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Examples of the operations given in this guide support the Windows 7 printing environment. Essentially the same operations are used for Microsoft Windows 10, Windows 8.1, Windows 8, Windows Server 2016, Windows Server 2012 R2, Windows Server 2012, Windows Server 2008 R2, and Windows Server 2008 environments.

User interface screen captures shown in this guide may differ depending on your printing device.

This user guide and its contents were developed for the 7.2 driver.

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# 1 Installation

A printer driver is an application that manages communication between a printer and your computer.

Once installed, the printer driver settings must be configured in the printer **Properties** and **Printing Preferences**.

In the **Product Library** window, there are two methods of installation. **Express Install** is a quick way to install a driver and certain features in package form. With **Custom Install**, you select from individual drivers and utilities.

With **Upgrade**, you can update the driver and utilities to a newer version. This feature is only available if there is a product that needs to be upgraded. In a client/server environment, you cannot upgrade older drivers. Contact your printing system dealer for more information.

With **Maintenance**, you can run certain utilities. You can access release notes, the printing system operation guide, and other materials by selecting **Documents**. With **Uninstall**, you can remove drivers and utilities.

**Note:** In Windows operating systems, you must be logged in with administrator rights to install the printer driver.

## **The Driver**

In Windows 10, Windows Server 2016, Windows 8.1, Windows Server 2012 R2, Windows 8, Windows Server 2012, Windows 7, Windows Server 2008 R2, Windows Server 2008 with an optional USB connection, you can install a driver from the Microsoft Windows Update site if a certified driver is available and the system is connected to the web.

We recommend you continue to install the driver from the **Product Library** disk for an expanded feature set. In Windows, if the **Found New Hardware Wizard** dialog box appears during the installation process, click **Cancel**. If the **Hardware Installation** warning dialog box appears, click **Continue Anyway**.

# **Preparing to Install the Driver**

- 1 Turn on the computer and the printer.
- 2 Insert the **Product Library** disk into the disk drive. The application should start automatically.

**Note:** If the **Product Library** fails to start after inserting it into the disk drive, use Windows Explorer to locate **Setup.exe** on the local drive and double-click to open.

To proceed, read and accept the license agreement that appears.

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4 At the bottom of the **Product Library** window, select your language from the list

# **Resource and Energy Saving**

Printing on both sides of a sheet of paper (duplex mode) reduces paper consumption and helps conserve environmental resources. Duplex mode also lowers costs by reducing the amount of paper that must be purchased. We recommend that printing systems capable of duplex printing use duplex mode by default.

After clicking **Accept** in the license dialog box, depending on your region, a message about resource and energy conservation may appear. Read the message, and then click **OK**.

After installation is successful, **Set Duplex as default** appears and is selected on the **Finished** page. The driver is set to duplex mode by default.

You can make exceptions to the default later by selecting options in the driver **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs.

# **SNMP Settings**

Simple Network Management Protocol (**SNMP**) is an application layer protocol that governs the management of devices agents, and network management systems. Managed devices, such as printing systems, collect and store management information for the network management systems.

With the **SNMP Settings** icon, you can specify an **SNMP v1/v2 Read community** name that is used during device discovery. This name is like a password for SNMP communication. The default name is **public**.

You can also specify support for **SNMPv3** encryption and authentication by selecting from the options provided.

If a discovery is in process, or at least one discovery device has been added to the **Devices** list, the **SNMP Settings** icon is unavailable.

**Note:** SNMP settings selected during Installation do not affect selecting SNMP settings in Device Settings > Administrator > General.

## **Selecting SNMP Settings**

- 1 In the **Product Library** window, click **Express Install** or **Custom Install**.
- Under the Device box, click the SNMP Settings icon.
- 3 In the **Product Library** dialog box, you can choose from either of these options:

Use SNMP v1/v2

Type a Read Community name.

Use SNMP v3

Type a **User name** and **Password**, and if desired, an option for **Authentication** and **Privacy**.

You can click Reset to default if you want to return the default setting.

## 5 Click OK.

**Note:** If you entered a different **Read community name**, the **Devices** list is cleared. Click the **Refresh** icon to rediscover devices.

## **Data Collection**

With this feature, you can help improve printer driver software. When enabled driver data is collected anonymously. You can make this selection during driver installation or from the **Kyocera** logo's **About** dialog box, located at the bottom of **Device Settings** and the **Printing Preferences** dialog box.

# **Express Install**

**Express Install** refers to quick device, driver, and utility installation for a USB or network connection in Windows operating systems. The installation application discovers printing devices that are turned on, and connected by USB or network cable. One or more feature packages can be installed together.

If the installer cannot find your printing system, contact your system administrator.

**Note:** You must install .NET Framework 4.0 or later to use **Status Monitor**.

## **Installing with Express Install**

- 1 Ensure that your printing system and computer are turned on and connected by USB or network cable.
- In **Express Install**, the installer looks for your printing system. Each discovered device is displayed in the device list as an icon with a model name and port name.

If your device is discovered, select your model in the device list.

If discovery does not find your device, remove and reinsert the USB or network cable, and ensure that it is connected properly. Click the **Refresh** icon to rediscover devices.

- You can also find a device by typing a partial or full search term in the search text box above the device list. You can search the discovered devices by model name, IP address, host name, or USB port. The results are displayed in the device list. If the search finds your device, select it. Click the x icon to clear the text box, and return to the list of all discovered devices.
- 4 You can select **Use host name as port name** to use a host name for the Standard TCP/IP port. (Not available with a USB connection.)
- 5 The installer automatically selects all the features in the feature list. You can select or clear any check box for individual features.
- Review your settings. At least one device and one feature must be selected to enable the **Install** button. If your settings are correct, click **Install**.

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- 7 A Data Collection dialog box appears before installation continues. Select Yes to help improve the software, or No to not participate in the data collection process. Click OK. The installation continues.
- 8 When the installation completes successfully, on the **Finished** page you can select from the following options. These options only appear after a printer driver installation.

#### Print a test page

Select the check box to test the connection and operation of the printing system. If the installation is successful, the *Windows Printer Test Page*, containing your computer name and information on your printer driver and port settings, prints at the newly installed printing system.

## Set Duplex as default

After installation is successful, depending on your country, **Set Duplex as default** appears and is selected on the **Finished** page. The driver is set to duplex mode by default.

You can make exceptions to the default later by selecting options in the driver **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs.

#### **Enable event notification**

Select the check box to enable event notification in the **Status Monitor Notification** dialog box. The **Status Monitor Notification** dialog box appears after clicking **Status Monitor** on the **Advanced** tab.

#### **Show Quick Print tab**

With **Quick Print**, you can define basic print options into group profiles that can be accessed easily. The **Show Quick Print tab** option also appears in **Device Settings > Administrator > General**.

Click the plus sign to expand the list of options:

The **Set Quick Print tab as default** option makes the **Quick Print** tab the first tab you see when you open the driver.

The **Set Basic tab as default** option makes the **Basic** tab the first tab you see when you open the driver.

The **Hide other tabs** option makes the **Quick Print** tab the only tab in the driver.

9 To exit the installer application, click **Finish**.

A message may appear if there is a software installation failure. After clicking **Finish**, fix any issues and retry the installation. If the same message appears again, contact your system administrator.

The installation of the printing system is now complete. If prompted, restart your computer.

## **Custom Install**

**Custom Install** refers to detailed device, driver, and utility installation for a USB or network connection in Windows operating systems. The installer can discover devices that are turned on, and connected by USB or network cable, or you can manually select your own printing system model and port name.

When you make a selection in **Custom Install**, it is highlighted with a blue background. You can install more than one product from the **Devices** list, but they must be selected and moved to the **Products to Install** list.

You can also install utilities without printing systems or drivers by selecting the **Utilities** tab on the **Custom Install** dialog box. You can select the utilities you want from the **Name** list and move it to the **Products to Install** list.

You can create a **Package** file (.EXE) of all drivers and utilities in the **Products to Install** list by clicking the right arrow located next to the **Install** button. If you have many computers to update, you do not need to run the installer on each computer. The created package can be distributed via email or a shared drive. Each user can run the package on their computer that automatically installs the driver or utility in that package.

If the installer cannot find your printing system, contact your system administrator.

**Note:** You must install .NET Framework 4.0 or later to use **Status Monitor**.

## **Installing with Custom Install**

- 1 Ensure that your printing system and computer are turned on and connected by USB or network cable.
- 2 In the Product Library window, click Custom Install.

To discover a printing system, proceed to step 3. To add a printing system model and port name, proceed to step 5.

- In the **Custom Install** window, the installer searches for your printing device. You can also search the discovered devices by model name, IP address, host name, or USB port when you type a partial or full term in the search text box above the device list. Each discovered printing system is displayed in the **Devices** list as an icon with a model name and port name. If your printing device is not discovered, proceed to step 5.
- 4 Select a printing device from the **Devices** list, and click the blue arrow to move it to the **Products to Install** list. Proceed to step 6.
- 5 If discovery does not find your printing device, double-click **Add custom device**.

In the **Devices** dialog box, select from the **Model** list of supported models, and the **Port name** list of all local and network ports. To add a port connected to your system, click **Add Port**. Click **OK** in the **Devices** dialog box. The printing device appears in the **Products to Install** list.

- 6 Select a driver from the **Drivers** tab, and click the blue arrow to move it to the **Products to Install** list. One or more drivers are required to enable the **Install** button.
- 7 Select a utility from the Utilities tab, and click the blue arrow to move it to the Products to Install list. If a more recent version of a utility is installed, the utility shows a message that a newer version is installed.
- If you want to remove a product from the **Products to Install** list, select it and click **Delete**. To remove all products, click the **Remove all** icon at the bottom of the list box.

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- You can select Use host name as port name to use a host name for the Standard TCP/IP port. (Not available with a USB connection.)
- 10 For each printing device and driver combination in the **Products to Install** list, you can click **Edit** to open a dialog box with installation options for the drivers. Make your selections from the available options.
- 11 Review your settings. At least one printing system, driver, or utility must be selected to enable the **Install** button. If your settings are correct, click **Install**.
- 12 A **Data Collection** dialog box appears before installation continues. Select **Yes** to help improve the software, or **No** to not participate in the data collection process. Click **OK**. The installation continues.
- 13 When the installation completes successfully, on the Finished page you can select from the following options. These options only appear after a printer driver installation.

#### Print a test page

Select the check box to test the connection and operation of the printing system. If the installation is successful, the *Windows Printer Test Page*, containing your computer name and information on your printer driver and port settings, prints at the newly installed printing system.

#### Set Duplex as default

After installation is successful, depending on your country, **Set Duplex as default** appears and is selected on the **Finished** page. The driver is set to duplex mode by default.

You can make exceptions to the default later by selecting options in the driver **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs.

#### **Enable event notification**

Select the check box to enable event notification in the **Status Monitor Notification** dialog box. The **Status Monitor Notification** dialog box appears after clicking **Status Monitor** on the **Advanced** tab.

#### **Show Quick Print tab**

With **Quick Print**, you can define basic print options into group profiles that can be accessed easily. The **Show Quick Print tab** option also appears in **Device Settings > Administrator > General**.

Click the plus sign to expand the list of options:

The **Set Quick Print tab as default** option makes the **Quick Print** tab the first tab you see when you open the driver.

The **Set Basic tab as default** option makes the **Basic** tab the first tab you see when you open the driver.

The **Hide other tabs** option makes the **Quick Print** tab the only tab in the driver.

14 To exit the installer application, click **Finish**.

A message may appear if there is a software installation failure. After clicking **Finish**, fix any issues and retry the installation. If the same message appears again, contact your system administrator.

The installation of the printing system is now complete. If prompted, restart your computer.

## **Creating an Installation Package for Distribution**

- 1 Ensure that your printing system and computer are turned on and connected by a USB or network connection.
- In the Product Library window, click Custom Install.
- Select a printing device from the **Devices** list, and click the blue arrow to move it to the **Products to Install** list. If desired, you can also select a utility from the **Utilities** tab.
- 4 Review your settings. At least one printing system and driver, or a utility must be selected to enable the **Install** and **Package** buttons. If your settings are correct, click the right arrow next to the **Install** button and then click **Package**.
- On the **Destination** page, browse to a location to save your **Package** file (.EXE) and type a **Package** name.

You can also select from these options.

#### Silent installation

This option creates a package that performs installation in the background with no UI.

#### Show a notification when errors occur

Allows for notifications of any errors that may occur during a silent installation package. This option is only available if **Silent installation** is selected.

- 6 Click OK.
- 7 On the **Packaging** page, the system creates the package.
- On the Finished page, your package is ready. Click Finish.
- 9 Notify your users of the destination and executable Package name to download to their computer.

## **Installing Utilities Only**

- In the Product Library window, click Custom Install.
- Select a utility from the **Utilities** tab, and click the blue arrow to move it to the **Products to Install** list. If a more recent version of a utility is installed, the utility shows a message that a newer version is installed.

**Note:** A message will also appear next to a utility if that prerequisite is missing.

If you want to remove a product from the **Products to Install** list, select it and click **Delete**. To remove all products, click the **Remove all** icon at the bottom of the list.

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- 4 Review your settings. At least one utility must be selected to enable the **Install** button. If your settings are correct, click **Install**.
- 5 To exit the installer application, click Finish.

A message may appear if there is a software installation failure. After clicking **Finish**, retry the installation. If the same message appears again, contact your system administrator.

The installation of the utilities are now complete. If prompted, restart your computer.

## **Editing Driver Properties**

- 1 In the Product Library window, click Custom Install.
- 2 In the **Devices** list, select a device and click the blue arrow to move it to the **Products to Install** list.
- 3 In the **Drivers** list, select a driver and click the blue arrow to move it to the **Products to Install** list.
- 4 In the **Products to Install** list, click **Edit** in one of the devices.
- The **Device** dialog box opens and shows the model name and the IP address or USB. If there are multiple drivers, the settings for each driver are separated into tabs. Select the tab of the driver you want to configure. For every assigned driver, the following driver properties appear:

#### Printer name

Enter a name for the device to a maximum of 63 characters.

#### Share the printer

Select this option to share this printing system with others. If selected, enter a **Share name** for the printing system to a maximum of 63 characters.

#### Set as default printer

Select this option to send most or all of your print jobs to this printing device.

6 Click OK.

## **Editing Utility Properties**

- 1 In the **Product Library** window, click **Custom Install**.
- In the Utilities tab, select KYOCERA Net Viewer and click the blue arrow to move it to the Products to Install list.
- 3 In the Products to Install list, click Edit in the KYOCERA Net Viewer utility product.
- 4 A dialog box opens to show the utility options. Make your selections.

#### **KYOCERA Net Viewer**

## **Device management**

Finds devices and manages device settings.

#### **Accounting management**

Establishes accounts for device groups and manages the account settings.

#### Host management

Manages printer drivers and print queues.

5 Click OK.

# **Upgrade**

The installer can detect outdated driver or utility components on your computer. You can select driver or utility components and upgrade them to the most recent version. If there are upgrades available, a list appears when you click **Upgrade**.

In a client/server environment, you cannot upgrade older drivers. Contact your printing system dealer for more information.

## **Upgrading Driver Components**

- 1 In the **Product Library** window, click **Upgrade**.
- 2 From the Upgrade list, select the drivers and utilities to upgrade on your computer.
- To start the upgrade, click the **Upgrade** button.
- In the Finished dialog box, click Finish.

## **Maintenance**

With this feature, you can access utilities that provide useful features. Select and run any of the available utilities:

## **Optional Printer Components**

You can expand functionality with Help modules in other languages, common printer profiles, plug-in modules, and the **Net Manager** application.

#### **Quick Network Setup**

You can configure the most common networking settings.

#### **Maintenance Menu**

You can adjust features such as print position and scan position.

#### Wi-Fi Setup Tool

You can configure the Wi-Fi settings.

#### **Optional Printer Components**

You can expand the functionality of your printer driver by installing optional components.

For the XPS driver, only Common Profiles and Help Modules can be installed.

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## **Installing Optional Printer Components**

- Click Maintenance.
- Select Optional Printer Components and click Run.
- On the Select Printer page, select one or more printing systems and click Next. On any page you can click Back to correct any settings.
- 4 On the **Select Components** page, click the plus sign icons to expand options. Click each option to open a dialog box with more detailed selections.
  - Under **Common components**, you can select Help modules in additional languages.
- Under each printing system model, you can select one or more common profiles of predefined print settings.
- 6 Under each printing system model, you can select one or more plug-in modules.

#### **Output to PDF**

With this option, you can print and save documents from multiple sources to PDF.

#### **Security Watermark**

With this option, you can print a nearly invisible image or text against a background pattern. The security watermark appears only when the printed page is photocopied.

## China Red

With this option, you can select or customize the specific color red or any other color in a print job.

**Note:** This feature appears automatically if the region is set to a Chinese locale.

## **Color Optimizer**

With this option, you can match a single color accurately in a print job.

- 7 Under each printing system model, you can select **Net Manager**.
- When your settings are correct, click **Install**.
- When the Printer Components Installation Completed page appears, click Finish.

When you have completed installing printers and optional components, if prompted, restart your computer.

## **Documents**

With this feature, you can access guides about the driver, utilities, and printing system operation. Select and open any of the available files. Acrobat Reader 8.0 or newer is required to view PDF files.

## **Uninstall**

The uninstaller can find the printing system drivers on your local drive. It creates a list of those components in the **Uninstall** window. If you uninstall a driver, devices using that driver will also be removed.

## **Uninstalling Driver Components**

- 1 In the **Product Library** window, click **Uninstall**.
- Select components from the list to uninstall. Select by device model, or click the plus sign to expand a list of individual devices. Above the list, you can also use the Select all check box to select or clear all items.
- To start the uninstall, click the Uninstall button.
- In the Finished dialog box, click Finish.

# **Printer Driver Settings Access**

The printer driver software can be accessed from the **Print** dialog box of an application, or from **Start**. If accessed from an application, then changes made to driver settings remain in effect until the application ends. If accessed from **Start**, changes are maintained as the default printer settings.

