

Install the correct Printer Drivers and PPDs

For best results, use the latest version of the Adobe Printer Driver. It can be downloaded from: <http://www.adobe.com/support/downloads/detail.jsp?ftpID=1494>. Install it and choose the "AdobePS" printer from the Chooser.

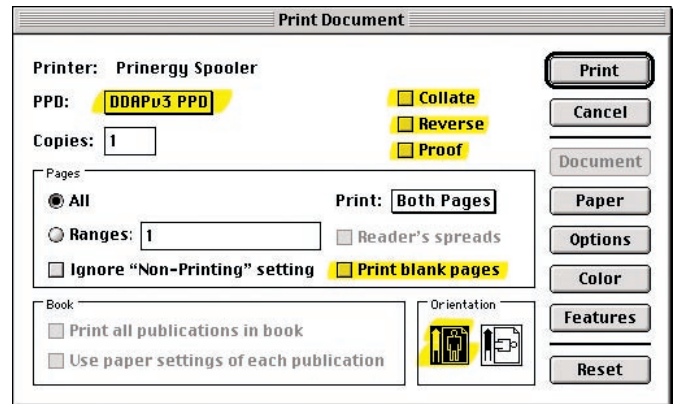
A Printer Description file (PPD) contains information about the printer that your computer uses to format files. Since you will be creating a PDF for hi-res printing you must pick a PPD that contains the correct information for hi-res output. We suggest you use the Acrobat Distiller PPD or Adobe PDF PPD if neither of these are available use the DDAP PPD. www.pdf-x.com/ddap_universal_ppd_resources.php Copy the PPD file into the **Printer Description** folder, located in the **Extensions** Folder in your **System Folder**.

File Preparation

A PDF workflow requires you to start with clean files. Always proof your files carefully, and make sure that all colors are correct, all fonts are available and all images are properly linked. When your file is ready, open it and choose Print.

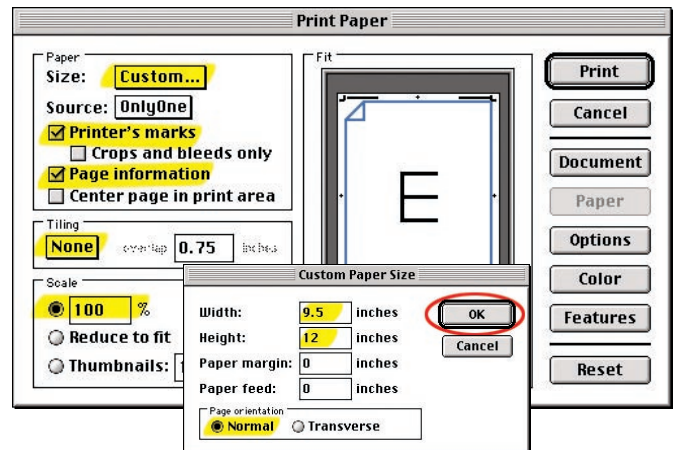
1. Under the Document Section of the Print Window:

- Choose **DDAPv3 PPD, Adobe PDF PPD** or **Acrobat Distiller** for the PPD
- Uncheck **Collate, Reverse and Proof**
- If your document is designed with blank pages that need to print (this is usually done in book publishing) then check **Print Blank pages** otherwise leave it unchecked
- Set the Orientation to Portrait



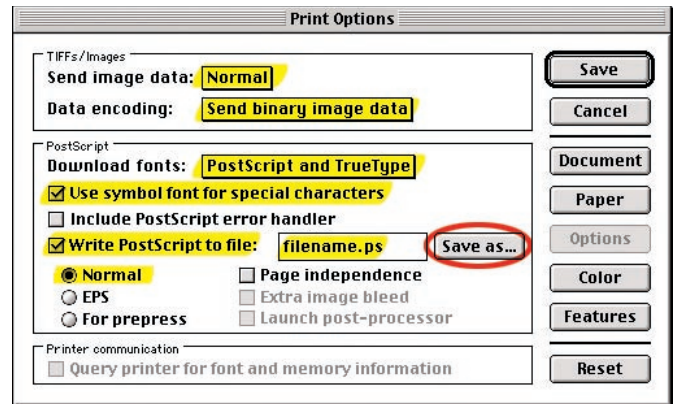
2. Under the Paper Section of the Print Window:

- Check **Printer's Marks & Page Information**
- Under **Tiling** choose **None**
- Choose **100% Scale**
- Choose a **Custom Paper Size** and in the new window that opens make the **Paper Size 1" larger than your document trim size**. Choose Normal Page Orientation and click OK to go back to the print window.



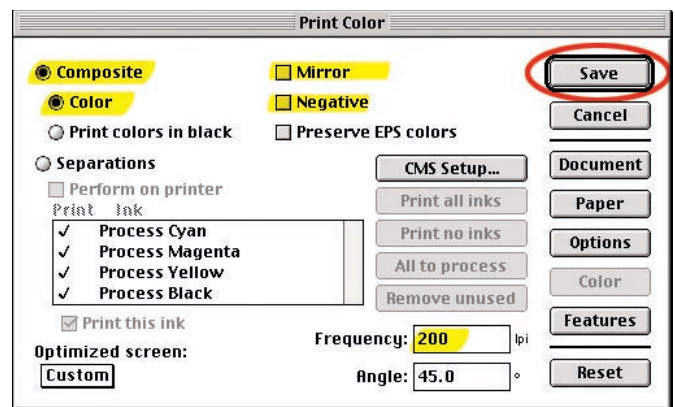
3. Under the Options Section of the Print Window:

- Under **Send Image Data** choose **Normal**
- Set **Data Encoding** to **Binary**
- Download both **Postscript and TrueType Fonts**
- Check **Use Symbol Font**
- Check **Write PostScript to File** and choose **Normal**. Pick a file name and click on **Save as** to pick a location where your file will be saved (this dialog just chooses where the file will be located, it does not save it at this point)



5. Under the Color Section of the Print Window:

- Choose **Composite Color**
- Uncheck **Mirror and Negative**
- Set **Frequency** to **200 lpi**



6. **Click on the Save Button to save your Postscript file**

Once your postscript file is finished writing, you should have a file on your hard drive that you can convert into PDF using Acrobat Distiller. Please refer to the info sheet on creating clean PDFs to continue.

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