

Connection Guide

Windows instructions for a locally attached printer

Note: When installing a locally attached printer, if the operating system is not supported by the *Software and Documentation CD*, then the Add Printer Wizard must be used.

Updates for the printer software may be available on the Lexmark Web site at www.lexmark.com.

What is local printing?

Local printing is printing to a locally attached printer (a printer that is connected directly to your computer with a USB cable). When setting up this type of printer, you should install the printer software *before* connecting the USB cable. For more information, see the setup documentation that came with the printer.

The *Software and Documentation CD* can be used to install the necessary printer software on most Windows operating systems.

Installing software using the CD

Using the *Software and Documentation CD*, you can install printer software for the following operating systems:

- Windows Vista and Windows Vista x64 bit Edition
- Windows Server 2003 and Windows Server 2003 x64
- Windows XP and Windows XP x64 bit Edition
- Windows 2000
- Mac OS X
- Linux Redhat, SUSE, Linspire, Debian GNU, Linpus, Red Flag and Ubuntu

1 Insert the *Software and Documentation CD*.

If the install screen does not appear, click **Start → Run**, and then type **D:\setup.exe**, where **D** is the letter of your CD or DVD drive.

2 Select **Install Printer and Software**.

3 Select **Suggested**, and then click **Next**.

4 Select **Local Attach**, and then click **Next**. The printer software is copied to your computer.

5 Connect the USB or parallel cable, and then turn on the printer.

The Plug and Play screen appears, and a printer object is created in the Printers folder.

Installing software using the Add Printer Wizard

You can install printer software for Windows operating systems.

1 Insert the *Software and Documentation CD*.

If the CD automatically starts, click **Exit**.

2 Click **Start → Settings → Printers**, and then click **Add Printer** to start the Add Printer Wizard.

3 When prompted, select to install a local printer, and then click **Have Disk**.

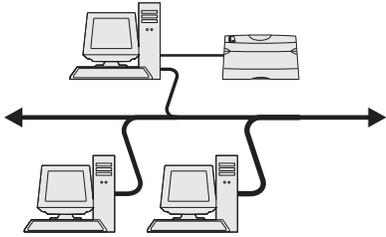
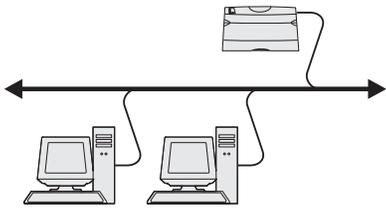
4 Specify the location of the printer software. The path should be similar to **D:\Drivers\Print\Win_9xMe**, where **D** is the letter of your CD or DVD drive.

5 Click **OK**.

Windows instructions for network attached printers

What is network printing?

In Windows environments, network printers can be configured for direct printing or shared printing. Both network printing methods require the installation of printer software and the creation of a network port.

Printing method	Example
<p>IP printing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Printer is connected directly to the network using a network cable, such as an Ethernet cable. Printer software is typically installed on each network computer. 	
<p>Shared printing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Printer is connected to one of the computers on the network using a local cable, such as a USB or parallel cable. Printer software is installed on the computer attached to the printer. During software installation, the printer is set up to be "shared" so that other network computers can print to it. 	

Installing software for direct IP printing

- 1 Insert the *Software and Documentation CD*.

If the install screen does not appear, click **Start → Run**, and then type `D:\setup.exe`, where **D** is the letter of your CD or DVD drive.

- 2 Select **Install Printer and Software**.

- 3 Select **Suggested**, and then click **Next**.

Note: Select **Custom** instead of **Suggested** to choose the software that is installed.

- 4 Select **Network Attach**, and then click **Next**. The printer software is copied to your computer.

- 5 Select the printer model that you are installing.

The printer is automatically discovered on the network, an IP address is automatically assigned, and a network printer is created in the Printers folder.

- 6 From the list of discovered printers, select the one that you want to print to.

- 7 Click **Finish** to complete the installation.

- 8 Click **Done** to exit the installer.

Installing software for shared printing

Setting up shared printing requires several steps and should be done in the following order:

- 1 Install the printer software on the computer attached to the printer.