## **Changing the Default Driver Settings**

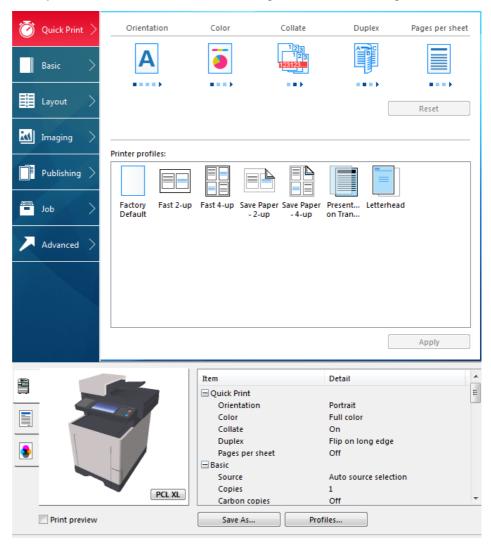
- 1 In Control Panel, right-click your printing system model and click Printing Preferences.
- In the Printing Preferences dialog box, select the desired features in all tabs.
- 3 Click OK.

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# 2 Driver Overview

The lower panel of the **Printing Preferences** dialog box contains overview features that illustrate driver selections. Overview images and the settings list are available when selecting settings. After selecting driver settings, you can use **Print preview** to check the print job.

If the vertical screen resolution of your computer is 864 pixels or less, the lower panel of the **Printing Preferences** dialog box does not appear. Under this condition, the button showing the current PDL is on the bottom left, and the **Print preview** check box is on the bottom right of the visible dialog box.



# **Overview Images**

Overview images appear in the lower panel of the **Printing Preferences** dialog box. Each image illustrates different driver settings. Images are changed

automatically when some driver settings are selected, or you can click the tabs on the left side to change the image.

The printing system image displays most attached devices. **Source** and **Destination** selections are highlighted in green. The storage device icon appears when a job storage option is selected in the **Job** tab.

The page image is updated based on page selections made in the **Quick Print** tab, **Basic** tab, and **Layout** tab.

The color image illustrates color settings. With **Black** selected, the image illustrates grayscale settings selected in the **Imaging** tab.

The current page description language (PDL) is displayed in all of the images. When printing from an application, you can change the PDL temporarily to enable driver features.

# Selecting a PDL in Printing Preferences

- 1 In the overview image area, click **PDL**.
- In the Page Description Languages (PDL) dialog box, select the desired page description language from the Available languages list.

If you select **PCL XL**, you can select **Skip blank pages** and **Smart duplex printing**.

If you select **KPDL**, you can select **Skip blank pages** and **Smart duplex printing** or **Data passthrough**. Note that if you select **Data passthrough**, **EMF spooling** is unavailable in the **Advanced** tab. When accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box, **Data passthrough** is unavailable.

If you select **PDF**, you can click **PDF Settings** to open the **PDF Settings** dialog box.

If you installed the XPS driver, you can click **XPS Settings** to open the **XPS Settings** dialog box.

3 You can select the **GDI compatible mode** option to improve the output quality of graphics created by your application.

When **Skip blank pages** is set to **On** or **Use layout settings**, **GDI compatible mode** is unavailable.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **Settings List**

The tree view in the lower panel of each tab displays current settings for most driver features. You can scroll down to view features for all driver tabs. As each option is selected, the current selection is displayed in the tree view. You can click the minus (-) or plus (+) signs to hide or show details.

## **Print Preview**

The **Print preview** check box appears in the lower pane of each tab. After selecting driver settings, you can use **Print preview** to check the print job. Text and images are displayed in the preview, along with any optional **Watermark** or **Security Watermark**.

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If you are satisfied with the preview, you can print. Or you can cancel printing if you want to change driver settings.

## **Previewing a Print Job**

- Select desired driver settings in all tabs, or select a profile.
- 2 In any tab, select **Print preview**.
- 3 Click OK in all dialog boxes.
- When the Print preview dialog box appears:

Click the arrow buttons to view document pages.

Click the magnifying glass icons to zoom in or out.

To close the preview and make additional changes in driver settings before printing, click the "X" button.

If you are satisfied with the preview, click the printer button to print the job.

# **Kyocera Logo**

The **Kyocera** logo appears at the bottom of **Device Settings** and the **Printing Preferences** dialog box. Clicking the logo opens the **About** dialog box that displays buttons for the driver version number, driver plug-in information, and **Data Collection** to improve the software.

## **Displaying Version Information**

1 In **Device Settings** or the **Printing Preferences** dialog box, click **Kyocera** logo > **Version** to view the following driver information:

**File Name** 

Version

**Description** 

Date

Manufacturer

Comments

- To view copyright information, click Legal Notices.
- 3 Click **OK** to close the driver information dialog boxes.

# **Displaying Plug-in Information**

1 In **Device Settings** or the **Printing Preferences** dialog box, click **Kyocera** logo > **Plug-in** to view the following plug-in information:

Module

**Description** 

Version

2 Click **OK** to close the driver information dialog boxes.

# **Improving the Software**

- 1 In Device Settings or the Printing Preferences dialog box, click Kyocera logo > Data Collection.
- 2 Read the privacy policy and select a participation option.
- 3 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

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# 3 Device Settings

In **Device Settings**, you can select installed printing system options so the associated features can be used with the printer driver. You can also match the memory setting in the driver with the memory installed in your printing system, which lets the driver manage font downloads more efficiently. Administrator, User, PDL (Page Description Language), and Compatibility settings can also be selected.

# **Accessing Device Settings**

- 1 In Control Panel, right-click your printing system model and click Printer properties or Properties (Window Server 2008).
- Click Device Settings.

# **Device Options**

With this feature, you can extend the capabilities of your printing system for source and job storage.

Custom boxes must be set up in **Device Settings** in order to use the **Custom box** feature in the **Job** tab. You can create up to 1000 custom boxes for storing print jobs. Custom boxes can be assigned to users who can print the jobs later from the printing system's operation panel.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

## **Setting Device Options**

- 1 In **Device Settings > Device options**, select the check boxes for all installed devices.
- 2 Click **OK**.

## **Setting up Custom Boxes**

- 1 In **Device Settings** > **Device options**, select **SSD**. Or if selected, double-click **SSD**. If necessary, clear the **RAM disk** check box.
- In the SSD Settings dialog box, click Add.
- In the **Defined custom boxes** list, a new **Box number** and **Box name** appear. If desired, change the number and name in the **Box number** and **Box name** boxes. The number must be within a range of 1 to 1000, and the name length can be up to 32 characters. You can also type a user name up to 20 characters.

Select Shared box to enable the box for multiple users.

When the check box is selected, all network users can save jobs in the box.

When the check box is cleared, only the box owner and network administrator can save jobs in the box.

- To require users of a shared box to type a password before printing, select **Require password**, and type a password up to 16 characters.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

The new custom box appears in the **Custom Box** dialog box when printing.

You can remove a custom box by selecting it in the **Defined custom boxes** list and clicking **Delete**.

You can import a custom box list by clicking **Import** and browsing for a valid custom box list file (.CSV or .KXU).

You can save the current custom box list (.CSV or .KXU) in your computer or network by clicking **Export**. A saved list can be imported into another printer driver.

# **Auto Configure**

With this feature, you can detect the devices installed on a printing system that is connected over a network. **Auto Configure** can detect input devices, storage devices, memory, and RAM disk size.

When your computer is connected to the printing system through a TCP/IP or WSD port, the **Auto Configure** button appears in **Device Settings**. **Auto Configure** updates the **Device options** list, **Memory**, **RAM disk**, and overview images to keep the printer driver consistent with the printing system configuration.

Not all installed devices are detected by using **Auto Configure**. Before selecting **OK** in **Device Settings**, check the settings to make sure that they are correct.

## **Silent Auto Configuration**

**Silent auto configuration** checks the printing system every 10 minutes for changes in optional devices or memory. When a change is detected, the driver is automatically updated with the new settings.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

## **Enabling Auto Configuration**

- 1 Verify that all optional devices are attached to the printing system, and that it is turned on and ready to print.
- In Device Settings, click Auto Configure.

The **Auto Configure** dialog box opens. Select from Auto configure options:

#### **Auto Configure Now**

Click the button at any time to retrieve the current settings from the printing system. It is recommended to do this when **Silent auto configuration** is turned off.

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## Silent auto configuration

Select to let the driver check the printing system at every occurrence of a fixed time period. The driver regularly checks for any changes in optional devices or memory.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **Memory**

Memory is the amount of standard and optional memory installed in the printing system. To maximize the downloading of printing system fonts, the driver must be set to match the total printing system memory. By default, the **Memory** setting matches the standard memory in the printing system. If optional memory is installed, set the memory in the printer driver to match the total amount of memory.

## **Setting the Memory**

- 1 Install optional DIMM memory in the printing system.
- 2 In Device Settings > Memory, type or select the amount of total installed memory.

## **RAM Disk**

The RAM disk functions as a virtual storage device, saving print requests into the printing system's memory.

Because the RAM disk is temporary memory, all data stored there is lost when the power is turned off. The setting for RAM disk size must match the operation panel setting. The maximum RAM disk size depends on the amount of installed memory.

If selected, the **Ignore application collation** feature in the **Compatibility Settings** dialog box lets the driver control collation. RAM disk can then increase the print speed of collated multiple copies by sending the print job just once.

**Note:** When a storage device is installed, the RAM disk feature is inactive.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

## **Setting RAM Disk**

- 1 At the printing system's operation panel, turn on RAM disk and set its size.
- In Device Settings > Device options, select RAM disk.
- 3 In the **RAM disk** text box, type or select the desired RAM disk size.

# **Administrator Settings**

With this feature, an administrator can set options that include controlling accessibility, displaying features in the interface and setting a password to control access to the **Administrator Settings** options.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

## **General**

In the **General** tab, an administrator can control the display of the **Quick Print** tab. Some **SNMP** settings, a job e-mail notification, and other miscellaneous settings can also be selected.

#### **Show Quick Print Tab**

With this feature, an administrator can control the display of the **Quick Print** tab. You can define basic print options into group profiles for improved accessibility.

With a cleared check box for **Show Quick Print tab**, the tab does not appear in the **Printing Preferences** dialog box.

To enable this feature, in **Device Settings > Administrator > General**, select **Show Quick Print tab**.

With a selected check box for the **Show Quick Print tab**, the tab appears in the **Printing Preferences** dialog box. When you select the **Show Quick Print tab** check box, you can access additional check boxes:

Hide other tabs displays only the Quick Print tab to the user.

**Set Quick Print tab as default** opens to this tab when you access **Printing Preferences**.

Hide Edit Quick Print control prevents users from customizing the Quick Print tab.

## **Send Count Information**

With this feature, an administrator can embed count information in the print job, which can be used by some applications for accounting purposes. Count information includes the number of copies produced as well as duplex printing, multiple pages per sheet, color mode, color page count, and paper size values.

**Send Count information** is selected automatically when **Net Manager** is used. When **PDF** is selected as the PDL, or in the XPS driver, only color page count information is embedded in the print job.

To enable this feature, in **Device Settings > Administrator > General**, select **Send Count information**.

#### **Send Application Name**

With this feature, an administrator can send the application name with a print job, so that a different printing process is used for each application.

This option is unavailable when **PDF** is selected as the PDL.

To enable this feature, in **Device Settings > Administrator > General**, select **Send Application name**.

## Associate Profile with Application

With this feature, an administrator can set all printing from each installed application to use the same driver settings as defined in a profile. Before using this feature:

A profile must be created in the **Profiles** dialog box, accessed from any **Printing Preferences** tab.

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An association must be created between a profile and an application in the **Application Based Printing** dialog box, accessed from the **Profiles** dialog box.

This feature is enabled by default. To disable this feature, in **Device Settings** > **Administrator** > **General**, clear the **Associate Profile with application** check box.

## **Password Protect Administrator Settings**

With this feature, an administrator can set **Password protect administrator settings** in the **Administrator Settings** dialog box to prevent unauthorized changes in this dialog box. If selected, this setting prompts you to enter a password and confirm the password. This password protection blocks access to all **Administrator Settings** options.

#### **Setting the Administrator Password**

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator > General, select Password protect administrator settings.
- In the Password dialog box, enter a password, using at least 4 and no more than 16 characters. Reenter the password in Confirm password and click OK.

#### **Clearing the Administrator Password**

- In Device Settings, click Administrator.
- In the Enter Password dialog box, type the password and click OK.
- In the Administrator Settings dialog box, clear the Password protect administrator settings check box and click OK.

#### **Hide Factory Default Profile**

With this feature, an administrator can hide or show the **Factory Default** profile in the **Quick Print** tab and the **Profiles** dialog box.

With the check box selected, the **Factory Default** profile does not appear in the lists.

With the check box cleared, the **Factory Default** profile appears in the lists.

## **Hide Lower Pane**

With this feature, an administrator can reduce the size of the **Printing Preferences** dialog box by hiding the lower pane. The overview images and settings list are removed from view. PDL selection, **Profiles** buttons, and the **Print preview** check box are still available.

For some screen display and screen resolution settings, the **Hide lower pane** check box is selected automatically.

## **SNMP Settings**

Simple Network Management Protocol (**SNMP**) is an application layer protocol that governs the management of devices agents, and network management systems. Managed devices, such as printing systems, collect and store management information for the network management systems. **SNMP** security levels are specified by settings in the **SNMP settings** dialog box. With

**SNMPv3**, encryption and authentication support are provided. **SNMP** settings must be made in the printer driver and in the printing system's home page.

The following **SNMP** options are available:

#### SNMPv1/v2c

It communicates with the managed device using **Read community name** and **Write community name**.

#### SNMPv3

Security enhancements for authentication and encryption require a user name and password. Authentication and privacy options are available by clicking **Settings**.

## Apply to other models

This option displays a list of installed printing systems to apply the selected **SNMP** settings.

## **SNMPv3 Options**

You can select **SNMPv3** options for secure communication with the printing system.

#### **Authentication**

This option provides an algorithm to check that a transferred file has arrived intact. Message Digest 5 (**MD5**) and Secure Hash Algorithm 1 (**SHA1**) are hash algorithms used to authenticate packet data.

#### MD<sub>5</sub>

This option provides a cryptographic hash function with a 128-bit hash value.

#### SHA1

This option produces a message digest that is 160 bits long. **SHA1** is the successor to **MD5**.

#### **Privacy**

This option uses encryption for secure communication. It is available after you select the **Authentication** option. You may select one **Privacy** option.

#### DES

This option uses the Data Encryption Standard for encryption. **DES** turns cleartext into ciphertext via an encryption algorithm. It encrypts and decrypts data using 8-byte blocks and a 56-bit key.

#### **AES**

This option uses the Advanced Encryption Standard for encryption. **AES** is a symmetric block cipher that can process data blocks of 128 bits, using cipher keys with lengths of 128, 192, and 256 bits. It is more secure than **DES**.

## **Selecting SNMP Settings**

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator > General, click SNMP Settings.
- Select SNMPv1/v2c or SNMPv3.

For **SNMPv1/v2c**, type the **Read community name** and **Write community name**, to a maximum of 32 characters.

For **SNMPv3**, type a **User name** to a maximum of 32 characters, and a **Password** from 8 to 32 characters.

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- To set authentication and privacy options for SNMPv3, click Settings.
- In the SNMPv3 Settings dialog box, select from the available options, and click OK.
- Under **Apply to other models**, you can choose from available models. The **SNMP** settings are applied to all selected models.
- 6 Click OK.

#### **Job E-mail Notification**

With this feature, an administrator can send an e-mail address with a print job. When the job finishes printing, the device sends an e-mail notification to the e-mail address. This is useful when the device is printing many jobs and a user must wait for a job to print.

For a restricted user in a client/server environment, the **Administrator** button in **Device Settings** becomes the **Identity** button. A user can enter e-mail notification data in the **Identity Settings** dialog box.

## **Selecting E-mail Notification Options**

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator > General, select Notify when printing is completed.
- Choose an e-mail address option:

Select **Use specific e-mail address**, and type a valid e-mail address. In a client/server environment, a client user can change this address.

Select **Prompt for e-mail address**, and click **OK**. When you click **OK** in the **Print** dialog box, type a valid e-mail address in the **Print Options** or **Identity Settings** dialog box, and click **OK**.

- 3 Select Notify when printing is interrupted if you want to be alerted of a printing problem.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **Lock Settings**

With this feature, an administrator can specify settings at the tab or feature level in the driver, and then lock them. The settings are then applied to all print jobs, and changes are restricted. The settings are locked in **Device Settings** > **Administrator** > **Lock Settings**. For example, a driver setting could be set for printing duplex documents. This would save paper, resulting in cost savings and ecological benefits.

Locking a setting will also lock the feature where it appears in other tabs. For example, selecting **Duplex** will also select and lock that feature in the **Quick Print** and **Basic** tabs.

The administrator can also set a password that is required to temporarily unlock a feature.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

## **Lock Settings Options**

The **Lock Settings** tab displays driver settings that an administrator can lock. Once locked, user changes are restricted and the settings are applied to all print jobs. Once the settings are made, the **Password settings** option can be accessed. This lets an administrator control usage of paper and toner amounts.

#### Black & White mode

This option disables all color settings and prints all jobs with black toner only. It is locked in the **Quick Print**, **Basic**, and **Imaging** tabs.

#### **EcoPrint**

This option locks the **EcoPrint** setting selected in the **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs.

#### **Duplex**

This option locks the current **Print on both sides** setting selected in the **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs.

#### Multiple pages per sheet

This option locks the current **Pages per sheet** setting in the **Quick Print** tab and the **Multiple pages per sheet** setting in the **Layout** tab. The **Pages per sheet** option in the **Layout** tab is not locked.

#### Profile with application

This option locks a defined profile of driver settings by application.

#### Job tab

This option locks settings selected in the **Job** tab.

#### **Security watermark**

This option locks the **Security Watermark** settings selected in the **Advanced** tab. **Security Watermark** is an optional plug-in.

#### Watermark

This option locks the **Watermark** settings selected in the **Advanced** tab.

#### **Password settings**

The password set by the administrator locks the selected driver features. When the administrator sets the password, the **Unlock** icon appears in the driver tabs or the **Application Based Printing** dialog box. To unlock a feature, click **Unlock** and type the password.

## **Locking Driver Settings**

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator, click Lock Settings.
- Select the check box for each driver feature to be locked.
- 3 Select the Password settings check box if you wish to set a password to temporarily unlock settings.

In the **Password Settings** dialog box, type a password from 4 to 16 characters. Retype the password in **Confirm password**, and click **OK**.

To remove the password, clear the **Password settings** check box. In the **Unlock Password** dialog box, type the password, and click **OK**.

To save your Lock Settings selections, click OK.

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When a password is set, the **Unlock** icon appears in driver tabs where the locked features appear. To unlock a feature and change its settings temporarily, click **Unlock** and type the password.

