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Preface

This publication provides information about using the IBM Print Services Facility feature of OS/400 (PSF/400) and is written for the general AFP user as well as for system and application programmers.

This publication helps you learn Advanced Function Presentation (AFP) and develop AFP applications. It parallels the AS/400 Advanced Function Presentation course and builds skills chapter by chapter. The first chapters set the stage for print and presentation on AS/400, covering the value of AFP applications, the AS/400 print flow, AS/400 AFP architecture and flow, and related applications. These chapters cover the two major aspects of AFP, the document architecture and the printing architecture.

"Chapter 5. Introduction to the Super Sun Seeds Case Study" on page 43 presents a sample invoicing application used throughout the publication. Subsequent chapters cover the building blocks of electronic publications: fonts, image and graphics, bar codes, and electronic forms. A series of “Using” chapters describes how to use different AS/400 application enablers to create the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application.

"Chapter 16. Using the Client Access/400 AFP Viewer" on page 233 shows how to view electronic applications, in addition to (or in place of) printing them. "Chapter 17. Using Facsimile Support, OfficeVision, and OnDemand for AS/400" on page 241 demonstrates how several AS/400 applications integrate with, and complement, the example AFP application. In addition, the publication includes chapters on network and cross-system considerations, and the appendices provide both additional examples and reference information.

Note: For more information about AFP for PSF/400, consult the IBM Printing Systems home page:
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Chapter 1. How AFP and PSF/400 Can Help You Present Information

Advanced Function Presentation (AFP) is a printing and presentation system that enables you to take full advantage of printing technology on your AS/400 system. AFP helps you combine the capabilities of high-function Intelligent Print Data Stream (IPDS) printers and print software to:

- Create state-of-the-art documents
- Exploit print formatting capabilities without changing application programs
- Replace traditional, labor-intensive print operations with a system-managed process
- Print with complete system management and full error recovery, whether the printer is system-attached via twinax or network-attached via TCP/IP.

PSF/400 is the AFP system software for AS/400 printers using the IPDS printer data stream. PSF/400 enables AS/400 users and applications to take full advantage of IPDS printer capabilities.

AFP provides a number of capabilities that can improve your current printing process. With AFP, you can:

Create your own forms in-house. This allows you to improve the flexibility and quality of your forms, avoid the expense of having someone create them for you, and avoid the inventory problems associated with preprinted forms (form obsolescence, storage, handling).

Create your own bar codes. This allows you to automate your business processes, improve data entry accuracy and speed, and meet industry requirements for bar codes.
Print line-mode data on page printers but also incorporate complex images and graphics such as graphs, charts, logos, and bar codes. This protects your investment in line-mode data and improves the quality and readability of your print output.

Save time, paper, and unnecessary printing expenses by viewing your formatted output, with graphics and text merged, on a computer display before printing it or instead of printing it.

Save paper and storage space by printing your system output with smaller fonts and by automatically printing more than one page of data on a single sheet.
Include scanned images of transaction items such as cancelled checks, delivery receipts, credit slips, and work orders in the statements you send to your customers. This can reduce billing inquiries and shorten your billing cycle by providing your customers with verification of their transactions. It can also save you time, expense, and postage by providing information electronically instead of manually.

Print your office documents, letters, reports, and presentations but add different fonts, letterheads, logos, signatures, and graphics. This will improve the quality and appearance of your office documents.

Save time and money by creating your own in-house procedural guides, handbooks, and training manuals instead of hiring outside vendors to do them for you.
Convert any Adobe Type 1 fonts into fonts that can be used on AFP printers. You can select any fonts you need from over 10,000 styles available in Adobe Type 1 format and use them with your AFP printers.

Print postal permits and bar codes on your documents to convert them into mailers. This can save you the time and expense of filling envelopes and affixing stamps and perhaps can qualify your mail for cheaper postage rates.

Change the format of printed output from your application programs without changing the application program itself. This will improve your programmers’ productivity and use a single source of information for different purposes.
Create pages containing images and graphics as well as text. This provides you with more flexibility in creating formats for your printed output.

Create electronic documents that can be subsequently viewed, saved, faxed, reprinted, indexed, archived, and retrieved.

Distribute documents and reports directly to Intranet or Internet customers.
What Are the Benefits of AFP?

Advanced Function Presentation (AFP) is an architected system for printing on AS/400 that integrates print management, application enablers, and high-function printers to generate high quality, effective documents that contain electronic forms, bar codes, images, graphics, and more.

AFP enhances the value of your output applications in the following ways.

Integration

The integration of application, development, and operational functions on AS/400 provides ease of use, productivity, and performance. AFP application development, among many enabling choices, uses high-level languages and Data Description Specifications (DDS), the same interface used in AS/400 application development.

Managing AFP output uses printer files and output queues, and is an extension of AS/400 print management. AFP is integrated into key AS/400 applications such as Imageplus/400, Officevision/400, Facsimile Support for AS/400, OnDemand for AS/400, and Backup Recovery and Media Services (BRMS) for AS/400.
Efficiency

The AFP data stream is a highly structured, architected data stream that yields efficient, high-performance results. Many elements of the electronic document, such as overlays, bar codes, fonts, and image, are managed as separate objects. This means that the actual data stream from the output application is usually small.

Print Management

AFP is integrated into AS/400 print management and provides robust functionality. This functionality allows flexibility in managing and printing output files. And, more importantly, print management tracks the printing process to ensure that print jobs are printed accurately and completely. PSF/400, because of the two-way communication between the system and the printer, can manage down to the page level. AFP provides complete error recovery, guaranteeing the successful delivery of print to the printer.

Network Printing

Placing printers on the network enables a variety of systems and applications to use them. However, the standard print model for network printers is TCP/IP, and native TCP/IP support for print is very limited. AS/400 uses IPDS to manage network printers attached with TCP/IP, achieving the same level of print function and print management as twinax-attached printers.

Object Management

AS/400 is an object-oriented system, as is AFP. This allows applications to be broken up into objects (such as programs, database files, printer files, display files) and developed or managed separately. AFP extends this structure to electronic document elements such as overlays, fonts, and images. Such a structure facilitates a high-performance print process. It also enables the AS/400 system to easily control access to print applications, thus providing a security function.

Printer Integration

The integration of high-function printers with AFP output means that the printing process can be optimized to efficiently handle the support objects for an electronic document. For example, images are compressed to minimize storage and download time while IPDS printers are optimized to process this image, resolving and printing it at high rated speeds. Printing resources, such as fonts, overlays, and images are managed across job boundaries in printer memory, thus improving overall job throughput.

Scalable Applications

Documents and applications are scalable from low to very high print volumes. AFP is a page- and object-oriented architecture that enables performance tuning of print applications as the volumes increase. The actual printing architecture, based on IPDS, enables the AS/400 and the printer to cooperatively manage the printing process. In addition, IBM AS/400 printers scale up from desktop impact printers at 375 characters per second to production laser printing systems at over 1000 pages per minute.
System Performance

The AFP print data stream, its integration into AS/400 spooling subsystems, and external print resources provide the tools to manage and optimize printing performance.

Print Flexibility

AFP applications are part of a broader set of printing requirements for an AS/400 environment, where different print streams and different types of printers are commonplace. A number of tools facilitate the “any to any” printing of application output. AFP print can be routed to network or client-attached printers. Network printing can be routed to AFP printers.

Host Print Transform provides AFP-to-PCL data stream transform services to print AFP output on PCL printers. An AFP-to-TIFF transform enables the use of 3489 graphical displays. Network print servers such as Print Services Facility for OS/2 (PSF/2) provide for the sharing and interchange of printers and print data streams.

Integrated Application Output

Data Description Specifications (DDS) provides powerful, effective electronic documents, because it is integrated with the application program. This means that an individual customer’s document can be precisely tailored based on the data for that customer. For example, a customer invoice can be designed dynamically, with invoice segments and document elements dynamically placed based on the actual content of the customer transaction. This results in more readable, effective documents.

Application-Independent Electronic Documents

Where application integration of electronic output does not fit, you have many choices to format your electronic documents, independent of the application program. Advanced Print Utility (APU), page and form definitions, Print Format Utility (a module of Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 or AFP Utilities), and many third-party products provide this capability.

Postscript and Image Processing

Network applications are generating document data streams, such as Postscript, and image formats, such as GIF and TIFF. Data in these formats can be converted to AFP and then stored or printed from the AS/400.

Beyond Printing

The AS/400 system provides full graphical viewing of print files through the integration of the AFP Workbench Viewer in Client Access/400. This view technology supports all types of print, fax, and image files. After you view a document, you can print, fax, or annotate it from your workstation.

Document and report output files can be merged with image data using ImagePlus, faxed outbound using Facsimile Support for AS/400, or indexed and archived for later retrieval using OnDemand for AS/400.
As the use of electronic documents and reports continues to gain momentum, fully electronic distribution is reversing the traditional document flow of “print then distribute” to “distribute then print.” The electronic output can be organized for browsing and presented electronically on intranets or the Internet, giving users the ability to view the output, and optionally, print it.
Chapter 2. Printing on the AS/400

AS/400 printing was formerly limited to a single print data format and was printed only on twinaxial-connected line printers. Print support in the AS/400 operating system consisted of a single printing subsystem that supported all print application output, spool management, and printer devices. Most AS/400 output was generated in the SNA Character String (SCS) print-data format and was printed on SCS line printers.

Breadth of AS/400 Printing Support

AS/400 now provides a wide range of printing support including AFP printers of various technologies, speeds, and capabilities. AS/400 has also extended print support to the network, enabling it to serve clients and printers on the network.

As printing technology rapidly evolved and organizational requirements for printing expanded, so did the printing support on AS/400. Initially, this expansion took the form of extensions to the SCS data stream (extended text attributes, imbedded image, for example) and support for PC-attached printers. Over time, additional printing support has addressed every phase of the print process, including:

- AFP and ASCII data stream support
- Broad choices in printer attachment, including network-attached printers
- Enhancements to print management, such as remote systems printing, print performance, and print workload balancing
- Extensions to printing, such as view, fax, and archive
- Support of network-attached TCP/IP printer using IPDS.

AS/400 Print Support Print Flow

The AS/400 print flow is shown in Figure 1 on page 13. The following sections describe this process.

An application program creates data to be printed. That output can be formatted in the program (program-described) or externally using DDS. Every program creating printed output on AS/400 has an associated printer file. The printer file defines many of the options of the printing process, from spool routing to page characteristics. Most output is spooled, that is, placed in a holding area called the output queue prior to printing. Actual printing is managed by the print writer, which sends the spooled file to the printer for printing. In fact, the print writer does far more. It must, for example:

- Retrieve the spooled file, and printer device description.
- Determine the print data stream to be sent, based on the device type in the printer file and printer definition in the device description.
- Convert the spool data stream as required.
- Manage the actual printer process. For AFP output, that means managing a two-way dialog with the printer to track each page through each station of the printer.

The components of the print process are described below.
**Printer files**, both system provided and user created, help you specify how you want your printed output to appear on paper. A printer file can be created either by a user or furnished by the operating system. A printer file can include many parameters, such as characters per inch (cpi), lines per inch (lpi), duplex, pages per side, overlays to be used, and so on.

The printer file contains many values for print jobs, such as those that control how your output is handled and where it goes. Some of the printer file parameters are described below:

- Spool the data (SPOOL), including:
  - Maximum file wait time
  - Number of record formats
  - Number of devices
- Device (DEV), including:
  - Printer device type
  - Page size
  - Front and back margins
  - Fidelity
  - Printer quality
  - Source drawer
  - Output bin
  - Font
  - Form type
  - Pages per side
  - Front and back overlays
- Spooled output queue (OUTQ), including:
  - Maximum spooled output records
  - Spooled output schedule
  - Copies
  - Page range to print
  - Hold spooled file
  - Save spooled file
  - Output priority
  - Record format level check
  - Authority

See [“Appendix H. Printer File Parameters” on page 339](#) for a list of printer file parameters.

You may want to override the default print values and can do so either permanently, by issuing the CHGPRTF (Change Printer File) CL command, or temporarily, by issuing the OVRPRTF (Override Printer File) CL command. Changes made to the printer file with the CHGPRTF command are permanently in effect, while those made with the OVRPRTF command are in effect only for the current session.
Data description specifications (DDS) give you the ability to completely format your application output external to your application program. You can use DDS, for example, to include different electronic overlays on different pages or to select fonts or bar codes for different fields of text.

A spooled file is one that holds output data waiting to be processed. Being able to spool a file means that you can choose whether the processed printing job should go directly to a printer or be placed in an output queue where it can be stored until the printer is ready to print.

Printer device descriptions contain information that describes a particular device attached to the system. Device descriptions have to be created for each printer attached to the system. If you use automatic configuration, printer device descriptions are created by the system, with the exception of printers attached to an ASCII work station controller.
Optionally, you can use the Create Device Description (CRTDEVPRT) command to define each printer. You also can use the Create PSF Configuration (CRTPSFCFG) command to specify additional parameters for AFP printers that are not supported by the CRTDEVPRT command. Refer to CL Reference and AS/400 Printer Device Programming for more information.

The **printer writer** is a function of the operating system that writes (sends) the spooled file from the output queue to the printer.

When your job is ready to be spooled, you issue a call from your program to spool it. Before the call has been issued, though, you can still change or override the printer file (using the CHGPRTF and OVRPRTF CL commands).

After you have called your program, you can still do the following:

- Change some attributes of the spooled file (CHGSPLFA)
- Look at records in the spooled file (DSPSPLF)
- Check the spooled file status (WRKSPLFA)
- Check the printer status (WRKWTR)
- Display current overrides (DSPOVR)
- Look at a list of spooled files in a queue (WRKOUTQ)

## AS/400 Print Data Streams

Printed output is the result of the interaction between the printer and the software that controls it. Different printed output requires different types of printers and different software (data streams) to control them.

A print data stream is a set of commands that tell a printer what to do. Some data streams, such as SNA Character String (SCS), include a limited number of commands. Others, such as Intelligent Printer Data Stream (IPDS), include a rich and complex set of commands. As a result, printers that support the simpler data stream are limited to the functions and capabilities of that data stream, whereas printers supporting the richer data stream offer more advanced capabilities. Therefore, it is important to know about data streams so that you can understand specific printer capabilities and limitations, as well as application compatibility and non-compatibility for various printers.

### SNA Character String (SCS)

The SNA character string (SCS) data stream has a relatively simple structure, consisting of a one-byte hexadecimal code followed by the data to be printed. SCS, which is the standard pre-AFP print data stream, is used to control line printers and supports row and column functions. SCS and its superset Final Form Text Document Content Architecture (FFT DCA) also support the following printing functions:

- Underscores
- Overstrikes
- Emphasized text
- Partial line spacing
- Margins
- Superscript (with OfficeVision/400)
- Subscript (with OfficeVision/400)
Font changes in a document (with OfficeVision/400)
Symbols (with OfficeVision/400)

IBM AFP printers support SCS to provide compatibility with applications that generate SCS. See "Appendix A. IBM Printers and Compatibility Considerations" on page 283 for a list of IBM AFP printers that support SCS.

Final Form Text Document Content Architecture (FFT DCA)

FFT DCA is an extension of SCS used in the OfficeVision/400 environment to define how data streams that represent a document are to be printed and organized. FFT DCA is composed of one-byte and multi-byte (extended) control characters. FFT DCA controls the following functions:
- Top margin location
- Left margin location
- Line spacing
- Font definition
- Justification (aligning of text)
- Beginning and ending of underscores and overstrikes

IBM AFP printers support FFT DCA to provide compatibility with applications that generate SCS. See "Appendix A. IBM Printers and Compatibility Considerations" on page 283 for a list of IBM AFP printers that support FFT DCA.

Advanced Function Printing (AFP) Data Stream

Advanced Function Printing (AFP) Data Stream is the application interface to Advanced Function Presentation (AFP). AFP Data Stream includes data and text, and device independent (not printer specific) references to AFP resources, such as overlays, page segments, font objects, and so on. AFP Data Stream is independent of operating systems and page printers, is portable across environments, and is constructed of structured fields. AFP Data Stream output is produced by a number of application enablers, such as the AFP Toolbox, Advanced Print Utility, DDS, and so on.

AFP Data Stream is a companion data stream to the Intelligent Printer Data Stream (IPDS). The same family of IPDS printers is supported by both AFP Data Stream and IPDS. See "Appendix A. IBM Printers and Compatibility Considerations" on page 283 for a list of IBM AFP printers that support AFP Data Stream.

Intelligent Printer Data Stream (IPDS)

The Intelligent Printer Data Stream (IPDS) is a host-to-printer data stream for Advanced Function Printing subsystems. It provides an interface to all-points-addressable (APA) printers that makes possible the presentation of pages containing an architecturally unlimited mixture of different data types, such as high-quality text, images, graphics, and bar codes.

IPDS includes data and text, and resolved (printer specific) references to AFP resources, such as overlays, page segments, font object, and so on. IPDS supports an interactive, two-way dialogue between the print writer and the printer to provide:
- Printer information
Cooperative error recovery
• AFP resource management (for example, managing font, image, and overlay resources in printer memory)

Note: IPDS processing depends on the specific printer data is sent to. Not all IPDS commands may be implemented in a specific printer.

The IPDS architecture is divided into functional areas called command sets or towers. This modular design allows printer developers to match selected command sets to specific needs. The command sets are:
• Device control (required)
• Text
• IM (raster) image
• IO (compressed) image
• Graphics
• Bar code
• Page segment
• Overlay
• Loaded font

IPDS is a companion data stream to the AFP Data Stream. The same family of IPDS printers is supported by both AFP Data Stream and IPDS. See Appendix A on page 283 for a list of IBM AFP printers that support IPDS.

In addition to describing the composition of each page, IPDS is a bi-directional print management architecture. The device control commands facilitate a two-way dialog between the AS/400 writer and the printer. This dialog controls page development, job processing, job status, and error recovery. For example, at the start of a new print job, the writer will query the printer to determine what font, image, and overlay resources are already in printer memory. Any missing resources are sent down to the printer. Each operation is managed to completion (i.e., an acknowledgment that a resource was received successfully).

PostScript to AFP Data Stream

PostScript is a data stream generated by many PC and network station applications. The new IBM Network Station, which can be attached to an AS/400 server, generates the PostScript data stream. If that PostScript data stream is being spooled to the AS/400, the data stream must be converted to AFP data stream in order to print on an IPDS printer. PSF V4R2 supports the PostScript-to-AFP Data Stream conversion for PostScript level 1.

To facilitate this conversion from PostScript to AFP data stream, the system administrator must configure the AS/400 device description with the IMGCFG parameter, setting it to the name of the IMGCFG object that describes the output device. See "Using an AFP Printer to Print PostScript Output" in Chapter 19 for a list of limitations and details regarding the device configuration necessary to enable PostScript to AFP data stream conversion.
American National Standard Code for Information Interchange (ASCII)

Unlike the other printer data streams covered in this section, no formal structure governs the use of the ASCII data stream to control printers. Although ASCII forms the basis for the control and character codes, not all ASCII printers conform fully to this standard. Additional command sets based on hexadecimal codes are often used with advanced function printers to exploit the capabilities of these printers. In the ASCII environment, therefore, the range and types of printing functions available to the user are governed by individual programs tailored to suit each type of printer. See [Appendix A. IBM Printers and Compatibility Considerations on page 283] for a list of IBM AFP printers that support ASCII.

ASCII printer applications are printer dependent, and ASCII printers are driven by emulator programs that create an ASCII set of controls from an EBCDIC data stream.

While most ASCII printer data streams have been created to support specific printers, two standards have emerged for describing pages of ASCII information: Postscript and PCL. Postscript is a standard administered by Adobe. PCL is administered by Hewlett-Packard.

In AS/400 printing, ASCII support is provided by translating SCS and AFP print data streams to their ASCII equivalents. This translation is normally done by Host Print Transform (it can also be done at the client through print emulators). ASCII printers can be attached to AS/400 in a variety of ways, and all can use Host Print Transform. Host Print Transform is integrated into the following printing functions:

- AS/400 Print Writer
- Send TCP Spooled File (LPR)
- LAN Print Driver

Host Print Transform is specified in the printer device description. A large number of ASCII printers (each with its own set of ASCII printer control codes) can be selected. Host Print Transform can provide two types of data stream transformations:

- SCS to ASCII
- AFP to PCL or PPDS

**SCS to ASCII**

Host Print Transform translates SCS to ASCII, thereby providing 3812 SCS printer emulation. This is similar to the printer emulation in Client Access/400 Workstation Function or Rumba/400.

**AFP to PCL or PPDS**

Host Print Transform translates full-page AFP output into HP PCL or Lexmark PPDS print data streams. This transform uses one of two different modes: raster or mapping, depending on output and printer characteristics. Raster mode converts the AFP pages to image. This preserves print fidelity, but at a cost of print file size and performance. Mapping mode converts AFP resources (fonts, bar codes, overlays, and page segments) into PCL and PPDS equivalents. Refer to [Chapter 18. Network Printing on page 261] for more information on AFP transforms using Host Print Transform.
The AFP to PCL/PPDS transform expands your choices when implementing AFP printing applications. It is particularly well-suited for providing the capability of reprinting subsets of a larger AFP printing job (reprinting an invoice, for example) or supporting smaller print volumes at a remote branch office. Factors such as print fidelity, AS/400 system impact, and overall print performance can affect how this function is used.
Chapter 3. Introduction to Advanced Function Presentation (AFP)

What Is AFP?

Let’s take a closer look at AFP.

Advanced Function Presentation can best be understood by describing its component parts:

• Document or page layout architecture
• Printing or presentation architecture
• Print Management System
• Printer architecture

AFP enables electronic, principally page-mode, printing. As such, it defines how document pages are produced. The AFP data stream is a printer-independent data stream that composes full pages within a document. Figure 2 on page 20 shows an electronic invoice, one page of an invoicing document.
Traditional line-mode print applications compose a line at a time down the page (usually continuous form pages), whereas AFP composes the entire page prior to printing. Page elements, such as text, image, bar code, and overlays, can be specified in any order at any position within the page: top to bottom, bottom to top, or no real sequence at all. AFP uses an X-Y coordinate system to precisely place each element anywhere on the page.

The AFP data stream is actually composed of structured fields (see Figure 3 on page 21). These structured fields provide for a compact, efficient data stream. When you develop your applications using a programming language such as RPG or

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Thank You. .....
Because almost half of your order was Lasso Red Seeds, you will receive a 10% discount on your next order.

Total Due: $99,630.14

Figure 2. Super Sun Seeds Example Electronic Invoice
COBOL, you do not have to be concerned with the structured fields because OS/400 creates them for you.

![Structured Field Diagram](image1)

**Figure 3. Structured Field**

AFP is also a printing or presentation architecture. It is based on the MO:DCA-P (Mixed Object: Document Content Architecture-Presentation) standard, which is both system and printer independent. As the name implies, the architecture defines how mixed objects (image, graphics, fonts, overlays, and bar codes) are to be pulled together and presented as a single page or document. The structure of a MO:DCA-P document is shown in **Figure 4**.

![MO:DCA-P Document Structure Diagram](image2)

**Figure 4. MO:DCA-P Document Structure**

As **Figure 4** illustrates, every AFP document is framed with “Begin Document (BDT)” and “End Document (EDT)” structured fields. After the Begin Document, resources to be used, such as overlays, page segments, or fonts, are defined. Then, the standard or default options, such as fonts, for the entire document are defined. And lastly, the actual pages of the electronic output are specified.

MO:DCA-P provides a precise structure to page and document composition. Consider the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application. If the document is defined as one thousand Super Sun Seeds invoices, the structure (and resulting performance and efficiency) emerges. Page elements (fonts, overlays, and images or page segments) are defined up front in the resource group. These elements are defined once and then referenced as required throughout the one thousand invoices. The master environment group defines characteristics about groups of pages (for example, copies of a page) or sub-pages. Again, basic composition structure is defined once and used throughout the document. The pages section contains the specific structured fields to build each page.

MO:DCA-P consists of mixed objects, with each of the constituent objects having its own structure or architecture. The object types are described in the following sections.
Bar Code Object Content Architecture (BCOCA)

Bar Code Object Content Architecture (BCOCA) defines how the various industry-standard bar codes are to be composed. A bar code object can contain draw rule commands (like graphic commands) or raster data, depending on how that specific bar code is to be created. A bar code object containing draw rule commands contains instructions for lines of specific width and length, matching that of a particular bar code standard.

Image Object Content Architecture (IOCA)

Image Object Content Architecture (IOCA) represents image data in device-independent format. This allows the image to be scaled to the print resolution of different printers, for example. IOCA also supports image compression, reducing the storage size of the image data by 70% or more.

Graphics Object Content Architecture (GOCA)

Graphics Object Content Architecture (GOCA) describes complex pictures that are built by a series of graphic commands. On AS/400, Business Graphic Utility (BGU) and Graphic Data Display Manager (GDDM) create GOCA files such as bar charts and pie charts.

Presentation Text Object Content Architecture (PTOCA)

Presentation Text Object Content Architecture (PTOCA) defines how text is presented and positioned in the document. PTOCA must handle text in a wide variety of types, positions, and orientations.

