



Installing A Postscript Printer For Macintosh

Step 1: Most Apple systems will have the Laserwriter printer driver installed at the time the operating system was installed. To check, choose the **CHOOSE**R under the Apple icon in the upper left hand corner of your computer screen. If the **LASERWRITER** icon is visible you have a postscript printer driver available. If you do not have the **LASERWRITER** icon go to step 3.

Step 2: Whenever you want to create a Postscript document to file you have to click on the **LASERWRITER** icon in the **CHOOSE**R.

Step 3: Install you Macintosh System CD and navigate to the Printing section. Drag and drop the **LASERWRITER** icon to the **SYSTEM** folder. This should place the **Laserwriter** icon in the **Extensions** folder under the **System** folder.

Step 4: When ever you want to create a Postscript document to file open the **CHOOSE**R under the Apple in the upper left corner of your computer screen. Select the **LASERWRITER** icon. You are now ready to print Postscript documents.



General Instructions For Printing To File In Macintosh

These instructions will work in most Macintosh based programs. Most Apple systems have the default printer, **LASERWRITER 8**, installed.

Step 1: After creating your document print a hard copy on your printer. If you have created an 11 x 17 document and you do not have a printer that will print on this size paper simply choose a 65% reduction in the paper size. You can now print it on 8 1/2 x 14 paper. A size most printers do support. You will find this option in your Printer Dialog Box inside your printer or you can access it by clicking on the Properties or the **SETUP** button inside the Printer Dialog Box.

Step 2: Open **CHOOSE** under the Apple in the upper left corner of your computer and select the **LASERWRITER** icon.

Step 3: Refer to you software user manual for any special instructions on printing to file or printing to disk.

Step 4: Under the **FILE** menu select **PRINT**. In the **PRINT DIALOG BOX** if you have an area entitled **DESTINATION** choose **FILE**. (If you have an older version of the Laserwriter driver, find Destination and choose Postscript File.) The **PRINT** button changes to **SAVE**.

Step 5: Make the normal selection you would make when printing the document...select pages to print, select colors to print, etc. If you choose 65% to reduce the size of the document so you could print a ledger document on legal paper, change it back to 100% to create a full size document.

Step 6: Click on **SAVE**. and a new window will appear. At this point you will see a new window that will allow you to name the file and tell your computer where to place it. In this box select the location and folder you wish the file to be placed in. If the file is too large to place on a floppy and you do not have a ZIP drive or a CD writer place it on your hard drive and use a compression program to place the file on multiple disks. Give the file a name and be sure to end the name with **.ps**.

Step 7: Select **POSTSCRIPT JOB** in the Format Box. Select **LEVEL 1** Compatibility. Select **ALL** in Font Inclusion.

Step 8: Click on the **SAVE** button. This completes the task of printing to file.