- a Insert the *Software and Documentation CD*.

If the install screen does not appear, click **Start → Run**, and then type `D:\setup.exe`, where **D** is the letter of your CD or DVD drive.

- b Select **Install Printer and Software**.

Mac instructions for a locally attached printer

Before installing printer software

A locally attached printer is a printer that is connected to a computer using a USB cable. When setting up this type of printer, you should install the printer software *before* connecting the USB cable. For more information, see the setup documentation that came with the printer.

The *Software and Documentation* CD can be used to install the necessary printer software.

Creating a queue in the Print Center or Printer Setup Utility

For local printing, you need to create a print queue:

- 1** Install a PostScript Printer Description (PPD) file on the computer. A PPD file provides detailed information to the Mac computer about the capabilities of the printer.
 - a** Insert the *Software and Documentation* CD.
 - b** Double-click the installer package for the printer.
 - c** From the Welcome screen, click **Continue**, and then click **Continue** again after viewing the Readme file.
 - d** Click **Continue** after viewing the license agreement, and then click **Agree** to accept the terms of the agreement.
 - e** Select a Destination, and then click **Continue**.
 - f** From the Easy Install screen, click **Install**.
 - g** Enter the user password, and then click **Okay**. All the necessary software is installed on the computer.
 - h** Click **Close** when installation is complete.
- 2** Open the Finder, click **Applications**, and then click **Utilities**.
- 3** Double-click **Print Center** or **Printer Setup Utility**.
- 4** Verify that the print queue was created:
 - If the USB-attached printer appears in the Printer list, then quit the Print Center or Printer Setup Utility.
 - If the USB-attached printer does not appear in the Printer list, make sure that the USB cable is properly connected and the printer is turned on. After the printer appears in the Printer list, quit the Print Center or Printer Setup Utility.

Mac instructions for network attached printers

Installing software for network printing

To print to a network printer, each Macintosh user must install a custom PostScript Printer Description (PPD) file and create a print queue in the Print Center or Printer Setup Utility.

- 1** Install a PPD file on the computer.
 - a** Insert the *Software and Documentation* CD.
 - b** Double-click the installer package for the printer.
 - c** From the Welcome screen, click **Continue**, and then click **Continue** again after viewing the Readme file.
 - d** Click **Continue** after viewing the license agreement, and then click **Agree** to accept the terms of the agreement.
 - e** Select a Destination, and then click **Continue**.
 - f** From the Easy Install screen, click **Install**.
 - g** Enter the user password, and then click **OK**. All the necessary software is installed on the computer.
 - h** Click **Close** when installation is complete.

2 Create a print queue in the Print Center or Printer Setup Utility.

• Using AppleTalk printing

a Open the Finder, click **Applications**, and then click **Utilities**.

b Double-click **Print Center** or **Print Setup Utility**.

c From the Printer Menu, choose **Add Printer**.

d From the pop-up menu, choose **AppleTalk**.

For information about which zone or printer to select, see the network setup page under the AppleTalk heading.

For information about printing a network setup page, see the *User's Guide*.

e From the list, select the AppleTalk zone.

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For information about printing a network setup page, see the *User's Guide*.

f From the list, select the new printer, and then click **Add**.

• Using IP printing

a Open the Finder, click **Applications**, and then click **Utilities**.

b Double-click **Print Center** or **Print Setup Utility**.

c From the Printer Menu, choose **Add Printer**.

d From the pop-up menu, choose **IP Printing**.

e Enter the IP address or the printer DNS name in the Printer Address box.

The TCP/IP address can be found on the network setup page. For information about printing a network setup page, see the *User's Guide*.

f From the Printer Model pop-up menu, choose **Lexmark**.

g From the list, select the new printer, and then click **Add**.

Installing other software for Macintosh

The following Macintosh utilities can be found on the Mac partition of the *Software and Documentation* CD:

- Printer File Loader
- Printer Status
- Auto Updater
- Printer Settings

The *Software and Documentation* CD information is copied to the Macintosh hard disk during the printer installation process.