Font Object Content Architecture (FOCA)

Font Object Content Architecture (FOCA) defines a consistent format and structure for font resources. Figure 5 on page 23 shows the object-oriented nature of AFP.
MO:DCA IOB Support

With support of MO:DCA IOB, applications can include images, bar codes, page segments, and graphics in documents, taking advantage of scaling and rotating capabilities. For example, you can include a single copy of a company logo in the resource libraries, scaling and rotating the logo as necessary. You no longer need to include a copy of the logo in different sizes and rotations. MO:DCA IOB support is new with PSF/400 Revision 4 Version 2.

Note: Images, bar codes and graphics can be included via an IOB only if they are inline objects within the data stream. There is no mechanism in AS/400 to store these as external objects on the system.

The AFP Printing Subsystem in OS/400

With OS/400 V2R1, an implementation of the AFP print subsystem was added to OS/400 as an integrated component of the operating system. This implementation meant that OS/400 has two separate printing subsystems in the operating system.

OS/400 print support continues to support line printers and a subset of IPDS printers and print functions, while the integrated AFP printing subsystem provides full support for all IPDS printers. Which of these two printing subsystems will be used to process application output is determined by the device description for the
target printer. Only printers defined as AFP(*YES) in the printer device description are controlled by the AFP printing subsystem.

Activating the AFP Printing Subsystem with Print Services Facility for AS/400

With OS/400 Version 3, a separate feature of OS/400 called Print Services Facility for AS/400 (PSF/400) was introduced. The OS/400 AFP printing subsystem continued to be functionally integrated in the operating system but now is activated through PSF/400, which is the AFP system software for AS/400 printers using the IPDS printer data stream. PSF/400 enables AS/400 users and applications to take full advantage of IPDS printer capabilities.

Because AFP is integrated with OS/400 print support mechanisms such as printer files and data description specifications (DDS), it is an extension of print processes already familiar to most AS/400 users. AFP also works well with other IBM AS/400 applications such as Facsimile Support for AS/400, PC Support/400, Client Access/400, and OfficeVision/400.

PSF/400 ensures that applications and their AFP resources print consistently on all of the printers it manages. PSF/400 transforms and prints the following data streams:
- IBM Mixed Object Content Document Architecture for Presentation (MO:DCA-P), also called the Advanced Function Printing data stream (AFPDS), the device-independent AFP page data format
- IPDS, the device-dependent page printer data stream
- SNA Character String (SCS), the AS/400 line printer data stream
- Extended binary-coded decimal interchange code (EBCDIC) line printer data generated from a System/390 environment

AFP (PSF/400) Printing Subsystem Print Flow

The AFP (PSF/400) printing subsystem print flow, shown in Figure 6 on page 25, is similar to the OS/400 print flow, making AFP on the AS/400 easy to use.
The AFP (PSF/400) printer subsystem print flow is described below.

Application programs generate output that can be either program-described or externally-described. If the output is program-described, then the application program (RPG, COBOL, and so on) formats all of the data on the page one line at a time. The program can produce AFP directly, or it can use an application enabler such as the AFP Toolbox to create the output.

If the output is externally-described, the application program simply creates records. These records are processed by Data Description Specifications (DDS), which is separate source and object code from the RPG or COBOL program.

DDS keywords determine how each field of every record from the application program is formatted on the page. Fields can be individually placed on the page in
any font or orientation. Some fields can be placed on the page as bar codes. DDS keywords allow lines and boxes to be drawn, as well as many sophisticated formatting options, such as the selection of AFP overlays. DDS can be used in both the OS/400 printer subsystem and the AFP printer subsystem, but many more formatting capabilities are available with AFP. See “Chapter 11. Using Data Description Specifications” on page 127 for more information.

The application program may or may not use DDS, but it always uses a printer file. This is the same printer file used in the OS/400 printer subsystem. Values specified in the printer file determine general characteristics of the entire print job, such as what printer the job will be sent to, whether to print simplex or duplex, whether to print multiple pages per side, whether to add an overlay to every page, and so on.

A spooled file is created on an output queue, just as it is in the OS/400 print flow. The difference is that an AFP spooled file can contain references to resources that will be needed to print the file. These references result from the printer file parameters and DDS keywords that were used when the file was created. The resources may be downloadable fonts, AFP overlays, and page segments (scanned images such as logos or signatures). Other resources that may be referenced by a spooled file are page definitions and form definitions, even though they are less common in the AS/400 environment. See “Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions” on page 193 for more information.

In the AFP print flow, the device description of the printer to which the output is being sent will specify a device type of IPDS, AFP(*YES). This means that the printer is an IPDS device capable of handling all AFP functions, such as downloading resources, printing graphical information from DDS, and so on.

The function of the print writer in the AFP print subsystem is performed by Print Services Facility for AS/400 (PSF/400), which is a feature of the operating system.

The PSF/400 printer writer has three primary functions:

1. Perform any necessary data stream transforms on the spooled file and take it off the output queue. The data stream of the spooled file may be either SCS, IPDS, or AFP data stream, as determined by the printer file. The spooled file must be transformed into the correct printer-specific IPDS data stream.
2. Gather any resources referenced by the spooled file. These resources can be fonts, page segments, overlays, and so on.
3. Send the transformed spooled file and its resources to the printer. Because IPDS is a bidirectional data stream, the print writer must also participate in a two-way dialogue with the printer. Through this dialogue, PSF/400 manages error recovery. If printer intervention is required during the printing of a job, for example, PSF/400 resumes printing at the next page in the job so that no data is lost and the job does not have to be sent to the printer again.

Printers and PSF/400

PSF/400 supports the entire family of IBM IPDS printers as well as IPDS printers from other vendors. PSF/400 support may be required or optional, depending upon the particular printer specified.
When PSF/400 Is Required

PSF/400 is required to provide support for the following IBM IPDS printers:

- IBM 3130 Advanced Function Printer
- IBM 3160 Advanced Function Printer
- IBM 3812 Page Printer
- IBM 3816 Page Printer
- IBM 3820 Page Printer
- IBM 3825 Page Printer
- IBM 3827 Page Printer
- IBM 3828 Advanced Function MICR Printer
- IBM 3829 Advanced Function Printer
- IBM 3835-001 Page Printer
- IBM 3835-002 Advanced Function Printer
- IBM 3900 Advanced Function Printer (all models)
- IBM 3935 Advanced Function Printer
- IBM InfoPrint 60
- IBM InfoPrint 62
- IBM InfoPrint 4000

PSF/400 is also required when:

- Any printer has the AFP parameter specified as *YES in the printer device description
- Print is distributed to IPDS or Hewlett-Packard PCL4 or PCL5 printers attached (DPF or Direct) to a Print Services Facility for OS/2 (PSF/2) LAN print server
- Any application printer file uses the AFPDS keyword on the DEVTYPE parameter
- AS/400 is used to print any AFP data stream or S/390 line or mixed mode data from an IBM or IBM-compatible mainframe system
- The Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 licensed program is to be used
- The Facsimile Support for AS/400 licensed program offering is to be used (except when the modem is a 7852-400, in which case PSF is not required because Host Print Transform is used)

When PSF/400 Is Optional

PSF/400 is optional when providing support for the following IPDS printers or printer models, because these printers can be driven by the OS/400 printing subsystem:

- IBM 3112 and 3116 Laser Printers
- IBM 3912 and 3916 Page Printers
- IBM 3930 Page Printer
- IBM 4028 Laser Printer
- IBM 4224 Printer (IPDS Model)
- IBM 4230 Printer (IPDS Model)
- IBM 4234 Printer (IPDS Model)
- IBM 4247 Printer (IPDS Model)
- IBM 6400-004 Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-005 Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-005P Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-008 Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-008P Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-009 Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-009P Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-012 Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6400-014 Line Matrix Printer
• IBM 6408 Line Matrix Printer (IPDS Model)
• IBM 6412 Line Matrix Printer (IPDS Model)
• IBM InfoPrint 20
• IBM InfoPrint 32
• IBM Network Printer 12
• IBM Network Printer 17
• IBM Network Printer 24
• Non-IBM IPDS printers

Note: If you wish to take advantage of the AFP functions provided by these printers, you must use PSF/400.

Printer File Parameters and DDS Keywords Requiring PSF/400

Printer files and data description specifications (DDS) are the user and application program interfaces for printing in AS/400, and both continue to be part of the operating system. Table 1 lists printer file parameters and DDS keywords that affect print formatting and handling. When you use these parameters and keywords, you must use PSF/400 when printing to an IPDS printer.

Table 1. Printer File Parameters and DDS Keywords Requiring PSF/400

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Understanding Advanced Function Presentation (AFP) Output

AFP output can contain text data, image data, graphics, bar codes, or a combination of these data types on a single page.

Figure 7 on page 30 shows a sample of AFP output using PSF/400. The sample page shows examples of the data described on the following pages. The sample page will be used throughout this publication to illustrate the various AFP functions that you can use for printing.
All Points Addressability: AFP printers can address all picture elements (pels) on a page. The pel density helps to determine the printing quality of a particular printer. The page printers supported by PSF/400 have a variety of pel densities, also referred to as dots per inch (dpi). Pel density is also referred to as the printer resolution. Typical resolutions are 144, 240, and 300 pel.

Figure 8 on page 31 shows several addressable areas of the page. The data associated with these areas is sent to the printer to produce the sample page shown in Figure 7.
Text on a Page: AFP output can contain text, which is character data in the form of letters, numbers, punctuation marks, special characters, and signatures. Character data is printed using fonts. A font is a collection of graphic characters sharing the same type family, type style, type weight, and type size. You can use several different fonts on a page. Text is printed using two basic font technologies; raster and outline, which are described in Chapter 6, Fonts. IBM fonts are shipped on the AFP Font Collection CD-ROM.

Figure 9 on page 32 shows different fonts used on the sample page.
AFP output can contain image data, which is a series of picture elements (pels) arranged in rows and columns. Another name for image is page segment.

Image data is created either by a scanning device or a program and is stored in a set of MO:DCA-P structured fields called an image data object. The image data can be included in a print job, in an overlay resource, or in a page segment resource. PSF/400 accesses and sends image resources to the printer with the print job. See “Chapter 7. Image and Graphics” on page 73 for more information.

PSF/400 supports image data objects stored in two different formats:

- IO image
- IM image

Figure 10 on page 33 shows an image printed on the sample page.
Graphics on a Page: AFP output can contain graphics data that is stored in vector representation. Graphics data, also called vector-graphics data, contains commands to draw lines, arcs, and circles and can be used to represent something as complex as a three-dimensional engineering drawing.

Graphics data is created by a program and stored in a set of MO:DCA-P structured fields called a graphics data object. A graphics data object can be included in a print job, in an overlay resource, or in a page segment resource. PSF/400 accesses and sends graphics resources to the printer with the print job. See “Chapter 7 Image and Graphics” on page 73 for more information.

Figure 11 on page 34 shows graphics data printed on the sample page.
Some options available with graphics data objects are:

- The graphics data can be placed in any position on the page.
- Graphics data can be scaled by the printer to any size (that is, enlarged or reduced).
- Graphics data can be rotated by the printer.
- Graphics data can be clipped by the printer so that only a portion of the graphic is printed.
- A graphics data object can include MO:DCA-P text data.

**Bar Codes:** Bar codes represent characters by sets of parallel bars of varying thickness and separation that can be read optically by transverse scanning. These codes can represent, for example, product numbers, part numbers, and zip codes.

**Figure 12 on page 35** shows bar codes printed on the sample page. The zip code at the top of the sample page is printed in POSTNET bar code. The customer number and invoice amount are printed in Interleaved 2 of 5 bar code at the bottom of the page.
Many different types of bar code arrangements, or symbologies, have been developed for specific applications. Some of the bar code symbologies are:

- Code 3 of 9
- Codabar
- Interleaved 2 of 5
- Code 128
- Universal Product Code (UPC)
- European Article Numbering (EAN)
- Postnet (Postal Bar Code)
- Royal Mail Bar Code
- Japan Postal Bar Code
- Australian Postal Bar Code

**Merging Data with an Electronic Form:** The ability to combine data with print resources enables you to use an application to merge data with an electronic form, or overlay. An overlay contains constant information and may also contain blanks that can be filled in by the application. The print job created by the application contains the variable data that is printed on the electronic form. PSF/400 can print both the variable data and the form on one sheet, eliminating the need for preprinted forms when printing the variable data. PSF/400 also can print an overlay on a blank page containing no variable data.
Figure 13 shows a sample electronic form (overlay).

![Sample Electronic Form (Overlay)](image)

**AS/400 AFP Formatting Resources**

AFP supports two external resources for formatting pages—form definitions and page definitions. These resources contain rules for mapping application output into fully composed pages. Page definitions and form definitions are external to the application program and thus separate the final document formatting from the application. Since these resources represent a subset of the functionality available with DDS, you would normally use them where you wanted the formatting to be application-independent.

### Form Definitions

A *form definition* is the resource that specifies the physical attributes of the printed output. The word *form* refers to a sheet of paper or other print media.

Support for creating and using form definitions in the AS/400 AFP subsystem was added in PSF/400 V3R2. Before that, form definitions could be created only on the RISC/6000 and S/390 systems or with PC products such as ISIS or Elixir, and could be used on the AS/400 by means of a set of APIs called PrintManager/400, or by routing print jobs from MVS or VM using Network Job Entry (NJE).

A form definition performs many of the same functions as a printer file on the AS/400, but whereas a printer file is required, a form definition is optional. If you do
not specify a form definition, media handling characteristics are taken from other existing keywords. If you do specify a form definition, its media handling instructions override those specified in existing keywords.

If you choose to use a form definition, you must specify its name in the printer file.

A form definition contains printing controls that specify the following, within the limitations of each printer:

- Page origin (the top-left boundary for printing). Page origin may be different for the front and back of the page when duplexing.
- Sheets that have overlays printed on them.
- Number of copies of each page to be printed.
- Paper source (input bin of the printer) for printers with more than one paper source.
- Simplex (printing on just one side of a sheet) or duplex (printing on both sides of a sheet on printers that support duplex printing).
- Page presentation (portrait or landscape).
- Print-quality level (on printers that support different levels of print quality).
- Horizontal adjustment in pels or dots per inch (dpi).
- N_UP Printing: printing multiple logical pages on a sheet. These pages can be either MO:DCA-P pages (fully composed pages containing data and the structured fields controlling presentation of the data) or line data.

See Chapter 13, Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions on page 193 for more information on form definitions.

**Page Definitions**

A page definition is the resource that specifies how line data is to be formatted into pages by PSF/400. PSF/400 does not use a page definition for MO:DCA-P (AFPDS) data, because that data is already composed into pages before PSF/400 receives it.

A page definition performs many of the same functions that are available on the AS/400 by means of DDS. The page definition is an alternative to DDS for formatting data on a page independent of the application program.

Specifying a page definition is optional. If you do not specify a page definition, media handling characteristics are taken from existing keywords. If you do specify a page definition, its media handling instructions override those specified in existing keywords.

If you choose to use a page definition, you must specify its name in the printer file.

A page definition contains formatting information that specifies the following:

- Fonts to be used for printing the data
- Where data from each input record is to be printed
- Constant data to be printed
- Data fields that can be suppressed
- Print position for carriage controls or channel codes
- List of page segments
- List of page overlays
- Conditional processing
- Color selection (for printers that support printing in multiple colors)
- Page size (height and width)
- Print direction for the page of data
- Number of lines per inch

See [Chapter 13, Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions](#) on page 193 for more information on page definitions.

### AFP Performance Enhancements

To use the full capabilities of AFP printing, additional system resources are needed, and this can adversely affect printer and system performance.

A number of recent enhancements in AFP support have significantly improved system and printer performance. These include:

- Overlays and page segments are retained at the printer across job boundaries. Prior to V3R1, overlays and page segments were downloaded for every job, even if they were already at the printer.
- IPDS Passthrough sends non-AFP jobs directly to the printer, bypassing the IPDS to AFPDS to IPDS conversion process. Use WRKAFP2 or CRTPSFCFG and specify IPDS Passthrough *YES. Jobs that require the conversion are converted without need of user intervention.
- Since V2R2, AS/400 “Autotune” (system value QPFRADJ, performance adjustment) supports modifying the memory allocation for *SPOOL storage pool to provide improved AFP print performance.
- Because AFP printing is a cooperative process between the AS/400 and the printer, recent advances in printer technology have improved overall printing throughput. For example, the high-speed print controller (called the Advanced Function Common Control Unit, or AFCCU) of the IBM 3130 and 3160 Advanced Function Printers and the InfoPrint printers provides the memory and processing power to quickly resolve AFP data streams and resources (fonts, images, overlays, bar codes) into completed pages.
- Other improvements to PSF/400 (font capture, cut-sheet emulation, memory utilization, disk I/O, and so on) improve operating efficiency.
- Additional choices, such as Print Services Facility/2 (PSF/2), allow you to offload AFP print jobs.
Chapter 4. Working with AFP

Because AFP is built into the AS/400, it is natural that there are many AS/400 applications that work with it. There are enabling applications, tools that help you build AFP applications. There are complementary applications, applications that work with AFP output or AFP data streams. And, there are applications (line of business functions, such as billing, accounts payable, and so on) that simply incorporate AFP for electronic output.

Enabling Applications

The following list describes the enabling applications and their components.

- **AFP PrintSuite**
  AFP PrintSuite for AS/400 is a family of different solutions for building AFP applications. The following tools (separately orderable) are generally application-independent approaches to formatting electronic pages.
  
  - **Advanced Print Utility (APU)**
    APU is an interactive, end-user system for transforming existing application output to advanced electronic output. Current line-mode output can be migrated to electronic business documents utilizing electronic forms, image, graphics, fonts, and bar codes. APU will create complex output, including multiple page formats and conditional logic, all without changes to the existing application.
  
  - **Page Printer Formatting Aid (PPFA)**
    PPFA provides the capability to create AFP Page Definitions and Form Definitions on OS/400. Page Definitions and Form Definitions are print format definitions that control how application output is to be mapped to the printed page. They provide document formatting and data mapping capabilities (conditional processing, electronic overlays, copies, etc.), supporting the full range of print application requirements. These definitions provide an application-independent, high-performance method of transforming existing print applications to electronic output.
  
  - **Advanced Function Printing Toolbox**
    AFP Toolbox enables you to take full control over the power of the AFP data stream, but do it with an easy, object programming interface. AFP Toolbox, through a set of C objects, functions, and callable APIs, enables you to update your print applications to take full advantage of new printer technologies such as color, image, and electronic forms. AFP Toolbox should be used where you have a requirement for a dynamic program interface to the printed page.
  
  - **SAP R/3 AFP Print Feature**
    SAP R/3 AFP Print converts SAP’s R/3 data streams into IBM’s AFP data stream or line data. This support includes the capability to customize output with signatures, logos, and bar codes through inclusion of AFP resources. This output can then be printed on AFP printers using PSF/400.
    In addition, extended electronic formatting can be added to the R/3 output through the use of page and form definitions. This enables the migration of R/3 line-mode output to electronic documents, with overlays, image, and bar coding.

- **IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400** (AFP Utilities)
AFP Utilities are a set of three utilities that support the creation of AFP applications. AFP Utilities include:

- **Overlay Utility**
  With Overlay Utility, you can create electronic overlays on the AS/400 to be used in AFP applications. Overlay Utility works on any AS/400 terminal, and provides an integrated platform to design, create, and print overlays.

- **Print Format Utility**
  Print Format Utility is an interactive tool for building AFP output directly from the AS/400 database, without writing any application programs. With Print Format Utility, you can quickly create complex electronic output combining variable data, overlays, bar coding, images, and other document elements.

- **Resource Management Utility**
  Resource Management Utility is a tool to manage the overlay and page segment resources used in AFP applications. With Resource Management Utility, you can create, copy, convert, and print these resources.

- **AFP Font Collection**
  The previous AFP Font Collection (5648-113), which contained fonts for MVS, OS/390, VM and VSE operating systems and the AIX, AS/400, and OS/2 operating systems, has been separated into two products:

  - **IBM AFP Font Collection for MVS, OS/390, VM, and VSE (5648–B33)** provides AFP Expanded Core Fonts for the MVS, OS/390, VM, and VSE operating systems.

  - **IBM AFP Font Collection for AIX, AS/400, and OS/2 (5648–B45)** provides AFP Expanded Core fonts for AIX, OS/400, and OS/2 operating systems, as well as Compatibility fonts, DBCS outline fonts, and OS/2 font utilities.

  These font collection products include the following enhancements:

  - **Euro currency symbol**: the euro currency symbol has been added to all Latin1 fonts. AFP Font Collection includes new code pages and coded fonts to enable you to access the euro character.

  - **Thai and Lao languages support**: complete core interchange font support for the Thai and Lao languages has been added.

  Note: Please refer to the IBM AFP Fonts: Font Summary for AFP Font Collection, S544–5633, for more information about the euro currency symbol and the language support for Thai and Lao.

- **IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows**
  The IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows creates AFP documents, overlays, and page segments from any Windows application. The AFP data stream can be sent directly to any PSF/2 attached printer, uploaded for printing on the AS/400, or sent to a file for viewing on the Client Access/400 Viewer. You can also use the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows to create electronic overlays and page segments for use in your AS/400 AFP documents.

- **Cooperative Development Environment/400 (CODE/400)**
  CODE/400 and VisualAge for RPG provide a fully-graphical development platform for AS/400 client and server applications. CODE/400 enables you to design application output pages graphically. The CODE/400 design is stored as AS/400 printer file DDS.

- **Report Layout Utility (RLU)**
RLU is an interactive design tool to build DDS output. RLU, a part of Application Development Tools, is similar to Screen Design Aid (SDA), but is used with printer files.

- **Business Graphics Utility (BGU)**
  BGU is an interactive utility for developing graphical data such as graphs and pie charts. The output of BGU, a graphic data file, can be used within an AFP document.

- **Graphical Data Display Manager (GDDM)**
  GDDM is a set of programming routines that can be used to generate graphical data directly from a high-level program. The output of GDDM, a graphic data file, can be then be used with AFP output.

- **Non-IBM Applications**
  There are a wide variety of non-IBM applications that enable AFP. They include systems for electronic forms design and output formatting. There are tools for each type of AFP print resource: fonts, image, and overlays. There are systems that merge existing application output with these resources to create electronic output. Examples include:
  - Form, font, image, and application builder from ISIS
  - Form, font, image, and application builder from Elixir Technologies
  - Check and application builder from Digital Designs (Electroform/400)
  - Form and application builder from OPTIO Corporation (Forms Xpress)
  - Form system from Mips Dataline (Transform/400)

**Complementary Applications**

- **Client Access/400 (CA/400)**
  CA/400 is a program that enables you to connect AS/400 systems and personal computers. CA/400 offers a set of OS/400 database, file, and print services for Windows, DOS, and OS/2. CA/400 also includes many base enablers for client server application development. CA/400 integrates the AFP Workbench for OS/2 and Windows to provide a high-function client interface to AS/400 output. You can view any spooled file fully and graphically, including AFP output. Once viewed, output can be searched, faxed, and printed.

- **OfficeVision/400 (OV/400)**
  OfficeVision/400 provides a set of office functions that include full document entry, management, and document merge with database files. OV/400 can imbed image and graphic files within a document. OV/400 can also add electronic overlays (for example, electronic letterhead) to a document.

- **Facsimile Support for AS/400**
  FAX/400 enables you to use facsimile, or fax, directly from an AS/400 system. FAX/400 is a generalized facsimile enabler for both inbound and outbound faxes. It enables you to integrate your facsimile transmissions directly into your applications.
  Incoming faxes can be viewed using Client Access/400 or printed on IPDS printers. Any AS/400 spooled file can be faxed outbound. Facsimile Support also supports AFP overlays as fax cover sheets.

- **ImagePlus/400**
  ImagePlus/400 enables you to turn paper documents into electronic images that then can be stored, viewed and printed. ImagePlus/400 provides the ability to electronically capture, import, index, store, retrieve, display, process, distribute, and print image information.
• **Workfolder Application Facility/400 (WAF/400)**
  WAF/400 provides an application for document-driven workflow and folder management. WAF/400 also provides a set of APIs for the image enablement of business applications. WAF documents, being image-coded data, can be viewed with the Client Access/400 Viewer and printed on IPDS printers.

• **OnDemand for AS/400**
  OnDemand enables you to store and retrieve large volumes of AS/400 data, such as spooled files. This data may be stored on disk, optical, and tape storage media. OnDemand provides the capabilities to index, store, search, retrieve, view, fax, and print output information.

• **Business Partner Applications**
  The second category includes applications that work with or transform AFP data. These include report archive and retrieval systems that index, store, manage, and retrieve output files. These also include various print serving systems that route, transform and print AS/400 output.

• **Backup Recovery and Media Services (BRMS)**
  Backup Recovery and Media Services (BRMS) for AS/400 provides backup, recovery, and archive services for tape devices. AS/400 objects, libraries, folders, spooled files, configurations, and integrated file system data can be saved, restored, and archived to tape. Output queues can be backed up, including external print resources (overlays, page segments) referenced in AFP spooled files.

• **Third Party Design Tools**
  There are a number of tools that enable you to design and work with AFP resources, such as overlays, fonts, page segments, page definitions, and form definitions.