# **User Login**

With this feature, an administrator can provide job restriction by user, in contrast to the **Job accounting** feature, which assigns privileges by division or department. A maximum of 100 login user names and passwords can be created and stored in the printer driver and registered on the printing system. Selections vary by printing system model.

Users are identified by user name and password. The user name can be in the user principal name UPN format: username@domain.com. This feature limits printing privileges to specified users for secure printing and accounting. The number of pages printed by each user is tracked by the printing system.

Users added in the printer driver must also be manually registered at the printing system's operation panel.

In a client/server environment, some options are unavailable to a client.

For a restricted user in a client/server environment, the **Administrator** button in **Device Settings** becomes the **Identity** button. A user can enter user login data in the **Identity Settings** dialog box.

## **User Login Options**

**User login** settings selected in the driver are applied to every print job sent from your computer.

#### Use specific name

This option can be used to specify a name and password to use the same **User login** for every print job. If this option is selected, the user does not have to type the name and password for each print job.

A client computer in a client/server environment can accept the default name and password set by the administrator or type another name and password. Clicking **Reset** restores the default values.

## Prompt for name

This option prompts the user for a name and password. You can use a name that is not on the list, and the name is not added to the list. When sending a print job, type a name and password when prompted, then click **OK** to print.

#### Prompt for name and validate

This option prompts for a name and password. For the job to print, the name and password entered must be on the **Login user name** list. You can use the login user names entered in the **Login user name** list of the driver. When sending a print job, type a name and password when prompted, then click **OK** to print. This option ensures that the job prints, only after verifying that the selected name is saved in the driver.

#### Validate user name (computer) or prompt for login user name

This option searches for the Windows **User name** in the driver's **Login user name** list. Validation is done every time the user prints a job. If the Windows **User name** exists in the **Login user name** list, the associated driver **Login user name** and password from the list are used for the print job. If the **Login user name** is not associated with the Windows **User name**, a message appears to prompt you to enter the **Login user name** and password you want associated with your name.

If a match is not found, the driver checks for administrator or user permissions. With user permissions, the print job is canceled, and the user is prompted to contact an administrator to establish printing permissions. With administrator permissions, the driver prompts for the **Login user name** and password. Along with the Windows **User name**, these are then added to the list so succeeding print jobs do not require the user to enter a **Login user name** and password again.

### Login user name

Click to add, delete, edit, import, or export login user names and passwords. Once a **Login user name** list is created, the list can be exported as a group by saving it as a text file (.CSV, .KXC, and .TXT). To import a **Login user name** list, browse for an existing list and save it in your printer driver.

## **Printing with User Login**

After login user names are assigned and user login mode is set to **On** at the printing system, you can choose **User login** to print in user login mode.

In a client/server environment, the client is automatically set to the **User Login** selection made in the server.

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator Settings > User Login, select User Login.
- Select a User Login option:

Use specific name

Prompt for name

If you select the **Use specific name** or **Prompt for name** option, proceed to step 5.

**Note:** The remaining **User Login** options become available when you create a login user name list.

- 3 Under the **Login user name** list, click the buttons to view and manage the list.
- Select from the remaining User Login options:

Prompt for name and validate

Validate user name (computer) or prompt for login user name

- Click OK in all dialog boxes.
- **6** Print the document from the application.
- When the **Print Options** or **Identity Settings** dialog box appears, type or select a name and password, and click **OK**.

# **Job Accounting**

With this feature, an administrator has control of the printing system. With **Job accounting**, account IDs (identification numbers) can be assigned to users or departments. A specific account ID can be assigned, and then required before printing. After account IDs are created, from the printing system operation panel

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you can view the number of copies associated with a specific ID, as well as limit the number of copies for individual IDs. Account IDs can be a maximum of 8 digits.

**Note: Job accounting** must be enabled on the printing system. A maximum of 100 account IDs can be assigned on the printing system and stored in the printer driver.

In a client/server environment, some options are unavailable to a client computer.

For a restricted user in a client/server environment, the **Administrator** button in **Device Settings** becomes the **Identity** button. A user can enter Job Accounting data in the **Identity Settings** dialog box.

## **Job Accounting Options**

Job accounting supports the following options:

#### Use specific account ID

Select this option to track the print jobs of a user or group with an account ID. It sends the account ID with each print job.

When printing, the user can select a different account ID in the **Job** tab. The default selection in **Administrator** > **Job Accounting** is not changed.

A client computer in a client/server environment can accept the default account ID set by an administrator or type another account ID. Clicking **Reset** restores the default values.

#### Prompt for account ID

Select this option to track the print jobs of a user or group with an account ID as well as prompt for an account ID. At the time a print job is sent, the user is prompted to enter a Job accounting ID.

#### Account IDs

Add, edit, or delete account IDs from the list. A maximum of 100 account IDs can be stored in the driver. When connected through a TCP/IP port or WSD port, you can retrieve an account ID list stored on a printing system. After an account ID list is created, the list can be exported as a group by saving it as a text file (.CSV, .KXC, .TXT). To import an account ID list, browse for an existing list and open it.

#### Prompt for account ID and validate

Select this option to prompt for an account ID that is saved in the driver. When sending a print job, type an account ID when prompted, and then click **OK** to print. The account ID is validated against the account ID list. If typed incorrectly, you are prompted to type it again.

## Display account ID list

Select this option to display the account ID list at the time of printing. The print job can be assigned to a user or group. The account ID list is stored in the driver and more than one ID must be established for the list to appear.

## Validate user name (computer) or prompt for account ID

This option searches for the Windows User name in the driver's **Account IDs** list. Validation is done every time the user prints a job. If the Windows User name exists in the **Account IDs** list, the associated driver account ID from the list is used for the print job. If the **Account ID** is not associated with the Windows User name, a message appears to prompt you to enter the **Account ID** you want associated with your user name.

If a match is not found, the driver checks for administrator or user permissions. With user permissions, the print job is canceled, and the user is prompted to contact an administrator to establish printing permissions. With

administrator permissions, the driver prompts for the account ID. Along with the Windows User name, this is then added to the list so succeeding print jobs do not require the user to enter an account ID again.

# **Retrieving an Account ID List**

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator > Job Accounting, select Job Accounting, and click Retrieve.
- 2 In the Retrieve Job Accounting List dialog box, enter a User name and Password, and then select the authentication type.
- 3 Click OK.

The retrieved account ID list replaces the existing list.

## **Adding or Editing an Account ID**

1 In Device Settings > Administrator > Job Accounting, select Job accounting.

To create an account ID, click Add.

To edit an existing account ID, select it from the list and click **Edit**.

- 2 Under **Account ID**, enter a number to a maximum of 8 digits.
- 3 Under **Description**, enter a description of the account ID, such as a user or group.
- Under User name, enter a Windows User name, to a maximum of 20 characters. The User name is not case-sensitive.
- Click Add to add the name to the User names (computer) list. A maximum of 100 names can be added to each account ID.
- To remove an account ID from the list, select it and click **Delete**.
- 7 Click OK.

## **Printing with Job Accounting**

- In Device Settings > Administrator > Job Accounting, select Job accounting.
- 2 Select a Job Accounting option:

Use specific account ID

**Prompt for account ID** 

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If you select the **Use specific account ID** or **Prompt for account ID** option, continue to step 5.

**Note:** The remaining **Job accounting** options become available when you create an account ID list.

- 3 Next to the Account IDs list, click the buttons to view and manage the list.
- Select from the remaining Job accounting options:

Prompt for account ID and validate

Display account ID list

Validate user name (computer) or prompt for account ID

- 5 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.
- Print the document from the application.
- 7 For some options, when the **Print Options** or **Identity Settings** dialog box appears, type or select an account ID, and click **OK**.

## **Net Manager**

**Net Manager** is a server-based application that provides centralized user authentication, authorization, user access control, and secure pull printing features. The **Net Manager** application must be installed separately. It is also necessary to make settings in the printer driver **Device Settings** > **Administrator** > **Net Manager** to integrate with **Net Manager**. This **Net Manager** driver feature is installed as an optional component of the driver.

The XPS driver does not support **Net Manager**. For more information about **Net Manager**, please contact your printing system dealer.

An administrator can set the **Net Manager** server and user information for users and groups to print according to defined policies. When **Auto detect site server address** is selected, **Server** becomes **Master server**. You can enter the master server address, and the site server is automatically retrieved for authentication. This allows network printing at any company location without changing the server address each time.

When policies restrict printing features, **Net Manager** reconfigures the printer driver so that the restricted printing features are unavailable to the user or group. The **Net Manager** options let you choose how conflicts are handled between a policy and a driver selection.

With secure pull printing, you can select the printing device that will print after sending the job. To use the secure pull printing feature, the driver must be connected to the **Net Manager** spooler server using the **Net Manager** spooler port. Print jobs are held in the **Net Manager** spooler server until the user is authenticated on the printing system.

For a restricted user in a client/server environment, the **Administrator** button in **Device Settings** becomes the **Identity** button. A user can enter **Net Manager** data in the **Identity Settings** dialog box. If you select **Use Windows authentication**, the **Identity** button can not be used.

## **Selecting Net Manager Options**

- 1 In Device Settings > Administrator > Net Manager, select Net Manager.
- Enter the server address.

If site servers are managed by the master server, select **Auto detect site** server address. Under **Master server**, enter the master server address.

- 3 Enter the port number. The default port number is 9094.
- Select an authentication option:

#### **Use Windows authentication**

Select to use Windows login information for **Net Manager** authentication. The **Net Manager Login** dialog box does not appear during printing unless Windows authentication fails. When selected, continue to step 6.

#### Use specific name

Select to enter specific login information. When selected, continue to step 5.

- Type the **Login user name** and **Password**. The Login user name can be in the user principal name (UPN) format to support multiple domains: username@domain.com
- You can select **No notifications for policy conflicts** if you do not want a message to appear when policy conflicts occur during printing. When selected, choose a printing result:

## **Continue printing**

Apply the policy and print the job

### Cancel printing

Cancel the print job

7 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

## **Printing with Net Manager**

- 1 From the application, open the **Print** dialog box. You can click **Preferences** or **Properties** to open the **Properties** dialog box and view printing restrictions set by the policy.
- If the Net Manager Login or Identity Settings dialog box appears, enter a Login user name and password. This dialog box is generated when an invalid or blank Net Manager user name or password is set in the driver. The Net Manager Login dialog box does not appear if Use Windows authentication is selected in Administrator > Net Manager, except when the Windows authentication fails.
- 3 You can click **Do not ask again** to use the most recently-saved Login user name and password for each print job. When selected, the **Net Manager Login** dialog box does not appear again.

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4 Click **Log in** to send the print job to the **Net Manager** spooler server, where the Login user name and password are authenticated.

The print job appears on the **Job** tab on the main **Net Manager** web application.

- Depending on the **Net Manager** settings and before the job is printed, the **Print Options** dialog box appears with information about your print quota. Click **OK** to continue.
- On the printing system's operation panel, enter your authentication credentials to release spool jobs. You can print from any printing system managed by the **Net Manager** server.

## **User Settings**

With this feature, you can specify user and department names, select the default unit of measure, and change the driver display language.

In a client/server environment, **Department** and **Units** are unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user. **User name** and **Language preference** can be changed.

### Identification

With this feature, you can identify your print job with a **User name** and **Department** name, to a maximum of 31 characters. Double-byte characters are supported. The **User name** can be used to identify a print job stored on the storage device.

In a client/server environment, a client user can change the **User name**. This does not change the default user name selection in the server.

#### **Setting User Identification**

- 1 In **Device Settings** > **User**, type your preferred name in the **User name** text box.
- **2** Type your department or group name in the **Department** text box.

You can type a maximum of 31 characters in the **User name** and **Department** text boxes.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Units**

With this feature, you can set **Inches** or **Millimeters** as the unit of measurement. This is used for the following settings:

Page Sizes settings in the Basic tab.

**Spacing** setting in the **Add Watermark** and **Edit Watermark** dialog boxes in the **Advanced** tab.

Poster settings and Gutter settings in the Layout tab.

### **Selecting a Unit of Measurement**

1 In Device Settings > User, select Inches or Millimeters.

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Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Language Preference**

With this feature, you can specify the user interface language of **Device Settings** in **Properties** and all tabs of **Printing Preferences**.

Available languages vary depending on your locale and your computer settings.

### **Setting Language Preference**

- 1 In **Device Settings** > **User**, select the desired language from the **Select** language list.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

## **Page Description Languages (PDL)**

With this feature, you can specify the contents and layout of a printed page. In **Device Settings**, you can choose from **PCL XL** (Printer Command Language XL), **PCL 5c**, **KPDL** (Kyocera Page Description Language), or **PDF** (Portable Document Format). To add **PDF** to the list of PDL choices, you must install the **Output to PDF** plug-in. The printer default is **PCL XL**, which is suitable for most printing purposes.

After you select a PDL, the selection appears in the lower corner of the overview image in **Device Settings** and in all **Printing Preferences** tabs. You can change the PDL temporarily from any **Printing Preferences** tab.

In **GDI** compatible mode, vector graphics are rasterized for printing as bitmap images. Use the **GDI** compatible mode option to improve the output quality of the graphic created by the application.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

If your application supports the XML Print Specification, then XPS printing can be performed after installing the XPS driver. With the XPS driver, the only available PDL is **XPS**.

### **PDL Options**

The PDL options, available in the **Page Description Languages (PDL)** dialog box, are accessed in **Device Settings**.

#### **PCL XL**

The most recent version of HP PCL and PCL 6. This PDL includes PCL 5c features. PCL XL lacks backward compatibility with earlier PCL versions, though it is enhanced over PCL 5c in these areas:

Reduced file size

Better print speed

Faster return to application

Supports Security watermark

Supports Line thinning

### PCL 5c

Fully compatible with earlier PCL versions

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Bidirectional communication support

Wide selection of fonts for use with Microsoft Windows applications

Complex graphics might not print as well

Start of the page/End of the page available in Prologue/Epilogue

#### **KPDL**

KPDL is used when printing from applications that support PostScript 2 or 3.

An emulation of PostScript printing

Strong graphics reproduction

Print speeds may be slower than PCL 5c

Requires more printing system memory than PCL 5c

Enables native TrueType font downloading

Supports most Graphics settings options

**EMF Spooling** unavailable when **Data passthrough** is selected.

### **PDF**

**Output to PDF** is a plug-in that lets you print or save documents from multiple sources to Adobe Portable Document Format (PDF). The PDF format is independent of the operating system and application software used to create documents.

An alternative to existing commercial applications for creating PDF documents

Retains original document appearance

Can be viewed and printed on operating systems that display PDF content

Some driver features unavailable

### **PDL Settings**

For some page description languages, additional settings are available in the **Page Description Languages (PDL)** dialog box.

### **PCL XL Settings**

### Skip blank pages

This option prevents the printing system from outputting any page that contains no data, or that has, at most, one space character. Selecting this option can save paper, and result in comparatively faster printing times.

Select Off to print all pages, including blank pages.

Select **On** to skip all blank pages.

Select **Use layout settings** to print all pages when **Booklet**, **Duplex**, or **Multiple pages per sheet** features are used. Otherwise, blank pages are skipped.

### **Smart duplex printing**

This option automatically keeps a sheet of paper from being sent through the duplex unit if the sheet is only printed on one side. The duplex unit is bypassed for the following types of print jobs: a one-page document, one page from a multi-page document, or a multi-page document that prints onto a single sheet. Selecting this option can reduce wear on the mechanical duplex unit, and result in comparatively faster printing times.

### **KPDL Settings**

### Skip blank pages

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This option prevents the printing system from outputting any page that contains no data, or that has, at most, one space character. Selecting this option can save paper, and result in comparatively faster printing times. When selected, **Data passthrough** is unavailable.

Select Off to print all pages, including blank pages.

Select On to skip all blank pages.

Select **Use layout settings** to print all pages when **Booklet**, **Duplex**, or **Multiple pages per sheet** features are used. Otherwise, blank pages are skipped.

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### Data passthrough

This option reduces errors when printing complex jobs from applications that use PostScript formatting. When selected, **EMF spooling** is unavailable in the **Advanced** tab.

#### **PDF Settings**

Provides options for printing and saving documents to Adobe PDF format. See PDF topics for details.

### **Selecting a PDL in Device Settings**

In **Device Settings** > **PDL**, select the desired page description language from the **Available languages** list.

If you select **PCL XL**, you can select **Skip blank pages** and **Smart duplex printing**.

If you select KPDL, you can select Skip blank pages and Smart duplex printing or Data passthrough. Note that if you select Data passthrough, EMF spooling is unavailable in the Advanced tab.

If you select **PDF**, you can click **PDF Settings** to open the **PDF Settings** dialog box.

2 You can select the **GDI compatible mode** option to improve the output quality of graphics created by your application.

When **Skip blank pages** is set to **On** or **Use layout settings**, **GDI compatible mode** is unavailable.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **PDF**

With this plug-in feature, you can print and save documents from multiple sources to Adobe PDF format. This feature can be used as an alternative to existing commercial applications for creating PDF documents. Documents saved as PDF retain their original appearance, and can be viewed and printed on operating systems that display PDF content.

For a document using mixed paper sizes, all pages in the PDF use the size of the first page.

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**Note:** With **PDF** selected as the PDL, only a limited set of driver options are available.

### **PDF Options**

You can select PDF options if you have installed the **Output to PDF** plug-in.

The following options are available in the PDF Settings dialog box:

#### **Embed fonts**

This option ensures that document fonts appear accurately in the PDF file on screen. This option ensures accurate reproduction but significantly increases the file size.

### Compress data

This option enables flat compression for the generated PDF document. This option significantly reduces the file size.

#### Print and save options

From the list, select whether to print (**Print only**), save a PDF file (**Save to file**), or both (**Print and save**). If a save option is selected, additional options are available in the **PDF Settings** dialog box.

#### Save as color

This option saves the PDF as a color document. This option does not appear when **Print only** is selected.

#### Automatically save to default folder

Select to save a PDF file automatically in a default folder. Browse to a location to save your PDF file.

#### Date and time

Select the check box to use the same file name plus the current date and time whenever the file is saved. Clear the check box to replace an existing file, if a file with the same name already exists.

### **Encryption**

Encryption adds the selected level of encryption to the PDF. When selected, password protection is available so that a document cannot be opened or altered by unauthorized users.

#### Arc4 40

This encryption option provides low level security for a PDF document. This option supports Adobe Acrobat and Adobe Reader 6.0 or earlier.

#### Arc4 128

This encryption option provides low level security for a PDF document. This option supports Adobe Acrobat and Adobe Reader 6.0 and later.

