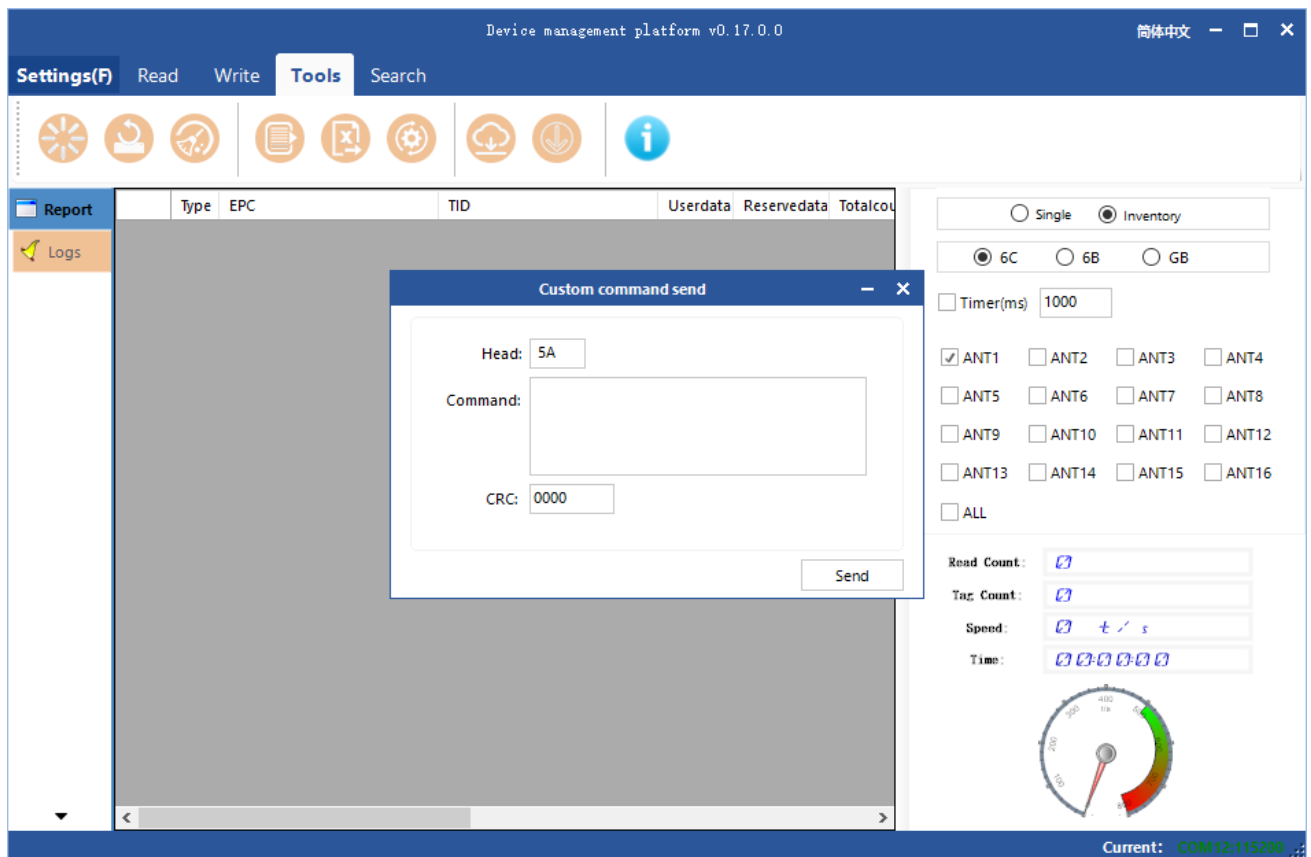


Figure 4.9.5.2 Custom Command Sending

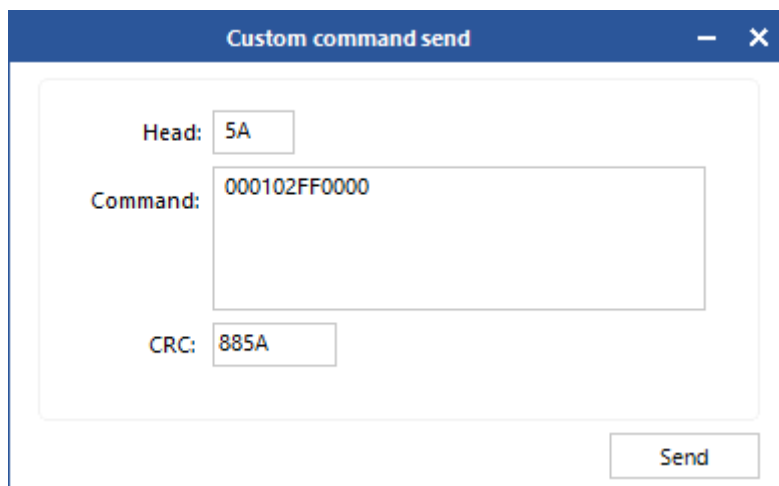



Figure 4.9.5.3 Send Custom Command

4.9.6 Device Info

Select Tools -> “” Device Info as shown in Figure 4.9.6.1. Click the icon and a Device Info window will pop up as shown in Figure 4.9.6.2.