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**AFP Applications**

The final category represents AS/400 line-of-business solutions that provide AFP electronic output. Applications that produce customer documents, such as invoices, purchases, and checks, are typical examples. Applications that require image, such as check image in bank statements and freight bills in transportation, are more specialized examples. As more and more customers move to electronic documents, there are more AS/400 applications that provide direct AFP support.
Chapter 5. Introduction to the Super Sun Seeds Case Study

Much of this document is devoted to describing how to move to electronic output, using Advanced Function Presentation. Because there are many approaches to building AFP applications, a single case study, the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application, will be used throughout.

Super Sun Seeds presently uses preprinted, multipart invoice forms, and produces an invoice document as shown in the following figure.

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400 CPU Parkway
Vegetation, NJ 55090

Los Arboles Del Mundo
32483 Arbol Lane
Mesa Verde
IL 65478-9390

--- Sold To ---

Customer Number: 141
Invoice Number: 31341
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Thank You......
Because almost half of your order was Lasso Red Seeds, you will receive a 10% discount on your next order.

Total Due $99,630.14

Return this tear-off strip with your payment.
Payment is due by: 8/28/95
Make Checks Payable to: Super Sun Seeds
Amount Due is: $99,630.14

LOS ARBOLES DEL MUNDO
32483 ARBOLE LANE
MESA VERDE
IL 65478-9390

Figure 14. Super Sun Seeds Preprinted Invoice
```
The application program producing the Super Sun Seeds invoice is INVPRE, shown in the following example.

```assembler
* INVPRE - Super Sun Seeds - Sample of a Preprinted Invoice
* This program reads a transaction file (SEEDDETL), retrieves info
  from item master (SEEDITEM) and customer master (SEEDCUST), then
  prints invoices.

* Invoice detail lines are processed until either end of customer order
  or lines=25, at which time the invoice page is printed. At end of
  order, a check is made to see if there are more than 18 detail lines
  to print. If there are, that would not leave room in the invoice body
  to print the customer offer. In this case, the page is printed, and a
  new final page is built with the offer and the payment coupon.

* The offer is a message based on item sales in the customer master.

FSEEDDETLIP E K DISK
FSEEDITEMIF E K DISK
FSEEDCUSTIF E K DISK
FINVPRE O E PRINTER
E WDS 1 40 24 Text for Offer
I INVCDETL 01
I STNAME 32
I CUST# L1
I CUSTDATA 02
I ITEMDATA 03
I IBARTOT DS
I 1 60CUST#
I 7 15TOTDUE
I *IN90 IFEQ '0' First Pass Only
C SETON 90
C EXSR DATESR
C ENDIF

* Start of customer order

C *INL1 IFEQ '1' Start Customer
C CUST# ADD 31200 INVC# 60 Invent Invoice#
C Z-ADD0 TOTDUE 92 Reset Totals/Ctrs
C Z-ADD0 ITMCNT 30
C Z-ADD0 PAGCNT 30
C CUST# CHAINSEEDCUST 20
C 32 MOVEL 'SAME' STNAME
C Z-ADDZIP ZIPPN 90
C WRITEINVTOP
C* WRITEINVTOP
C* ENDIF
```
5800 C*
5900 C* Detail Processing
6000 C*
6100 C* \*IN01 CABNE'1' ENDDET Item Processing
6200 C* ADD 1 ITEMCNT
6300 C* ITM1 CHAINSEQUITM 21
6400 C*
6500 C* QTY1 MULT SELPRC EXTPRC 72
6600 C* Z-ADDQTY1 QTY 40
6700 C* EXTPRC ADD TOTDUE TOTDUE
6800 C*
6900 C* WRITEDETLIN Write Detail Line
7000 C*
7100 * Check for end of space on page
7200 *
7300 C* ITMCNT IFEQ 25 Full 1st Page
7400 C* ADD 1 PAGCNT
7500 C* SETON 31
7600 C* WRITEPAGEOF Pg 1 of 2 Msg
7700 C* WRITEINVTOP Invoice Heading
7800 C* SETOF 31
7900 C* Z-ADD0 ITMCNT
8000 C* ENDIF
8100 C*
8200 C* ENDDET TAG
8300 C*
8400 C* End of customer order
8500 C*
8600 CL1 ITMCNT IFTG 18 No Room for Offer
8700 CL1 ADD 1 PAGCNT
8800 CL1 SETON 31
8900 CL1 WRITEPAGEOF Pg 1 of n
9000 CL1 WRITEINVTOP Invoice Heading
9100 CL1 SETOF 31
9200 CL1 ENDIF
9300 C*
9400 C* Payment coupon fields
9500 C*
9600 CL1 MOVE BARTOT BARPRC 150 Load Totals
9700 CL1 Z-ADDTOTDUE TOTDUE 92
9800 CL1 MOVE NAME NAME02 25
9900 CL1 MOVE STREET STREET02 25
10000 CL1 MOVE CITY CITY02 25
10100 CL1 MOVE STATE STAT02 2
10200 CL1 MOVE ZIP ZIP02 9
10300 CL1 ADD 1 PAGCNT
10400 C*
10500 C* Write Offer
10600 C*
10700 CL1 EXSR OFFSR Write Offer and
10800 CL1 30 WRITEOFFER Invoice Totals
10900 CL1 WRITEINVTOP
11000 CL1 SETOF 30
11100 C*
11200 C* Set up Date
11300 C*
11400 CSR DATESR BEGSR
11500 CSR Z-ADDUDDAY PAYDA
11600 CSR UMONTH ADD 1 PAYMO
11700 CSR PAYMO IFGT 12
11800 CSR Z-ADD1 PAYMO
11900 CSR UYEAR ADD 1 PAYYR
12000 CSR ELSE
12100 CSR Z-ADDUYEAR PAYYR
12200 CSR ENDIF
12300 CSR MOVE PAYDAA PAYDAT 60
12400 CSR Z-ADDPAYDAT PAYDA@ 60

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12500 CSR ENDSR
12600 *
12700 * Set up Special Offer
12800 *
12900 CSR OFFSR BEGSR
13000 CSR SLSSED IFGE 500 Seeds
13100 CSR Z-ADD1 IX 20
13200 CSR SETON 30
13300 CSR GOTO WRTOFR
13400 CSR ENDF
13500 CSR SLSSRT IFGE 500 Fruit
13600 CSR Z-ADD7 IX 30
13700 CSR GOTO WRTOFR
13800 CSR ENDF
14000 CSR SLSSUP IFGE 500 Trees
14100 CSR Z-ADD13 IX 30
14200 CSR GOTO WRTOFR
14300 CSR ENDF
14500 CSR SLSSCHM IFGE 500 Stuff
14600 CSR Z-ADD19 IX 30
14700 CSR GOTO WRTOFR
14800 CSR ENDF
15000 C*
15100 CSR GOTO ENDOFR
15200 C*
15300 CSR WRTOFR TAG
15400 CSR MOVE WDS,IX OFFR01 24 Build Offer Text
15500 CSR ADD 1 IX
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16400 CSR MOVE WDS,IX OFFR06 24
16500 CSR ENDOFR ENDSR
16600 C*
16700 *
16800 ** WDS WORDS FOR OFFER
16900 Thank You ..... 
17000 Because you have ordered 
17100 over $500 of seeds this 
17200 year, on your next seed 
17300 order you will receive 
17400 a 10% discount. 
17500 Thank You ..... 
17600 Because you have ordered 
17700 over $500 of fruit this 
17800 year, on your next fruit 
17900 order you will receive 
18000 a 10% discount. 
18100 Thank You ..... 
18200 Because you have ordered 
18300 over $500 of trees this 
18400 year, on your next tree 
18500 order you will receive 
18600 a 10% discount. 
18700 Thank You ..... 
18800 Because you have ordered 
18900 over $500 of stuff this 
19000 year, on your next stuff 
19100 order you will receive
INVPRE Application Program General Processing Flow

The general processing flow for INVPRE is as follows:
- Customer order line items (file SEEDDETL) are processed.
- At the beginning of each customer order, customer information is retrieved from the customer master (file SEEDCUST). This provides the bill to and ship to information for the top half of the invoice page.
- For each line item, item master information is retrieved from the item master (file SEEDITEM)
- Line extensions are calculated, and order totals are accumulated
- An invoice detail line is printed. The preprinted invoice accommodates up to 25 line items per page.
- If a customer order contains more than 25 line items, the message Continued is printed in the totals box, and the invoice is continued on the next form.
- At the end of a customer invoice, an optional sales offer may be printed based on that customer's sales history.
- Finally, the invoice total is printed at the bottom of the page in the form of a payment coupon.

The actual formatting and positioning of the output is done external to the application program, using Data Description Specifications (DDS) in the INVPRE printer file.

**DDS Source for INVPRE Example**

The INVPRE DDS is shown in the following example.

```
SOURCE FILE . . . . . . . SAMPLER/QDISSRC
SEQNBR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8
100 A* INVPRE: Sample of standard invoicing output used with preprinted forms.
300 A* Printer File Create or Change Parameters:
400 A* - Printer Device Type (DEVTYPE) -SCS
500 A* - Overflow Line (OVRFLW) 64
600 A* - Front Overlay (FRONTOVL) INVALL
800 A*
900 A* Page 1 Header
1000 A* - includes Postnet Zip+4
1100 A*
1200 A R INVTOP SKIPB(12)
1300 A R NAME 25A 12
1400 A R STNAME 25A 48
1500 A SPACEA(1)
1600 A R STREET 25A 12
1700 A R STSTRT 25A 48
1800 A SPACEA(1)
1900 A R CITY 25A 12
2000 A R STCITY 25A 48
2100 A SPACEA(1)
2200 A R STATE 2A 12
2300 A R ZIP 9S 16 EDTWRD(' - ')
2400 A R STSTE 2A 48
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Considerations for Electronic Invoice Forms

Moving the Super Sun Seeds invoice to an electronic invoice involves choosing from a number of application enabling tools. That choice will be influenced, in part, by at least three factors, (1) the application requirements of the new invoice, (2) the characteristics of the current application, and (3) the skills available or required.

First, the new invoicing application may require:
- Changes in overall page layout
- Static or dynamic layout
- Single or multiformat pages
- Bar coding, images, and other document elements
- How copies are handled
- Certain processing or performance characteristics

Second, certain characteristics of the existing invoicing application, primarily access to source code, will be a factor.

Finally, skill requirements or preferences are a factor:
- Availability of programming skills
- Scope of electronic printing applications, that is, the number of applications, electronic forms, and so on

The following enabling approaches are discussed in this document:
- Printer file implementation
- Data Description Specifications (DDS)
- Page and form definitions
- Advanced Print Utility (APU)
- AFP Toolbox
- Print Format Utility (part of Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400)
- Third party applications

All of these approaches create an electronic Super Sun Seeds document (Print Format Utility would be more suited to a related application, such as shipping labels). These new electronic invoice documents contain fonts, images, bar codes, and electronic forms. These building blocks of electronic printing applications are the subject of subsequent chapters in this document.

**Printer file** parameters provide you with an easy, automatic way to change to your output. For more information on Printer File parameters, see [Chapter 10. Using Printer Files](#) on page 115.

**Computer output reduction** (COR), multi-up reports, and front and back overlays are simple to implement.

**DDS** (Data Description Specifications) is the standard interface to the output page. DDS keywords provide complete and dynamic control of all page elements. DDS is integrated with the application program, enabling page content to be customized by
application data and program logic. For more information on DDS keywords, see [Chapter 11. Using Data Description Specifications] on page 127.

**Advanced Print Utility (APU)** is an interactive tool for transforming existing line-oriented application output to electronic pages, independent of the application program. A new document design is created interactively, and that design is applied to the output file created by the application. For more information on APU, see [Chapter 12. Using the Advanced Print Utility] on page 161.

**Page and form definitions** also provide application-independent document formatting. These definitions, created with Page Printer Formatting Aid (PPFA) or other document applications, are plugged directly into the printer file. This dynamically transforms existing line-mode output to complex electronic documents. For more information on page definitions and form definitions, see [Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions] on page 193.

**AFP Toolbox** provides complete control over the AFP print data stream, using high-function objects and APIs. AFP Toolbox provides the programming interface to create critical, complex output - output with dynamic elements, image integration, indexing, or output data stream transformation. For more information on AFP Toolbox, see [Chapter 14. Using the AFP Toolbox for AS/400] on page 217.

**Print Format Utility (PFU)** creates electronic output directly from AS/400 database files, using an interactive user interface. PFU is well-suited to quick-turnaround applications and multi-up documents (such as bar coded labels). For more information on PFU, see [Chapter 15. Using the Print Format Utility] on page 225.
Chapter 6. Fonts

To represent text, you need fonts. A font is a complete set of graphic characters sharing the same type family, style, weight, and size. A font may include letters, numbers, punctuation marks and special characters. To add variety to your documents, you can include fonts of various sizes, styles, weights, and orientations.

This chapter describes AFP font usage on the AS/400 and includes the following:

- Font terminology
- Font data formats
- Location of the fonts
- AS/400 font objects
- AS/400 font products
- AS/400 libraries
- AS/400 font substitution
- Finding fonts

Font Terminology

Although thousands of typefaces exist (Courier, Helvetica, Prestige, and so on), there are only three basic types of fonts. These three font types classify fonts with similar characteristics based on font size and spacing. These font types are explained in the following sections.

Monospaced Fonts

Many typewriters and line printers use what are known as monospaced fonts. Synonyms for monospaced are fixed-pitch and uniformly spaced. Each character in a monospaced font has the same width and occupies the same print space. “Pitch”, also known as characters per inch (CPI), is an old typewriter term and simply means the number of characters that can be printed in one inch of text. “Fixed-pitch” means that all the characters in the font have the same width and will occupy the same amount of space when printed, thus the name, monospaced. Monospaced fonts are typically used for tabular data where column alignment can be easily maintained. The larger the pitch value, the smaller the text because more characters can be printed in one inch.

Many printers have printer-resident monospaced fonts. These fonts may be either bitmaps or outlines.

Proportionally Spaced Fonts

Proportionally spaced fonts, sometimes called PS or PSM fonts, contain characters with widths assigned from one of seven width values. Narrow characters such as "i" and "l" print with less space than wider characters such as "m" and "A". All proportionally spaced fonts contain characters with widths assigned in a consistent manner so that an "i" in one font will be the same as an "i" in another.

Note: The PS font widths for most characters are given in Appendix B of the Document Content Architecture: Final Form Text Reference and in Appendix E of the Document Content Architecture: Revisable Form Text Reference.
The average spacing of a proportionally spaced font is 12 CPI (12 pitch). Proportionally spaced fonts may be either bitmaps or outlines.

**Typographic Fonts**

Typographic fonts have variable character widths, but unlike proportionally spaced fonts, each character in each font is individually sized for readability. Typographic fonts are measured in points (1/72 of an inch), a vertical measurement expressing the font's size by height. Typographic fonts may be either bitmaps or outlines.

Generally, typographic fonts are considered more legible than monospaced fonts, and produce text that is more easily read. They can also be used to improve the appearance of a document and allow a greater number of characters to be printed on a page.

The following information can help you define a font.

**Font Family**
Courier, Helvetica, Times Roman, and Sonoran Serif are examples of frequently used font families.

**Typeface**
A typeface is similar to a typestyle. It also defines the shape of the characters, but it also includes their weight, posture, and size or point size.
- **Weight**: Defines the character weight such as medium or bold.
- **Posture**: Defines the character stance, such as normal or italic.
- **Size**: Defines the size of a fixed pitch font in characters per inch.
- **Point Size**: A vertical measurement used to define the relative size of a typographic font. One point equals 1/72 of an inch.

**Font Resolution**
The number of pels (picture elements) printed per inch. Two resolutions, 240 dots per inch (DPI) and 300 DPI, are available as downloadable font resources. In addition, outline fonts are also available for download and as printer-resident fonts. Outline fonts can be used to print at any font resolution supported by the printer. To determine the resolution for a particular font character set, use the Work Font Resource (WRKFNRSC) command.

**Orientation**
All font character sets support four print orientations, 0, 90, 180, and 270 degrees. Other orientations can be printed if the text is created as image data or outline.

**Character ID**
Also referred to as the graphic character ID, the character ID is an 8-byte character data string. Each character or symbol is assigned a unique character ID to distinguish the character from other characters. For example:

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A code point is an 8-bit binary number representing one of 256 potential characters (the maximum number of characters available on a single-byte code page). Code points are usually shown as hexadecimal representations of their binary values. For example, an uppercase A (character ID LA020000) is represented by code point C1 for EBCDIC code page T1V10500 (see Figure 18 on page 53).

Typical examples of Sonoran typographic fonts are shown below:

**Sonoran Serif**

**Sonoran Serif Bold**

**Sonoran Sans Serif Italic**

**Sonoran Sans Serif Italic Bold**

Fonts are provided in two data formats—as raster fonts or as outline fonts.
A different raster font must be created for each specific resolution and size required. For example, for the font family Helvetica, there is a bitmap for the letter A (Roman medium) in each point size, as well as bitmaps for the following in each point size:

- A (Roman bold)
- A (italic)
- A (italic bold),

If we assume that each style and weight is available in point sizes 6 through 12, 14, 16, 20, 24, 30, and 36, then the capital letter A in the Helvetica font family is stored as 52 different bitmaps. The Helvetica font family contains more than 400 different characters, each of which is represented by 52 bitmaps.

**Outline Fonts**

An outline font, as the name suggests, defines each character in terms of its outline, using mathematical formulas to define each character’s shape. A rasterizer interprets the data and fills in the outline with dots creating a bitmap of the character for the specified point size and print resolution.

Many outline fonts are defined in Adobe Type 1 font format, and are available from many font vendors. The outline fonts available from IBM for AS/400 are Adobe Type 1 fonts encapsulated in an AFP wrapper so they can be handled as AFP font resources. Type Transformer, an OS/2 program provided as an option of AFP Font Collection, can be used to create 240-pel, 300-pel, and AFP outline fonts from Adobe Type 1 input.

Adobe has been producing digital fonts since 1984, licensing fonts from font foundries such as Linotype and ITC, as well as designing its own. The Adobe Type library is now in excess of 10,000 fonts and is claimed to be the largest collection of typefaces in the same format ever assembled.

The outline fonts from IBM define characters using a 1000 x 1000 matrix (1000 Adobe units). The outlines are size and resolution independent and can be scaled to a particular resolution and point size and transformed to a particular resolution, style, rotation, and point size.

**Location of the Fonts**

Fonts are either resident in the printer or downloadable from your AS/400 system. This section explains how you can use these two types of fonts.
Printer-Resident Fonts

Many printers contain printer-resident fonts. These fonts may be bitmaps or outlines and can vary by printer type and manufacturer. The printer hardware manual should be referenced to determine the printer’s resident font support. In order to ensure document fidelity across various printer types, it will be necessary to use the same fonts on each printer. If a font is selected and not resident on the target printer, a font substitution may occur (see "AS/400 Font Substitution" on page 67) resulting in output differing from printer to printer.

Fonts found in IBM’s AFCCU printers are the same as those found as host-resident fonts provided with AFP Font Collection. This means that printer-resident fonts and downloaded bitmap fonts may be interchanged in a print environment where both outline font and bitmap printers exist.

Host-Resident Fonts

AFP host-resident fonts reside on the host system in font libraries, and they can be downloaded to IPDS printers attached to your system. The transfer of the font data is performed automatically by Print Services Facility (PSF/400, PSF/MVS, PSF for OS/390, PSF/VM, PSF/VSE, PSF/2, or PSF for AIX).

When you add a new font to the system, any printer that supports downloadable fonts and matches the resolution of the font is immediately able to use it if requested by the application.

Captured Fonts

In the past, PSF/400 saved downloaded fonts across spooled files, but not across instances of the writer. It is now possible with PSF/400 V4R2 for the printer (if the printer supports this function) to dynamically “capture,” or cache, a host-downloaded font. The captured font then appears like a printer-resident font, even when the printer has been powered off. Network traffic is reduced by eliminating subsequent font downloads to the printer.

Currently, some IBM printers support font capturing, while others do not.

**Note:** Because improper use of font capturing may cause unpredictable results, it is strongly advised that only system administrators handle the font capture feature. Carefully study *IBM AS/400 Printer Device Programming* (SC41-5713) before proceeding so that you are aware of the proper use of font capturing.

The new parameter FNTCAPTURE has been added to the PSF configuration object (CRT/CHG/DSP/PSFCFG) commands to activate font capturing. If you configure FNTCAPTURE as *YES, then any fonts eligible to be captured will be captured.

To mark a font as eligible to be captured, specify the name of a font character set or code page, and select FNTCAPTURE (*YES) in the font resource (CRT/CHG/FNTRSCA) command.

Captured fonts remain in the printer as long as there is space for them (until the space they occupy is needed for something else). To avoid security problems, do **not** mark sensitive fonts, such as signatures and MICR fonts, as eligible to be
captured. You cannot clear a captured font from the printer, so it is possible that an unauthorized person could access the captured font.

AS/400 Font Objects

The AFP font objects supported on the AS/400 system are described in the following sections.

Code Page, Character Set, and Coded Font Overview

In IBM font structure, a code page maps each character of text to the characters in a character set (see Figure 17). As you enter your text at a workstation, each keyboard character is translated into a code point. When the text is printed, each code point is matched to a character ID on the code page you specify. The character ID is then matched to the image (raster pattern or outline pattern) of the character in the character set you specify. The image in the character set is the image that is printed in your text.

Fonts may be selected by selecting the character set and code page. A short cut method used by some applications is the coded font which contains a predefined character set/code page pair.

Character Sets

A character set is the collection of characters contained in a font. It contains character identifiers and corresponding character patterns (raster or outline) for a single type family, typeface, and (in the case of rasters), type size. In addition, a font character set specifies character properties and printing attributes.

Character sets include alphabetic, numeric, and special characters. Each national language has the alphabetic and numeric characters required by that language and by national standards. Each language has its unique requirements and may not use the same characters in the same way another language does.
A character set is an object located in a font library. The object type for a character set is "FNTRSC" and the attribute is "FNTCHRSET." See section "AS/400 Font Products" on page 61 to determine what character sets are available.

"Appendix J. Font Samples" on page 353 provides samples of the most widely used fonts: Helvetica, Times New Roman, and Courier. These samples also reference the character set resource name. For example, Helvetica Roman-Bold 20-point is character set C0H400J0. Most of the AS/400 font character sets use a common resource nomenclature, as follows:

C0fs0cpp is the font character set name

Where the “C0” prefix designates a character set and the rest of the font character set name structure is decoded as follows:

f Font Family:
  - Example: N is Times New Roman
  - Example: H is Helvetica
  - For a complete list, refer to IBM AFP Font Summary, G544-3810, or IBM AFP Font Summary for AFP Font Collection, S544-5633

s Font Style:
  - 2: Roman Medium
  - 3: Italic Medium
  - 4: Roman Bold
  - 5: Italic Bold

Language complement:
  - Example: 0 is Latin 1
  - Example: 1 is Symbols
  - For a complete list, refer to IBM AFP Font Summary, G544-3810, or IBM AFP Font Summary for AFP Font Collection, S544-5633

pp Point Size:
  - 60: 6-point
  - 70: 7-point
  - 80: 8-point
  - 90: 9-point
  - 00: 10-point
  - A0: 11-point
  - B0: 12-point
  - D0: 14-point
  - F0: 16-point
  - H0: 18-point
  - J0: 20-point
  - N0: 24-point
  - T0: 30-point
  - Z0: 36-point

For more information on character set naming, refer to IBM AFP Fonts Summary (G544-3810), IBM AFP Fonts: Technical Reference for IBM Expanded Core fonts (S544-5228), and ABOUT TYPE: IBM’s Technical Reference for 240-Pel Digitized Type (S544-3516).
Character information can be represented in computers by one or more bytes of binary information called code points. Graphic characters are assigned to code points and form the link between code points and character data found in the character sets. Characters are generally assigned according to two encoding schemes: American Standard Code for Information Interchange (ASCII) and Extended Binary Coded Decimal Interchange Code (EBCDIC).

For languages that are not alphabet-based, double-byte character set (DBCS) encoding is used. For example, DBCS is used for Japanese, Chinese, and Korean languages because they are ideographic in nature and contain an extremely large number of characters. Other languages can be represented by a single-byte character set (SBCS).

For single byte EBCDIC character sets, 192 bit combinations in a byte (hexadecimal X'40' through X'FF') are available to represent characters. Code points below hexadecimal X'40' are generally reserved for printer commands. Character sets usually contain more characters than individual code pages, so many different code pages can be used to select characters from a single character set.

For the different code pages supported on the AS/400 system, refer to the National Language Support Planning Guide. For code pages provided with the IBM AFP Font Collection products, see IBM AFP Font Summary, G544-3810, or IBM AFP Font Summary for AFP Font Collection, S544-5633.

Code pages are objects located in font libraries. The object type is "FNTRSC and the attribute is CDEPAG. See section "AS/400 Font Products" on page 61 to determine which code pages are available.