#### **AES 128**

This encryption option provides high level security for a PDF document. This option supports Adobe Acrobat and Adobe Reader 7.0 and later.

#### **AES 256**

This encryption option provides high level security for a PDF document. This option supports Adobe Acrobat and Adobe Reader 9.0 and later.

#### **Password protection**

Select passwords for changing security settings and for opening a document. Passwords are supported to a maximum of 16 characters.

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### **Change security settings**

Select the check box and type an owner password. Within Adobe Acrobat, this password is required to change the document restrictions in the **Files** > **Properties** > **Security** section. When a document with this password is opened in Adobe Reader, it cannot be printed or edited, and document data cannot be copied.

#### **Open document**

Select the check box and type a user password. The user password must be entered at the time the PDF document is opened. This password must be different from the owner password.

#### **Printing and Saving to PDF**

- 1 In **Device Settings > PDL**, in the **Available languages** list select **PDF**.
- Click PDF Settings.
- 3 In the **PDF Settings** dialog box, under **Print and save options** select whether to print or save or both.
- 4 If a save option is selected in step 3, select additional folder, encryption, and password options.
- 5 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.
- 6 Open and print the document.
- 7 Name and save the PDF file.

### **XPS Driver**

For Windows 10, Windows Server 2016, Windows 8.1, Windows Server 2012 R2, Windows 8, Windows Server 2012, Windows 7, Windows Server 2008 R2, and Windows Server 2008, you can use the XML Paper Specification (XPS). This Page description language provides an additional method for displaying, processing, and printing documents. As both a PDL and a document format, XPS requires compatible printing system hardware and software written for the Windows Presentation Foundation (WPF) architecture. PCL and KPDL are not compatible with an XPS environment. Therefore, an XPS driver supports a single PDL setting. The XPS driver can be installed from the Product Library disk. In the Installation Method menu, click Custom Mode, and on the Custom Installation page, select KX XPS DRIVER.

Some driver features are unavailable when using the **XPS** driver. The user interface varies between the **KX XPS DRIVER** and the **KX DRIVER**.

### **XPS Options**

You can select XPS options when using the XPS driver.

The following options are available in the **XPS Settings** dialog box:

#### Print and save options

From the list, select whether to print or save or both. If a save option is selected, additional options are available in the **XPS Settings** dialog box.

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### Automatically save to default folder

Select to save an XPS file automatically in a default folder. Browse to a location to save your XPS file.

#### Date and time

Select the check box to use the same file name plus the current date and time whenever the file is saved. Clear the check box to replace an existing file, if a file with the same name already exists.

#### **Printing and Saving to XPS**

- 1 In Device Settings > PDL, click XPS Settings.
- In the XPS Settings dialog box, under Print and save options, select whether to print or save or both.
- 3 If a save option is selected in step 2, select additional folder options.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.
- 5 Open and print the document.
- 6 Name and save the XPS file.

## **Compatibility Settings**

With this feature, you can specify media source values, override the application's **Collate** setting, combine the **Source** and **Media type** lists in the **Basic** tab, and align mixed paper sizes.

In a client/server environment, this feature is unavailable to a client logged in as a restricted user.

You can restore all the options in the **Compatibility Settings** dialog box to the default by clicking **Reset**.

### **Media Source Enumeration**

**Media source enumeration** supports compatibility for media source values unique to the printer driver, such as those for cassettes or feeders. Your newly installed printer driver maintains identical media source support with the driver it replaces, whether for this driver or one from another manufacturer. If media source macros exist for the older driver, then the alignment of media source values maintains support without the need to change the macros.

Use the **Driver Info** utility (\Utility\Driver Info\DrvInfo.exe) to compare the source values for all installed drivers.

If the values for a given media source differ between printer drivers, you can reassign an enumerated value to create a match between the drivers.

#### **Setting Media Sources**

1 In Device Settings > Compatibility, from the Media source enumeration list select the paper supply method. The current value is listed in the Enumerated value box.

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- Type an Enumerated value for the media source, and click Apply. To align settings with a different driver, this value should align with those in the other driver.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Ignore Application Collation**

With this feature, you can bypass the **Collate** setting in software applications, and gives priority to the printer driver setting.

With the check box selected, the printer driver Collate setting is used.

With the check box cleared, the application Collate setting is used.

### **Selecting Printer Driver Collation**

- 1 In Device Settings > Compatibility, select Ignore application collation.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

### **Combine Source and Media Type Lists**

With this feature, you can change the driver's **Basic** tab so that **Media type** and **Source** are combined into one list, labeled **Source**. In the combined list, Media types are listed first, followed by cassettes and **Multipurpose tray**.

### **Creating a Combined Source List**

- In Device Settings > Compatibility, select Combine source and media type lists.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

## Removing a Plug-in

You can remove an installed plug-in from the driver. If removed, the plug-in features do not appear in the driver interface.

**Note:** To remove the **Output to PDF** module, **PDF** must not be selected as the PDL.

- In Device Settings, click Kyocera logo > Plug-in.
- Select a plug-in module from the list and click **Delete**, then **Yes**.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

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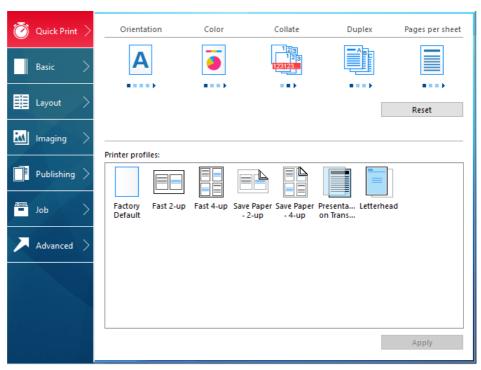
# 4 Quick Print

In the **Quick Print** tab, you can apply basic print settings to print jobs. You can select options quickly in a simple user interface.

Any **Quick Print** settings can be saved as a group, called a profile, and applied to any print job. Profiles support common printing tasks.

To return to the original settings, click **Reset**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.

The administrator can set the view of the **Quick Print** tab through the **Installation** process, or in **Device Settings** > **Administrator**.



## **Quick Print Options**

You can set up to 5 print options on the **Quick Print** tab. You can create your own customized view of print options with **Edit Quick Print Options**. You can also select from profiles that have been set with predefined options for frequently run print jobs.

### Orientation

With this feature, you can specify the paper orientation of the print job. Click the **Orientation** icon repeatedly to change between portrait, landscape, rotated portrait, and rotated landscape printing formats. The rotated options rotate the job orientation 180 degrees.

**Orientation** also appears in the **Basic** tab. Changes in **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

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#### Color

With this feature, you can choose full-color printing, auto color, or printing with black toner only. Click the **Color** icon repeatedly to change between **Full color**, **Auto color**, and **Black**.

With **Auto color** selected, only black toner is used to print black and grayscale.

**Color** also appears in the **Basic** tab and in the **Imaging** tab. Changes in **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs are reflected in the other tabs.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed with black toner only by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Black & White mode**.

### Collate

With this feature, you can specify the order in which the pages of a multiple copy job are printed.

Click the Collate icons to change between Off and On.

With **On** selected, the first time the print job is sent to the printing system the data is rendered as page images in the printing system's memory. The remaining job copies are printed from the stored data. This avoids the extra processing involved in sending every copy from the computer to the printing system.

With **On** selected, the driver prints the complete job set by set (123, 123). With **Off** selected, it prints each page by set (111, 222). For example, with **On** selected, three copies of a five-page document outputs as pages one through five in succession, three times.

The printer driver automatically overrides the application's **Collate** setting and uses the printer driver setting. You can use the application's **Collate** setting by clearing the **Ignore application collation** check box in the **Compatibility Settings** dialog box accessed from **Device Settings**.

**Collate** also appears in the **Basic** tab. Changes in **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

### **Duplex**

With this feature, you can print on both sides of each page. Click the **Duplex** icon repeatedly to change between flipping on long edge, flipping on short edge, and off. A duplex unit can turn the paper over to allow printing on the reverse side. **Flip on long edge** or **Flip on short edge** must be selected to print on both sides of the cover and insert pages.

### Flip on long edge

Turn the long edge of the page to view the content.

#### Flip on short edge

Turn the short edge of the page to view the content.

When the document contains blank pages and you do not want to include them in the print job, under **Page Description Languages (PDL)** > **Skip blank pages**, select **On**. To include the blank pages in the print job, select **Off** or **Use layout settings**.

**Duplex** should be turned on before using **Lock Settings**. When **Duplex** is turned off, using **Lock Settings** makes **Duplex** unavailable to all users.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed on both sides by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Duplex**.

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**Duplex** also appears in the **Basic** tab. Changes in **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

### **Pages per Sheet**

With this feature, you can print several pages on a single sheet of paper for the purpose of reviewing the document and conserving paper. The size and readability of the multiple pages decrease as the number of pages per sheet is increased. Click the **Pages per sheet** icon repeatedly to change between 2 pages per sheet, 4 pages per sheet, and off.

This feature also appears as **Multiple pages per sheet** in the **Layout** tab. You can select additional pages per sheet, set the arrangement of the pages, and print borders around each of the pages.

When **Pages per sheet** is selected, **Scaling** and **Poster** are unavailable in the **Layout** tab.

When the document contains blank pages and you do not want to include them in the print job, under **Page Description Languages (PDL)** > **Skip blank pages**, select **On**. To include the blank pages in the print job, select **Off** or **Use layout settings**.

Pages per sheet should be turned on before using Lock Settings. When Pages per sheet is turned off, using Lock Settings makes Pages per sheet unavailable to all users.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed with multiple pages on a sheet by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Multiple pages per sheet**.

#### **EcoPrint**

With this feature, you can change the text and graphics to appear lighter in the print job. **EcoPrint** does not increase print speed. Click the **EcoPrint** icon to change between on and off.

**EcoPrint** also appears in the **Basic** tab and in the **Imaging** tab. Changes in **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs are reflected in the other tabs.

**EcoPrint** should be turned on before using **Lock Settings**. When **EcoPrint** is turned off, using **Lock Settings** makes **EcoPrint** unavailable to all users.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed in **EcoPrint** mode by selecting **Device Settings** > **Administrator** > **Lock Settings**, and then selecting **EcoPrint**.

## **Edit Quick Print Options**

The assortment of icons at the top of the **Quick Print** tab can be customized to include features that you use most often. Any number of icons from 0 to 5 can be displayed. All icons can be removed from view if you want to use only the **Printer profiles** options in the **Quick Print** tab.

**Note:** An administrator can hide the **Edit** button by selecting **Hide Edit Quick Print control** in **Device Settings** > **Administrator**. The **Edit** button is unavailable when the driver is accessed from an application's **Print** dialog box.

### **Selecting Quick Print Options**

1 In Control Panel, right-click your printing system model and click Printing Preferences.

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- Select the Quick Print tab.
- 3 Click Edit.
- In the Edit Quick Print Options dialog box:

To add a feature to the **Quick Print** tab, select the feature under **Available**, and click the arrow to move the feature to **Selected**. A maximum of 5 features can appear under **Selected**.

To remove a feature from the **Quick Print** tab, select the feature under **Selected**, and click the arrow to move the feature to **Available**. To use only the **Printer profiles** in the **Quick Print** tab, move all features to **Available**.

Click the up or down arrows to change the position of the features under **Selected**. The feature at the top appears first in the **Quick Print** tab.

To restore the list to factory default options, click **Reset**.

5 Click **OK** to save your settings.

### **Profiles**

With this feature, you can save printer driver settings as a profile. You can select multiple options in the **Quick Print** tab and the other **Printing Preferences** tabs, save them to a profile, and use all of them at once when you apply the profile. You can then use that profile to print the same type of print job again without having to reselect all the settings. In **Printing Preferences**, the **Save As** and **Profiles** buttons appear at the bottom of all tabs.

A maximum of 26 profiles can be established in one driver, including the **Factory Default** profile. In **Device Settings** > **Administrator**, you can choose to hide the **Factory Default** profile. Settings made in **Device Settings** cannot be saved to a profile.

Any profile except **Factory Default** can be edited, deleted, imported, and exported.

### Selecting a Profile

#### **Quick Print tab**

- In the **Quick Print** tab, select a profile. The settings list shows a summary of settings for that profile.
- Click Apply.
- 3 Click OK.

#### Profiles dialog box

- In any of the Printing Preferences tabs, click Profiles.
- In the **Profiles** dialog box, select a profile. The settings list shows a summary of settings for that profile.
- 3 Click Apply.

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Click OK.

### Saving a Profile

#### The Save As Button

- Set the printing options you want for your print job by opening Printing Preferences and selecting all your driver settings.
- In any tab, click Save As.
- 3 To identify the profile, type a **Name**, select an **Icon**, and type a **Description**.
- Click **OK** to save the profile.

The newly added profile appears in the **Profiles** dialog box and the **Quick Print** tab.

**Note:** To reset the printer driver to default settings, select the **Factory Default** profile, if available, and then click **Apply**. This clears the settings of a selected profile.

#### The Profiles Button

- 1 Set the printing options you want for your print job by opening **Printing**Preferences and selecting all your driver settings.
- In any tab, click Profiles.
- 3 Click Save.
- To identify the profile, type a Name, select an Icon, and type a Description.
- 5 Click **OK** to save the profile.

The newly added profile appears in the **Profiles** dialog box.

6 Click **OK** to close the dialog box.

The newly added profile appears in the **Quick Print** tab.

**Note:** To reset the printer driver to default settings, select the **Factory Default** profile, if available, and then click **Apply**. This clears the settings of a selected profile.

### **Editing a Profile**

- In any tab, click Profiles.
- 2 In the **Select profile** section, select the profile to be edited, and then click **Edit**.
- 3 You can edit any of the three options: **Name**, **Icon** and **Description**.

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Click **OK** to save the edited changes.

The newly edited profile appears in the **Profiles** dialog box and the **Quick Print** tab.

5 Click **Apply** to use the selected profile in the current print job, or click **OK** to close the dialog box.

### **Deleting a Profile**

- In any tab, click Profiles.
- In the Select profile section, select the profile to be deleted, and then click Delete.
- In the delete confirmation box, click Yes to accept.
- Click Close to close the Profiles dialog box.

### Importing a Profile

- In any tab, click Profiles > Import.
- 2 Browse for an existing profile (.KXP), select it, and then click **Open**.

A message appears if any of the profile settings in the imported file are unavailable in the existing driver. Select **Yes** to import the profile, or **No** to cancel the import.

If you selected **Yes**, the newly imported profile appears in the **Profiles** dialog box.

3 Click Apply to use the selected profile for the current print job, or click OK to close the dialog box.

The newly added profile appears in the **Quick Print** tab.

### **Exporting a Profile**

- In any tab, click Profiles.
- In the **Select profile** section, select the profile to be exported, and then click **Export**.
- In the Export Profile dialog box, name and save the profile.
- Click **OK** to close the **Profiles** dialog box.

### **Application Based Printing**

With this feature, an administrator can associate a profile with an application so that all printing from the application uses the same profile settings. This makes profiles easier to use and ensures consistent printing from an application. For example, a duplex printing profile can be applied to all spreadsheet printing to

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save paper, or reports in Microsoft Word can be set to print with consistent stapling and print quality.

Associations between profiles and applications can be created at any time in the **Application Based Printing** dialog box, accessed from the **Profiles** dialog box. A maximum of 25 associations can be created. To use the associations in printing, you must select **Associate Profile with application** in **Device Settings > Administrator > General**.

In a client/server environment, a user on a client computer can view details about server associations but cannot change settings or select another profile.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs from an application are printed with an associated profile by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Profile with application**.

### **Adding an Association**

- In any tab, click Profiles.
- In the Profiles dialog box, click Application.
- 3 In the Application Based Printing dialog box, click Add.
- In the Add Association dialog box, enter a name for the association, to a maximum of 31 characters.
- Under Select application, choose an application by one of the following methods:

Select Application name, and select an installed application from the list.

Select **Filename (\*.exe)**, and enter a valid executable file name (.EXE) for an application that allows printing, or click **Browse** to find a file located on your computer.

- Under Select profile, select a profile from the list.
- 7 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

#### **Deleting an Association**

- In any tab, click Profiles.
- In the Profiles dialog box, click Application.
- 3 In the Application Based Printing dialog box, select the association to be deleted, and then click Delete.
- In the confirmation box, click OK to accept.
- 5 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Editing an Association**

1 In any tab, click **Profiles**.

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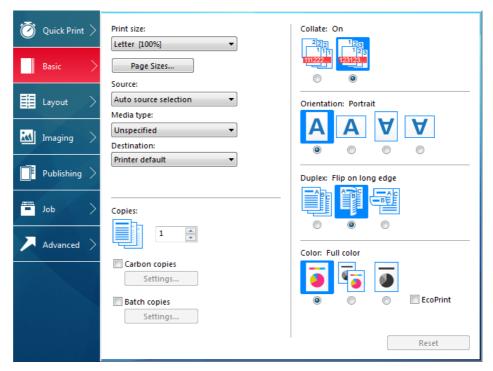
- 2 In the **Profiles** dialog box, click **Application**.
- 3 In the Application Based Printing dialog box, select the association to be edited and click Edit.
- 4 In the Edit Association dialog box, you can change desired settings under Association name, Select application, or Select profile.
- 5 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

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# 5 Basic

In the **Basic** tab, you can specify the most commonly used printer driver settings.

To return to the original settings, click **Reset**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.



### **Print Size**

With this feature, you can select the output size of the document. To use this setting, ensure that the **Page Sizes** setting matches the page size setting in your application. If the print size is different from the page size in your application, then each page is enlarged or reduced to match the print size.

The percentage value shown in brackets indicates the size of the print size setting relative to the page size setting.

When any envelope size is selected, a message appears, and **Envelope** is automatically selected as the media type.

## **Page Sizes**

With this feature, you can choose the document size in the application. Once selected, the **Print size** list displays the percentage value of the print size setting relative to the page size setting.

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You can create a page size with your chosen dimensions for printing on non-standard size paper. You can then save the custom setting to the **Page Sizes** and **Print size** lists for later selection.

The **Page Sizes** dialog box displays the unit of measurement in inches or millimeters. You can change the **Units** setting in the **User Settings** dialog box, accessed from **Device Settings**.

### **Creating a Custom Page Size**

- 1 In the **Basic** tab, click **Page Sizes**.
- In the Page Sizes dialog box, click New.
- 3 A default custom name appears in the Name box. Type a name for your custom page size.
- Type or select values for the short edge and long edge. If a typed value exceeds the allowable limit, it automatically adjusts to the limit.
- 5 When finished, click Save.
- 6 Click **OK** to close the **Page Sizes** dialog box.

