DATASHEET



Adobe[®] Central Pro Output Server

Simplify high-quality document generation

What do customers and business partners see when you send them invoices, contracts, or shipping documents? Professional representations of your business or unattractive, report-like documents? Often, documents are the only contact you have with your key audiences, so it's essential that they convey business information clearly and in a way that reinforces your corporate image.

Improved Customer Communication

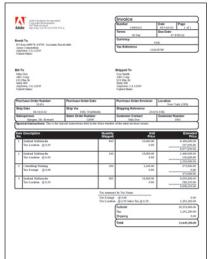
Adobe Central Pro Output Server lets you generate professional-looking, easy-to-read documents from your existing legacy, ERP, CRM, or line-of-business applications. This tool helps you maintain your corporate image and better meet the diverse needs of your customers, partners, and suppliers.

Flexible Output

Output Server takes application data and merges it with an electronic document template, giving you the ability to generate multiple documents from a single data stream. Invoices, packing slips, loan documents, statements, and checks can all be personalized and sent to end users in a variety of formats for delivery via multiple channels, such as Adobe Portable Document Format (PDF), print, fax, e-mail, or the Web.



Report-like document produced from a line-of-business application



Professional, customer-focused document produced with Adobe Central Pro Output Server



Adobe Network Publishing Solutions

Output Server is an integral component of Adobe Network Publishing Solutions, helping businesses and people work together more productively and effectively.

Key Features

Produce Dynamic Documents

Output Server allows application data to control the look and feel of each document. Documents, such as invoices and statements, grow or shrink to accommodate the number of line items being generated and can include calculations such as subtotals or currency conversions. Adobe Central Pro Output Server also allows you to include personalized messages in documents, furthering your upsell efforts.

Deliver Documents Worldwide

In a global, competitive business environment, documents must be created and delivered worldwide. To support your businesses operating in multiple countries, Output Server generates documents in languages including English, French, German, Swedish, Spanish, Italian, Finnish, Norwegian, Danish, Portuguese, Czech, Polish, Hungarian, Russian, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Korean, and Japanese. This server also supports multiple currencies, allowing you to generate dual-currency documents with no changes to line-of-business applications.

Save Time with Easy Document Design

Adobe Output Designer, a separate graphical template design and development tool used with Adobe Central Pro Output Server, lets you easily create even the most complex electronic documents—exactly replicating existing paper documents. This WYSIWYG tool eliminates the need for custom programming and the cost of managing preprinted forms inventories. Just point and click to customize documents with company logos, complex graphics, and bar codes, or to create multipage or multipart documents—no programming required. With Adobe Output Designer, you have the ability to make document changes in minutes, not hours or days—enabling you to save time and money.

Leverage Existing Hardware

Adobe Central Pro Output Server enables you to leverage your existing infrastructure, with support for a wide range of fax servers, PCL and PostScript® laser printers, and high-speed production printers. With this server's print drivers and sophisticated forms architecture, you can drive your printer to its full potential.

IMPROVE BUSINESS PERFORMANCE

Adobe Central Pro Output Server enables you to:

- Send out invoices with enhanced layout features, such as boxes and graphics, to improve readability and speed up the payment process
- Include personalized messages to increase upsell and cross-sell opportunities
- Deliver documents globally in multiple languages and currencies

System Requirements

Adobe Central Pro Output Server runs on a variety of platforms.

Operating Systems Supported:

Microsoft® Windows NT®/Windows® 2000

IBM® AIX®

Sun[™] Solaris[™]

Red Hat® Linux®/Intel®

HP-UX

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