Figure 18 on page 59 shows an example of a code page.
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Figure 18. EBCDIC Code Page T1V10500
Coded Fonts

A single-byte coded font associates a specific code page with a specific font character set. A single-byte coded font contains a combination of code page and font character set. For example, coded font X0BIR1 uses the character set C0S0BITR with code page T1V10037.

A double-byte font, such as Kanji, contains more than one code page and character set pair. Each pair is called a coded-font section. A double-byte coded font requires a 2-byte code in the text for each graphic character: the first byte identifies the section, and the second byte identifies the code point.

Coded fonts are font objects kept in the font libraries. The object type is "FNTRSC" and the attribute is CDEFNT. See section "AS/400 Font Products" on page 61 to determine which coded fonts are available.

AS/400 supports both printer-resident and host-resident fonts. These fonts can be referenced by Font Global Identifier (FGID), by character set and code page, or by coded font name. Printers with resident fonts use FGIDs to access the resident fonts.

Font Global Identifier (FGID)

FGIDs are whole numbers from 1 to 65534 registered within IBM and used to identify font resources. FGIDs are assigned to unique type family/typeface combinations, such as Courier Roman Medium (FGID 11).

Ranges of FGID numbers can be used to identify the font type and size as follows:

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<td>Monospaced 27 characters per inch</td>
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<td>Typographic based on specified point size</td>
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You can find a complete list of family names, typefaces, attributes, and size of each FGID in *IBM AS/400 Printer Device Programming*.

**AS/400 Font Products**

On the AS/400, two sets of fonts—the AFP Compatibility fonts and the GDDM (Graphical Data Display Manager) fonts—are included in the base system. Other font products, such as the AFP Font Collection, are available and can be purchased separately. These font products provide additional font choices beyond the basic fonts. The various AS/400 font products are described in this section.

**AFP Compatibility Fonts**

Since OS/400 Version 2 Release 1, an option called *OS/400 - AFP Compatibility Fonts* has been included free of charge in the AS/400 base operating system. It can be installed as an option on any AS/400 system.

The AFP Compatibility Fonts include both uniformly spaced and mixed-pitch type families at 240-pel resolution. The following font families are included: APL, Boldface, Courier, Document, Essay, Format, Gothic, Letter Gothic, Orator, Prestige, Roman, Script, Serif, Symbols, and Text. The AFP Compatibility fonts are downloadable 240-pel raster fonts and are installed in font library QFNTCPL.

Beginning with OS/400 Version 2 Release 2, additional uniformly spaced and typographic families were included. Some of these additional fonts emulate resident fonts on the IBM Proprinter, while others allow printing symbols.

A 300-pel version of the AFP Compatibility fonts is provided in the AFP Font Collection product.

**AFP Font Collection**

Three IBM font groups that can be used with Advanced Function printers are included in IBM AFP Font Collection for OS/400 (5648–B45):

- IBM Expanded Core Fonts (240-pel, 300-pel, and AFP outlines)
- AFP Compatibility Fonts (240-pel and 300-pel)
- DBCS Core Fonts

The AFP Font Collection provides a variety of typefaces that can be installed on all IBM operating system platforms. The OS/2 Fonts and Programs CD-ROM contains font utilities that allow you to create and modify fonts for any platform, including AS/400. The utilities are summarized as follows:

- **SBCS Type Transformer**: Creates AFP font character sets and coded fonts using Adobe Type 1 outlines as input. You can create 240-pel fonts, 300-pel fonts, and AFP outline fonts with this program. As part of the transform process, you can be selective in choosing which characters are to be included in the output fonts so that font storage requirements can be reduced.

- **DBCS Type Transformer**: Use this batch program to create AFP 240-pel rasters and AFP outlines from the Adobe CID format outlines provided on the OS/2 CD-ROM.

- **FontLab**: This is a Type 1 outline font editor that can be used to create or modify any Type 1 outline font character. FontLab can also be used to create User Defined Characters (UDCs) for DBCS environments.

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• **Code Page Editor:** Code page editing consists of code point assignments, character identifier assignments, and global code page control information.

• **Coded Font Editor:** Coded font editing consists of character set and code page assignments. The point size can also be specified for coded fonts used with AFP outline character sets.

**IBM Expanded Core Fonts**

IBM provides the Expanded Core fonts to establish a common set of fonts that can be printed by any supported AFP printer in any IBM operating system environment. The IBM Expanded Core fonts are recommended because they provide:

• Consistent page layouts between 240-pel, 300-pel, and outline font printers

• Consistent document interchange between operating system platforms

• Support for many national languages

The IBM Expanded Core Fonts include the following font families: Boldface, BookMaster fonts (including IBM Logo fonts), Courier, Courier APL2, Gothic Katakana, Gothic Text, Helvetica, Letter Gothic, OCR-A, OCR-B, Prestige, and Times New Roman.

The Expanded Core fonts provide characters that support the following language groups:

- **Latin1** This group includes Danish, Dutch, English, Faeroese, Finnish, French, German, Icelandic, Irish, Italian, Norwegian, Portuguese, Spanish, and Swedish.

- **Latin2** This group includes Albanian, Czech, English, German, Hungarian, Polish, Romanian, Serbocroatian, Slovak and Slovenian.

- **Latin3** This group includes Afrikaans, Catalan, Dutch, English, Esperanto, French, German, Italian, Maltese, Spanish, and Turkish.

- **Latin4** This group includes Danish, English, Estonian, Finnish, French, German, Greenlandic, Lapp, Latvian, Lithuanian, and Norwegian.

- **Latin5** This group includes Danish, Dutch, English, Finnish, French, Irish, Italian, Norwegian, Portuguese, Spanish, Swedish, and Turkish.

- **Latin/Cyrillic** This group includes Bulgarian, Byelorussian, Macedonian, Russian, Serbian, Ukrainian, and English

- **Latin/Greek** This group includes characters for the Latin and Greek scripts.

- **Latin/Arabic** This group includes characters for the Latin and Arabic scripts.

- **Latin/Hebrew** This group includes characters for the Latin and Hebrew scripts.

- **Lao** This group contains characters for the Latin and Lao scripts.

- **Thai** This group contains characters for the Latin and Thai scripts.

- **Symbols** This set of fonts contains various symbols, including some that are letters.

**Note:** The AS/400 Core Interchange Font feature was discontinued in May, 1995, however you can continue using those fonts on any AS/400 system with OS/400 Version 2, 3, or 4.
AFP Compatibility Fonts

The 240-pel AFP Compatibility fonts provided with AFP Font Collection are identical to those that come free with the OS/400 base system. 300–pel versions of these fonts are also provided.

DBCS Core Fonts

The DBCS Core fonts are also provided as part of AFP Font Collection and are found in the OS/2 Fonts and Programs CD-ROM. The DBCS Core fonts are found on the OS/2 Fonts and Programs CD-ROM provided for the OS/2 environment. Facilities exist on the CD-ROM for uploading these fonts from OS/2 to the AS/400. See the *Type Transformer User's Guide*, G544-3796, for more information. Included on the OS/2 Fonts and Programs CD-ROM are the following font families: Fang Song, Hei, Kai, and Song (Simplified Chinese), Kai and Sung (Traditional Chinese), Heisei Kaku Gothic, Heisei Maru Gothic, Heisei Mincho (Japanese), and Gothic and Myungjo (Korean). For more information on these DBCS fonts, see the appropriate technical reference for the DBCS fonts (for example, AFP Font Collection: Japanese Technical Reference.)

There are two other DBCS font offerings provided for AS/400. One is AFP DBCS Fonts/400, which provides 240-pel DBCS font support. Another is a no-cost RPQ, IBM CJK Metric-Only Fonts (8A8080), which contains font metric files that can be used to access printer-resident outlines in AFCCU printers in which the DBCS feature has been installed.

AFP Fonts/400

This is an older package of AS/400 fonts (program number 57xx-FNT) that contains 240-pel, typographic fonts in sizes ranging from four to 72 points. See Appendix K, *AFP Fonts for AS/400* on page 363 for a complete list of the fonts contained in this package.

GDDM Fonts

An option called *OS/400 - GDDM* is included free of charge in the AS/400 base operating system and can be optionally installed on any AS/400 system. If the option is installed, you can find a list of graphic symbol sets in the library QGDDM (look for object type “GSS). You can use these fonts in printer files, in DDS, and with the optional licensed program AS/400 Business Graphic Utility (5763-BG1). They work on any IPDS printer that supports GOCA.

GDDM has two types of graphic fonts:

**Vector symbol sets**

These are identified by an object attribute “VSS. Each character is built with a set of straight or curved lines.

**Image symbol sets**

These are identified by an object attribute “ISS. Each character is a pattern of dots quite similar to FGID, except that some graphic characteristics apply.

**Note:** Image symbols are not supported in DDS.
GDDM fonts are scalable fonts, and can best be used for printing larger characters. For more information about GDDM, or for the font naming conventions, see the AS/400 Programming Guide Version 3.

Other AS/400 Font Offerings

There are two other font offerings available for AS/400 AFP users.

Postal Bar Codes, RPQ 8A5043
This font offering provides fonts for printing ZIP, ZIP + 4 and POSTNET bar codes, Facing Identification Marks (FiMs), and the Business Reply Bar.

AFP MICR Fonts, RPQ 8A8083
This font offering provides MICR fonts necessary for printing on IBM MICR printers.

AS/400 Font Libraries

The following list describes the system font libraries.

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The IBM AFP Font Collection contains libraries that can be restored into system font libraries. The AFP Font Collection libraries are:

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240 and 300 pel fonts can be in the same library if they have unique names. If you have the same font with the same name at both 240 and 300 pel, they need to be in separate libraries because you cannot have two entries with the same name in a library.

**AS/400 Font Substitution**

The AS/400 tries to print your file even if it does not have the specific font you have requested. Through the process of font substitution, the AS/400 tries to substitute a font that will produce similar, if not exact, results. (If you have selected *ABSOLUTE for the FIDELITY parameter, the match for font substitution must be exact or nothing will print.)

If the target printer supports printer-resident fonts, and the requested font is resident in the printer, no substitution will take place and the print job will continue. If the printer supports resident fonts, but does not contain the requested font, a substitute font will be used. For example, if Letter Gothic (FGID 87) is requested, but not resident, a host font from the font substitution tables will be selected and downloaded to the printer. In this example, the Letter Gothic bitmap character set C0S0LR12 will be selected and downloaded.

If the requested font is a host font, the font is specified either by font character set or coded font. If the printer does not support downloaded fonts (impact printers for example), and a matching printer-resident font exists, the matching printer-resident font is used. If an exact match printer-resident font does not exist and FIDELITY(*ABSOLUTE) is specified, the print job will not print and is placed in hold status. However, if the fidelity is *CONTENT, a font that matches the requested font as much as possible will be substituted. If the printer does support downloaded fonts, and the font cannot be found (by searching font libraries in the library list) or is in the wrong resolution, an attempt is made to substitute a printer-resident font. If there is not an exact match, the print job will be placed in hold status. Whenever the specified font is not used, and another font is substituted, an informational message is logged.

You can find complete font tables and substitution lists in the publication *IBM AS/400 Printer Device Programming* (SC41-5713).

Prior to OS/400 V4R2, a message was displayed each time a font was successfully or unsuccessfully substituted. Now it is possible to suppress messages regarding successful font substitutions. To suppress messages regarding successful font substitution, select *NO for the parameter FNTSUBMSG in the CHG/CRTPSFCFG command. Messages indicating that a font substitution attempt failed will still be issued, regardless of the value in FNTSUBMSG. If you want all font substitution messages to be issued, select FNTSUBMSG *YES.

**Finding Fonts**

When a font is referenced without a library qualifier, the following sets of libraries are searched to locate the font:

- The job (interactive or batch) library list
- System font libraries, as listed below:
  - QFNTCPL
  
  This library is shipped with the operating system. It contains the 240-pel AFP Compatibility Fonts.
To make a resource library (which includes fonts, overlays and page segments) available to all users at all times without putting it in a specific library list, rename the library QFNTnn, where \( nn \) is in the range 01 through 19. When you have renamed the library, stop the printer writer and then start it again to rebuild the printer writer library list.

You can override the system library search list and specify a library search list for a particular printer with the PSF configuration object. For a particular device, the PSF configuration object allows you to specify additional parameters that are not supported on the Create Device Description (CRTDEVPRT) command. This includes the ability to specify a user library list (USRRSCLIBL parameter) and device library list (DEVRSCLIBL parameter). If you create a PSF configuration object, the default for the user and device library lists is the same as the library search described above.
It is generally a better idea to use *LIBL for a font library than specify one individually, because when you specify an individual library, you limit your fonts to a single resolution.

If your application prints on a 300-pel printer and also sends faxes, both 300-pel and 240-pel fonts are required because FAX is supported at 240-pel only. If you then specify a library qualifier, this eliminates one version (either the 240-pel or 300-pel) of the requested fonts.

V3R2 provides enhanced font library support with the Device Resource Library list.

**Specifying the User Resource Library List**

The User Resource Library list allows you to specify libraries to be used when searching for font and AFP resources. The User Resource Library list is searched first and then the Device Resource Library list is searched when attempting to find an AFP resource specified within the spooled file.

In Version 4 Release 4, the *PRTF value has been removed as a valid value for the USRRSCLIBL parameter. PSF configuration objects migrated from other releases that were created with USRRSCLIBL(*PRTF) are supported the same as in previous releases as long as the new USSRSCLIBL parameter on the printer file has the value of *DEVD. When a CHGPSFCFG command is executed with USSRSCLIBL (*DEVD), a value of *SAME is displayed where the value of *PRTF would have been displayed in a previous release.

Values supported on the User Resource Library list are:

* **JOBLIBL** Specifies that the job's current library list that created the spooled file is used in searching for AFP resources. The job's library list at the time the spooled file is created is saved. Each time you create a new spooled file, the job library list is saved. This is the default.

* **CURLIB** Is the current library for the job that created the spooled file and is used in searching for AFP resources. If no library is specified as the current library for the job, then library QGPL is used.

* **NONE** Specifies that no user resource library list will be used in searching for AFP resources. Only the device resource library list will be used.

**Specifying the Device Resource Library List**

The Device Resource Library list allows you to specify a device resource library list to be used in searching for AFP resources. The User Resource Library list is searched first and then the Device Resource Library list is searched when attempting to find an AFP resource specified within the spooled file.

Values supported on the Device Resource Library list are:

* **DFT** Specifies that the following libraries (if present on the system) will be used in searching for AFP resources.
  * QFNTCPL
  * QFNT01 - QFNT19
  * QFNT61 - QFNT69
Device Resource Library Names

This is a list of up to 30 library names that will be used in searching for AFP resources.

There is a two-fold value in using the User Resource Library and Device Resource Library lists. They enhance usability because you now can specify one set of libraries for a 240-pel printer and another set of libraries for a 300-pel printer. You also can ensure that the libraries that contain the resources needed by the specified job or printer are in the library list that PSF will use. Using the library lists also can improve performance because you can fill in just the libraries that need to be searched and leave out any that do not need to be searched.

Refer to the AS/400 CL Reference and AS/400 Printer Device Programming for more information about PSF configuration objects.

Using Fonts with AS/400 Applications

Let’s summarize what we have learned about AS/400 fonts:

- **Raster and outlines**: 240 dpi and 300 dpi raster format, and resolution-independent outlines

- **Monospaced and typographic**: Monospaced fonts have equal character spacing, typographic fonts vary the character spacing. Typographic fonts are more readable and effective. Monospaced fonts are required for columns of data that must line up on both the left and right margins.

- **Printer-resident and AS/400-resident**: Fonts can permanently reside in the printer, be in font libraries on the AS/400, or be downloaded as required.

- **Font products**: OS/400 comes with several standard fonts such as Courier, Gothic, and Prestige (in 240 dpi only). AFP Font Collection provides a comprehensive set of AFP fonts as well as optional OS/2 font programs to create your own fonts.

- **Font structure**: Character sets contain character bitmap or outline shape data. Code pages relate hexadecimal code points to character data in the character sets. Coded fonts identify a code page - character set pair.

- **Font libraries and library lists**: Fonts can be stored in any AS/400 library. In practice, the fonts are normally stored in QFNTxxxx libraries. Standard library lists can be used to locate fonts. In addition, there are device or printer-specific library lists.

- **Font selection and substitution**: If an AS/400-resident font is not found, a printer-resident font will be substituted, and vice versa.

How are fonts used with various AS/400 printing applications? For printer files, the font used applies to the entire print file. Fonts can be selected by font global ID (FGID), character set, or coded font. For DDS output formatting, fonts can be specified at the job, record, or field level. Again, fonts can be selected by FGID, character set, or coded font. Advanced Print Utility has a font database for font selection. You are prompted for a font much like PC applications - font family, font style, and point size. Based on your selection, APU will select the right character set and code page. Overlay Utility and Print Format Utility both set up a font table to assist in selecting fonts. Entries in this font table can be FGID, character set, or coded font. AFP Toolbox and page definitions define character sets or coded fonts to be used in the print formatting logic. OfficeVision supports fonts only by FGID (although AS/400-resident fonts can be forced by selecting an FGID that does not
exist and font substitution takes over to select the desired AS/400 font). Facsimile Support uses only 240 dpi fonts, as the facsimile process emulates an IBM 3812 printer (a 240 dpi printer).
Chapter 7. Image and Graphics

Image and graphics are key components in creating advanced electronic print and presentation applications. In some cases, such as with accent images, the purpose of the image or graphic is to improve the look and effectiveness of output. In basic documents, images, such as an enterprise logo, are an essential part of the document. In other image applications, such as an integrated check image on bank statements, the image itself is part of the application.

Some common examples of putting image and graphics to work in AS/400 applications include:

- Document logos
- Electronic signatures
- Accent images, such as the variable image used in the Super Sun Seeds sample application (see "Chapter 11. Using Data Description Specifications" on page 127)
- Document image, such as check image and freight bill image
- Pictorial graphics, such as pie and bar charts

Figure 20 shows a Super Sun Seeds invoice case study with an example of an image (the Super Sun Seeds logo) and a graphic (the pie chart). In fact, there are more graphics on the invoice than just the pie chart. The line and box elements on the invoice form are also graphics.

![Figure 20. Image and Graphic on the Sample Page](image-url)
Image and Graphics in AFP Output

AFP output can contain both graphics and images. Images are captured. Graphics are created. In many instances, these terms are used interchangeably, but for data processing applications, they are used very differently.

The term image is usually applied to a captured replica of an external source document. The source document can be a photograph, drawing, signature, or a printed or handwritten page. The source document is usually captured by a scanner.

The term graphic is normally applied to pictorial data that is created internally. AS/400 applications that create graphical data include:
- Business Graphic Utility/400
- GDDM/400
- Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400

Graphics applications enable you to create shapes with lines or generate charts based on numerical input. The resulting graphic can be as simple as a box on an electronic form, or as complex as an engineering drawing.

Image and graphics are also distinguished by how the object is stored. Images are stored in digital format. Regardless of image file format, the image is represented by a string of bits that correspond to the exact layout of the dots on the page required to reproduce the image.

If the image is stored as a complete string of bits, it is called a raster, or bitmapped, image. There are data-reduction techniques that can compress the amount of storage required to record the image. This is called a compressed image.

An image is closely tied to the resolution at which it was created. An image that is scanned at one resolution and printed at another will change in size, and possibly proportion, unless some compensating manipulation is done.

Graphics are stored in vector representation and are similar to mathematical equations. A graphic is made up of commands to draw lines, arcs, and circles. The size of the final output can be varied by modifying the vector equations. Thus, graphics can easily be scaled or sized. They also take up relatively little storage space. In Advanced Function Presentation, graphic elements are in the lines and boxes that comprise electronic forms, in the drawing orders for scalable or outline fonts, and in the bar and pie charts created with Business Graphic Utility/400 and GDDM/400.

Image and Graphics Terms

The following are common terms used in working with image and graphics:

**Bilevel**
- Image composed of only black and white pels. A bilevel pel is represented by a single bit. Most printers are bilevel image printers.

**Clip**
- To truncate image information that lies outside a given boundary.

**Compression**
- Method of making image data files smaller so that less disk space
is used to store them and less system and printer resources are
used to send and print them. Common compression methods are
CCIT/3 and CCIT/4.

Crop
In multimedia applications, to cut off or trim.

File Format
How image data is physically stored in a file. For example, how the
image header is structured, and how the actual image data is
stored. Each image file format has a unique structure that enables
programs that work with image to identify which format is being
used.

Page Segment
General term for an AFP image object. A page segment object is an
IOCA image file with the AS/400 object wrappers.

Pel
Abbreviation for picture element. Smallest addressable element of
an image.

Pixel
Early nickname for picture element. Pel is now the more common
term.

Raster
In computer graphics, a predetermined pattern of lines that provides
uniform coverage of a display space.

Resolution
Number of pels per unit length on the image device, whether that
device is a scanner, display, or printer. Common image resolutions
are 144 pel (also called dots per inch, or dpi) for impact printers,
and 300 pel and 600 pel for printers and scanners.

Scale
In computer graphics, to enlarge all or part of a display image.

Scanner
Device to convert a photo for printer image into digital form.

Wrappers
Header and trailer information “wrapped” around an image object
enabling it to conform to a particular document architecture.

Image File Formats

The following are the most widely used file formats for storing bilevel image data:

BMP
Simple format, generally used for display, clip art, and so on. BMP is
seldom compressed. Signature is X'4D42’ in the first two bytes.

CGM
Computer Graphics Metafile. Industry standard specification for graphics
creation.

EPS
Encapsulated Postscript. Subset of the Postscript page description
language from Adobe. EPS supports both raster and graphic formats.

IM1
IPDS format for uncompressed raster image.

IMDS
Image Data Stream. Architected image format, more widely known as
IOCA.

IOCA
Image Object Content Architecture. Can be compressed or uncompressed.
Also known as IO1.

PCX
Simple format, generally used for display, clip art, and freehand graphics.
Signature is X'0A’ in the first byte.

TIFF
Tag Image File Format. Most common file format in document imaging and
scanning. Signature is “II” or “MM” in the first two bytes. Compatible with a
number of personal computing platforms.
Image Compression

Scanners are capable of handling densities from 100 pels to 1200 pels and beyond. Storing an 8-1/2 by 11 inch page at 300 pel density requires over 1 million bytes for simple bilevel images. Gray scale and color images take up significantly more storage space. In addition, uncompressed images have to be laboriously moved around the system to be displayed or printed.

Image compression techniques identify line by line patterns and can significantly reduce the storage size of an image. A compressed image can be more efficiently sent to imaging devices, such as printers. IPDS printers are designed to efficiently decompress compressed images.

IPDS printers support four different image compression techniques:
- CCIT Group 3, the industry standard for facsimile (FAX) machines
- CCIT Group 4, the industry standard for scanners
- MMR, used by IBM scanners
- ABIC, a compression technique used to handle checks and financial documents

Compression techniques tend to work most effectively with images that have a lot of black and white space. They are less effective with photographs. Referring again to an example of an 8-1/2 by 11 inch scanned image, this size image could easily be compressed to 1/10 its size (100,000 bytes, or less) if it was a high contrast image, that is, one with lots of black and white space.

Image is generally stored on AS/400 in two formats, IOCA and IM1. All IBM printers support IM1, and nearly all current IPDS printers support IOCA image, which has become the standard. Image for AFP printing applications is stored as page segment objects. Image for OfficeVision/400 is IOCA and is stored in folders. Image for ImagePlus/400 and Workfolder Application Facility/400 is also IOCA and stored in folders.

Besides image compression, IOCA images:
- Can be placed in any position on the page
- Are resolution independent
- Can be scaled, enlarged or reduced, by the printer to any size
- Can be rotated by the printer
- Can be clipped by the printer so that only a portion of the image is printed

Building Images

Creating an image for AS/400 printing applications involves several steps, from scanning the source document to creating the page segment object. The steps are:
1. Scan the source image
2. Touch up the scanned image
3. Convert the image file to IOCA format
4. Upload the IOCA file to the AS/400
5. Compile the page segment object

Note: There are also services available from IBM to build image objects for your AS/400 applications.
Scanning Images

The scanning process converts the source document into digital format. Some scanning software writes the digitized image to a file, in an image format such as TIFF. Other software can pass the digitized image directly to an editing program.

The quality of the source document is essential in getting a good scanned image. For example, for the Super Sun Seeds logo, we would seek out what is called “camera-ready artwork”, that is, high-contrast, black and white reproductions that scan cleanly. For signatures, we again want high contrast. Signatures with medium black felt tip pens on white paper should scan well.

**Note:** Scanning should be done in the same resolution that the image will be printed in.

Touching Up Images

Images that become repetitive elements of electronic documents normally need some touch-up to become clear and sharp. Touching up removes the imperfections in the scanning process.

There are many software choices for image editing. Many Windows and OS/2 programs process image file formats and support image editing. A number of programs, such as ElixirImage and ISIS Image, are part of dedicated systems used to build AFP image and forms. Whatever the tool, the process is one of turning on or off black and white pels to create a sharp, clear image.

Figure 21 on page 78 shows the Super Sun Seeds logo image as scanned into ImageEdit, an image management program from ISIS. Most image systems like ImageEdit have a series of image touch-up tools with varying levels of granularity that enable work down to the individual pel level.
Because the Super Sun Seeds logo will be used in 300-pel resolution, each square inch will have 90,000 individual dots or pels. Therefore, it is necessary to zoom in on this image to work with it effectively.