The custom page size appears in the **Print size** list, which is used for enlarging and reducing the sizes of prints.

### **Deleting a Custom Page Size**

- 1 In the Basic tab, click Page Sizes.
- In the Page Sizes dialog box, select the custom size to delete.
- 3 Click Delete.
- Click **OK** to close the **Page Sizes** dialog box.

### **Printing with Custom Size Pages**

- Load custom-sized paper into the **Multipurpose tray**.
- 2 In the **Basic** tab, select the name of your custom page size in the **Print size** list.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### Source

With this feature, you can specify the tray or cassette that supplies paper for a print job. The default is **Auto source selection**, which instructs the printer to search for the media requested by the application or the printer driver. If the selected tray or cassette empties during a print job, then the printer searches for another source, and continues the job.

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Some media types, such as transparencies, labels, and envelopes must be supplied from the **Multipurpose tray**. Ensure that the paper is properly loaded by following the instructions outlined in the printing system's *Operation Guide*.

Note: Source and Media type are separate items in the dialog box, but can be combined using the Combine source and media type lists setting in Device Settings > Compatibility. If they are combined, Media type is unavailable on the Basic tab, and media types can be selected in the Source list.

## **Media Type**

With this feature, you can select a type of media. If the selected media is found, it is used for the print job. The choices shown may change depending on the selection in **Source**. The default is **Unspecified** and if selected, the driver does not switch to another source tray if the selected tray is empty. If **Auto media selection** is selected, then the printer searches for another tray or cassette using the same paper size and media type.

When any envelope size is selected as the print size, a message appears, and **Envelope** is automatically selected as the media type.

You can display the custom media type names from the printing system. If any names have been changed at the printing system, the new names appear in place of default names. To display the printing system names, use the **Auto Configure** feature in **Device Settings**.

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### **Destination**

With this feature, you can specify which output tray is used for the print job output.

## **Copies**

With this feature, you can specify the number of copies to print. You can print up to 999 copies.

## **Carbon Copies**

With this feature, you can print additional copies on paper from different trays or cassettes. This is useful for printing copies of documents such as invoices on different colored paper or media type. The maximum number of copies can be printed for each carbon copy.

You can use the **Prologue/Epilogue** feature in the **Advanced** tab to add a logo or heading to each carbon copy.

When **Carbon copies** is selected, **Batch copies**, **Booklet** in the **Layout** tab, and all the features in the **Publishing** tab are unavailable.

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**Carbon copies** is unavailable when **Net Manager** is selected in **Device Settings** > **Administrator** > **Net Manager**.

### **Printing Carbon Copies**

- 1 In the **Basic** tab, select a source and number of copies for the original copy.
- 2 For each carbon copy, load the desired media types or colored paper into additional paper sources.
- 3 Select the Carbon copies check box.
- 4 Click Settings.
- 5 In the **Carbon Copy Settings** dialog box, select the number of copies for each source.

The total number of copies for all sources is displayed under Total.

- Select a **Source** or **Media type** or both for each carbon copy.
- 7 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

## **Batch Copies**

With this feature, you can separate the copies of a print job into batches. You can select the number of copies in each batch. To use this feature, a storage device must be installed or RAM disk enabled.

You can name each batch printing job and save the settings for later use. This is useful for exporting and importing batch settings.

A cover page can be added to each batch, printed with an optional job name and title. The cover page can be a different size, media type, and orientation from the main document. Size, media type, and source options can be different from those in the **Basic** tab. When **User Login** or **Job accounting** are selected in **Device Settings > Administrator**, a cover page cannot be added.

This feature turns on the **Collate** feature in the **Quick Print** and **Basic** tabs. When used with **Quick copy**, only one batch is saved in the storage device, and batch cover pages are not saved or printed.

**Batch copies** is available when **PCL XL** or **PCL 5c** is selected as the PDL. When using this feature, **Copies** and **Carbon copies** are unavailable. **Batch copies** is unavailable when **Net Manager** is used.

### **Printing Batch Copies**

- In the Basic tab, select Batch copies.
- Click Settings.
- 3 In the **Batch Copy Settings** dialog box, click **New** to add batches to the list.
- 4 Under **Copies**, enter the number of copies for the selected batch.

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To add a cover page to all batches, select Print batch cover page, and then select cover page options:

Enter a **Batch job name** if you want a job name printed on the cover page of all batches.

For each batch, enter a **Batch cover page title** if you want a title printed on the cover page.

Select options for **Print size**, **Source**, **Media type**, and **Orientation**. Note that a change in one setting may adjust other selections to make them compatible.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

You can remove a batch by selecting it in the list and clicking **Delete**.

You can import a batch list (.BCI) by clicking **Import** and browsing for a valid batch file from your computer or network.

You can save the current batch list (.BCI) to your computer or network by clicking **Export**. A saved list can be imported into another printer driver.

### **Collate**

With this feature, you can specify the order in which the pages of a multiple copy job are printed.

Click the **Collate** icons to change between **Off** and **On**.

With **On** selected, the first time the print job is sent to the printing system the data is rendered as page images in the printing system's memory. The remaining job copies are printed from the stored data. This avoids the extra processing involved in sending every copy from the computer to the printing system.

With **On** selected, the driver prints the complete job set by set (123, 123). With **Off** selected, it prints each page by set (111, 222). For example, with **On** selected, three copies of a five-page document outputs as pages one through five in succession, three times.

The printer driver automatically overrides the application's **Collate** setting and uses the printer driver setting. You can use the application's **Collate** setting by clearing the **Ignore application collation** check box in the **Compatibility Settings** dialog box accessed from **Device Settings**.

**Collate** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab. Changes in **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

### **Printing Collated Documents**

- In the **Basic** tab, click the **Collate** icons to change between on and off.
- Type or select the number of complete sets of the print job in the Copies box.
- 3 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

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### **Orientation**

With this feature, you can specify the paper orientation of the print job. Click the **Portrait**, **Landscape**, **Rotated portrait**, or **Rotated landscape** icons. If a rotated option is selected, the print job orientation is rotated 180 degrees.

**Orientation** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab. Changes in **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

## **Duplex**

With this feature, you can print on both sides of each page. A duplex unit can turn the paper over to allow printing on the reverse side. **Flip on long edge** or **Flip on short edge** must be selected to print on both sides of the cover and insert pages.

### Flip on long edge

Turn the long edge of the page to view the content.

### Flip on short edge

Turn the short edge of the page to view the content.

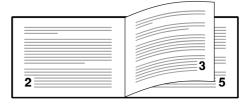
### Flip on long edge





### Flip on short edge





When the document contains blank pages and you do not want to include them in the print job, under **Page Description Languages (PDL)** > **Skip blank pages**, select **On**. To include the blank pages in the print job, select **Off** or **Use layout settings**.

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**Duplex** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab. Changes in **Quick Print** or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

**Duplex** should be turned on before using **Lock Settings**. When **Duplex** is turned off, using **Lock Settings** makes **Duplex** unavailable to all users.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed on both sides by selecting **Device Settings** > **Administrator** > **Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Duplex**.

### **Printing in Duplex Mode**

- 1 In the Basic tab, click the Flip on long edge or Flip on short edge icon.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### Color

With this feature, the following options are available:

#### **Full color**

This mode prints full four-color text and graphics.

#### **Auto color**

With **Auto color** selected, only black toner is used to print black and grayscale.

#### **Black**

This mode prints with black toner only, suppressing all color settings.

Click the icons to change between Full color, Auto color, and Black.

**Color** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab and in the **Imaging** tab. Changes in **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs are reflected in the other tabs.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed with black toner only by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Black & White mode**.

### **EcoPrint**

With this feature, you can make an entire image, text and graphics, appear lighter in the print job. **EcoPrint** does not increase print speed.

**EcoPrint** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab and in the **Imaging** tab. Changes in **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs are reflected in the other tabs.

**EcoPrint** should be turned on before using **Lock Settings**. When **EcoPrint** is turned off, using **Lock Settings** makes **EcoPrint** unavailable to all users.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed in **EcoPrint** mode by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **EcoPrint**.

### Selecting EcoPrint

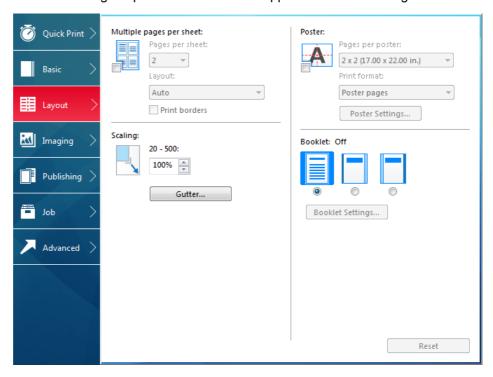
- 1 In the **Basic** tab, select between on and off. Click the **EcoPrint** check box.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

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# 6 Layout

In the **Layout** tab, you can arrange document data on printed pages without affecting the original document.

To return to the original settings, click **Reset**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.



## **Multiple Pages per Sheet**

With this feature, you can print several pages on a single sheet of paper for the purpose of reviewing the document and conserving paper. The size and readability of the multiple pages decrease as the number of pages per sheet is increased. You can set the arrangement of the pages as well as print borders around each of the pages in the **Layout** tab.

This feature also appears as **Pages per sheet** in the **Quick Print** tab, where you can select 2 pages per sheet, 4 pages per sheet, and off.

If Multiple pages per sheet is selected, Scaling and Poster are unavailable.

When the document contains blank pages and you do not want to include them in the print job, under **Page Description Languages (PDL)** > **Skip blank pages**, select **On**. To include the blank pages in the print job, select **Off** or **Use layout settings**.

Multiple Pages per Sheet should be turned on before using Lock Settings. When Multiple Pages per Sheet is turned off, using Lock Settings makes Multiple Pages per Sheet unavailable to all users.

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An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed with multiple pages on a sheet by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Multiple pages per sheet**.

### **Printing Multiple Pages per Sheet**

- 1 In the Layout tab, click the Multiple pages per sheet icon.
- In the Pages per sheet list, select the number of pages to print on each sheet of paper.
- In the **Layout** list, select the direction the pages should flow.
- If you want to print a border around each page, select Print borders.
- 5 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

## **Scaling**

With this feature, you can increase or decrease text and graphics on a page.

You can also select a gutter setting that enlarges the margins to accommodate manual stapling or manual hole punch.

If other **Layout** tab options are selected, **Scaling** is unavailable.

### **Setting Scaling on the Page**

- In the **Layout** tab, type or select a scaling percentage from 20 to 500.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

#### **Gutter**

With this feature, you can increase the margins around your text and graphics on the left side and at the top of the printed sheet. **Gutter** is often used for binding, hole punch, or stapling to make a print job easier to read. This creates a larger margin space by shifting the printable area to the right, or down, as much as one inch (25.4 mm).

**Gutter width** displays the unit of measurement in inches or millimeters. You can change the **Units** setting in the **User Settings** dialog box, accessed from **Device Settings**.

### Creating a Gutter

- In the Layout tab, click Gutter.
- 2 Under **Gutter width**, type or select a value between 0.20 to 1.00 inches (5.0 to 25.4 mm).

#### Short edge (top)

This selection modifies the outside margin on the top edge of the page.

Long edge (left)

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This selection modifies the outside margin on the left side of the page.

**Note:** Availability of **Gutter** settings varies depending on **Orientation** and **Duplex** settings in the **Basic** tab.

If the content extends too close to the edge of the page, select Reduce image to fit. The content appears slightly reduced and away from the edge of the page.

If the content does not extend beyond the page when the gutter increases, clear **Reduce image to fit**.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Poster**

With this feature, you can create a document size that is larger than the paper your printing system can support. You can print a poster, or banner, up to 25 times larger than the original document. Segments of the poster document are printed on several sheets of paper and with the assistance of poster settings, you can reassemble the sheets easily to create a poster.

If Poster is selected, other Layout tab options are unavailable.

Use **Pages per poster** to select the poster size in relation to the original document size. Each option shows the number of sheets to be printed and the maximum poster size.

**Pages per poster** displays the unit of measurement in inches or millimeters. You can change the **Units** setting in the **User Settings** dialog box, accessed from **Device Settings**.

Use **Print format** to print a proof sheet, along with the poster, to guide you in assembling the printed poster sheets.

#### Poster pages

This selection prints all of the sheets to be assembled as a poster.

#### **Proof sheet**

This selection prints all the poster pages on one sheet with markings that display the sheet assembly.

### Poster pages and proof sheet

This selection prints all poster sheets and a one-page proof sheet.

Use **Poster Settings** to select options, in any combination to make it easier to create a poster. These options print visual cues on the poster sheets that provide help in cropping and assembling the pages.

### Overlap edges

This selection duplicates the edges of document data on adjoining sheets. Poster appearance is improved when the edges overlap slightly. Select the check box, then type or select a value between 0.00 and 1.20 inches (0.0 and 30.4 mm). This option reduces the final poster size slightly.

### **Print crop marks**

This selection prints a border at the edges of each poster sheet. You can crop each sheet on the border before assembling the sheets. This option ensures that data on adjoining sheets matches precisely.

#### Print assembly marks

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This selection prints numbers at the edges of each sheet, matching numbers on adjoining sheets. Assemble each sheet edge to the same numbered edge on another sheet.

### **Printing a Poster**

- 1 In the Layout tab, click the Poster icon.
- 2 In **Pages per poster**, select the poster size. Each option describes the number of sheets it takes to represent one finished poster page.
- 3 In **Print format**, select one of the options for a finished print format.
- 4 Click Poster Settings to select options in any combination. These options ensure a precise assembly of the pages to create the poster.
- 5 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Booklet**

With this feature, you can print a two-page layout on both sides of each sheet of paper. You can fold and bind the booklet in the center. Folded booklets are half the size of the selected paper.

Additional booklet options are available in the **Booklet Settings** dialog box:

#### Layout

You can choose how to create booklet layout settings.

### Create from driver settings

Uses the driver settings for page sequence and pages per sheet. Select this option when the booklet layout is not created in the application.

#### Create from application settings

Uses the application settings for page sequence and pages per sheet. Select this option when the application creates the booklet layout.

### Staple and fold settings

You can print the booklet, and then fold or staple manually along the center line. Stapling and folding options are unavailable.

#### **Number of sheets**

From the list, you can select the number of sheets in the booklet. Four document pages are printed on each sheet.

Auto - prints all document pages into a single booklet.

Number selected - prints document pages into separate booklets, up to the selected number of sheets for each booklet. The final booklet may contain fewer sheets.

When **Booklet** is selected, other **Layout** tab options are unavailable.

A different paper source can be selected for the booklet cover. To include a cover on the booklet, select the **Publishing** tab, then select **Cover mode**.

When the document contains blank pages and you want to include them in the print job, under **Page Description Languages (PDL)** > **Skip blank pages**, select **Off** or **Use layout setting**. To skip the blank pages, select **On**.

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## **Printing a Booklet**

In the **Layout** tab, click the icon for one of the two binding options:

### Left edge binding

This selection prints text that reads from left to right.

### Right edge binding

This selection prints text that reads from right to left.

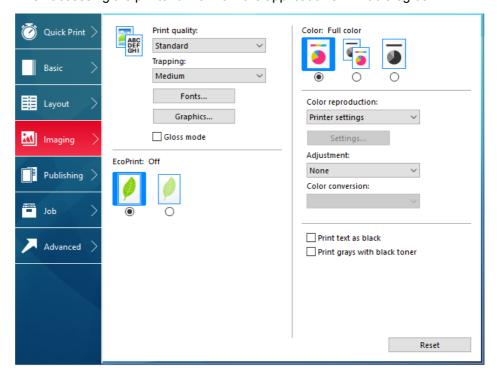
- 2 For additional booklet options, click **Booklet Settings**.
- In the **Booklet Settings** dialog box, select from available **Layout** options, and then click **OK**.
- 4 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

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# 7 Imaging

In the Imaging tab, you can manage print quality and color settings.

To return to the original settings, click **Reset**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.



## **Print Quality and Custom Quality**

With these features, you can set the resolution for the print job. Resolution is a measurement, in dots per linear inch (dpi), that describes the sharpness and clarity of printed text and images. With **Custom Quality Settings**, you can set a more refined resolution for the print job.

### **Print Quality Selection**

In the Imaging tab, select a Print quality from the list.

### High quality, Standard, Draft

Select the print resolution from the available settings. **Standard** is unavailable when **PCL 5c** is selected in the **Page Description Languages (PDL)** dialog box.

#### Custom

Click **Custom** to open a **Custom Quality Settings** dialog box. **Resolution** can be set to **1200 dpi** or **600 dpi** (unavailable for the PCL 5c Page description language). **Kyocera image refinement** smooths the edges of text and vector graphics and can be set to **On** or **Off**.

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For all of these selections, you can also select **EcoPrint**.

### **Selecting Print Quality**

- In Imaging > Print Quality, select a print quality from the list.
- 2 Select:

#### Custom

You can select EcoPrint.

**Custom > Custom Quality Settings** 

You can set the Resolution.

For both of these selections, you can select **EcoPrint** or **Gloss mode**. **EcoPrint** and **Gloss mode** cannot be used together.

**Kyocera image refinement** smooths the edges of text and vector graphics and can be set to **On** or **Off**.

3 Click OK.

## **Trapping**

In color printing, color toners are applied separately to a page. A color image has its component colors applied in color separations of cyan, magenta, yellow and black. These color separations must be aligned (registered) precisely to produce a quality full color image. During printing, the paper or media type may shift slightly. While the shift might be very small, the gaps between the colors in the image can be noticeable. Color trapping corrects it by overlapping colors slightly so that minor alignment issues are corrected.

**Note:** Trapping is unavailable when **PCL 5c** is selected as the PDL.

### **Setting Trapping Values**

1 In Imaging > Trapping, select a value for the print overlap pixel width:

Light, 0.5 pixel trapping

Medium, 1.0 pixel trapping

Heavy, 1.5 pixels trapping

Very heavy, 2.0 pixels trapping

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

## **Font Settings**

A computer font is a data file containing a set of glyphs (visual representations of textual elements), characters, or symbols. Common terms for fonts are:

**Outline fonts**, in contrast to bitmap fonts, are defined as a set of mathematical lines and curves. An outline font is more easily scalable (designed to display and print clearly at any point size) than a bitmap font.

**Bitmap fonts** define each character as a pattern of pixels (the smallest resolvable rectangular areas of an image). Such fonts are not easily scalable and distort when reduced or enlarged.