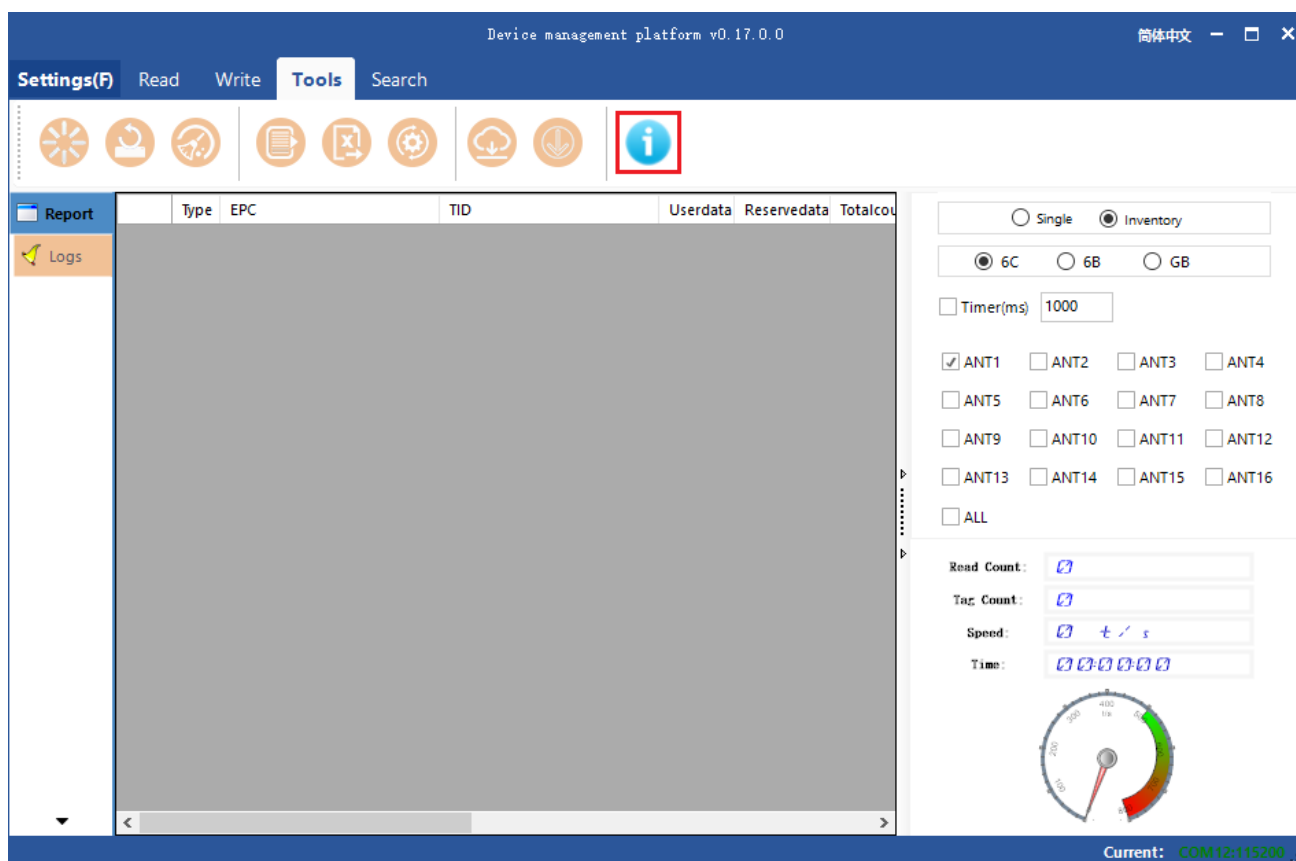


Figure 4.9.6.1 Device Info

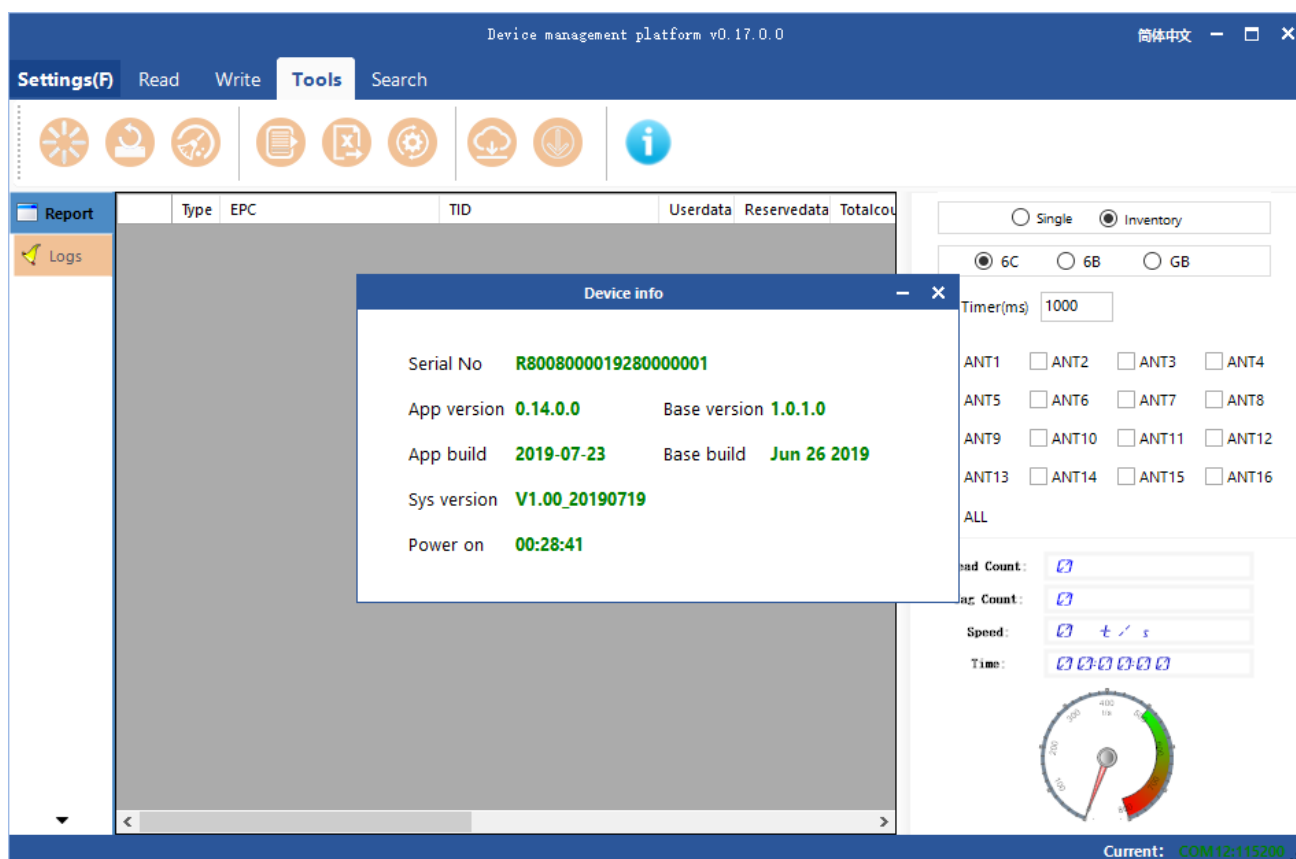


Figure 4.9.6.2 Device Info Popup

FCC WARNING

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

To maintain compliance with FCC's RF Exposure guidelines, This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum 20cm distance between the radiator and your body: Use only the supplied antenna.