Figure 21. Super Sun Seeds Logo Image Scanned into ImageEdit

Figure 22. Zooming in on the Super Sun Seeds Logo Image

Figure 22 above shows how several of the individual cherries in the image appear when they are magnified at an 8:1 ratio. Notice that at this level the circular cherries look far less circular. Any patterns that are not exactly horizontal or vertical will exhibit a “stairstepping” effect at this level of detail. The object is to smooth out these patterns as much as possible, and to remove extraneous pels.
There are several exceptions to the above “full touch-up” process:

- Signatures, as legal images, should only have extraneous black and white pels cleaned up
- Images that have not been scanned, such as images pulled from clip art, do not require touch-up
- Watermarks, gray scale images meant to blend into the background of an electronic document, do not require touch-up
- Documents such as check image are taken as is

**Image Size:**

In some cases, the image is required in several different sizes. For example, a company logo may be used in different sizes in several different documents. You have several options:

- Work with camera-ready artwork in each size and go through the imaging process (scan, touch-up, upload, object creation) for each size. You would end up with separate page segment objects to be referenced in each document application.
- Scan and touch up one size, then use the imaging software to create additional sizes. Touching up the largest size you will need is the best approach. Most images will be degraded as they are enlarged. Resource Management Utility, a module of AFP Utilities, resizes image objects on AS/400. Most PC imaging products also provide for resizing image objects. Again, you would end up with multiple page segments.

**Image Orientation:**

Another image consideration is orientation, or the direction of the image relative to the general direction of the page. The four orientations are zero, 90, 180, and 270 degrees. These orientations are also referred to as across, down, back, and up. For most printers, a page in landscape format is oriented 90 degrees to the standard direction of the paper. In this case, an image would have to also be oriented 90 degrees in order to appear correctly.

As with image size, there is a similar option in producing the image. Resource Management Utility creates page segments in any or all of the four orientations. Most PC imaging products also have this capability. This would result in up to four page segment objects for a given image.

**Converting Images to IOCA**

At this point, the image is either sitting in the image editor, or is in image file format. The IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows enables you to “print” the image to a file in IOCA format. The file can be written directly to a folder on your AS/400. The driver also provides the ability to compress and clip the image.

AFP forms systems, such as ISIS Image and ElixirImage, also provide functions to convert to AFP image format, that is, IOCA.

In addition, there are image programs, such as Hijaak Pro and Graphic Converter for Windows, that work with a wide variety of image formats and provide for conversion to IOCA format.
If you build the page segment using the Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 Resource Management Utility, the input must be IOCA.

**Creating an IOCA Page Segment with the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows**

The process of using the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows to create an image (IOCA format) file and then converting it to an IOCA page segment is described below.

First, use the standard procedures to install the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows. Now you are ready to set up the driver and use it to print your image file. The following example uses the Windows Paintbrush program. The process would be similar for any Windows image application.

**Setup of the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows**

1. Select FILE on the Paintbrush menu bar.
2. Select PRINT SETUP.
3. Scroll down the list of printers and highlight AFP 300 on FILE or the AFP device installed.
4. Select OPTIONS.
5. For output type, highlight PAGE SEGMENT
6. Select OK on the Options dialog box.
7. Select OK on the Printer Setup dialog box.

You are now ready to print your image, but instead of printing it, you will write the image to a file in AFP page segment format.

**Writing the Page Segment File**

1. Select FILE on the Paintbrush menu bar.
2. Select PRINT.
3. Select Partial (this enables you to create a page segment that is cropped to the size of the actual image, rather than a full page).
4. Select OK.
5. A view of the Paintbrush window with your image is shown. Use the mouse to draw a box around your image, exactly how you want it cropped.
6. When prompted for the file name, specify a file name for a specific shared folder. For example, specifying \qdis\resource\sunlogo.psg writes a file called sunlogo.psg in the folder resource on the i drive. An alternative method is to FTP the file.
7. Select OK.

Instead of cropping your image by drawing a box around it during the driver print, you can do one of the following:

- Before designing your image, go to PRINTER SETUP and define a page size that matches the dimensions of your image.
- Use the Clip Limits under Advanced Options within the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows. For the clip method, select offset plus size. Set the margins to match the size of your image.
Uploading and Compiling the Image

Once the image file is created and resides in an AS/400 folder, it must be first transferred to a temporary physical file and then created as an AS/400 page segment object. There are three methods to use:

- Enter the individual commands
- Create and use the SEGMENT command. See "Appendix I. AS/400 SEGMENT and OVERLAY Commands" on page 343 for more information on the SEGMENT command.
- Use Resource Management Utility (Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400)

The first method involves the use of individual commands as follows:

1. Create a resource database
   Go to an AS/400 command line and use the following command to create a file to receive the PC resource:
   ```
   CRTPF FILE(MYLIB/PAGESEG) RCDLEN(8201) LVLCHK(*NO)
   ```
   The suggested record length is 8201 (32766 is the maximum) and the level check parameter must be *NO.

2. Transfer the PC resource to the AS/400 database
   Use the CPYFRMPCD command to transfer the PC resource to the AS/400 database. Figure 23 shows the display that appears when you use the CPYFRMPCD command.

   ![Copy From PC Document (CPYFRMPCD) Display](image)

   **Figure 23. Copy From PC Document (CPYFRMPCD) Display**

   **From folder** Enter the name of the AS/400 system where you copied the PC image file
   **To file** Enter the name of the resource file you created
3. Create the Page Segment

Use the CRTPAGSEG command to create an AS/400 page segment (object type *PAGSEG). Figure 24 shows the display that appears when you use the CRTPAGSEG command.

You have now created an AS/400 page segment. You can use it in any overlay or directly in your DDS printer file.

You can automate the above process by using the SEGMENT command. The SEGMENT command prompt is shown below.
The SEGMENT command also prints a proof of your new page segment. Optionally, you can request the Client Access/400 Viewer to be launched from the command (assuming you are running the command from a client workstation) and view the page segment.

**Resource Management Utility**, which provides a complete system for managing overlays and page segments, can create your page segment object. Select Option 21 from the main AFPU (GO AFPU) menu as shown below.

![Create/Print Page Segment (SEGMENT) Display](image)

**Figure 25. Create/Print Page Segment (SEGMENT) Display**

The SEGMENT command also prints a proof of your new page segment. Optionally, you can request the Client Access/400 Viewer to be launched from the command (assuming you are running the command from a client workstation) and view the page segment.

**Resource Management Utility**, which provides a complete system for managing overlays and page segments, can create your page segment object. Select Option 21 from the main AFPU (GO AFPU) menu as shown below.

![AFPU Main Display](image)

**Figure 26. AFPU Main Display**

When you select Option 21, the following display appears:
Using Images on AS/400

The image in AS/400 page segment objects can be built into your application output in a number of ways, including:

- Invoking it in the DDS printer file
- Placing it within an Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 (AFP Utilities) overlay
- Referencing it within any AS/400 overlay object
- Placing it in a print application with the Print Format Utility of AFP Utilities
- Specifying it using Advanced Print Utility (APU)
- Specifying it within a page and form definition object
- Using it directly in AFP data streams, such as those created by the AFP Toolbox
- Imbedding it in an OfficeVision/400 document

The following chapters on applications provide examples of how your image page segments can be used.

Using Graphics

Graphical Data Display Manager (GDDM) and Business Graphics Utility (BGU) provide the capability to add graphical data (such as bar and pie charts) to your electronic document. GDDM is a set of routines that are called from a high-level program to create graphical orders and a graphics file. BGU is a stand-alone utility that creates graphic data from database file information. Both of these applications create files that can be placed in your output (using the GDF keyword in DDS, for example).
Chapter 8. Bar Codes

Bar codes represent characters with sets of parallel bars of varying width and separation or varying heights. Combinations of bars and spaces form individual characters, which in turn represent a numeric or alphanumeric symbol that may be a product, part, or publication number. Bar codes are designed to be read by a device called a bar code reader or scanner. The scanner must be compatible with the printed bar code symbology.

Bar codes can be produced using either AFP data stream presentation text data or an AFP data stream bar code data object. A bar code data object, which is a set of structured fields, specifies the type of bar code (the symbology), its size, and positioning information. Many different bar code symbologies can be produced using bar code objects.

Bar Code Terminology

The following list of terms explains some of the basic language used in bar code applications.

Aspect Ratio
The ratio of the length (or height) of a bar to the length (or width) of the bar code symbol.

Bearer Bars
A bar across the top and bottom edge of the bar code. Partial scans of bar code symbologies, such as Interleaved 2 of 5, can produce valid, but incorrect, reads by self-discriminating scanners. Bearer bars help prevent such errors and increase reliability.

Note: A self-discriminating scanner is one that automatically determines which bar code symbology it is reading.

Check Character
The result of some mathematical combination of the characters in the field being bar coded. Used as a check of the accuracy of both the input of the data field and the scanning of the bar code. A bar code can have 0, 1, 2 or sometimes more check characters.

Check Digit
Same as a check character, but limited to decimal digits only.

Continuous Code
A bar code in which each character starts immediately after the preceding character. There is no space or gap between characters. Interleaved 2 of 5 is an example of a continuous bar code.

Density
A measure of the number of characters per inch or per millimeter represented by the bar code. A high-density bar code represents more characters per inch than a low-density bar code.

The bar code symbology helps determine the density. Within a given symbology, factors that affect the density of a bar code are: the x-dimension (width of the narrow bar) and the wide-to-narrow ratio (width of a wide bar relative to the narrow bar).
Discrete Code
A bar code constructed with groups of bars and spaces representing individual characters and having a space or intercharacter gap between each group. This gap is used solely to separate characters and contains no data. Code 3 of 9 is a discrete bar code.

First Read Rate
The percentage of the bar code scans that read correctly on the first scan of the bar code. A 99% or higher first read is desirable. Anything below 85% is normally not acceptable.

Human Readable Interpretation (HRI)
The translated characters of a bar code that are able to be read by a human.

Intercharacter Gap
The space between characters in a discrete bar code symbology.

Ladder Orientation
Bar code orientation where the bars are parallel to the base of the document (like the rungs of a ladder). Sometimes called vertical orientation (because that is the direction of the scan).

Picket Fence Orientation
Bar code orientation where the bars are perpendicular to the base of the document (like the pickets in a picket fence). Sometimes called horizontal orientation (because that is the direction of the scan).

Quiet Zone
A blank area prior to and following a bar code. This required space enables the scanner to differentiate the start and stop of a bar code. The size of the quiet zone is usually 10 times the x-dimension or 1/4 inch, whichever is larger.

Symbology
The name of the specification used to define the combinations of bars and spaces for encoding data.

Wide-to-Narrow Ratio
The ratio of the width of the wide bar or space to the narrow bar (x-dimension) or space in a two-width symbology. This ratio is usually in the range of 2:1 to 3:1.

X-Dimension
The width (usually in thousandths of an inch) of the narrow bar or space of the bar code symbology.

Bar Code Basics
All bar codes, regardless of the symbology used, are created using the same, basic elements.

Figure 28 on page 87 shows the common elements of all bar codes.
Bar Code Symbologies

Many different types of bar code symbologies, or coding arrangements, have been developed. Among the more widely used bar code symbologies are:

- Code 3 of 9
- Codabar
- Interleaved 2 of 5
- Code 128
- Universal Product Code (UPC)
- European Article Numbering (EAN)
- Postnet (Postal Bar Code)
- Royal Mail (Postal Bar Code)
- Japan Postal (Postal Bar Code)
- Australian Postal (Postal Bar Code)

Code 3 of 9 Bar Code Example

Code 3 of 9 is a discrete bar code symbology because each character stands by itself and is separated from the others by a non-data space or intercharacter gap. Code 3 of 9 is constructed so that each character has 9 elements (count both bars and spaces but do not count the intercharacter gap) with 3 of those elements being wide.
Figure 29 shows an example of the Code 3 of 9 bar code symbology.

**Code 3 of 9**

![Code 3 of 9 Bar Code Example](image)

Figure 29. Code 3 of 9 Bar Code Example

**Codabar Bar Code Example**

The Codabar bar code represents digits 0 through 9 plus six characters. There are four start/stop codes, which can be used in any sequence and for additional data storage. Codabar is insensitive to ink spread and it has 18 different bar and space widths. Codabar is not normally used for new applications because of its low density and limited character set.

Figure 30 shows an example of the Codabar bar code symbology.

**CODE - A - BAR**

![Codabar Bar Code Example](image)

Figure 30. Codabar Bar Code Example

**Interleaved 2 of 5 Bar Code Example**

Interleaved 2 of 5 is a continuous bar code symbology. There are no gaps or non-data spaces between the characters. When one character ends, the next character begins. 2 of 5 symbologies are numeric only and use 5 elements to represent a single digit. Two of the 5 elements are wide. Interleaved 2 of 5 represents one digit with all bars and the next digit with all spaces. The spaces of a digit represented with all spaces are interleaved between the bars of the digit represented with all bars.

Because of the interleaved construction, Interleaved 2 of 5 values are always an even number of digits. The many bar and space combinations of Interleaved 2 of 5 make it possible to read only a portion of the bar code and have that portion interpreted by a self-discriminating scanning system as a valid field in another symbology. This error potential is minimized in two ways:

- Most scanner interfaces offer the option to select the exact number of digits to be scanned. If the number of digits scanned is not equal to the selected number, a misread occurs.
- Bearer bars along the top and bottom of the bar code will stop the scan if the scanning spot strays outside the bar code symbol. A misread occurs.

**Note:** Bar codes with bearer bars are not supported by DDS and must be printed with fonts.
Figure 31 shows an example of the Interleaved 2 of 5 bar code symbology.

Interleaved 2 of 5

012345678905

Figure 31. Interleaved 2 of 5 Bar Code Example

**Code 128 Bar Code Example**

Code 128 is a continuous bar code symbology. It can represent all 128 characters of the ASCII character set and has the capability to represent individual characters or interleaved digits or both in the same bar symbol. Each character is composed of 11 modules grouped into 3 bars and 3 spaces. Bars are 1, 2, 3 or 4 modules wide. There is no wide-to-narrow ratio for Code 128.

Figure 32 shows an example of the Code 128 bar code symbology.

Code 128

123ABC7890-

Figure 32. Code 128 Bar Code Example

**Universal Product Code (UPC) Bar Code Example**

Universal Product Code (UPC) is a continuous bar code symbology that also uses the module approach to construct digits. UPC uses 2 bars and 2 spaces and there is no wide-to-narrow ratio.

This type of bar code is divided into two halves, a left side and a right side. Digits on the left side are coded in odd parity (bar widths total up to an odd number of modules) while digits on the right side are coded in even parity. This enables either side of the symbol to be decoded separately and provides the advantage of being able to scan the bar code from almost any angle.

Figure 33 shows an example of the Universal Product Code (UPC) bar code symbology.

UPC-A

1 23456 78900 5

Figure 33. Universal Product Code (UPC) Bar Code Example
European Article Numbering (EAN) Bar Code Example

European Article Numbering (EAN) is a continuous bar code symbology that also uses the module approach to construct digits. Unlike Code 128, however, EAN uses only 2 bars and 2 spaces and there is no wide-to-narrow ratio.

This type of bar code is divided into two halves, a left side and a right side. Digits on the left side are coded in odd parity (bar widths total up to an odd number of modules) while digits on the right side are coded in even parity. This enables either side of the symbol to be decoded separately and provides the advantage of being able to scan the bar code from almost any angle.

Figure 34 shows an example of the European Article Numbering (EAN) bar code symbology.

![EAN-13 Barcode]

Figure 34. European Article Numbering (EAN) Bar Code Example

Postnet (Postal Bar Code) Bar Code Example

The Postnet bar code uses five bars to represent a digit. The data is based on the height of the bars instead of on their width. This symbology requires a check or correction digit. Postnet is a numeric bar code only with each digit having 2 tall and 3 short bars.

Figure 35 shows an example of the Postnet bar code symbology.

![POSTNET ZIP Barcode]

Figure 35. Postnet Bar Code Example

Royal Mail Bar Code

The Royal Mail bar code uses numeric and alphabetic characters to represent the International Prefix, the Outward Code, the Inward Code, and the Delivery Point Suffix. Only the Outward Code and Inward Codes are required. Royal Mail bar code support is new with AFPU, Version 4 Revision 2.

Figure 36 shows an example of the Royal Mail bar code symbology.

![Royal Mail Barcode]

Figure 36. Royal Mail Bar Code Example
Japan Postal Bar Code

The Japan Postal Bar code input data length is 7 – 50. The length of the output bar code is always the same. Data is padded or truncated to achieve the correct length. Input characters are English alphabetic characters A-Z, numeric characters 0–9, and the hyphen. Japan Postal bar code support is new with AFPU, Version 4 Revision 2.

Figure 36 on page 90 shows an example of the Japan Postal bar code symbology.

Australian Postal Bar Code

The following four formats of the Australian Postal bar code are supported in Advanced Function Print Utilities, Version 4 Release 4:

- Standard Customer Bar Code, length 37 bars, no bars of customer information.
- Reply Paid Bar Code, length 37 bars, no bars of customer information.
- Customer Bar Code 2, length 52 bars, 16 bars of customer information.
- Customer Bar Codes 3, length 67 bars, 31 bars of customer information.

Input data length is 10 to 25. The length of the bar code depends on the format, but the length is the same for all that are the same format. Input characters are English uppercase alphabetic characters A - Z, English lowercase alphabetic characters a - z, numeric characters 0 - 9, the space, and number sign (#, '7B'X).

Making a Bar Code Decision

Before deciding on which bar code you want to use, there are several things you should ask yourself. These questions and answers to them are presented in the following sections.

Which Symbology?

This decision is sometimes the easiest to make because the industry or application may dictate which symbology must be used. The retail industry, for example, uses UPC or Code 128.

If you may make your own symbology decision, factors such as character set (do you have numeric only or alphanumeric data to encode), density and space available on the printed document must be considered.

What Density?

How much space is available for the bar code? Will the bar code be read by a hand-held scanner used close to the bar code or will it be read at a distance, thereby requiring a lower density bar code with wider bars.
What density is the printer capable of printing? Impact printers tend to print lower density (fewer characters per inch) bar codes than laser printers. Do you have enough space on the document for the density of the bar code the printer is capable of printing? Is there a sufficient quiet zone?

Will your scanner be able to reliably read the bar code density? Most scanners scan with either a small, medium or large scanning dot radius. If your scanner has a large scanning dot and the bar code has a high density (narrow bars and spaces) or vice-versa, the bar code may not scan reliably.

**What Height?**

Will the bar code be read by a hand-held wand? If it will, the aspect ratio may need to be changed to produce a bar code with taller bars.

Using picket fence orientation as an example, it is more difficult to scan a long (width), short (height) bar code with a wand than with a laser gun. How much space is available? Do bearer bars have to be included in the height?

**What Orientation?**

What space on the document is available? Does available space dictate bar code orientation? If the bar code is being mechanically scanned, is there a requirement for a specific orientation? Is there more than one bar code on the label or document and should each bar code be in a different orientation to simplify scanning.

Laser printers sometimes experience a quality reduction called keystoning. Keystoning is a condition where the leading or trailing edge of a character (relative to the movement of the paper through the printer) tends to fade away and does not have a sharp boundary. This is usually noticeable on the bottom edge of a line of text or a bar.

If the bar code is printed with the picket fence orientation, keystoning makes little difference because the loss of quality is at the top or bottom of the bars and it will have minimal affect on scanning the bar code.

If the bar code is printed with the ladder orientation, then the keystoning can affect the leading or trailing edge of each bar and cause serious first read rate problems.

**What Print Volume?**

How many bar codes must be printed? Do you need to print them multiple-up? How does this affect printer performance?

**What Print Window?**

How much time is available for bar code printing? Can the bar codes be printed batch or must they be printed on demand? Are multiple printers necessary for small print windows or for backup requirements?
Using Bar Codes on the AS/400

All of the major bar code symbologies are supported on AS/400 directly, using the Bar Code Object Content Architecture (BCOCA). Most of the AFP application enabling tools provide an interface for specifying bar codes. The DDS keyword BARCODE is one example. The figures in this chapter are examples of bar code printing using the BARCODE keyword.