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**Native fonts** are the basic or original fonts installed with the computer operating system. TrueType fonts are the native fonts used by Microsoft Windows.

**TrueType fonts** are a type of scalable outline fonts. TrueType has long been the most common format for fonts on Microsoft Windows.

**System fonts** are the primary fonts used by the operating system. They are typically accessed through an application interface or through a common font dialog box.

**Device fonts** are stored either permanently or temporarily in the printing system memory.

### **Font Settings Options**

In the **Font Settings** dialog box, you can specify how TrueType fonts are sent to the printing system. The chosen method affects the speed and quality of the print job:

#### **Download as outlines**

This method is best suited for large documents or print jobs using multiple fonts and font sizes. Print speeds are faster because of the optimization features in this setting. The repetition of similar font data sent to the printing system is reduced, thereby increasing the print speed. Print speed is not increased when using Asian fonts such as Japanese, Chinese, and Korean, because of the large amount of font information used for these particular fonts.

#### Allow native download

This method improves text quality and increases print speed by converting TrueType fonts to Adobe Type 42 font format. This feature is available when **KPDL** is selected as the PDL.

#### Download as bitmaps

Downloading fonts as bitmaps provides more detail, however it creates large file sizes. This is best suited for print jobs with custom fonts, very small fonts (point size 1-4), or Asian fonts.

### Substitute with device fonts

Font substitution is the process of using one font in place of another when the intended font is unavailable to a printing system. Font substitution may be critical for output of documents to printing systems that are not well supported by a large font inventory. Standard PostScript fonts are available for substitution.

Note: GDI compatible mode does not support Substitute with device fonts.

#### Disable device fonts

In some cases, the printing system substitutes fonts even if you send the TrueType fonts as outline fonts or bitmap images. Select **Disable device fonts** to prevent substitution of device fonts for TrueType fonts.

This option also improves portability of printable data. If cleared, device fonts may not match when sent to a different printing system.

Some Adobe applications have device font limitations. To overcome these limitations, select **Disable device fonts**. Device fonts are normally visible in the application font lists as printer icons next to the font name, unless there are equivalent system fonts, in which case the "TT" TrueType icon remains.

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### **Selecting Font Settings**

- In Imaging > Fonts, select one of the methods for sending TrueType fonts.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

### **Setting Font Substitution**

To set font substitution, you must open **Printing Preferences** outside of a printing application by the following procedure.

- 1 In Control Panel, right-click your printing system model and click Printing Preferences.
- In Imaging > Fonts, select Substitute with device fonts, then click Fonts.
  In the Fonts Substitution dialog box, the System fonts list shows the fonts installed on your computer. The Available device fonts list shows the printing system fonts.
- 3 Select the system font, and then the available device font to be substituted.
- You can click Reset to restore the default values.
- Click OK to save your settings.

If the device font does not have similar font characteristics to the system font, character spacing in the document may appear incorrect.

### **Disabling Device Fonts**

- In Imaging > Fonts, select the Disable device fonts check box.
- Click **OK** to save your settings.

## **Graphics Settings**

Graphics are pictorial representations of information. Graphics can be functional (charts, diagrams) or artistic (drawings, photographs). With **Graphics Settings**, you can control the visual results of your printed graphics with options that can be set by the selected Page Description Language (PDL).

### **Pattern Scaling**

With this feature, you can help improve visual compatibility between screen and print output. Graphics objects, such as a shape or a path, often include patterns and fills that are composed of collections of printed dots. A pattern is a planned or random repetition of colors, shapes, lines, values, and textures to create a visual arrangement. A fill is the application of a color or grayscale to a graphics object. If printed patterns and fills do not match the appearance of that on the screen, use **Pattern scaling** to select a different density of printed dots.

In Imaging > Graphics, select a Pattern scaling setting.

Auto (default setting)

This setting prints patterns and fills to match the on-screen appearance.

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#### Coarse

This setting prints patterns and fills with the fewest number of lines, patterns, or dots. **Coarse** is the same as **Auto** when **PCL XL** or **PCL 5c** is selected as the PDL.

#### Medium

This setting prints patterns and fills with a greater number of lines, patterns or dots than the **Coarse** setting. **Medium** is the same as **Auto** if **KPDL** is selected as the PDL.

#### **Fine**

This setting prints patterns and fills with the greatest number of lines, patterns, or dots. Printed patterns and fills may appear more dense than the on-screen appearance.

### **Line Thinning**

With this feature, you can reduce the pen width of lines used for barcodes and line drawings. Drawing values controlled by an application are not changed.

In **Imaging** > **Graphics**, select Line thinning settings. Line thinning is available when **PCL XL** is selected as the PDL. When **GDI compatible mode** is selected in the **Page Description Languages (PDL)** dialog box, Line thinning is not available.

In **Imaging > Graphics**, select a **Line thinning** setting.

Off (default setting)

Line thinning is not applied.

#### **Barcodes**

This setting reduces the pen width value for vertical and horizontal lines. It improves the readability of barcodes.

#### Fine lines

This setting reduces the pen width value for vertical, horizontal, and diagonal lines.

#### ΑII

This setting reduces the pen width by a value of 1 for vertical, horizontal, and diagonal line used in barcodes or line drawings.

### **Halftone Screen**

With this feature, you can improve the appearance of the output of a printing system. After you specify the **Halftone screen** setting in the driver and send the print job to the printing system, the printing system prints the optimized output based on the driver setting.

**Halftone screen** is unavailable if **PDF** is selected in the **PDL Settings** dialog box.

In Imaging > Graphics, select a Halftone screen setting.

Normal (default setting)

This is the setting for printing typical office documents.

### **Gradation priority**

This setting smooths the appearance of gradations.

#### Resolution priority

This setting prints sharper characters and lines.

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#### **High definition**

This setting prints small characters and thin lines more clearly.

### **Inversion Options**

Inversion is the opposite of the normal order, arrangement, or position of an image or printed content.

In **Imaging > Graphics**, select **Inversion options**. The settings are available when **KPDL** is selected as the PDL.

#### Reverse image

This setting prints images like a photo negative, reversing black and white areas of the image.

### Mirror print

This setting prints the page content backwards, as it would appear in a mirror image.

### **Optimization**

**Optimization** is a process or methodology of improving a printing system's function or effectiveness.

In **Imaging > Graphics**, select **Optimization**. The settings are available when **KPDL** is selected as the PDL.

#### Fast printing

This setting increases print speed and decreases spool size. It delivers images in binary format. It can be used for most everyday printing needs.

#### **Document portability**

This setting creates a PostScript file in ASCII text encoding. Unlike the binary format created in **Fast printing**, the ASCII text created with this selection can be edited.

### **CIE Option**

With this feature, you can bypass the normal procedure of processing every aspect of the CIE color space used in applications such as Adobe Acrobat and Photoshop. This feature increases print speed for documents printed from these applications by optimizing CIE data. It has no effect on print jobs that do not use CIE data. CIE optimization should be selected for speed not accuracy, so printed output may be different from appearance on the screen.

In **Imaging > Graphics**, select the **CIE optimization** check box. **CIE optimization** is available when **KPDL** is selected as the PDL.

### **Image Compression Mode**

With Image compression mode, you can select a method for compressing images depending on the desired quality in printed images. JPEG compression produces a lower quality image, while delta row compression produces a higher quality image but creates a larger file size. Image compression mode is available when KPDL or PCL XL is selected in the Page Description Languages (PDL) dialog box.

In **Imaging > Graphics**, select a compression option.

#### Smaller file size

Uses JPEG compression

### **High quality**

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Uses delta row compression

### **Gloss Mode**

**Gloss mode** simulates high-gloss copies by adding a glossy appearance to printed text and images.

Note: If EcoPrint is On, Gloss mode is unavailable.

### **EcoPrint**

With this feature, you can change toner saturation in the print job, making the entire print image, including text and graphics, appear lighter. **EcoPrint** does not increase print speed. The amount of toner varies based upon the type of data printed (text, graphics, or both).

**EcoPrint** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab and in the **Basic** tab. Changes in **Imaging**, **Quick Print**, or **Basic** tabs are reflected in the other tab.

If **EcoPrint** is selected in the **Quick Print** or **Basic** tab, the toner saved is set to the previously selected value. If there is no previous value, the default is **Medium**.

**EcoPrint** should be turned on before using **Lock Settings**. When **EcoPrint** is turned off, using **Lock Settings** makes **EcoPrint** unavailable to all users.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed in **EcoPrint** mode by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **EcoPrint**.

### **Selecting EcoPrint**

- 1 In the **Imaging** tab, click the **EcoPrint** icons to change between **On** and **Off**.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

### Color

With this feature, you can choose full-color printing, auto color, or printing with black toner only.

In **Imaging > Color**, the following color modes are available:

#### Full color

This mode prints full four-color text and graphics.

#### **Auto color**

With **Auto color** selected, only black toner is used to print black and grayscale.

#### **Black**

This mode prints with black toner only, suppressing all color settings.

**Color** also appears in the **Quick Print** tab and in the **Basic** tab. Changes in **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs are reflected in the other tabs.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are printed with black toner only by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Black & White mode**.

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## **Color Reproduction**

With this feature, you can optimize the color rendering of photos and graphics. This feature is available when **Full color** or **Auto color** is selected under **Color**.

In **Imaging > Color reproduction**, the following options are available.

#### **Printer settings**

This option uses the printer settings only.

#### **Text and Graphics**

This option is for printing documents that contain many graphs, charts or drawings.

#### **Text and Photos**

This option is for printing documents with many photographic images.

#### Vivid colors

This option increases the color saturation of graphics and photos.

#### **Publications**

This option is for printing a mix of graphics and/or photos. Select this option to print close to the color shade of the screen.

#### Line art

This option is for printing figures or graphics drawn with lines. Select this option to print colored lines with pure simple color.

#### China red

This option appears if you selected the **China Red** plug-in as an optional component following installation of the printer driver. This plug-in appears automatically if the region is set to a Chinese locale.

#### Custom table

This option is for selecting a custom color table already installed on your printing system. All other **Color reproduction** options use the default color table.

#### **Advanced**

This option achieves greater consistency in color reproduction among various devices. It compensates for the different color spaces of color printing systems. Selecting and applying a set of profiles is called a color profile. Select to open the **Color Correction** dialog box for additional color printing options.

### **China Red**

With this plug-in feature, you can select the desired red hue for an accurate display in a print job.

In the **China Red** dialog box, an eyedropper tool can be dragged into the onscreen document to select the color, or RGB values can be entered. A printed sheet produced using the printer icon lets you select one color.

**Note:** When **China red** is selected, **Color Optimizer** is unavailable in the **Advanced** tab.

When installed, the **China red** option appears in **Imaging > Color reproduction**. The **China red** option is unavailable for any of the following settings:

PDF or XPS selected as the PDL

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# Black & White mode selected in Administrator > Lock Settings Black selected in the Imaging, Basic, or Quick Print tab

Note: If Data passthrough is selected in the Page Description Languages (PDL) dialog box, China red can be selected, but China Red Settings is unavailable.

#### **Printing with China Red**

- Open the document containing the desired color.
- 2 From the application's **File** menu, click **Print**, then click **Preferences** or **Properties** to open the **Properties** dialog box.
- 3 In Imaging > Color reproduction, select China red.
- Click Settings.
- Select your color by one of the following methods:

Drag the eyedropper tool anywhere on the screen to select the desired color. If you know the RGB values of the color, type or select the values.

The color appears in the color preview box.

- 6 Click the printer icon to print a one-page table displaying variations of the selected color. From the printed sheet, select the desired variation.
- 7 In the **China Red** dialog box, type or select the number/letter combination of the selected variation in the spin box next to the color preview box.
- 8 Click **OK** to save the settings.

#### **Color Correction**

In **Color reproduction**, the **Advanced** option provides some methods for controlling how the printer processes color matching.

From Color reproduction, select Advanced. The Color Correction dialog box appears with the following options:

#### None (application corrected)

With this option, color data processes without applying the adjustments contained in the printing system's internal color lookup tables. Ink simulation will not be executed. This is useful if the application provides its own color correction.

#### ICM (system corrected)

This option specifies color rendering in the print job to make it as close to the original as possible. ICM technology relies upon associating an output device like a printing system with a Color Profile. An ICM Profile for a printing system contains information about rendering accurate color information for that device. The settings for ICM must be set in the Color Management tab in the printing system Properties.

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If you select the **None (application corrected)** option, click **OK** to close the **Color Correction** dialog box.

If you select the ICM (system corrected) option, proceed to step 2.

Select an option, then click **OK** to save the selection.

#### Optimize for exact color (colorimetric)

This option is for matching colors precisely in all print jobs, such as colors in a corporate logo.

#### Optimize for color contrast (best for images)

This option optimizes for color contrast by adjusting contrast to preserve detail throughout the tonal range. Select it for images or scanned photographs containing many colors or shades of color.

#### Optimize for color saturation (best for graphs)

This option optimizes for color saturation by adjusting hue to preserve the vividness of pure colors. Select for graphs or charts containing solid colors.

3 Click **OK** again to close the **Color Correction** dialog box.

#### **Setting a Default Color Profile**

- 1 In Control Panel, right-click your printing system model and click Printer properties or Properties (Windows Server 2008).
- Select the Color Management tab and click Color Management.
- 3 In the **Devices** tab > **Device** list, select the desired color printer.
- Select the Use my settings for this device check box.
- 5 In the Profile selection list, select Manual, and click Add.
- In the Associate Color Profile dialog box, select an ICC profile, or click Browse to find a profile, and click OK. The profile is added to the Profiles associated with this device list.
- 7 Select the desired color profile and click **Set as Default Profile**.
- Click Close.

# **Color Adjustment**

With this feature, you can customize the two color spaces in the driver and save up to three custom groups. Color space changes can be made to hue, saturation, and lightness (HSL) or to color balance levels.

**Note:** If different custom settings are selected for **Adjustment** and **Color Optimizer** in the **Advanced** tab, the latest change takes precedence and is applied to the print job.

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In a client/server environment, settings a user makes in the client computer are saved for future use.

# **Selecting Custom Color Adjustment**

If a custom color setting has already been defined, you can select and apply it to a print job.

- 1 In Imaging > Color, click the Full color or Auto color icon.
- In the Adjustment list, select Custom 1, Custom 2, or Custom 3.
- 3 Click OK.

# **Adjusting HSL (Hue, Saturation, Lightness)**

- In Imaging > Color, click the Full color or Auto color icon.
- 2 In the Adjustment list, select Edit.
- 3 In Adjustment Settings > Custom color adjustment, select Custom 1, Custom 2, or Custom 3.
- Select HSL (hue, saturation and lightness).
- Under **Select preview image**, click the icon to select one of three different images. Different colors are emphasized in each of the photographs to aid in the color adjustment process.
- Adjust the distribution and balance of hues.
  - For coordinated hue adjustment, from the **Modify** list, select **Master**. Type or select the **Hue** value between -180 and +180.
  - For specific hue adjustment, from the **Modify** list, select **Red**, **Yellow**, **Green**, **Cyan**, **Blue**, or **Magenta**. Type or select the **Hue** value between -10 and +10.
- 7 Type or select the Saturation, Lightness, and Contrast values between -10 and +10.
- You can click Reset to restore the default values.
- Olick OK to save the new HSL settings.

#### Adjusting Color Balance

- 1 In Imaging > Color, click the Full color or Auto color icon.
- In the Adjustment list, select Edit.
- 3 In Adjustment Settings > Custom color adjustment, select Custom 1, Custom 2, or Custom 3.

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- Select Color balance.
- Under **Select preview image**, click the icon to select one of three different images. Different colors are emphasized in each of the photographs to aid in the color adjustment process.
- 6 Under each color bar, type or select the relative values of each color between –10 and +10.
- You can click Reset to restore the default values.
- Click **OK** to save the new Color balance settings.

# **Black and White Adjustment**

With this feature, you can change the brightness and contrast of graphics. These settings are useful if graphic images are printing too light, too gray, or too dark. Text remains unaffected.

# **Adjusting Black and White Settings**

- 1 In Imaging > Color, select the Black icon.
- 2 In the **Adjustment** list, select **Custom**.

A preview image in the **Adjustment Settings** dialog box illustrates any brightness and contrast changes.

3 Type or select the **Brightness** value to lighten or darken the graphic images of the print job.

The brightest setting is +100; the darkest is -100. Zero is the default mid-level setting. Adjusting brightness allows for the customization of graphic images if images are printing too light or too dark.

4 Type or select the **Contrast** value to increase or decrease the proportion of light to dark in the graphic images of the print job.

A high contrast setting decreases the grayscale spectrum, making light grays lighter and dark grays darker. A low contrast setting increases the grayscale spectrum, making light grays darker and dark grays lighter.

The highest contrast setting is +100; the lowest is -100. Zero is the default midlevel setting. Adjusting contrast is useful if graphic images are printing too gray, or too black and white. Text remains unaffected.

- 5 You can click **Reset** to restore the default values.
- Click **OK** to save the new black and white settings.

### **Color Conversion**

With this feature, you can choose how to apply color processing to your print job depending on how color data is received from the application. This feature is

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available if KPDL is selected in the Page Description Languages (PDL) dialog box.

In **Imaging > Color conversion**, select from the following options:

#### **Printer settings**

Select this option to use the settings currently on the device.

#### Speed priority

Select this option if the driver receives RGB data from the application.

#### **Quality priority**

Select this option if the driver receives full color data from the application.

# **Text and Graphics Effects**

Special settings are available for color or black and white printing.

#### Print text as black

This option prints all color text as black. It produces faster printing of color print jobs by reducing the amount of data sent to the printer. In black and white printing, it increases the detail for light-colored text printed. White text and image colors are unaffected. When **Auto Color** is selected, this feature is turned off automatically.

#### Print grays with black toner

This option prints grayscale with black only. When **Full color** is selected as the **Color** option, this feature is turned off. This feature is selected automatically when **Auto color** is selected in the **Quick Print**, **Basic**, or **Imaging** tabs.

#### Print graphics as black

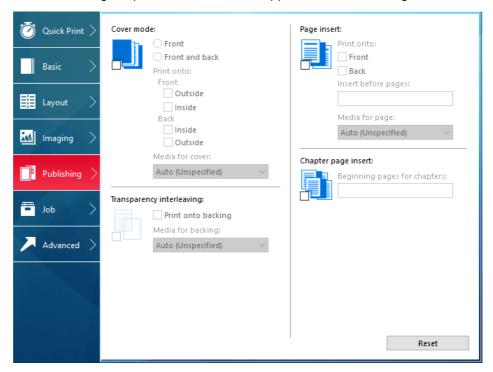
This option prints all color graphics with black, rather than grayscale. This feature is intended for CAD applications. **Black** must be selected as the **Color**.

