

Release History

Evolis Firmware

Primacy 2

Evolis is conducting for many years now a general policy to improve the quality and features of his printer range. This document describes modifications and improvements from original firmware to the latest available from Evolis website.

SUMMARY

Last version available — VERSION 2630 (F2B4) - OCTOBER 28, 2026

Previous versions
- VERSION 2611 (8767) - JUNE 05, 2026
- VERSION 2545 (FBA5) - FEBRUARY 12, 2026
- VERSION 2529 (7F44) - OCTOBER 10, 2025
- VERSION 2509 (F457) - MAY 15, 2025
- VERSION 2436 (9281) - JANUARY 17, 2025
- VERSION 2421 (F0F0) - AUGUST 26, 2024
- VERSION 2403 (5C21) - MAY 14, 2024
- VERSION 2333 (B334) - AUGUST 18, 2023
- VERSION 2234 (7DC9) - NOVEMBER 7, 2022
- VERSION 2219 (0E97) - JUNE 29, 2022

Initial version — VERSION 2148 (FA3E) – DECEMBER 2, 2021

Oct. 28, 2026

VERSION 2630 (F2B4)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancement

- Improved reliability between the card printer and the LCD.

Bug fixes

- Fix rear card detection when inserting, ejecting and rejecting cards.
- Fix for a print capacity management issue for YMCKOK ribbon with kineclipse option.

Important information

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:

- LCD firmware 2630: LCD_PKG_2630.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_2.02_DDCE.lcdbmp

June 05, 2026

VERSION 2611 (8767)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

New features

- SO ribbon type is now supported (silver panel followed by an overlay panel).

Bug fixes

- Fixed issue with card flip when printing double-sided with YMCKOK ribbon on Primacy 2 with Kineclipse option activated.

Important information

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:
- LCD firmware 2618: LCD_X20_PKG_2618.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_2.02_DDCE.lcdbmp

February 12, 2026

VERSION 2545 (FBA5)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Bug fixes

- Fix the cleaning wizard issue where the process got stuck at the “remove cards” step due to the "green tick" not displaying correctly.



October 10, 2025

VERSION 2529 (7F44)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Improved superposition between black resin (K panel) and black sublimation (YMC panels).
- YMCKOO, SHORT YMCKO and HALF YMCKOKO ribbons are now compatible with the fast printing option (available in the interface of Evolis Premium Suite 2 driver).
- Magnetic data are now erased via the Digital Erasing option (the Wcm command has been added for this purpose).
- Stabilization of ethernet communication on Primacy 2 with kineclipse option.
- Printer web interface is now deactivated by default (cf. technical documentation, command Pweb).
- Laminator cleaning information is now available in the interface of Evolis Premium Suite 2 driver, allowing better management of the card printing solution. In addition to this new feature, a new status has been created: Inf_lami_cleaning.

Bug fixes

- Fix minor issues.

May 15, 2025

VERSION 2509 (F457)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Improved communication with lamination module.

Bug fixes

- Fix limit on number of characters, including start and stop ones, for magnetic encoding operations.
- Fix minor issues.

January 17, 2025

VERSION 2436 (9281)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Fix to resolve interference issues between ribbon tag reader and contactles encoder, improving stability.
- Improved 1/2-panel ribbon management for optimized print quality.

August 26, 2024

VERSION 2421 (F0F0)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Bug fixes

- Fix for subzoning issues.

May 14, 2024

VERSION 2403 (5C21)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- SOKO ribbon management: adhesion improvement of the silver panel (S) on the card.

Important information

For printer equipped with firmware version lower than 2219, 2219 firmware version must be updated before this 2403 firmware version.

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:

- LCD firmware 2234: LCD_X20_PKG_2232.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_X20_2.02.lcdbmp

August 18, 2023

VERSION 2333 (B334)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Ethernet management improvement.
- In rewrite mode, improvement of erase and print function and addition of card erasing process before technical test card print.
- Addition of a new mode to improve print process on black card (Ppmm command).
- Addition of YMCKOO management to print technical test card.
- Addition of a specific command (Pspm;dbk) to avoid the risk of less color quality print with low ethernet communication.

Important information

For printer equipped with firmware version lower than 2219, 2219 firmware version must be updated before this 2333 firmware version.

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:

- LCD firmware 2234: LCD_X20_PKG_2232.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_X20_2.02.lcdbmp

November 7, 2022

VERSION 2234 (7DC9)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Header firmware improvement to lock Primacy 1 firmware flash on Primacy 2

Important: For printers with firmware below than version 2219, the 2219 firmware must be updated before version 2234

Bug fixes

- Fix wrong zone alert.
- Fix monochrome counter management.

Important information

For printer equipped with firmware version lower than 2219, 2219 firmware version must be updated before this 2234 firmware version.

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:

- LCD firmware 2234: LCD_X20_PKG_2232.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_X20_2.02.lcdbmp

June 29, 2022

VERSION 2219 (0E97)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Header firmware improvement to lock Primacy 1 firmware flash on Primacy 2.
- Zoning rule improvement.
- Ribbon tags reading improvement (Rrt command).

Important information

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:

- LCD firmware 2147: evoLCD_2147_A7DC.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_X20_2.02.lcdbmp

March 8, 2022

VERSION 2210 (A49D)

Supported printer: Primacy 2

Enhancements

- Ribbon identification improvement.
- In rewrite mode, improvement of erase function.
- In printing process, improvement of card transportation from flip to printing module.
- Backup scanner parameters in Flex cable chip memory to be able to restore them after a Main board replacement.

Important information

For printer equipped with following module, below update are mandatory:
- LCD firmware 2146: evoLCD_2146_AD50.lcdfirm
- LCD Bitmap 2.02: Dark_X20_2.02.lcdbmp