DDS Source for BARSMP Example

The following example shows the printer file DDS (BARSMP) source that produced the samples in this chapter. Creating bar codes is relatively easy, you only need to specify the application field, the BARCODE keyword, and the type of bar code desired.

```plaintext
SOURCE FILE ................ SAMPLER/QDDSSRC
MEMBER ................ BARSMP
SEQNBR ................... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
   * BARSMP: DDS for Bar Code Sample program
100  A*  Printer File Create Parameters:
200  A*  - Printer Device Type (DEVTYPE)  *AFPDS
300  A*  Format of BARCODE keyword is as follows:
400  A*  BARCODE (Type Height + 6 parameters:
500  A*  Horizontal/Vertical  *HRZ, *VRT
600  A*  Human Readable  *HRI, *HRITOP, *NOHRI
700  A*  Asterist (for 3 of 9)  *AST, *NOAST
800  A*  Check Digit (type)
900  A*  Unit Width (width of narrow bar/space)
1000 A*  Wide/Narrow Ratio (value from 2.00-3.00)
1100 A*  R TITLE LPI(8)
1200 A  11 TLE1  50  18SKIPB(4)
1300 A  SPACEA(4)
1400 A*  BARCODE (Type Height + 6 parameters:
1500 A*  Horizontal/Vertical  *HRZ, *VRT
1600 A*  Human Readable  *HRI, *HRITOP, *NOHRI
1700 A*  Asterist (for 3 of 9)  *AST, *NOAST
1800 A*  Check Digit (type)
1900 A*  Unit Width (width of narrow bar/space)
2000 A*  Wide/Narrow Ratio (value from 2.00-3.00)
2100 A  R BARCODE LPI(8)
2200 A  HEAD2  30  48
2300 A  HEAD1  30  9
2400 A  CD1201  11S  11BARCODE(UPCA 4)
2500 A  CD1202  12S  50BARCODE(EAN13 4)
2600 A  SPACEA(4)
2700 A  CD1301  10S  11BARCODE(INTEIL2OF5 4)
2800 A  CD1302  10S  50BARCODE(MATRIX2OF5 4)
2900 A  SPACEA(4)
3000 A  CD1401  10S  11BARCODE(INDUST2OF5 4)
3100 A  SPACEA(4)
3200 A  CD1402  10A  50BARCODE(CODEABAR 4)
3300 A  CD1501  11A  11BARCODE(CODE3OF9 4)
3400 A  CD1502  10S  50BARCODE(MSI 4)
3500 A  SPACEA(4)
3600 A  CD1601  11A  11BARCODE(CODE128 4)
3700 A  CD1602  8A  66BARCODE(CODE128 9 *VRT +
3800 A  SPACEA(4)
3900 A  CD1701  5S  11BARCODE(POSTNET)
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Printing Bar Codes on IPDS Printers

IPDS provides an interface to APA printers that enables the mixture of different data types, including text, image, graphics, and bar codes. The data carried by each of these types is defined by a data object. The bar code object contains Bar Code Object Content Architecture (BCOCA) data controls that provide the ability to describe a specific bar code, supply the data to be coded, and enable the IPDS printer to decide what is needed to construct and print the bar code.

Because the IPDS printer constructs the bar code, the same IPDS commands sent to IPDS printers from different technologies produce similar output. This enables you to write the bar code application with little concern about what IPDS printer will be used for output.

Figure 38 shows Postnet and Interleaved 2 of 5 bar codes on the Super Sun Seeds sample invoice.

Figure 38. Bar Codes Printed on an IPDS Printer
Printing Bar Codes Using Fonts

Some IPDS printers, such as the IBM 3825, 3827, 3828, 3829, and 3835, do not support the Bar Code Object Content Architecture. In such cases, bar codes can be constructed using fonts. This involves having the bar code characters fully formed; that is, created with all required bars and spaces that represent the given bar code character.

When printing bar codes as a font:

- The application program is responsible for generating any check digits, or start or stop characters, such as the asterisk (*) in Bar Code 3 of 9.
- The printer does not have to generate or calculate anything; it merely places characters on the page as if it were printing text. The characters, however, look like bars, not like the alphabet.

Figure 39 shows an example of bar codes using Fonts.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Font 11 (Courier 10)</th>
<th>Font 42 (Bar Code 3 of 9)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><em>12345</em></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><em>AB12</em></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><em>AB12</em></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BCD3OF9*</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BCD3OF9*</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BCD3OF9*</td>
<td></td>
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</tbody>
</table>

Figure 39. Example of Code 3 of 9 Bar Code Using Fonts

Bar Code Font Sources

Bar code fonts that can be used on IBM printers can be purchased either from the IBM Printing Systems Company or from an IBM business partner.

Bar Codes with IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400

The Overlay Utility and the Print Format Utility of the IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 (AFP Utilities) can be used to print bar codes. You can specify bar codes when you build an overlay with the Overlay Utility or when you format data with the Print Format Utility. Bar codes supported by AFP Utilities are the same as those supported by DDS.

The following display examples illustrate how bar codes are specified in Print Format Utility.
Usually, you specify the field and positioning. Optionally, you can specify changes to the bar code characteristics, such as height, width factors, and whether human-readable information (HRI) is printed above or below the actual bar coding.

If bar codes are required in an AFP Utilities application, but the target printer does not support the IPDS bar code object, AFP Utilities generate draw rule bar codes that do not require BCOCA support. AFP Utilities make the draw rule decision based on the printer type selected in the form specification. Bar codes also can be printed as fonts with bar code fields shown in form layouts as font changes rather than bar code elements.

The major difference between bar codes specified in the Overlay Utility and those specified in the Print Format Utility is that the Overlay Utility bar codes are fixed (static). One bar code value can be specified for each bar code field, and the value never changes. The same bar code prints on every form.

Print Format Utility bar codes, on the other hand, can be either fixed or variable (dynamic). Variable bar codes can change with each record, producing a unique bar code for each form.
Bar Codes with Advanced Print Utility

Advanced Print Utility has an interface to bar codes very similar to AFP Utilities. The following examples illustrate pop-up displays used to define bar code data.

**Figure 42. Define Bar Code in Advanced Print Utility**

In the last example, we mapped a field in the SCS output file (in this case, the zip code) to bar code. Again, you can specify type, positioning, size, and other factors to control exactly how the bar code prints.

**Figure 43. Define Bar Code in Advanced Print Utility**
Chapter 9. Electronic Forms (Overlays)

An electronic form, or overlay, is a collection of constant data stored as an AFP resource and primarily used in place of preprinted forms.

An overlay can include some or all of the following elements:

- Vertical, horizontal, and diagonal rules
- Rules with different weights and thickness
- Boxes with and without shading
- Grids, arcs, and polygons
- Graphics or image, such as company logos
- Bar codes
- Text
  - Different inline directions and character rotations for text
  - Different fonts, including fonts not used in the print file

Figure 44 shows an example of an overlay.

![Figure 44. Electronic Form (Overlay) on the Sample Page](image-url)
Why Use an Overlay?

Overlays facilitate complete electronic printing. They replace preprinted forms, a manual printing process. Electronic forms provide significant benefits over preprinted forms including:

- No forms inventory
- No obsolete forms
- Faster turnaround for new forms
- Less operator intervention

However, the benefits of electronic forms and electronic printing go far beyond production cost savings. With electronic documents, you can:

- Re-engineer business processes, such as changing workflow with bar codes
- Respond to vendor or supplier requirements
- Create effective, competitive documents

Options for Building Electronic Forms

There are many alternatives available for creating electronic overlays to be used in AFP printing applications. The options differ both in cost and in function. It is important to evaluate your requirements to select what best suits your needs. You should evaluate how many forms you will be creating, as well as how complex they will be.

Some of the options available include:

- Overlay Utility, part of IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400
- IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows
- PC-based Forms Design tools, such as ISIS and ELIXIR
- Forms transferred from other systems
- DDS (overlay equivalent using text, line, box, and pagseg keywords)
- Services from IBM, and other companies

Designing Overlays Using the IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 Overlay Utility

The IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 (AFP Utilities) are comprised of three utilities designed to assist in the building of AFP applications. One of these is the Overlay Utility, which can be used to design electronic forms, or overlays, from any AS/400 terminal. The Overlay Utility builds the overlay online, pulling in the specified AFP resources (fonts, images) directly from AS/400 libraries.

To use the Overlay Utility, select option 1 from the AFP Utilities Main menu, which is shown in Figure 45 on page 101.
Select one of the following:

Overlay Utility
1. Work with source overlays
2. Work with source overlay files

Print Format Utility
11. Work with PFD definitions
12. Work with PFD definition files
13. Print database file member
14. Print AFP Utilities tutorial

Resource Management Utility
21. Convert to page segment
22. Work with overlays
23. Work with page segments

Selection or command
===> 1
F3=Exit F4=Prompt F9=Retrieve F12=Cancel F16=System main menu

Figure 45. AFPU Main Menu

When you select option 1 on the AFP Utilities main menu, the following display appears. From this display you can specify which overlay you will be working with:

Work with Source Overlays

File ............... QOVLSRC Name, F4 for list
Library ............ SAMPLER Name, *LIBL, *CURLIB
Source overlay ....... *ALL Name, generic*, *ALL
Position to ......... Starting characters

Type options, press Enter.
1=Create 2=Change 3=Copy 4=Delete 6=Print 7=Rename 9=Create overlay

Source
Opt Overlay Text Changed
GRID Grid Overlay - 10CPI/6LPI 03/01/96
2 INVALL Invoice: 1-page overlay 03/01/96
INVBAC Invoice: Terms and Conditions Back overlay 03/01/96
INVFST Invoice: First page 03/01/96

Parameters or command
===>
F3=Exit F4=Prompt F5=Refresh F9=Retrieve F11=Display names only F12=Cancel

Figure 46. Work with Source Overlays Display

Figure 47 on page 102 shows the Super Sun Seeds INVALL overlay on the “screen view” (Design Overlay) display of the Overlay Utility. Overlay elements such as lines, boxes, graphics, page segments, text, and bar codes are designed, or placed, on the overlay, usually by row and column position.
On the Design Overlay display, you can select a particular element (in this case, S051, the Super Sun Seeds page segment that appears at the top of the INVALL overlay). A pop-up screen appears, enabling you to change the page segment name and position. You can duplicate elements multiple times by pressing a function key (F13) and specifying the number of repetitions and distance from the start of one element to the start of the next.

The Overlay Utility can overlay a row and column grid to assist in the proper placement of these design elements. When elements are placed, defined, or changed, F4 may be used to specify additional detail for the element. Detail displays appear, and you are prompted for more information, such as font selection for text fields.

Figure 47. Design Overlay Display

Figure 48. Design Overlay Display
Figure 49 shows the alternative presentation of the overlay elements, which is the list view. Use F17 to toggle between the screen view and list view. List view gives you a summarized view of the overlay, and enables you to create, change, move, copy, remove and restore individual elements.

In the following two figures, displays for changing the detail information for a box element are shown:

Figure 49. Design Overlay Display in List View

In the following two figures, displays for changing the detail information for a box element are shown:

Figure 50. Change Box Detail Display
Viewing Overlays with the *VIEW Command

You can now view electronic forms as you design them if you are working on a programmable workstation—a PC, for example. The VIEW command dynamically calls the Client Access/400 from AFP Utilities, enabling you to view the form in a separate window.

This capability requires the following:

- A programmable workstation connected to the AS/400 system on which the source overlay resides, with either an SNA or TCP/IP connection.
- Client Access for OS/400 (CA/400), V3R1M3 or later, installed.
- AFP Workbench Viewer installed on the workstation. AFP Workbench is included in the current version of CA/400.
- Matching USERIDs. The USERID specified in the CA/400 configuration to access the AS/400 must match that used to sign on to the AS/400 session (unless the USERID has all-object authority).

Notes:

1. If you are running CA/400 on Windows 3.1 or OS/2, you must set up AFP Workbench Viewer. Refer to Appendix C, Setting Up the Client Access/400 Viewer to View AFP Resources on page 309 for instructions.

2. Included page segments that are not in a library that is in the system library list will not be displayed. Message CWBNP1019, “AFP Resource not found,” will be displayed instead. To view these page segments, do one of the following:
   - Add the library name to the system library list (command CHGSYSLIBL).
   - Copy the page segments to library QGPL (command CRTDUPOBJ).

To view the form, type *VIEW in the control field on the Design Overlay screen. During an AFP Utilities session, you can use the VIEW command up to 25 times while designing the overlay. (This command is for source overlays only. It has no function when you are designing page layouts or record layouts.)

Overlays Using the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows

The IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows creates AFP documents, page segments, and overlays out of any Windows application. This driver is part of Client Access/400. The driver is also available on an “as is” basis from IBM. Like any Windows driver, the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows uses the Windows GDI
(Graphical Data Interface) and maps Windows document elements to AFP. As such, it is an “intelligent” driver. It can map fonts to fonts and lines to boxes. Where image is required, the driver uses compressed image. This means that more efficient overlays are created for use on your AS/400.

Figure 52 shows INVBAC, the terms and conditions overlay for the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application.

Terms and Conditions

The sale of the products described herein shall be governed by the terms and conditions contained in any written contract currently in effect between Seller and Buyer for each product. As such, Seller and Buyer agree to sell all products to Buyer on the terms and conditions stated herein. The contract will be binding only upon delivery of the goods. All orders are subject to acceptance in writing. The failure by Seller to accept any order within 10 days from the date of receipt of the order will constitute rejection of the order.

1. In the event of any dispute, the terms and conditions as stated herein shall govern. Any and all disputes arising out of this Agreement shall be submitted to the jurisdiction of the State of Florida.

Printing the Overlay to an AFP File

After the overlay has been completed on the PC, you are ready to “print” it to an AFP file. Complete the following procedures:

1. Create an overlay on the PC. You can use any Windows software to create a preprinted form.
2. Print your overlay using the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows. Before you can print to the Windows driver, you must set up and use the driver under your Windows application. First, use the standard procedures to install the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows. Then, do the following:
   a. Select **FILE** on the application menu bar.
      Select **PRINT SETUP**.
      Select **Specific printer**.
      Scroll down the list of printers and highlight **AFP 300 on File**.
   b. Select **OPTIONS**.
      For **Output Type**, highlight **OVERLAY**.
      Select **OK** on the Options window.
      Select **OK** on the Printer Setup window.
      You are now ready to print your overlay, but you do not actually print it. Your output is sent to a file in an AFP overlay format. This file is saved in an AS/400 shared folder (Drive I:), making it accessible to the AS/400 system.
   c. Select **FILE** on the application menu bar.
      Select **PRINT**.
      Select **OK**.
   d. You are prompted for an output file name.
      Specify **qdisresource.invbac.oly**.
      (You can name it anything you want, but extension .OLY is the default extension for overlay.)
      Select **OK**.

3. Create a resource database. To do so, go to an AS/400 command line and create a file to receive these PC resources using the following command:

   `CRTPF FILE(MYLIB/OVERLAY) RCDLEN(8201) + MBR(MYOVERLAY) MAXMBRS(*NOMAX) LVLCHK(*NO)`

   The suggested record length is 8201 (32766 is the maximum) and the Level check parameter must be *NO.

   The parameter MAXMBRS(*NOMAX) enables you to create the file only once and use different member names to create other overlays later on.

4. Transfer the PC resource to the AS/400 database. Use the CPYFRMPCD command to transfer the PC resource to the AS/400 database. **Figure 53 on page 107** shows the display that appears when you use the CPYFRMPCD command.
Figure 53. Copy From PC Document (CPYFRMPCD) Display

Enter the fields on this display as follows:

**From folder**
Name of the AS/400 folder where you stored the PC print file

**To file** Name of the resource file you created

**From document**
Name of the document from which you will make the copy

**Translate table**
Specify *NONE, the resource should not be translated

**Format of PC data**
Specify *NOTEXT, the resource is not text

**Note:** An alternative method would be to FTP the file to the AS/400 and then use the CRTOVL command, omitting the CPYFRMPCD step.

5. Create the Overlay. Use the CRTOVL command to create an AS/400 overlay (object type *OVL). Figure 54 on page 108 shows the display that appears when you use the CRTOVL command.
An alternative to using the individual steps described above is to build and use the OVERLAY command (see “Appendix I. AS/400 SEGMENT and OVERLAY Commands” on page 343). The following figure shows the OVERLAY command display.

**Overlays from Other IBM Systems**

Because Advanced Function Presentation is a system and printer-independent architecture, AFP overlays from other systems can be transferred to AS/400. For
example, overlays can be created on MVS using a variety of tools, including the Overlay Generation Language (OGL). Regardless of how the overlay is created, the AFP data stream is the same. One difference, however, between MVS and AS/400 is the use of variable length records. MVS supports the use of variable length records and AFP resources (overlays, fonts, page segments) are built in that format.

Therefore, the one extra step, when transferring via SNA from MVS, (in addition to the basic tape copy or communications transmission) is the conversion to fixed length records. You can make this conversion most easily on MVS.

The two basic tasks involved in moving an overlay to the AS/400 are:
1. Transmit a copy of the file.
2. Create the overlay.

The method for transmitting a file varies according to which of the following protocols you use:
- SNA
- TCP/IP

Both methods for transmitting and the common step for creating the overlay are detailed in the following sections.

**Transmitting via SNA**

When using SNA to transfer a file from MVS, follow these steps:
1. Enter the basic SNA transmit command:

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XMIT NODE.USERID DA(LEVEL1.LEVEL2 (MEMBER)) SEQ
```

2. Run RCVNETF on AS/400 to place the member in a physical file of the same fixed record length.

**Transmitting via TCP/IP FTP**

When using TCP/IP, you transfer the file by FTPing it. Complete the following instructions to FTP the file. The basic FTP commands are printed in bold.
1. `ftp xxxxx` (xxxxx = system name or IP address that you are accessing)
2. Enter Login User ID.
3. Enter Password.
4. `bin` (to set binary image mode)
5. `put XXXXX.savf` (replace (XXXXX is the name of the resource to be sent to AS/400. Replace parm needed if the file exists on remote system.)
6. `quit` (to end FTP session)

Other useful FTP commands:
- `lpwd` = local directory
- `pwd` = remote directory (Library on AS/400)
- `get` = get file from remote system and place on local system
- `ls or dir` = list files
- `mget` or `mput` = get or put multiple file (Example: `mput afp`*)
- `help` = list of commands available on this server
Creating the Overlay

After you have transmitted the file, you can create the overlay.

Create the overlay using the **CRTOVL** command.

Transferring other AFP Resources

You can transfer other AFP resources in the same manner. The only difference is the final resource creation command. The commands are:

- **CRTFORMDF** Create Form Definition
- **CRTPAGDFN** Create Page Definition
- **CRTPAGSEG** Create Page Segment
- **CRTFNTRSC** Create Font Resource

Overlays Using Business Partner Products

You can use a number of other electronic form products to create overlays for your AS/400 printing applications.

**Elixir/400 for AFP**

Elixir/400 for AFP is a professional, Windows-based electronic forms design system from Elixir Technologies. Elixir/400 downloads and uses AS/400 form, font, and image resources in the overlay design process, to provide full fidelity. The Elixir family of electronic document products includes font, image, scan, and application build modules.

**ISIS Forms Designer**

ISIS Forms Designer is a professional, Windows or OS/2 electronic forms design system from ISIS. Forms Designer works internally in AFP format, ensuring absolute accuracy and fidelity (what you see is what you print). ISIS has font, image, and application build modules.

**Transform/400**

Transform/400 is a low-cost, Windows-based electronic form design system from Mips Dataline America. Transform/400 starts by scanning the existing preprinted form, using an OCR (Optical Character Recognition) engine to automatically create the electronic form. Transform/400 works internally with the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows to produce AFP overlays.

**Note:** This list is in no way meant to be exhaustive. Many other electronic form products are available today.

Overlays Using DDS and the AFP Toolbox

DDS provides most of the elements used in designing electronic forms, such as fonts, lines, boxes, images, and bar codes. For some applications, it may make sense just to use DDS to build all or part of the electronic form. For example, simple forms, such as letterhead overlays, are easily created with DDS. A more common application would involve electronic documents in which portions of the document are handled by an overlay and portions are handled by DDS. You also can use DDS to construct “floating” overlays. A floating overlay is one in which part
of the form is placed at different locations (floats) on the output page. See [Chapter 11. Using Data Description Specifications on page 127] for an example of a floating overlay.

The AFP Toolbox, a module in the AFP PrintSuite family, can also be used to produce dynamic overlays or documents. With AFP Toolbox, you have complete control over the AFP data stream, enabling you to create any kind of variable formatted document. Although DDS and AFP Toolbox are both programming interfaces to electronic output, AFP Toolbox requires greater programming and AFP skills to use. It also provides greater functionality.

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**Designing an Electronic Form**

With most electronic forms, the design process includes some amount of planning, measuring, and positioning. For example, in designing the Super Sun Seeds example overlays, you would:

- Determine the positioning of key elements (you can use a positioning grid overlay to aid in this process)
- Determine the fonts to be used
- Design and create any image to be placed within the overlay
- Determine the design sequence, particularly if the overlay has many contiguous lines and boxes
- Ensure that overlay elements map to the application data

In the Super Sun Seeds example, the application data is produced in traditional row and column format, with standard vertical spacing of 6 lines to the inch and 10 characters per inch horizontally. If the overlay is designed with the same measurement grid, then it should match with the application data (and be far easier to produce).

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**Using Overlays on the AS/400**

Overlays can be included in AS/400 printing applications using many different techniques, including:

- Specifying them as front or back overlays in the printer file
- Specifying them directly with the DDS OVERLAY keyword
- Specifying them with Advanced Print Utility
- Specifying them with AFP Toolbox
- Placing them in a print application with the Print Format Utility (a module of AFP Utilities)
- Specifying them within a page and form definition object
- Using them with an OfficeVision/400 document
- Using them as cover sheets in Facsimile Support for AS/400
Design and Performance Considerations

Printing a full-page graphical document at high resolutions requires significantly more processing on the part of the AS/400 and the printer than printing one line at low resolution. Performance is not usually a concern in the line-mode printing process, but it is certainly a consideration when you are building and printing electronic documents.

AFP, with its structured data stream, object-based architecture, high-function print managers, and integrated printers, can provide a major performance advantage. The overall process of printing can be split into its component parts. For example, IPDS printers offload from the AS/400 the work of translating font, image, and bar code objects into fully resolved (that is, complete bit patterns ready to print) document pages. Additionally, the PSF/400 print manager keeps track of what font, image, and overlay resources are already stored in the printer.

Still, it is important to design applications with performance in mind. Because overlays include most of the elements of an electronic output document, performance factors should be considered, but be balanced against the business or design requirements of the application.

Design decisions that impact performance include those described in the following sections.

Fonts

When AS/400 host-resident fonts are downloaded to the printer, time and printer memory usage must be considered. Large raster fonts and large numbers of fonts can adversely affect performance. Consider doing the following:

- Minimize the number of fonts used. Document effectiveness normally suffers when more than 6-8 fonts are used on a page.
- Standardize fonts used across applications. Setting some organizational standards with respect to fonts will improve both performance and document effectiveness.
- Use outline fonts. Outline fonts have one scalable object for all point sizes. Raster fonts have a separate object for each point size. As more outline fonts become available on AS/400 (both host and printer-resident), consider using them instead of their raster equivalents.
- Use printer-resident fonts. Printer-resident fonts eliminate the download time that AS/400-resident fonts require. The AFP Utilities Overlay Utility enables you to specify fonts by Font Global ID (FGID), which map to specific printer-resident fonts. Refer to AS/400 Printer Device Programming for more information on printer-resident fonts.
- Use font capturing. Font capturing enables the printer to dynamically store a host-downloaded font. The captured font then acts like a printer-resident font. Printing performance is improved by eliminating subsequent font downloads to the printer. The performance improvement will be especially noticeable if you are using double byte fonts.

Image

Because of sheer size, image can affect performance in transmission, printing, and printer memory requirements.
Consider doing the following:

- Minimize the use of image. Do not use larger size page segments than the document really requires.
- Use compressed image. Be sure that you have created compressed image when creating IOCA page segments. Note that some older printers do not support compressed image.
- Use the same image across applications. If possible, standardize your logo to one size so that it may be used with little performance cost across applications.

Sub-Forms

If you have a series of forms that are similar, consider breaking out common sections into a partial overlay, or sub-form. This approach will also reduce the maintenance of these forms.

Object Size

Certain design or object creation processes may generate larger than expected overlay or image objects. For example, a large page segment might indicate that it was created without image compression, or some overlay characteristics such as shading may affect object size or object performance.

Implementing all of these performance recommendations may create a high-performance electronic overlay, but an ineffective document. In addition, your operational environment should also be considered. If you are printing 1000 Super Sun Seeds invoices, then a few extra seconds at the start of the print job will not matter. However, if your application is printing only one invoice at a time, then every second at job initialization is another second of waiting for that one invoice to print.
Chapter 10. Using Printer Files

Printer files on the AS/400 system define how the system handles output from application programs. The actual output itself is contained in the spooled file, which resides within an output queue. Every job on the AS/400 has an associated printer file, whether or not you explicitly create one.

Note: Jobs that do not have an option to generate spooled output, whether those jobs are interactive or batch, do not require printer files. However, every application that generates spooled output must use a printer file to do so.

Printer files can contain two different types of information: parameters that apply to the entire spooled file and control how spooled file data is processed; and printer Data Description Specifications (DDS), which actually define how application data is positioned on the output page. The first set of output information, the printer file parameters, are part of any printer file on the system. The second set, the printer DDS, is optional and exists if the application program has externally-described output.

Printer File Flow

Because most application output on AS/400 is spooled, you have two opportunities to affect how output is finally produced: while the application is building the spooled file, and while the output is on the spooled file waiting to be printed.

Figure 1 on page 13 shows the general flow of print data streams from application program through spooled file and on to the printer. If you want to affect how your output is handled from the application program to the spooled file, use the create, change, and override printer file commands prior to processing the application. Usually, you issue the OVRPRTF command to temporarily change the print attribute parameters to be used by the application program.

Figure 56 on page 116 shows the Override with Printer File command screen, depicting only a portion of the parameters that can be modified. The Change Printer File command (CHGPRTF) permanently changes printer file parameters.
After the application has written the spooled file to the output queue, you can still change a number of the attributes of the spooled file itself, including the output queue and spooled file save, for example, as well as change how the spooled file is printed. You use the Change Spooled File Attributes (CHGSPLFA) command, as shown in the display example below, to make those changes.

Figure 56. Override with Printer File (OVRPRTF)

After the application has written the spooled file to the output queue, you can still change a number of the attributes of the spooled file itself, including the output queue and spooled file save, for example, as well as change how the spooled file is printed. You use the Change Spooled File Attributes (CHGSPLFA) command, as shown in the display example below, to make those changes.
Printer File Parameters

Printer file parameters provide a wide range of printing functions, from the basics of managing the spooled file to options that will transform simple line output to advanced electronic output.

With spooled file-level parameters you can:
- Specify or change the output queue
- Specify whether a spooled file is saved or held
- Specify the printer device or device type, including changing from one type of printer type to another (for example, SCS to IPDS)
- Specify the input drawer and output bin, for page printers
- Specify simplex or duplex

You can use the parameters affecting printed lines to:
- Specify the default font for printed output
- Specify the characters per inch (CPI) and lines per inch (LPI)
- Specify the page size and page rotation
- Specify front and back margins or offsets for the printed lines

With Advanced Function Presentation, you have options to transform simple line output to advanced, full-page documents. You can:
- Add front and back electronic forms, or overlays, to your application output.
- Print your output in 2-up, 3-up, and 4-up page formats.
- Reduce the output so that, for example, it can be printed on 8-1/2 by 11 inch paper.
- Use the line data, page definition, and form definition parameters to completely transform the application output. "Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions" on page 193 describes how to build page and form definitions using these parameters.

Advance Function Presentation also allows you to specify three types of stapling operations: corner staple (CORNERSTPL), edge stitch (EDGESTITCH), and saddle stitch (SADLSTITCH). These operations are also called finishing operations. Documentation with your printer explains which of these stapling operations are supported. Additionally, the printer documentation explains the degree of variability available for each type of stapling operation supported.

"Appendix H. Printer File Parameters" on page 339 provides a brief description of most of the printer file parameters, grouped generally by those that affect the entire spooled file, those that affect print lines, and those that operate on a full printed page.

Within the printing process, not all of the printer file parameters can be used both before and after print spooling. Table 2 on page 118 lists each parameter and when it can be modified, as well as which parameters require the AFP print manager, PSF/400.

Note: In the following table, symbol meanings are as follows:

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Symbol</th>
<th>Meaning</th>
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<tr>
<td>*</td>
<td>Must be AFPDS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>**</td>
<td>Not an option if AFPDS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PSF/400 Required</td>
<td>Printer and Spooled File Options</td>
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<td>FILE</td>
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Super Sun Seeds Case Study

One of the simplest ways to take advantage of Advanced Function Presentation is to add electronic forms to an application with the printer file. This technique instantly transforms a preprinted form application into a completely electronic application. Using printer file overlays does not provide you with as many functions as those done with DDS or with page and form definitions, but for many output applications, this method will be adequate. Figure 7 on page 30 shows the Super Sun Seeds sample case study invoice application.

The existing application program, whether data fields are program-described or externally-described, only places lines of output in the spooled file. The document is completed by printing those lines on a fixed, preprinted form.

