



Mini Getting Started Guide

# Adobe PostScript<sup>™</sup> version 4.1 Printer Driver



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Adobe PostScript Printer Driver for Windows™ 95, Version, 4.1

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Welcome to the Adobe™ PostScript™ Printer Driver, version 4.1 for Microsoft® Windows™ 95. This guide explains how to install the Adobe Printer Driver on your system. To install the driver, you must be familiar with basic Windows 95 operating procedures. If you are not, consult with your system administrator or review your Windows 95 system documentation before beginning this installation.

## **ABOUT THIS GUIDE**

This guide contains:

- System requirements for using the Adobe Printer Driver
- Installation instructions for installing the Adobe Printer Driver from floppy disk
- Instructions on using online help
- Installation troubleshooting information

## **SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS**

The Adobe Printer Driver requires the following hardware and software:

- Floppy disk drive
- Hard disk
- Four megabytes or more of memory
- Microsoft Windows 95
- An Adobe PostScript language printer or other Adobe PostScript language imaging device

## INSTALLING THE SOFTWARE

This section briefly describes how to install the Adobe Printer Driver software. The Setup program contains online help for further details. For instructions on using the online help, see “Using Online Help” on page 3.

Before installing the software, perform the following tasks:

- Make sure that the Microsoft Windows 95 operating system is installed on your computer.
- Exit all applications that might be using an earlier version of the driver.
- Make a backup copy of the AdobePS 4.1 Setup disk. For help on making backup copies, see your Windows documentation.

*Note: In some cases, the Setup program might ask you questions that are not described in the following procedure. For more information, see “Troubleshooting” on page 4.*

### **To install the Adobe Printer Driver program:**

- 1 Insert the copy you made of the Setup disk into your floppy drive.
- 2 Exit all applications. To do so, use the Alt-Tab option to move through and exit the running applications.
- 3 In the Start menu, click Run, specify **a:/setup** in the Open box, and click OK. Change the designation of the drive containing the Setup disk, if needed.
- 4 Click Read to view the ReadMe file. Choose File>Exit to exit the application after you have read it, then click Next.

- 5 If you expect to install other printers later, you might want to copy the Setup program to the hard disk of your computer system by clicking Yes, then Next.
- 6 Follow the instructions in the Setup dialog boxes. Click Help if you need more information.
- 7 Click Exit to complete the setup procedure.

## USING ONLINE HELP

Online help for the Adobe Printer Driver explains how to use the driver to perform various tasks. It also contains detailed information on printing and printer settings and many troubleshooting tips and techniques.

To display online help, click Help in any of the printer properties dialog boxes provided by the Adobe Printer Driver. To view a list of help topics, choose Contents in the Help window; click any topic title to display help for that topic.

The What's This? feature also lets you view information on specific functions. To use this feature, click the ? button at the right end of the title bar of any dialog box. A question mark pointer appears. Click any object in the dialog with this pointer to display a short description of the object. You can also display help on an object by right-clicking that object in the dialog box.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

This section offers solutions to problems that you might encounter copying the Adobe Printer Driver installation files to your hard disk.

For problems specifying a printer for your installation, refer to the troubleshooting topics in the Setup online help. For problems using the Adobe Printer Driver, refer to the troubleshooting topics in the online help for the Adobe Printer Driver.

### ***A version of the Setup program files already exists on your system.***

**Problem:** The Setup program detects the same, an earlier, or a later version of the Setup files than the version on the AdobePS 4.1 Setup disk.

**Solution:** When this problem occurs, the Existing Files On Local Disk dialog box appears. If an earlier version of the Setup program already exists on your system, overwrite it by clicking Next.

If your version of the Setup files is the same or later than the Setup version, keep your version by clicking Skip.

### ***Setup cannot copy the driver files to the specified directory.***

**Problem:** Setup cannot write to the directory where you wish to copy the driver software files because it is read only. This problem can occur when you try to copy the Setup program to your disk or when you are copying the driver files to your disk.

**Solution:** Consult with your system administrator and have him or her either complete the entire installation for you, change access privileges on that directory, or choose another location for the driver files.

***Setup will not allow you to install older versions of the driver files.***

**Problem:** One or more of the driver software files on the AdobePS 4.1 Setup disk have earlier dates than the driver files on your local disk.

**Solution:** The Attempt To Install An Older Version dialog box lists the driver files with later dates now on your local disk. For more information on a file, select the name of the file and click Details. If you still wish to install the driver files from the AdobePS 4.1 Setup disk, you must first delete from your local disk any driver files with later dates.

***The versions of certain system files need to be updated.***

**Problem:** The Setup program has checked the version numbers, dates, and sizes of the system files and found that certain files need to be updated. The Different Versions Detected dialog box lists the files to be updated.

**Solution:** To obtain more information on a file, select the name of the file and click Details. Click OK when you have finished viewing the differences. Then click Next to copy the newer files to your system.







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