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# 8 Publishing

In the **Publishing** tab, you can create covers and inserts for a print job, insert sheets between transparencies, and set the first page of every chapter to print on the front side of the paper. The features on this tab are unavailable when **PDF** is selected as the PDL.

To return to the original settings, click **Reset**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.



### **Cover Mode**

With this feature, you can add cover pages for the front and back of your document. You can print on cover pages of a different weight or color than the main document. The source of the cover paper is specified by adjusting the **Media for cover** settings in the **Publishing** tab.

Duplex printing must be selected in the **Basic** tab or **Quick Print** tab in order to print using the **Front** / **Inside** or **Back** / **Outside** options.

Cover mode cannot be used with Transparency interleaving.

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# **Cover Mode Options**

Check Box Selection	Cover Insertion Type		
Front	Inserts a blank front cover.		
	F 2 3		
Front	Prints on the outside surface of the front cover.		
Front Outside			
	F 1 2 3 4		
Front	Prints on the inside surface of the front cover.		
Front Inside	F 2 3		
Front	Prints on the outside and inside surfaces of the front cover.		
Front Outside Front Inside	Surfaces of the Horit cover.		

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# **Check Box Selection Cover Insertion Type** Inserts blank front and back covers. Front and back В F Prints on the outside surface of the Front and back front cover and inserts a blank back Front Outside cover. В 3 Prints on the inside surface of the front Front and back cover and inserts a blank back cover. Front Inside В 3 Prints on both sides of the front cover Front and back and inserts a blank back cover. Front Outside Front Inside В 4 3

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Check Box Selection	Cover Insertion Type				
Front and back Back Inside	Prints on the inside surface of the back cover and inserts a blank front cover.				
	F 1 2 3				
Front and back Back Outside	Prints on the outside surface of the back cover and inserts a blank front cover.				
	5 1 3 B				
Front and back Back Inside	Prints on both sides of the back cover and inserts a blank front cover.				
Back Outside	F 1 3 5				
Front and back	Prints on both sides of the front and back covers.				
Front Outside Front Inside Back Inside Back Outside	back covers.				

# **Printing Covers**

1 In the **Publishing** tab, click the **Cover mode** icon.

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- Select Front or Front and back to specify the type of covers.
- 3 Select from Print onto options if you want to print on the covers.
- 4 In the **Media for cover** list, select the media type or source cassette for the front and back covers. When you choose the media type, a source cassette matching that media type is automatically selected.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

# Transparency Interleaving

With this feature, you can insert a backing sheet between printed transparencies. The backing sheet, also known as an interleaf, helps keep transparencies clean and prevents them from clinging together. This feature is only available when printing on transparencies supplied from the **Multipurpose tray**. You can print the same content on the backing pages as on the transparencies.

**Transparency interleaving** cannot be used together with **Cover mode**, **Page insert**, and **Chapter page insert**.

## **Inserting Backing Sheets Between Transparencies**

- In Basic > Media type, select Transparency. If the Source and Media type lists have been combined (by a selection in Device Settings > Compatibility), Media type does not appear. Instead, in the Source list select Auto (Transparency).
- n the **Publishing** tab, click the **Transparency interleaving** icon.
- 3 To print the transparency content on the inserted pages also, select the Print onto backing check box.
- 4 In the **Media for backing** list, select the media type or source cassette. When you choose the media type, a source cassette matching that media type is automatically selected.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

The printing system's operation panel prompts you to load transparencies into the **Multipurpose tray**, and if necessary, load backing paper into the selected cassette.

# **Page Insert**

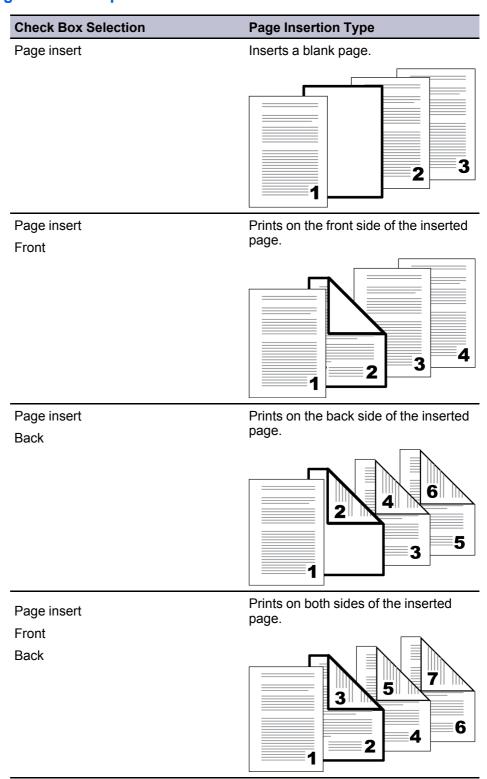
With this feature, you can insert a preprinted page or a page of a different paper type at specific points in a print job. The inserted page can also be printed on during the print job. Both sides of the page insert can be printed on by using the duplex unit.

Duplex printing must be selected in the **Basic** tab or **Quick Print** tab in order to print using the **Back** option.

Page insert cannot be used with Transparency interleaving.

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# **Page Insertion Options**



# **Printing Page Inserts**

- 1 In the **Publishing** tab, click the **Page insert** icon.
- Select from available Print onto options:

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**Front**: Prints on the front of the insert. **Back**: Prints on the back of the insert.

Neither option selected: Inserts a blank page.

- 3 In **Insert before pages**, type the page number to insert. A page is inserted between the page number you typed and the page before it.
- 4 From the **Media for page** list, select the media type or source cassette. When you choose the media type, a source cassette matching that media type is automatically selected.
- 5 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **Chapter Page Insert**

With this feature, you can force the initial page of each chapter in a document to print on the front side of the paper. You identify the first page of each chapter, up to 100 chapters. This feature is applicable for duplex printing and for printing multiple pages on a sheet.

Collate is turned on automatically in the Quick Print and Basic tabs.

Chapter page insert cannot be used with Poster and Booklet in the Layout tab, or Transparency Interleaving in the Publishing tab.

This feature is unavailable when **PCL 5c** is selected as the PDL.

# **Printing with Chapter Page Insert**

- 1 In the Quick Print or Basic tab, select Duplex.
- In the Publishing tab, click the Chapter page insert icon.
- 3 In **Beginning pages for chapters**, enter page numbers from 2 to 999, where each number is the first page of a chapter. You can type individual page numbers separated by commas.

**Note:** If **Cover Mode**, **Print onto**: **Front / Outside** and **Front / Inside** are selected, enter page numbers from 3 to 999.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

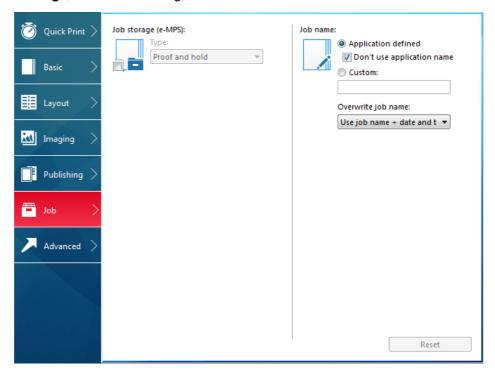
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# 9 Job

In the **Job** tab, you can store print jobs in the memory installed in the printing system. You can also select a **Job name** to use with Job storage features. You can use this tab to set or change the default settings that apply when you print a document from a Microsoft Windows application.

To return to the original settings, click **Reset**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.

An administrator can ensure that all jobs are stored or printed with the selected **Job** tab settings by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Job tab**.



# Job Storage (e-MPS)

**Job storage (e-MPS)** offers a set of options for saving print jobs in printing system memory, so that you can print or reprint them later. Print jobs can easily be reprinted later using the printing system's operation panel, and printing of sensitive documents can be restricted to approved users.

This feature is a multitier solution that provides advanced print management, directly from the desktop. By storing a job in the printing system, you can print it from the operation panel without sending it again from the computer.

To use the **Job storage (e-MPS)** features, you can set a user name in the **User Settings** dialog box, available in **Device Settings**. If you do not set a user name, the Windows login user name is the default.

Job storage (e-MPS) is unavailable when Net Manager is selected in Device Settings > Administrator > Net Manager.

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# Job Storage (e-MPS) options

	Storage location	Access code required	When job is printed	When job is deleted from memory
Custom box	SSD	Optional password	When printed from operation panel	When manually deleted or up to 31 days
Quick copy	SSD or SD card	No	When sent from the computer	When printing system is turned off, or storage device is full, or job retention date has passed
Proof and hold	SSD, RAM disk, or SD card	No	One print when job is sent; remaining prints later	When printing system is turned off, or job retention date has passed
Private print	SSD, RAM disk, or SD card	Yes	When access code is entered at operation panel	When printing system is turned off, or after printing, or job retention date has passed
Job storage	SSD or SD card	Optional	When printed from operation panel	When manually deleted

# **Custom Box**

With this feature, you can store print jobs until they are printed from the printing system's operation panel. You can print one or more jobs from the storage device.

Print jobs can be deleted after printing or saved on the storage device for 1-31 days.

Custom boxes must be set up for each user at the printing system's home page and in the **SSD Settings** dialog box, accessed from **Device Settings**. The maximum number of custom boxes is 1000.

# Storing a Job in a Custom Box

- 1 In the **Job** tab, click the **Job storage (e-MPS)** icon.
- In the Type list, select Custom box.
- 3 Click Settings.
- Select a Custom Box Settings option:

Select **Use specific box number**, and type the box number and password.

Select **Prompt for box number**, and click **OK**. When starting to print, the **Custom Box** dialog box appears. Type a box number from the **Defined custom boxes** list. If a password was set, type the password.

Select **Display box number list**, and click **OK**. When starting to print, the **Custom Box** dialog box appears. Select a box from the list. If a password

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was set, type the password. This can be selected if **Shared box** is selected in the **SSD Settings** dialog box.

Select **Verify box number for each login user**, and click **OK**. When starting to print, the **Custom Box** dialog box appears. Type a box number. To include a password, select **Require password** and type the password. This can be selected when **Shared box** is selected in the **SSD Settings** dialog box.

5 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

With **Verify box number for each login user** selected, the driver searches for a login user name from the custom box list to serve as the custom box name:

If a match is found, the custom box is used for the print job.

If a match is not found, the driver checks for administrator or user permissions. With administrator permissions, you are prompted to type a box number and optional password for the print job. The driver searches for a Windows login user name and adds this name with the box number and password to the custom box list in the driver. With user permissions, the print job is canceled. You are then prompted to contact an administrator to establish printing permissions.

# **Quick Copy**

**Quick copy** is a **Job storage (e-MPS)** option that prints all copies of a print job and stores the job temporarily on the storage device for reprinting later. This feature is available when a storage device is installed and selected in **Device Settings**.

**Quick copy** is useful for printing the job again later in the day when you need additional copies at short notice. You can set the number of additional copies and print the job from the printing system's operation panel without sending the job again from the computer.

The number of **Quick copy** or **Proof and hold** jobs that can be stored is set at the printing system's operation panel. When the designated number of jobs is reached, older jobs are replaced by new jobs. All **Quick copy** jobs are stored on the storage device after printing. Jobs are deleted when the printing system is turned off or the job retention date has passed. You can manually delete a job at the operation panel.

**Warning:** A print job replaces a job on the storage device having the same user name and job name. To prevent this, select **Use job name + date and time** under **Overwrite job name**.

**Note:** If you are using this feature with an SD card, clear the **RAM disk** check box in **Device Settings**. The RAM disk settings in the device must also be turned off.

# **Printing a Quick Copy Job**

- In the Job tab, click the Job storage (e-MPS) icon.
- In the Type list, select Quick copy.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

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## **Proof and Hold**

**Proof and hold** is a **Job storage (e-MPS)** option that prints one copy of a print job so that you can proof it before printing the remaining copies.

After the proof copy is printed and checked, remaining copies can be printed from the printing system's operation panel without sending the job again from the computer. If desired, you can change the number of copies printed.

**Note: Proof and hold** is unavailable for some applications such as Microsoft Excel.

The number of **Proof and hold** or **Quick copy** jobs that can be stored is set at the printing system's operation panel. When the designated number of jobs is reached, older jobs are replaced by new jobs. All **Proof and hold** jobs are stored on the storage device after printing. Jobs are deleted when the printing system is turned off or the job retention date has passed. You can manually delete a job at the operation panel.

**Warning:** A print job can replace a job on the storage device having the same user name and job name. To prevent this, select **Use job name + date and time** under **Overwrite job name**.

# **Printing a Proof and Hold Job**

- 1 In the **Basic** tab, select the number of copies to be printed.
- In the Job tab, click the Job storage (e-MPS) icon.
- In the Type list, select Proof and hold.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

#### **Private Print**

**Private print** is a **Job storage (e-MPS)** option that saves jobs on the storage device for printing until a four-digit access code is entered. When the storage device reaches maximum capacity and a new job is sent to be stored, the oldest stored job is replaced by the new job. **Private print** jobs are deleted when the printing system is reset or turned off, or when the job retention date has passed. If you do not want the job deleted, select the **Job storage** feature.

When sending a sensitive document to the printing system, a user must type a four-digit access code, which is attached to the print job along with the **Job name** and **User name**. You can also select a prompt option for typing the access code. The job is not printed until a user enters the access code at the printing system's operation panel. After the job is printed, it is removed from printing system memory.

The number of **Private print** jobs that can be stored is limited only by the storage capacity of the storage device. You can manually delete a job at the operation panel.

**Warning:** A print job can replace a job on the storage device having the same user name and job name. To prevent this, select **Use job name + date and time** under **Overwrite job name**.

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# **Storing a Private Print Job**

- 1 In the **Job** tab, click the **Job storage (e-MPS)** icon.
- 2 In the Type list, select Private print.
- 3 Select a method for choosing an access code:

If you want to use the same access codes for print jobs, clear **Prompt for** access code, and then type four numbers in the **Specify access code** box.

If you want to use different access codes for print jobs, select **Prompt for access code**. When you click **OK** in the **Print** dialog box, type the access code in the **Private Print** dialog box that appears.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **Job Storage**

**Job storage** is a **Job storage** (e-MPS) option that stores a print job permanently on the storage device for printing later. You also have the option of protecting the print job from unauthorized printing by using an access code. This feature is available when a storage device is installed and selected in **Device Settings**.

**Job storage** is useful for jobs that need to be available for printing at any time, even if the printing system has been turned off and turned on again. **Job storage** jobs can only be removed manually from printing system memory.

If desired, you can attach a four-digit access code to a **Job storage** job, so that you can print a job without anyone else seeing it, or restrict printing to approved users. When the access code is used, the job is not printed until a user prints it at the printing system's operation panel. After the job is printed, it remains in printing system memory.

The number of **Job storage** jobs that can be stored is limited only by the storage capacity of the storage device. You can manually delete a job at the operation panel.

**Warning:** A print job can replace a job on the storage device having the same user name and job name. To prevent this, select **Use job name + date and time** under **Overwrite job name**.

**Note:** If you are using this feature with an SD card, clear the **RAM disk** check box in **Device Settings**. The RAM disk settings in the device must also be turned off.

# Storing a Job Storage Job

- In the Job tab, select the Job storage (e-MPS) icon.
- In the Type list, select Job storage.
- 3 Select a method for choosing an access code:

When you want to use the same access codes for print jobs, clear **Prompt for access code**, and then type four numbers in the **Specify access code** box

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When you want to use different access codes for print jobs, select **Prompt for access code**. When you click **OK** in the **Print** dialog box, type the access code in the **Job Storage** dialog box that appears.

Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **User Login**

**User Login** provides job restriction by user, in contrast to the **Job accounting** feature, which assigns privileges by division or department. This feature appears in the **Job** tab when **Use specific name** is selected in **Device Settings > Administrator > User Login**. Selections vary by printing system model.

In the **Job** tab, you can change the name and password temporarily for your print job. This does not change the default name and password that were set in **Device Settings**.

# **Printing with User Login**

- In the Job tab, under User Login, click Settings.
- 2 In the **Identity Settings** dialog box, type a name and password.
- You can click Reset to restore the default values.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

# **Job Accounting**

With this feature, an administrator can control of a printing system. With **Job accounting**, account IDs (identification numbers) can be assigned to users or departments. This feature appears in the **Job** tab when **Use specific account ID** is selected in **Device Settings > Administrator > Job Accounting**.

In the **Job** tab, you can change the account ID temporarily for your print job. This does not change the default account ID that was set in **Device Settings**.

### **Printing with Job Accounting**

- In the Job tab, under Job accounting, click Settings.
- In the Identity Settings dialog box, type an account ID.
- 3 You can click **Reset** to restore the default value.
- Click OK in all dialog boxes.

#### **Job Name**

A **Job name** is a unique identifier for each print job. It helps you find and print your job from the printing system's operation panel. When you send a print job

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using one of the **Job storage (e-MPS)** options, you can assign a custom name to the job or use the name of the application file.

For Microsoft Word and PowerPoint, you can choose to include or omit the application name from the application defined **Job name**. You can also ensure that jobs in printing system memory are not replaced by new jobs having the same **Job name**.

# **Don't Use Application Name**

With this feature, you can remove the application name from the job name in job storage features. By selecting **Don't use application name**, the file name you choose appears clearly in the job list. This feature is applicable only when printing from Microsoft Word or PowerPoint.

#### **Overwrite Job Name**

With this feature, you can ensure that a saved print job is not replaced in printing system memory by a new job having the same **Job name**. If a user sends two print jobs with the same **User name** and **Job name**, the second job replaces the first job without any prompt. To prevent this, **Overwrite job name** can automatically change the **Job name** by adding the date and time the job is sent. This feature also helps you to track when print jobs were sent from the computer.

The selected option applies to a **Job name** with either **Application defined** or **Custom** selected. **Overwrite job name** options include:

#### Replace existing file

This option lets the current print job replace an existing job in printing system memory, if a job with the same **User name** and **Job name** exists.

#### Use job name + date and time

This option adds the current date and time to the end of the **Job name**. The previous print job with the same job name remains in the printing system memory.

### **Selecting a Job Name**

You can select a **Job name** to use with **Job storage (e-MPS)** features, so that you can find your job in the job list displayed on the printing system's operation panel. The selected **Job name** is saved with the print job when the job is sent to printing system memory.