An electronic version of the invoice form can be created by modifying the printer file overlay and positioning parameters with the create (CRTPRTF), change (CHGPRTF), or override (OVRPRTF) commands. The key parameters are as follows:

- Unit of Measure: ___ +INCH, +CM
- Front side overlay (FRONTOVL): __ +NONE
  - Library: __ +LIBL
  - Offset down: __ 0-57.790
  - Offset across: __ 0-57.790
- Back side overlay (BACKOVL): __ +FRONTOVL
  - Library: __ +LIBL
  - Offset down: __ 0-57.790
  - Offset across: __ 0-57.790
- Front side margin (FRONTMGN): __ 0-57.790, *DEVD
- Offset down: __ 0-57.790, *FRONTMGN
- Offset across: __ 0-57.790, *FRONTMGN
- Printer device type: __ +SCS, +AFPDS
Usually, you specify the overlay object name for the front overlay parameter and use 0 for the offsets. If the new invoice overlay and the invoice data do not line up, you can use the overlay offsets and margins to fine-tune the positioning. Note that in this case the margin parameters move all page elements, including both the application data and the overlay. It is usually best, therefore, to use the overlay offset to correctly position the electronic form with respect to the data. Any offsets you use, overlay or margin, work in the units (inches or centimeters) defined by the UOM parameter. Since overlays are AFPDS objects, the printer file DEVD parameter must also be changed to *AFPDS.

Additional Considerations

Using printer file overlay support to transform the Super Sun Seeds sample application is simple, easy, and quick. And it requires no change to the application program. In fact, you can make this change after the application has already run and created the spooled file. You use the Change Spooled File Attributes (CHGSPLFA) command and the same parameters described earlier.

There are some limitations to this approach, specifically as they relate to a preprinted invoicing application. Your application may require some or all of the following functions:

- Duplexed documents
- Multiple copies
- Multiple overlays, either per page or over groups of pages
- Image, graphic, or bar code support
- Integrated application logic

The first two functions are often built into preprinted forms. The continuous form has multiple copies, and may have some fixed text on the back side on one or all of the copies. With printer file overlay support, you can create the multiple copies by printing the spooled file multiple times and overriding it each time with a different overlay name; that is, by specifying invoice overlays that differ only in that they say “Customer Copy”, “Packing List”, and so forth at the bottom of the form.

This process can be easily automated within a CL program. Using this technique, you would produce uncollated copies of the invoices, which means that all the customer copies are in one stack, all the packing lists are in another, and so on. This may or may not be the way the workflow occurs in your invoicing function. If one or more of the copies needs to be grouped together; that is, collated, then one of the other application enabling techniques covered in the following chapters may be more appropriate.

Placing constant text on the back side of the invoice can be done with back overlay support, but requires a minor application change. Constant text usually consists of terms and condition type information. If you have specified a DUPLEX parameter of *YES and you have entered both front and back overlays, then the invoice data will print on both sides. This means that the back side prints with the right overlay and with unwanted application data. The cause of the problem is that there is no page eject to move that page of invoice data to the front of the next page. A simple change to the application program would add a page eject after each page of invoice data is printed.

Other document elements, such as multiple overlays, image, graphics, bar codes, and program integration, only can be specified with the more advanced printing
techniques covered in subsequent chapters. These elements all require you to take some action based on the content of the program data. For example, you may want to use a different overlay based on the company number in the invoice data, or you may want to print a specific output field in barcode, or you may want to print an image based on customer information. These functions are beyond the scope of the overlay support in the printer file.

Other Examples of Using Electronic Forms

Many different kinds of output can be enhanced by the use of electronic forms. Figure 58 shows a “greenbar” overlay that can be used to improve the look and readability of a standard report. This kind of overlay is easy to create and is easily added using the front and back overlay parameters.

Figure 58. Greenbar Overlay

Additional Applications of Printer File Support

Several other parameters in the printer file also can enhance your current application output. These include parameters used to specify computer output reduction, multi-up support, drawer and bin support, and line font and spacing.

Computer Output Reduction

Computer output reduction (COR) automatically takes standard reports on computer paper and reduces them to fit on 8-1/2 by 11 inch paper. COR is designed to handle reports created at 66 lines per page and 132 print positions per line.
for an example of the COR function.

Figure 59. Example of COR Function

The COR function works as follows:

- The new page is in landscape format
- Page margins are set at .5 inch
- Line height is 70% of original
- Printer-resident fonts are substituted to achieve the right line width reduction, as follows:
  - 10 CPI is converted to a 13.3 pitch font
  - 12 CPI is converted to a 15 pitch font
  - 15 CPI is converted to a 20 pitch font
  - 16.67 CPI is converted to a 27 pitch font

Multi-Up Printing

Printing multiple logical pages on a single physical page offers significant advantages in cost and volume of printed reports. Combining this function with duplex printers doubles its value.

The use of 4-up printing may push the limits of readability, but it may be the right solution for certain high-volume reports. Adding an overlay also can improve the look and readability of the report.

Multi-Up support works with the LPI, CPI, PAGRTT, and PAGSIZ parameters of the spooled file and uses the most appropriate printer-resident fonts to fit the logical pages onto an 8-1/2 by 11 inch page with 1/2-inch margins.
Many printers now support oversize paper stock such as 11 by 17 inch paper. You can print two full size pages on 11 by 17 inch paper by specifying MULTIUP as 2 and REDUCE as "NO, and by also using the DRAWER parameter to select the right paper.

Figure 60 shows an example of multi-up printing.

![Figure 60. Multi-Up Printing: Example of 4-up and 2-up Printing](image)

**Cut-Sheet Emulation**

PSF/400 Version 4 Revision 2 provides software support for users to request side-by-side printing on either a simplex or duplex continuous forms printer that supports cut-sheet emulation. This can be done without changing the application or any resource used to print. The side-by-side printing is chosen at the printer itself. The output, when slit and collated by post-processing equipment, looks like output generated by a cut-sheet printer.

You can configure PSF so that side-by-side printing will be generated only if the size of the page will allow it. If you select ALL or FIRST for automatic page size checking, PSF checks to see if all pages (ALL) or the first page (FIRST) will fit side by side before the printer starts printing. If the pages do not fit side by side, then they will be printed one per side. If pages do fit side by side, then the printer will print side by side (cut-sheet emulation). Of course, if you have selected FIDELITY ("ABSOLUTE), cut-sheet emulation printing will not proceed unless all pages fit side by side. If you choose cut-sheet emulation at the printer and select NONE for automatic page size checking, and have selected FIDELITY ("CONTENT), pages will be printed side by side regardless of whether or not two pages fit on the page.

**Line and Font Changes**

You can modify the appearance and spacing of application output by using the line, character, and font parameters in the printer file. Different combinations of the LPI and CPI parameters enable you to change the line and character spacing. You can modify the default font used for spooled file output in the following ways: by
specifying a printer-resident font using the FONT parameter; by specifying an AS/400-resident font in two ways, either by using the coded font (CDEFNT) or by using the font character set (FNTCHRSET). The coded font maps to a specific code page and character set. With FNTCHRSET, you specify the code page and character set explicitly.

Finishing Operations

Finishing operations are operations performed on a document as it is being printed and after it is being printed. On printers that provide finishing support, the Z-fold and Insert operations occur as the document is printed, and the three types of stapling operations (corner staple (CORNERSTPL), edge stitch (EDGESTITCH), and saddle stitch (SADLSTITCH)) occur after a document has been printed. By having the printer perform stapling operations, you can eliminate the manual job of stapling. Be sure to check your printer’s manuals for information about which finishing operations are performed and the level of support provided for each finishing operation. Note that neither job nor file separators are stapled to their respective documents.

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Availability of PSF/400 Programming Support for Finishing: Support for finishing operations has been released as PTFs to earlier releases of OS/400. The method for specifying a finishing operation can vary on different releases. For specific information, see the special instructions in the PTF cover letter for each release as follows:

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Legend for Finishing Tables:

Yes An operation is supported by the indicated method. For additional information on Form Definitions created by PPFA/400, see the product’s manual for information about specifying the particular finishing operation.

No An operation is not supported by the indicated method.

Under Printer File and DDS

Use the parameter or keyword as shown.

Migration Considerations for Finishing Tables:

- V4R4 and V4R3 support printer file-specified stapling operations from previous RISC releases. If you want to continue using printer files that use USRDFNDTA to specify a stapling operation, the new corresponding parameter in V4R3 or V4R4 must have a value of *None. The default for CORNERSTPL, EDGESTITCH, and SADLSTITCH is *None.

- The method by which stapling operations are specified on V3R2 cannot be migrated to any other release.
Table 3 and Table 4 show where you can specify a finishing operation according to the release you are using.

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Chapter 11. Using Data Description Specifications

Using Data Description Specifications (DDS), which is included in OS/400, for application output enables you to take full advantage of the advanced printing capabilities of AS/400 in much the same way as using external database files enables access to the advanced database capabilities of the system. DDS printer file support provides full control of output, and supports the advanced electronic printing capabilities of today’s laser printers. DDS gives you complete control over each page and over all the elements that come together on a page.

DDS support for advanced electronic business documents builds on existing support for line-mode output. DDS supports standard document composition elements, such as electronic forms, images, graphics, bar codes, lines, and boxes. Direct control is provided, for example, over what electronic forms or images go on to what pages. Support for full control of document pages and page layout from the application program also is provided. In addition, nearly all DDS support is dynamic; that is, the application controls both the element and its positioning, enabling you to produce documents with “floating” page elements.

As described in "Chapter 10. Using Printer Files" on page 115, every AS/400 job has a printer file that provides page defaults such as margins, line spacing, and overflow.

The printer file also provides printer and queue options such as printer device, file type, and spooled file save. It provides page composition, such as front and back overlays and page and form definitions. Generally, these parameters apply to the entire job or spooled file.

Printer File DDS

DDS printer file support externalizes application output and extends it to full-page applications. Output that is defined within the program is called “program-described” output. Output that is defined with DDS is called “externally-described” output.

Figure 61 on page 123 shows an example of how DDS is used within the printer file to define application output. The program builds the data fields to be printed and does a write to a DDS record format. The data fields are referenced within the record format. The printer file, through the DDS keywords, controls the position, orientation, font, and other characteristics for those fields. In addition, DDS provides access to all the elements—text, overlays, images, graphics, bar coding, lines, and boxes—that comprise AFP documents.
Figure 61 shows a simple example of how DDS print formatting works. The application program prepares the variable data. It also establishes the logic of printing, or in this case, the "writes" to DDS records. A DDS print record is the collection of fields and/or print keywords that are to be executed when the application program issues the write command. Once the record write and variable data is passed to DDS, DDS can control font, positioning, and other characteristics external to the application program.

DDS groups one or more individual fields together to create a record. The application program controls printed output by deciding when to write which records.

Some DDS keywords apply only to the entire record (record-level). Other DDS keywords apply only to fields (field-level). Some DDS keywords can be used at either record-level or field-level.

Keywords for AFP Applications

The keywords described in the following sections are used to enable applications using full page mode. Keywords for page layout and for page composition are described.

Page Layout Keywords

The following sections describe keywords used for page layout.

LPI

LPI is a record-level keyword used to change lines per inch. When the LPI keyword is specified, it overrides the LPI parameter of the printer file.

The format of the LPI keyword is:
LPI (4 6 8 9 12)
**ENDPAGE**

ENDPAGE is a record-level keyword that specifies the ejection of the current page after the current output record is printed.

The format of the ENDPAGE keyword is:

```plaintext
ENDPAGE
```

If you are positioning fields, constants, page segments, and other page elements with down and across positions, you can specify positions anywhere on the page. In this case, the typical line-mode trigger for a page eject, the overflow line, may not be reached. ENDPAGE enables explicit control of page ejection.

**PAGRTT**

PAGRTT is a record-level keyword that specifies the degree of rotation, or orientation, of the constants and text that is printed. It overrides the PAGRTT parameter value in the printer file.

The format of the PAGRTT keyword is:

```plaintext
PAGRTT (0 90 180 270)
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Page rotation does not automatically affect other page elements, such as overlays and page segments. The page rotations are also known as across (0), down (90), back (180), and up (270).

**DRAWER**

DRAWER is a record-level keyword that specifies the drawer from which noncontinuous forms are selected.

The format of the DRAWER keyword is:

```plaintext
DRAWER (drawer-number)
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Valid values are 1-255 and *E1 (for envelope feeder). If the DRAWER keyword is not specified, the DRAWER parameter in the printer file is used.

Refer to AS/400 Data Description Specifications Reference for more information on the keywords described in this section.

**FORCE**

FORCE is a record-level keyword used to force a new sheet of paper for duplex printing. If currently printing on the front side of the sheet, the current sheet is ejected, and a new sheet is fed in.

The format of the FORCE keyword is:

```plaintext
FORCE
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**OUTBIN**

OUTBIN is a record-level keyword that specifies the destination bin of the output on printers that support multiple output bins.

The format of the OUTBIN keyword is:

```plaintext
OUTBIN(output-bin number)
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Valid values are 1-65535 and *DEVD. If the OUTBIN keyword is not specified, the OUTBIN parameter in the printer file is used.

**DUPLEX**

DUPLEX is a record-level keyword that specifies whether output is printed on one or on two sides of the paper.

The format of the DUPLEX keyword is:

```
DUPLEX(duplex-value)
```

Valid values are *NO, *YES, and *TUMBLE. If the DUPLEX keyword is not specified, the DUPLEX parameter in the printer file is used.

**Page Composition Keywords**

The following sections describe keywords used for page composition.

Most of the keywords enable program-to-system fields that are used to dynamically change the values of the keyword parameters while the application program is processing.

**BARCODE**

BARCODE is a field-level keyword that prints a field in a user-specified bar code. The supported bar codes are:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Bar Code</th>
<th>Bar Code ID</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>MSI</td>
<td>MSI</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>UPC-A</td>
<td>UPC-A</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>UPC-E</td>
<td>UPC-E</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>UPC-2</td>
<td>UPC-2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>UPC-5</td>
<td>UPC-5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EAN-8</td>
<td>EAN-8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EAN-13</td>
<td>EAN-13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EAN-2</td>
<td>EAN-2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>EAN-5</td>
<td>EAN-5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Industrial 2 of 5</td>
<td>INDUST2OF5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Matrix 2 of 5</td>
<td>MARIX2OF5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Interleaved 2 of 5</td>
<td>INTERL2OF5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Codabar</td>
<td>CODEABAR</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Code 3 of 9</td>
<td>CODE3OF9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Postal</td>
<td>POSTNET</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Royal Mail</td>
<td>RM4SCC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Japan Postal</td>
<td>JPBC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Australian Postal</td>
<td>AUSTRALIAN POSTAL</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The format of the BARCODE keyword is:
BARCODE bar-code-ID height horizontal-vertical human-readable
code3of9-asterisk check-digit unit-width wide/narrow ratio

Where the parameter values are:

**Height**
Values from 1-9 for bar code height, in lines

**Horizontal/Vertical**
Values are *HRT and *VRTX. Default is horizontal.

**Human-Readable**
Print human-readable interpretation of bar code. Values are *HRI, *HRITOP, and *NOHRI. Default is to print human-readable (*HRI).

**Code 3 of 9 Asterisk**
Include (*AST) or exclude (*NOAST) for Code 3 of 9 bar code. Default is to exclude asterisk.

**Check Digit**
A hex value is used to indicate if a check digit (or multiple check digits) should be generated.

**Unit-width**
Width (in inches) of narrow bars and spaces.

**Wide to narrow ratio**
Ratio of wide bars and spaces to narrow bars and spaces.

For most bar codes, you need to specify only the bar code ID and the height.

For more information on bar code characteristics, refer to AS/400 Data Description Specifications Reference.

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**BOX**

The BOX keyword prints a box or rectangle.

The format of the BOX keyword is:

BOX (first-corner-down first-corner-across diagonal-corner-down diagonal-corner-across line-width)

You define a box by specifying the down and across positions of two opposite corners, and by giving the line width. The positions are relative to the page margins (FRONTMGN and BACKMGN parameters of printer file), and are calculated in inches or centimeters according to the UOM parameter of the printer file. The line width of the box can be any value in the range from .001 to 22.750 inches, or can be specified using the special values *NARROW (.008 in.), *MEDIUM (.017 in.), and *WIDE (.025 in.).

All values of the BOX keyword can be program-to-system fields.

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**GDF**

The GDF keyword prints a graphic data file created by a program such as Business Graphic Utility (BGU) or GDDM.

The format of the GDF keyword is:

GDF (library/graph-file graph-member position-down position-across graph-depth graph-width graph-rotation)

All values of the GDF keyword can be program-to-system fields. This enables graphics, such as bar and pie charts, to be created and printed dynamically.
LINE

The LINE keyword prints a horizontal or vertical line.

The format of the LINE keyword is:

LINE (position-down position-across line-length line-direction line-width)

Lines are drawn by specifying the down and across starting positions, the horizontal and vertical direction, and the line width and length. Line length can be any value in the range from .001 to 22.750 inches. Line width can be any value in the range from .001 to 22.750 inches, or it can be specified using the special values *NARROW (.008 in.), *MEDIUM (.017 in.), and *WIDE (.025 in.).

All values of the LINE keyword can be program-to-system fields.

OVERLAY

The OVERLAY keyword prints an electronic form or overlay.

The format of the OVERLAY keyword is:

OVERLAY (library/overlay-name position-down position-across (*ROTATION rotation))

The down and across position marks the top left point of the overlay, relative to the page origin, and is offset by the page margins (the FRONTMGN and BACKMGN parameters of the printer file). The optional *ROTATION parameter allows you to specify a rotation value for the overlay.

Valid values for rotation are: 0, 90, 180, and 270.

All values of the OVERLAY keyword can be program-to-system fields. This enables you to dynamically change both the overlay name and its position on the page.

PAGSEG

The PAGSEG keyword prints a page segment.

The format of the PAGSEG keyword is:

PAGSEG (library/page-segment position-down position-across (*SIZE width height) (*ROTATION rotation))

The down and across position marks the top left point of the page segment. This point is offset by the page margins, (the FRONTMGN and BACKMGN parameters of the printer file). The optional *SIZE and *ROTATION parameters all you to specify a different size and rotation for the page segment.

Valid values for *SIZE are: 0.001 to 57.590 cm (0.0001 to 22.750 in.) for both width and height. Valid values for *ROTATION are: 0, 90, 180, and 270.

All values of the PAGSEG keyword can be program-to-system fields.

POSITION

POSITION is a field-level keyword used to define the exact position of a field.

The format of the POSITION keyword is:
POSITION (position-down position-across)

The down and across position is offset from the page origin by the page margins, (the FRONTMGN and BACKMGN parameters of the printer file). The UOM parameter of the printer file determines whether the down and across values are in inches or centimeters.

Both values of the POSITION keyword can be program-to-system fields.

CDEFNT

CDEFNT is a record or field-level keyword that specifies the coded font for printing constants or fields. A coded font specifies an AS/400-resident font by pointing to a specific font character set and code page. For example, the coded font X0H210BC uses the font character set C0H200B0 and code page T1V10500 to print 10-point Helvetica Roman Medium. Point size can be specified for outline fonts.

The format of the CDEFNT keyword is:

CDEFNT (library name/coded-font-name point-size)

FONT

FONT is a record- or field-level keyword that specifies the font ID used for printing constants or fields.

The format of the FONT keyword is:

FONT (font-identifier point-size)

You can specify numeric font identifiers: Font Global ID or FGID, for example; or graphic fonts, such as ADMWMOB for Open Block characters. Refer to AS/400 Printer Device Programming for more information on numeric font IDs and their use.

FNTCHRSET

FNTCHRSET is a record- or field-level keyword that specifies the font character set used for printing constants or fields. Point size can be specified for outline fonts.

The format of the FNTCHRSET keyword is:

FNTCHRSET (library-name/font-character-set library-name code-page point-size)

CHRSIZ

The CHRSIZ keyword is used to expand the width and height of a constant or field.

The format of the CHRSIZ keyword is:

CHRSIZ(width height)

Values for CHRSIZ can be in the range from 1.0 to 20.0. CHRSIZ uses the width of the current font and the current CPI setting to calculate the expanded width. CHRSIZ uses the current lines per inch (LPI) value to calculate expanded height.

COLOR

The COLOR keyword specifies the color for a field. Color is used by printers that support color, such as the 4224 printer, and by the output Viewer in Client Access/400.
The format of the COLOR keyword is:
COLOR (BLK BLU BRN GRN PNK RED TRQ YLW)

**TXTRTT**

TXTRTT is a field-level keyword used to rotate fields.

The format of the TXTRTT keyword is:
TXTRTT (0 90 180 270)

**HIGHLIGHT**

The HIGHLIGHT keyword prints a field in bold characters. The active font for the field must be a numeric font (FONT keyword) that supports bold printing.

The format of the HIGHLIGHT keyword is:
HIGHLIGHT

**UNDERLINE**

The UNDERLINE keyword underlines a field.

The format of the UNDERLINE keyword is:
UNDERLINE

A summary of all printer file DDS keywords can be found in [Appendix F. Data Description Specifications (DDS) Reference](#) on page 323. Refer to AS/400 Data Description Specifications Reference for more complete information on the keywords described in this section.

### Finishing Operation Keywords

Table 3 on page 126 and Table 4 on page 126 show how PSF/400 programming support for finishing operations relates to various releases.

**ZFOLD**

The ZFOLD record-level keyword causes the current sheet to be first folded in half inwards (so the front side of the sheet is now inside the fold) along a line parallel to the reference edge. The half of the sheet furthest from the reference edge is again folded in half outwards along a line parallel to the reference edge. For example, when applied to an 11" by 17" sheet with the reference edge along a short side, the result is an 8.5" by 11" fold-out.

The format of the ZFOLD keyword is:
ZFOLD (reference-edge paper-type)

The reference edge indicates the edge to be used as a reference for the first fold. The paper type can be ledger or A3.

Figure 62 on page 135 illustrates Z-folded sheets within an edge-stitched document.
A summary of all printer file DDS keywords can be found in "Appendix F. Data Description Specifications (DDS) Reference" on page 323. Refer to AS/400 Data Description Specifications Reference for more complete information on the keywords described in this section.

**DDS Functions**

Now that the DDS keywords used to enable full page composition have been introduced, we can show how these keywords are used in a sample case. Figure 63 on page 136 shows how DDS can be used to produce multiple printing function output.
DDS Functionality

OS/400 V3R1 and later releases

Vertical/Horizontal lines and boxes

All Points addressability

Multiple Overlays per page

Overlay One

Overlay Two

Multiple Page Segments per page

Dynamic Positioning for OVL & PSG

Figure 63. DDS Functionality

DDS Printer Specifications for DDS Functionality Output

The following example shows the DDS printer specifications used to produce the multiple function output example shown in Figure 63.