In **Job > Job name**, select a name:

#### **Application defined**

This option uses the name of the application document as the **Job name**. For Microsoft Word or PowerPoint documents, selecting **Don't use application name** removes the name of the application so that only the document name appears as the **Job name**.

#### Custom

This option uses a unique name for each job. Type a name in the box, to a maximum of 79 characters.

Select an Overwrite job name option in case a job already exists in printing system memory with the same Job name:

#### Replace existing file

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If a job with the same **User name** and **Job name** exists, the current print job replaces an existing job in printing system memory.

# Use job name + date and time

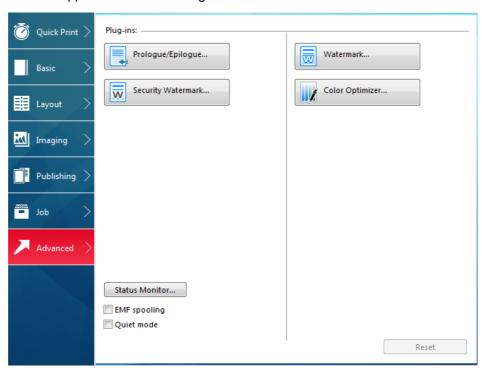
Adds the current date and time to the end of the **Job name**.

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# 10 Advanced

In the **Advanced** tab, you can choose special features that extend the capabilities of the printing system.

Clicking **Reset** sets the **EMF spooling** check box and the **Quiet mode** check box back to the last setting you made in the printer driver's **Printing Preferences**. The **Reset** button is available when accessing the printer driver from the application's **Print** dialog box.



# Prologue/Epilogue

With this feature, you can insert a command file at the beginning of a print job or at the end. The command file uses programming commands from the printer resident PRESCRIBE language. The **Product Library** disk includes a PRESCRIBE command language reference guide.

A command file is a set of instructions the printing system interprets to produce a given output. For example, a **Prologue/Epilogue** command file may contain a macro that places a graphic object such as a logo at the top of a letterhead document. Or a heading can be added to carbon copies when using the **Carbon copies** feature in the **Basic** tab.

A **Prologue/Epilogue** file must be available on your computer before it can be added to a print job. To create this file, use a text editor like Windows Notepad. You can edit a **Prologue/Epilogue** file on your computer by clicking **Edit**. Editing and saving a command file replaces the contents of the existing local or network file.

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You can remove a **Prologue/Epilogue** file from the list by selecting the file and clicking **Delete**. Only the file name is removed from the command file list. The file itself is not deleted, but remains on the network or local computer.

## **Insertion Point Options**

The insertion point is the location in the print job where the selected **Prologue/Epilogue** command file is processed by the printing system. Each file in the list can be assigned only one insertion point.

**Note:** The **Start of the page** and **End of the page** insertion point options are available only when **PCL 5c** is selected as the PDL.

#### Unassigned

The selected command file is not inserted into the print job. This selection can be used when you are working with multiple command files and want to use some but not others. Select **Unassigned** for the command files you do not want to use in the print job.

#### Beginning of the print job

The command file is inserted as the first page of the print job. The document starts printing on the second page.

#### End of the print job

The command file is inserted as the last page of the print job, which prints after the last page of the document.

#### Start of the page

The command file is inserted at the top of each page of the print job.

#### End of the page

The command file is inserted at the bottom of each page of the print job.

#### Only on odd pages

If **Start of the page** or **End of the page** is selected, this option can be selected to insert the command file into all odd-numbered pages.

#### Only on even pages

If **Start of the page** or **End of the page** is selected, this option can be selected to insert the command file into all even-numbered pages.

### **Pages**

If **Start of the page** or **End of the page** is selected, this option can be selected to insert the command file into specified pages. In the text box, type individual page numbers separated by commas, or a page range separated by a hyphen.

### Selecting and Assigning a Prologue/Epilogue File

- 1 In Advanced > Prologue/Epilogue, click Browse to find a Prologue/Epilogue file (.TXT, .LOG) and add it to the Select Prologue/Epilogue file to insert list.
- Select a file from the list.
- 3 Under Insertion point, select a place to insert the Prologue/Epilogue file, or select Unassigned.

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- Repeat steps 1-3 to include additional files.
- 5 Click OK.

# Editing a Prologue/Epilogue File

You can edit a **Prologue/Epilogue** file on your computer.

- 1 In Advanced > Prologue/Epilogue, select a Prologue/Epilogue file name from the list, and then click Edit.
- After your text editor opens, make your changes to the file.
- 3 Save the file and exit.

**Note:** Editing and saving a command file replaces the contents of the existing local or network file.

# Deleting a Prologue/Epilogue File

- In Advanced > Prologue/Epilogue, select a Prologue/Epilogue file name from the list, and then click Delete.
- In the delete confirmation box, click Yes to accept.

**Note:** Only the file name is removed from the command file list. The file itself is not deleted, but remains on the network or local computer.

#### **Watermark**

A watermark is a recognizable image or pattern that can be placed on a page or throughout a document. You can choose one of the default watermarks, create your own text, or use an image. The preview area of the dialog box shows how the watermark appears on a page. This is useful for making adjustments to the appearance and location of the watermark.

Any watermark can be edited, though a limited number of options can be changed for default watermarks.

If you want to use an image for the watermark, an image file must be available on your computer before it can be added to a print job.

Watermark **Spacing** displays the unit of measurement in inches or millimeters. You can change the **Units** setting in the **User Settings** dialog box, accessed from **Device Settings**.

Watermark should be turned on before using Lock Settings. When Watermark is turned off, using Lock Settings makes Watermark unavailable for all users.

An administrator can ensure that a watermark is printed on all jobs by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Watermark**.

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# **Adding or Editing Watermark Text**

- 1 In **Advanced > Watermark**, click **New** to create a custom text watermark.

  To edit a default or custom text watermark, select it from the list.
- Under Watermark name, type a name, to a maximum of 39 characters. A default watermark cannot be renamed.
- 3 Under **Watermark text**, type your preferred text. This option is unavailable when editing a default text watermark.
- Select the desired font, size, and style of the text.
- Select the color of the watermark text from the list.
  Select from default colors, or for custom colors, select Custom to open the Color dialog box. Click one of the Basic colors and click OK, or click Define Custom Colors to open and select from the color spectrum panel.
- Select the watermark **Count**, to a maximum of 20. In the **Spacing** box, type or select the distance between two or more text watermarks in tenths of an inch or in millimeters.
- 7 Select the position of the text watermark with the Angle, Horizontal, and Vertical boxes.

You can also change the position and angle by clicking the buttons at the bottom of the preview area and then clicking the watermark text. Drag the pointer to move or rotate the watermark text.

The **Rotate around center** check box at the bottom of the dialog box determines the method of rotation for the watermark text. Select **Rotate around center** to position the watermark text with the center of the text as its axis, and clear it to position the watermark text with the left end of the text as its axis.

2 Under **Print onto**, choose pages for printing the watermark:

#### All pages

This option prints the watermark on each document page.

### First page only

This option prints the watermark on the first document page.

### All pages except first page

This option prints the watermark on all pages after the first page.

#### Only on specified pages

This option prints the watermark on the page numbers typed in the text box.

### **Outside of front cover**

This option prints the watermark on the front cover. This is available when Cover mode is selected in the Publishing tab. If Cover mode and Front / Outside or Front and back / Outside are both selected in the Publishing tab, Outside of front cover is selected automatically.

Olick Save to save the watermark.

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1 Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

## Adding or Editing a Watermark Image

- 1 In **Advanced > Watermark**, click **New** to create a custom image watermark.

  To edit a custom image watermark, select it from the list.
- Under Watermark name, type a name, to a maximum of 39 characters.
- 3 Under Watermark image, click Browse to find an image file (Bitmap, JPEG, GIF, PNG) located on your computer.
- 4 Under **Scaling**, increase or reduce the size of the watermark image on the page, between 1 and 1000%, or select **Auto** to fit the entire image in the center of the page.
- 5 Under **Opacity**, select the density of the watermark image, between 1 and 100%.
- 6 Under **Color**, select whether to print the watermark image with full color or with black toner only.
- 7 Select the position of the watermark image with the Angle, Horizontal, and Vertical boxes, or select Auto to fit the entire image in the center of the page.

You can also change the position and angle by clicking the buttons at the bottom of the preview area and then clicking the watermark image. Drag the pointer to move or rotate the watermark image.

The **Rotate around center** check box at the bottom of the dialog box determines the method of rotation for the watermark image. Select **Rotate around center** to position the watermark image with the center of the image as its axis, and clear it to position the watermark image with the left end of the image as its axis.

**?** Under **Print onto**, choose pages for printing the watermark:

### All pages

This option prints the watermark on each document page.

### First page only

This option prints the watermark on the first document page.

#### All pages except first page

This option prints the watermark on all pages after the first page.

#### Only on specified pages

This option prints the watermark on the page numbers typed in the text box.

#### Outside of front cover

This option prints the watermark on the front cover. This option is available when **Cover mode** is selected in the **Publishing** tab. If **Cover mode** and **Front / Outside** are both selected in the **Publishing** tab, **Outside of front cover** is selected automatically.

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- Olick Save to save the watermark.
- Click **OK** in all dialog boxes.

# **Security Watermark**

With this plug-in feature, you can print a nearly invisible image or text against a background pattern. The security watermark appears only when the printed page is photocopied. This helps to identify printed pages that should not be photocopied, or to distinguish between original prints and photocopies. Six standard security watermarks are available as text or image, and you can create custom security watermark text.

The **Optional Components Wizard** offers the opportunity to install the **Security Watermark** plug-in following installation of the printer driver.

**Security Watermark** is available in the **Advanced** tab when **PCL XL** is selected as the PDL.

Any security watermark can be edited, though a limited number of options can be changed for default security watermarks.

A notable security watermark feature is the **Document guard** pattern, which prevents the document from being photocopied, scanned, faxed, or printed from memory. If a scan, fax, or print from memory is attempted, the process is stopped and a message appears on the printing system's operation panel.

For a security watermark to be effective, it must be nearly invisible in a printed page and clearly visible in a photocopied page. Because printing systems and driver settings can vary, you must adjust the density and contrast before printing a security watermark. This adjustment is also recommended when changing the background pattern, replacing the toner or printing system, and after heavy printing activity.

Selecting **Security Watermark** sets these driver features to the following values:

Watermark in the Advanced tab is set to None.

Resolution in Imaging > Print Quality > Custom > Custom Quality Settings is set to 600 dpi.

Kyocera image refinement in Imaging > Print Quality > Custom > Custom Quality Settings is set to Off.

Color reproduction in the Imaging tab is set to Line art.

EcoPrint in Quick Print, Basic, or Imaging is set to Off.

Adjustment setting in the Imaging tab is set to None.

Color Optimizer in the Advanced tab is set to None.

The reverse is also true. If these features are changed, then the **Security Watermark** selection is set to **None**, and cannot be used.

Security watermark should be turned on before using Lock Settings. When Security watermark is turned off, using Lock Settings makes Security watermark unavailable for all users.

The administrator can ensure that a security watermark is printed on all jobs by selecting **Device Settings > Administrator > Lock Settings**, and then selecting **Security watermark**.

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# Adding or Editing a Security Watermark

In Advanced > Security Watermark, click New to create a custom security watermark.

To edit a default or custom security watermark, select it from the list.

- 2 Under **Security watermark name**, type a name to a maximum of 39 characters. A default security watermark cannot be renamed.
- 3 Under **Lines of text**, select up to 3 lines of text. This option is unavailable when editing a default security watermark. Select from the following options:

#### None

This option leaves the line blank.

#### **User defined**

This option inserts your text to a maximum of 39 characters.

All other options display date, time, or other job information that is obtained from the computer or printer driver when the job is printed.

- Select the desired font, size, style, and angle of the text.
- 5 Select a design for the security watermark background:

#### **Document guard**

The document guard design appears as the security watermark background.

#### **Patterns**

Select a design for the security watermark background.

- 6 Select a color for the security watermark from the **Color** list. The options are **Black**, **Cyan**, or **Magenta**.
- 7 Under Density and Contrast, select initial options:

#### Light, Normal, Dark

Select the shading density of the background pattern.

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Select the level of contrast against the background pattern, from lightest to darkest.

These selections may need to be changed after printing a sample page in the next step.

- Click Print Sample to print a page displaying all nine contrast options against the selected density. It is recommended to print a sample page for each density option.
- **9** From the printed sheet, find the sample where the security watermark is most nearly invisible.
- In the **Security Watermark** dialog box, select **Density** and **Contrast** options to match the sample chosen in step 9.

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11 Under **Print onto**, choose pages for printing the security watermark:

#### All pages

This option prints the security watermark on each document page.

#### First page only

This option prints the security watermark on the first document page.

#### All pages except first page

This option prints the security watermark on all pages after the first page.

#### Only on specified pages

This option prints the security watermark on the page numbers typed in the text box.

#### **Outside of front cover**

This option prints the security watermark on the front cover. This option is available when **Cover mode** is selected in the **Publishing** tab. If **Cover mode** and **Front / Outside** are both selected in the **Publishing** tab, **Outside of front cover** is selected automatically.

- Select Print as footer if you want the first available line of watermark text to be printed at the bottom of the page. Click an icon to select the page position. This option is useful because the security watermark itself is not normally visible on the printed page.
- 13 For **Security Watermark**, **Overprint** is set by default. The security watermark is printed over the document data so that it can appear clearly in a photocopy.
- 14 Click **Save** to save the security watermark.
- 15 Click OK in all dialog boxes.

# **Color Optimizer**

With this plug-in feature, you can match a single color accurately in a print job. Use this feature to print a document, such as a letterhead or company logo. The colors should be solid and consistent, with no shading. Multiple colors can be adjusted separately. **Color Optimizer** does not work in a document with photographs.

In the **Color Optimizer** dialog box, an eyedropper tool can be dragged into the on-screen document to select the color, or RGB values can be entered. A printed sheet produced using the printer icon lets you select from one of 121 color variations. **Hue**, **Lightness**, and **Saturation** settings are adjusted in the driver according to the selected variation.

You can create up to three custom settings for selections made in the **Color Optimizer > Color adjustment** feature. You can also select a **Color reproduction** option.

**Note:** If different custom settings are selected for **Color Optimizer** and **Adjustment** in the **Imaging** tab, the latest change takes precedence and is applied to the print job.

When installed, the **Color Optimizer** button appears in the **Advanced** tab. The **Color Optimizer** button is unavailable for any of the following settings:

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PDF selected as the PDL

Black & White mode selected in Administrator > Lock Settings
Black selected in the Imaging, Basic, or Quick Print tab
China red selected in Color reproduction in the Imaging tab

# **Optimizing RGB Color for Printing**

- Open the document containing the desired colors.
- 2 From the application's File menu, click Print, then click Preferences or Properties to open the Properties dialog box.
- 3 In Advanced > Color Optimizer > Color adjustment, select Custom 1, Custom 2, or Custom 3.
- 4 Under Color reproduction, select from available options.
- 5 Select each color by one of the following methods:

Drag the eyedropper tool anywhere on the screen to select the desired color. If you know the RGB values of the color, type or select the values.

The color appears in the color preview box.

- 6 Select any two of **Hue**, **Lightness**, or **Saturation** settings.
- 7 Click the printer icon to print a one-page table displaying variations of the selected color. From the printed sheet, select the desired variation.
- In the **Color Optimizer** dialog box, type or select the number/letter combination of the selected variation in the spin box next to the color preview box.
- 9 Click Add to add each color to the list, to a maximum of 10 colors. You can remove a color by selecting it in the list and clicking Delete.
- 10 If desired, type a description of the custom setting in the **Description** box, to a maximum of 30 characters. The description only appears in the **Color Optimizer** dialog box.
- 11 Click OK or Apply to save the settings.

# **Status Monitor Notification**

The **Status Monitor** displays printing system status during printing. You can also set up sound and speech notifications for printing system events.

You can start a status monitor for each supported printing system. More than one status monitor can be displayed at one time.

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# **Setting Status Monitor Notification**

- In the Advanced tab, click Status Monitor.
- In the Status Monitor Notification dialog box, select the Enables event notification check box.
- To add sound or speech notification, select an event from the Available events list:

Cover open

Paper jam

Add paper

Sleep

Add toner

**Toner low** 

Not connected

**Printing completed** 

**Others** 

4 Under Sound file / Text to Speech, click to the right of the chosen event, and then:

To add a sound file, type the location of a sound file (.WAV), or click **Browse** to find a sound file located on your computer.

To add speech, type your preferred text, up to 260 characters. The Microsoft **Text to Speech** feature reads your typed text and plays it back in a spoken voice.

- 5 To add sound or speech to other events, repeat steps 3 and 4.
- 6 Click OK.

### Viewing Status Monitor

1 You can view information about the print job and the printing system in the status monitor:

The job tab displays information about each print job. To cancel a job, rightclick on the job and click **Cancel**.

The paper source tab displays information about each cassette and the **Multipurpose tray**.

The toner tab displays the toner level.

The alert tab displays **Ready** or event information. For multiple events, click each event to view details.

- You can hide or show details by clicking the arrow.
- 3 To display a list of options, click the tools icon, and select available options:

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For a network connection, opens a web browser to display the printing system's home page. This option is unavailable for a USB connection.

#### **Notification**

Opens the Status Monitor Notification dialog box.

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Opens a web browser to the KYOCERA Document Solutions home page.

#### **Exit**

Closes the status monitor.

# **EMF Spooling**

EMF (Enhanced MetaFile) is a spool file format used in printing by the Microsoft Windows operating system. When a print job is sent from an application, it is transferred to the spool file. The application writes to and the printer driver reads from the spool file simultaneously. For multiple or large documents, this quickly returns application control to the user while the printer is still printing the document.

Note: When Data passthrough is selected in the Page Description Languages (PDL) dialog box, EMF spooling is unavailable.

# **Selecting EMF Spooling**

- 1 In the Advanced tab, select the EMF Spooling check box.
- 2 Click OK.

# **Quiet Mode**

With this feature, you can print in a quieter mode than normal by selecting the **Quiet mode** check box. If you permit quiet mode for each job on the operation panel, then **Quiet mode** in the driver is enabled during printing.

# **Enable Client Profile**

Client profile refers to profile settings saved on a client computer. You have the choice to use your local profiles or the server profiles. This feature is intended for the client computer in a client/server environment.

In the **Advanced** tab, clear the **Enable client profile** check box to select profiles from the server to apply to print jobs created by the driver. Server profiles are read—only.

Select the **Enable client profile** check box for using custom profiles locally in the driver.

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