5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING

SOURCE FILE .......... SAMPLER/DDSSRC

MEMBER ............... DDSFUN

SEQNBR*+....1+....2+....3+....4+....5+....6+....7+

100  A* DDSFUN: DDS for Functional DDS Demo

200  A*
300 A* Printer File Parameters:
400 A*
500 A* CHGPRTF FILE(DDSFUN) DEVICE(XXXXXXX) TYPE(*AFPDS)
600 A* OVRFLW(64)
700 A*
800 A R HEADR1
900 A PAGRTT(0)
1000 A*
1100 A* 'DDS Functionality'
1200 A* - Helvetica Bold 20-pt
1300 A* - Down 0.7 Across 3.0
1400 A*
1500 A LIN01 35A
1600 A FNTCHRSET(C0H400J0 T1V10037)
1700 A POSITION(0.7 3.0)
1800 A*
1900 A* 'OS/400 V3R1 and later releases'
2000 A* - Helvetica Reg 12-pt
2100 A* - Var Positioning
2200 A*
2300 A LIN02 35A
2400 A FNTCHRSET(C0H200B0 T1V10037)
2500 A POSITION(&LINDWN &LINACR)
2600 A LINDWN 5S 3P
2700 A LINACR 5S 3P
2800 A*
2900 A* LINE Parameters:
3000 A* - Start Position Down
3100 A* - Start Position Across
3200 A* - Length (use UOM in printer file)
3300 A* - *HRZ or *VRT
3400 A* - Line Width
3500 A*
3600 A R LINE1
3700 A LINE(1.3 2.6 0.2 *VRT *NARROW
3800 A LINE(1.1 2.8 0.4 *VRT *MEDIUM
3900 A LINE(0.9 3.0 0.6 *VRT *WIDE
4000 A LINE(1.4 3.3 3.2 *HRZ *WIDE
4100 A LINE(1.5 3.7 2.4 *HRZ *MEDIUM
4200 A LINE(1.6 4.1 1.6 *HRZ *NARROW
4300 A*
4400 A* BOX Parameters
4500 A* - Start Position Down
4600 A* - Start Position Across
4700 A* - Diag Position Down
4800 A* - Diag Position Across
4900 A* - Line width
5000 A*
5100 A R BOX1
5200 A BOX(0.8 1.0 1.5 2.0 .1)
5300 A BOX(0.4 7.0 2.1 7.2 .02)
5400 A*
5500 A LIN08 35A 36 27
5600 A LIN09 35A 50 31
5700 A 51 33 'Dynamic Positioning for OVL
5800 A* FONT(85)
5900 A* LIN03 'Vertical/Horizontal lines and boxes'
6000 A* - Font 1B = Courier Italic
6100 A* LIN04 'Bar Code Symbologies'
6200 A* LIN05 'L'
6300 A* - Font ADMWMOB = Open Block (GDDM)
6400 A* LIN06 'arge Characters'
6500 A* - Font ADMWMOB = Open Block (GDDM)
6600 A* LIN07 'All Points Addressability'
6700 A* - Font 46 = Courier Bold
6800 A*
6900 A R TXT1
7000 A LIN03 35A
7100 A POSITION(1.3 3.3)
7200 A FONT(18)
7300 A LIN04 35A
7400 A POSITION(3.1 2.4)
7500 A LIN05 1A
7600 A FONT(ADMWMOB)
7700 A POSITION(2.9 1.0)
7800 A CHRISZ(9.0 20.0)
7900 A LIN06 15A
8000 A POSITION(3.4 1.3)
8100 A FONT(ADMWMOB)
8200 A CHRISZ(6.0 6.0)
8300 A LIN07 35A
8400 A POSITION(4.8 2.0)
8500 A FONT(46)
8600 A* Print 'ROTATE' in 4 orientations
8700 A*
8800 A R TXT3
8900 A TXT101 6
9000 A POSITION(2.7 6.4)
9100 A TXT102 6 TXTTRT(90)
9200 A POSITION(2.7 6.4)
9300 A TXT103 6 TXTTRT(180)
9400 A POSITION(2.7 6.4)
9500 A TXT104 6 TXTTRT(270)
9600 A POSITION(2.7 6.4)
9700 A*
9800 A* Bar Code Parameters:
9900 A* BARCODE (Type, Height, + 6 parameters:
10000 A* - Horizontal/Vertical: *HRZ, *VRT
10200 A* - Asterisk: *AST, *NOAST
10300 A* - Check Digit: type
10400 A* - Unit Width: narrow bar/space
10500 A* - Wide/Narrow Ratio
10600 A*
10700 A R BAR1
10800 A BAR101 BS BARCODE(INTERL2OF5 3 *VRT)
10900 A POSITION(2.0 1.8)
11000 A BAR201 8 BARCODE(CODE3OF9 3)
11100 A POSITION(2.0 2.5)
11200 A*
11300 A* Print 'POSITION' with different offsets
11400 A*
11500 A R TXT2
11600 A TXT201 8 POSITION(5.3 3.5)
11700 A TXT202 8 POSITION(5.35 3.55)
11800 A TXT203 8 POSITION(5.4 3.6)
11900 A TXT204 8 POSITION(5.45 3.65)
12000 A TXT205 8 POSITION(5.5 3.7)
12100 A*
12200 A* Page Segment IBMLOGOT
12300 A* - dynamic name
12400 A* - dynamic position
12500 A*
12600 A R PSG1
12700 A PAGSEGG(&PSGNAM &PSGDWN &PSGAC
12800 A PSGNAM 8A P
12900 A PSGDWN 5S 3P
13000 A PSGACR PPSGDWN 5S 3P
13100 A* Overlays
13200 A* - dynamic name
13300 A* - dynamic position
13400 A*
13500 A R OVL1
13600 A ENDPAGE
The most significant print elements in the DDSFUN printer DDS specifications are:

**Text** Text, whether constant or field data, is printed in a variety of ways in DDSFUN.

*“DDS Functionality”*(LIN01)
Printed in a 20-point Helvetica Roman-Bold font, 0.7 inches down and 3.0 inches across the page. The FRONTMGN parameter of the printer file is set to 0, so the down and across positions are measured from the top left edge of the page. Note that the POSITION keyword specifies the baseline or bottom left point of the first character to print.

The font is specified using FNTCHRSET, which defines the character set and code page to use. In the C0H400J0 font character set, C0 indicates that this is a character set, H400 is Helvetica Roman-Bold, and J is 20-point.

This is a typographic font, part of the AFP Font Collection. For 300-pel printers, C0H400J0 is found in library QFNT300LA1. Code page T1V10037 is the USA and Canada code page, and it is normally located in library QFNTCPL.

*“OS/400 V3R1 and Later releases”*(LIN02)
Prints in Helvetica Roman-Medium 12-point, 0.9 inches down and 3.3 inches across the page. The FNTCHRSET value is C0H200B0, where H200 is Helvetica Roman-Medium and B is 12-point. Dynamic positioning is used, with program variables LINDWN and LINACR loaded with the down and across values and referenced in the DDS as program-to-system fields.

*“Vertical/Horizontal lines and boxes”*(LIN03)
Prints in Courier Italic, starting 1.3 inches down and 3.3 inches across the page. The keyword FONT(18) specifies Courier Italic.

*“Bar Code Symbologies”*(LIN04)
Prints in Courier 10, which is the default font. In this case it is specified as font identifier 011 in the printer device description.

*“L”*(LIN05)
L is printed in the Open Block font scaled by the CHRSIZ keyword to 9.0 width and 20.0 height. ADMWMOB is the Open Block font and it is a GDDM scalable font located in the QGDDM library.

*“Large Characters”*(LIN06)
Also prints in Open Block, but is scaled to 6.0 wide and 6.0 high.

*“All points addressability”*(LIN07)
Prints in Courier Bold, which is FONT(46).

*“Multiple Overlays per page”*(LIN08)
Prints in the default font, Courier - FONT(011).
“Multiple Page Segments per page” (LIN09)
Prints in the default font, Courier - FONT(011).

“Dynamic Positioning for OVL and PSG”
Prints in font 85, Prestige Elite.

“Rotate”
Prints the fields TXT1@1 through TXT@4 in the four different rotations: 0, 90, 180, and 270. Each field from TXT@1 through TXT@4 contains the character “ROTATE”. TXTRTT is valid only for fields and not for constants. Note how the POSITION (2.7 inches down and 6.4 inches across the page) defines a baseline starting point for each rotation.

Lines
Three vertical and three horizontal lines are printed. The first vertical line begins at a point 1.3 inches down and 2.6 inches across the page, and has a length of 0.2 inches. The line width is *NARROW, 0.008 inches.

All five parameters of the LINE keyword can be program-to-system variables, enabling the application to dynamically draw lines.

Boxes
Two boxes are drawn in the DDSFUN example. The first, thicker box is defined by top left (0.8 inch down, 1.0 inch across the page) and bottom right (1.5 inches down, 2.0 inches across the page) positions. The box width is 0.1 inch. Box width also can be specified by the *NARROW, *MEDIUM, and *WIDE special values.

All five parameters of the BOX keyword can be program-to-system variables, enabling the application to dynamically draw boxes.

Page Segments
The page segments explicitly placed on the DDSFUN page are IBM logos. The largest IBM logo is a page segment object (*PAGSEG) called IBMLOGOT, and is positioned 8.7 inches down and 3.6 inches across the page. Unlike text, this position marks the top left point of the page segment image (top left when printed in standard, or 0 rotation).

Note that the strawberry image, a page segment called “STRWNB”, is not explicitly placed by DDS. It is included in Overlay Three.

The three IBM logos are placed using program-to-system variables, enabling the application to dynamically position images.

Overlays
Three very simple overlays are depicted in the DDSFUN example. While the overlays used with the Super Sun Seeds case study are more familiar and realistic, these overlays demonstrate how overlays are used by DDS.

Overlay One is an AS/400 overlay object (*OVL) called DDOSVL1. It is placed 6.0 inches down and 1.3 inches across the page. Again, this is relative to the page margins and marks the top left point of the overlay.

Overlay Two is dynamically referenced from the program by the variable OVLNM2.

Overlay Three is dynamically positioned from the program by the variables OV3DWN and OV3ACR for down and across, respectively.

Bar Coding
Two examples of bar codes are specified.

The field BAR1@1 is printed vertically in the Interleaved 2 of 5 bar code symbology, starting at 2.0 inches down and 1.8 inches across the page.
The bar code is printed with a height of 3, which at 6 LPI prints a 1/2-inch high bar code. Interleaved 2 of 5 is a numeric-only bar code. The human readable field value (012345678) is printed below the bar code, along with the check digit (4).

The field BAR2@1 is printed horizontally in the Code 3 of 9 bar code symbology, starting at 2.0 inches down and 2.5 inches across the page. It prints horizontally because "HRZ is the default. The human readable (01020304) field value is also the default. Note that Code 3 of 9 is an alphanumeric bar code (up to 50 characters), and does not include a check digit.

RPG Programming Specifications for DDS Functionality Output

The following example shows the RPG programming specifications used to produce the multiple function output example shown in Figure 63 on page 136.

```
SOURCE FILE....... SAMPLER/QRPGSRC
MEMBER .......... DDFSFUN
SEQNBR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ..
100    H
200    H+ DDFSFUN: DDS Functional Demo
300    H+ Uses the printer file DDFSFUN.
400    H+ Uses the printer file DDFSFUN.
500    H+
600    FDDSFUN O E PRINTER
700    E DTA 1 10 8 Constant Data
800    E LIN 1 9 35 Title Lines
900    *
1000   IFIELDS DS
1100 I   1 315 LIN
1200 I   1 35 LIN01
1300 I   36 70 LIN02
1400 I   71 105 LIN03
1500 I   106 140 LIN04
1600 I   141 141 LIN05
1700 I   176 190 LIN06
1800 I   211 245 LIN07
1900 I   246 280 LIN08
2000 I   281 315 LIN09
2100 *
2200 C    MOVE DTA,1 BAR101 80 12345678
2300 C    MOVE DTA,2 BAR201 8 01020304
2400 C*
2500 C    MOVE 'ROTATE' TXT101 6 ROTATE ex.
2600 C    MOVE TXT101 TXT102 6
2700 C    MOVE TXT101 TXT103 6
2800 C    MOVE TXT101 TXT104 6
2900 C*
3000 C    MOVE DTA,3 TXT201 8 POSITION ex.
3100 C    MOVE DTA,3 TXT202 8
3200 C    MOVE DTA,3 TXT203 8
3300 C    MOVE DTA,3 TXT204 8
3400 *
3500 C    Z-ADD0.9 LINDWN 53 Var Positionin
3600 C    Z-ADD3.3 LINACR 53
3700 C    WRITEHEADR1
3800 C    WRITELINE1
3900 C    WRITEBOX1
4000 *
4100 C    WRITETXT0
4200 C    WRITETXT1
4300 C    WRITEBAR1
4400 C    WRITETXT2
```
Printer File for DDS Functionality Output

The printer file parameters created and used with DDSFUN are shown below.

```
5763S1 V3R2M0 960917 Display File Description 3/1
File . . . . . . . . . . . . : DDSFUN
   Library . . . . . . . . : *LIBL
   Type of information . . : *ALL
   File attributes . . . . : *PRTF
   System . . . . . . . . : I B M AS/400 Display File Description Processor
File . : DDSFUN Library . : SAMPLER Type of file . : Printer Auxiliary
Device File Attributes
   Externally described file . . . . . . : Yes
   File level identifier . . . . . . . . : 0960129103427
   Creation date . . . . . . . . . . . : 01/29/96
   Text 'description' . . . . . . . . : TEXT DDS Functionality
   Spool the data . . . . . . . . . . . : SPOOL *YES
   Maximum devices . . . . . . . . . . : 1
   User specified DBCS data . . . . . . : IGCDTA *NO
   DBCS capable . . . . . . . . . . . : No
   Maximum file wait time . . . . . . : WAITFILE *IMMED
   Share open data path . . . . . . . : SHARE *NO
   Record format level check . . . . . : LVLC2 *YES
   Number of record formats . . . . . : 10
   User buffer length . . . . . . . . : 121
   Number of devices . . . . . . . . : 1
   Separate indicator area . . . . . . : INDARA No
Printer Attributes
   Device . . . . . . . . . . . . : DEV *JOB
   Printer device type . . . . . . . : DEVTYPE *AFPDS
   Page size . . . . . . . . . . . . : PAGESIZE
```

*** END OF SOURCE ***
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Format</th>
<th>Fields</th>
<th>Length</th>
<th>Format Level Identifier</th>
<th>Point Size</th>
<th>Page Rotation</th>
<th>Lines Per Inch</th>
<th>Character Size</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
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<td>4</td>
<td>80</td>
<td>1738A22B7769</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>LINE1</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0140A15C5F181</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BOX1</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0031727F14081</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TXT0</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>70</td>
<td>192A19611C528</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TXT1</td>
<td>5</td>
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<td>18FA5B6B283C7</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TXT3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>15706E52AA09E</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BAR1</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>14F153C6CF1C3</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TXT2</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>19F4B514D04F4</td>
<td></td>
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<td>1</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>144281CB355D0</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>OVL1</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>1463A28C673D7</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
The printer file parameters that set up the multiple function printing job are shown below. All of the parameters are defaults, except for DEVTYPE(*AFPDS) and OVRFLW(64).

DEVTYPE
*AFPDS specifies that an AFP print data stream will be created.

PAGESIZE
Length is 66, which at the 6 LPI setting means an 11-inch form.

LPI
Default lines per inch is 6.

FRONTMGN
*DEVD specifies the margins of the printer, which are zero down and zero across for a printer without an unprintable border.

OVRFLW
64 is the overflow line. Overflow is triggered for a DDS print record that uses traditional spacing and skipping, not the POSITION keyword.

PAGRTT
A page rotation setting of *AUTO means the system rotates the page or uses computer output reduction (*COR) in order to print the page. In this case, a page rotation of 0 is selected.

DRAWER
The default printer drawer is 1.

OUTBIN
The default printer output bin is *DEVD, which uses the output bin specified in the printer device description.

CHRID
*DEVD specifies that the default character set is in the printer device description. That value is 011, the font global identifier (FGID) for the Courier 10 font. Therefore, any text to be printed that does not specify a substitute font (using the FONT, FNTCHRSET, or CDEFNT keywords) prints in Courier 10. The default code page is located in the QCHRID system value.

UOM
The default unit of measure is inches.

Super Sun Seeds Case Study

The case study discussed in this section takes a standard invoice application, Super Sun Seeds, (see Figure 7 on page 30) and using the functions described in previous sections, transforms the invoice into DDS-enhanced output.

Consider the pre-DDS Super Sun Seeds invoice as being printed on multipart, preprinted forms on an impact printer. The preprinted form provides the invoice form, but it limits the preprinted format to one form, with the same heading, detail, and total elements on each page. Multipage invoices are only customized by printing in the Total Due box, and by specifying a page number. Invoice output is naturally collated, whether the workflow requires it or not (it usually does not). Uncollated pages are obtained by bursting and decollating preprinted forms and by placing them in separate stacks.

Collated means all copies for a given invoice are together. Uncollated means that all customer copies are in one stack, all packing lists are in another, and so on.

The new DDS version of the Super Sun Seeds application (program INVNEW1) is a tailored, multipage electronic invoice. The fictional customer, Improved Printing
Corporation, has 16 line items so their invoice fits on one page as shown in Figure 64.

The fictional customer, Organic Garden Supplies, on the other hand, has ordered 46 line items so their invoice is two pages long. The first page of their invoice is shown in Figure 65 on page 146.

Figure 64. New One Page DDS Version of Super Sun Seeds Invoice

The fictional customer, Organic Garden Supplies, on the other hand, has ordered 46 line items so their invoice is two pages long. The first page of their invoice is shown in Figure 65 on page 146.
The second page of the Organic Garden Supplies invoice consists of a shortened heading, sales offer (with strawberry image), and the payment coupon as shown in Figure 66 on page 147.
Multiple electronic forms are used to customize the format for one, two, and more page invoices. This approach can be more customized by using a floating overlay (described later in this chapter) so that the electronic form exactly matches the individual customer transactions. Additionally, a postal bar code can be added to the address, as well as a payment coupon with the customer number and invoice amount encoded in bar code, and a custom marketing offer with tailored images and discounts.

Figure 66. Page Two of Two-Page DDS Version of Super Sun Seeds Invoice

Multiple electronic forms are used to customize the format for one, two, and more page invoices. This approach can be more customized by using a floating overlay (described later in this chapter) so that the electronic form exactly matches the individual customer transactions. Additionally, a postal bar code can be added to the address, as well as a payment coupon with the customer number and invoice amount encoded in bar code, and a custom marketing offer with tailored images and discounts.

Figure 67 on page 146 shows the electronic overlays used to construct one, two, or more page invoices. For example, a one page invoice can fit the full ship to and bill to heading, the item detail lines, and payment coupon all on one page. The invoice only uses the INVALL overlay. A multiple page invoice would have the full heading with item details on the first page (INVFST), the continuation heading and item details on the middle pages (INVMID), and the continuation heading, item details and payment coupon on the last page (INVLST).
The DDS printer specifications used to produce the invoice shown in Figure 67 are shown in the following example:

```
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:48:15 1
SOURCE FILE....... SAMPLER/QDDSSRC
MEMBER ......... INVNEW2
SEQNBR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8
100 A* INVNEW2 - Printer File DDS for Super Sun Seeds Invoice
200 A* Example 2 (copies and duplex function added)
300 A*
400 A* Printer File Create or Change Parameters:
500 A* - Printer Device Type (DEVTYPE) *AFPDS
```

Figure 67. Electronic Overlays on New DDS Super Sun Seeds Invoice

**DDS Printer Specifications for New Invoice Output**

The DDS printer specifications used to produce the invoice shown in Figure 67 are shown in the following example:
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600 A* - Overflow Line (OVRFLW) 64
700 A* - Print on Both Sides (DUPLEX) +YES
800 A* if running on duplex printer
900 A*
1000 A* Page 1 Header
1100 A* - includes Postnet Zip+4
1200 A*
1300 A R INVTOP SKIBP(10)
1400 A ZIPPN 9S 12 BARCODE(POSTNET)
1500 A SPACEA(2)
1600 A NAME 25A 12
1700 A STNAME 25A 48
1800 A SPACEA(1)
1900 A STREET 25A 12
2000 A STSTRT 25A 48
2100 A CITY 25A 12
2300 A STCITY 25A 48
2400 A SPACEA(1)
2500 A STATE 2A 12
2600 A ZIP 9S 16 EDTWRD(' - ')
2700 A STSTE 2A 48
2800 A STZIP 9S 52 EDTWRD(' - ')
2900 A SPACEA(3)
3000 A CUST# 6S 0 14 EDTCDE(Z)
3100 A INVC# 6S 0 32 EDTCDE(Z)
3200 A 49DATE EDTCDE(Y)
3300 A PAYDAT 6S 0 66EDTCDE(Y)
3400 A SPACEA(2)
3500 A SHPVIA 10A 14
3600 A 34DATE EDTCDE(Y)
3700 A TERMS 10A 47
3800 A SLSMAN 16A 64
3900 A SPACEA(4)
4000 A*
4100 A* Page 2 Header
4200 A*
4300 A R INVTP2 SKIBP(10)
4400 A NAME 25A 12
4500 A SPACEA(2)
4600 A CUST# 6S 0 14 EDTCDE(Z)
4700 A INVC# 6S 0 32 EDTCDE(Z)
4800 A 49DATE EDTCDE(Y)
4900 A PAYDAT 6S 0 66EDTCDE(Y)
5000 A SPACEA(2)
5100 A*
5200 A* Detail Lines
5300 A*
5400 A R DETLIN SPACEA(1)
5500 A QTY 4S 0 8 EDTCDE(Z)
5600 A UOM 2A 13
5700 A ITEM# 8S 0 18
5800 A ITMDES 25A 28
5900 A N51 SELPRC 6S 2 58 EDTCDE(J)
6000 A N51 EXTPRC 7S 2 70 EDTCDE(J)
6100 A*
6200 A* Multipage Message
6300 A*
6400 A R PAGEOF
6500 A PAGCON 4A POSITION(10.7 7.3) FNTCHRSET(CDH200A0 T1V10037)
6600 A 6700 A PAGCNT 25 0 POSITION(10.7 7.8) FNTCHRSET(CDH200A0 T1V10037)
6800 A 6900 A EDTCDE(Z)
7000 A PAGNAM 25A POSITION(10.7 3.8) FNTCHRSET(CDH400B0 T1V10037)
7100 A
7200 A*
The DDS printer file used to create the invoice output shown in Figure 67 on page 148 is divided into seven records as follows:

**INVTOP**
Full invoice heading information

**INVTP2**
Continuation heading, on multipage invoice
RPG Source for New Invoice Output (INVNEW1)

The following example shows the RPG source used to produce the new Super Sun Seeds invoice output example shown in Figure 67 on page 148.

```rpg
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:47:37 1
SOURCE FILE....... SAMPLER/QRPGSRC
MEMBER .......... INVNEW1
SEQNBR*....1.... 2.... 3.... 4.... 5.... 6.... 7.... 8
100 * INVNEW1 - Super Sun Seeds Electronic Invoice
200 * Example 1
300 *
400 * This program reads a transaction file (SEEDDETL), retrieves info
500 * from item master (SEEDITEM) and customer master (SEEDCUST), then
600 * prints invoices.
700 *
800 * Different electronic overlays are used depending on whether this
900 * is a one page or multipage invoice, as well as whether there is
1000 * room remaining on the invoice to print a customer offer. The following
1100 * overlays are used:
1200 *
1300 * INVALL 1-page invoice (full address at top, payment at bottom)
1400 * INVFST Page 1 of multipage invoice (no payment at bottom)
1500 * INVMID Continuation page (No address, payment at bottom)
1600 * INVLST Last page of multipage invoice
1700 *
1800 * Invoice detail lines are processed until either end of customer order
1900 * or lines=35, at which time the invoice page is printed. At end of
2000 * order, a check is made to see if there are more than 18 detail lines
2100 * to print. If there are, that would not leave room in the invoice body
2200 * to print the customer offer. In this case, the page is printed, and a
2300 * new final page is built with the offer and the payment coupon.
2400 *
2500 * The offer is a message (and corresponding image, or page segment) based
2600 * on item sales in the customer master. For example, a flower image
2700 * would print if seed sales exceeded $500.
2800 *
2900 * ENHANCEMENTS:
3000 * See program INVNEW2 for the following functional enhancements:
3100 *
3200 * 1. Multiple copies of invoice with routing designation, such as
3300 * "Customer Copy", "File Copy", etc.
```

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* 2. Overlay specifying terms and conditions to print on back of
customer copy.
* 3. Packing List copy that suppresses prices

FSEEDDETLP E K DISK
FSEEDITEMIF E K DISK
FSEEDCUSTIF E K DISK
FINVNEWI O E PRINTER

* E WDS 1 40 24 Text for Offer
* INVCDETL 01
I STNAME 32
I CUST# L1
ICUSTDATA 02
IITEMDATA 03
* IBARTOT DS
I 1 60CUST#
I 7 152TOTDUE
* IPAYDAA DS
I 1 20PAYMO
I 3 40PAYDA
I 5 60PAYYR
* C *IN90 IFEQ '0' First Pass Only
C SETON 90
C EXSR DATESR
C MOVEL 'Page' PAGCON 4 Page constant
C ENDIF
* C *INL1 IFEQ '1' Start Customer
C CUST# ADD 31200 INVC# 60 Invent Invoice#
C Z-ADD0 TOTDUE 92 Reset Totals/Ctrs
C Z-ADD0 ITMCNT 30
C Z-ADD0 PAGCNT 20
C CUST# CHAINSEEDCUST 20
C Z-ADDZIP ZIPPN 90
C* WRITEINVTOP
C* ENDIF
C* WRITEDETLIN Write Detail Line
C* ITMCNT IFEQ 35 Full 1st Page
C* ADD 1 PAGCNT
C* PAGCNT IFEQ 1
C* MOVE 'INVFST 'OVRLAY 8 Long Page 1 Ovly
C* ELSE
C* MOVE 'INVMID 'OVRLAY Cont. Ovly
C* ENDIF
C* WRITEPAGEOF Pg 1 of 2 Msg
C* WRITEPRTOVL Print Overlay
C* WRITEENDPAGE End Page
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The RPG program shown above uses the logic described in the following sections to build the Super Sun Seeds invoices.

**Beginning the Invoice**

To begin the invoice, do the following:

1. Read Customer Master (SEEDCUST)
2. Reset invoicing totals
Processing Items

To process the items on the invoice, do the following:
1. Read records from transaction file (SEEDDETL)
2. Do item calculations
3. Write detail line using DETLIN format

Overflow Items (ITMCNT = 35)

To process overflow items, do the following:
1. If page 1, use overlay INVFST
2. If page n, use overlay INVMID
3. Write PRTOVL to print overlay
4. Write INVTP2 to eject page and print continuation header

Ending the Invoice (No Room for Offer)

If there is no more room on the invoice, end it by doing the following:
1. If page 1, use overlay INVFST
2. If page n, use overlay INVMID
3. Write PRTOVL to print overlay
4. Write INVTP2 to eject page and print continuation header

Ending the Invoice

If the invoice still has room left on it but it should be ended anyway, do the following:
1. If page 1, use overlay INVFST or INVALL
2. If page n, use overlay INVLIST
3. Select page segment image and discount offer
4. Write OFFER to print offer
5. Write PAGSEG to print image
6. Write INVBOT to print invoice total/payment coupon
7. Write PRTOVL to print overlay

Referring again to the DDS printer specifications for the new Super Sun Seeds application, the special functions can be summarized in each print record as follows:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Function</th>
<th>Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>INVTOP</td>
<td>All program fields are printed in the default font (Courier). The 9-digit zip code is printed in postal bar code. The ship to and bill to lines use standard (based on 6 LPI) spacing and skipping. No exact positioning (down and across) is done.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>INVTP2</td>
<td>Continuation header is printed, again with standard skipping and spacing.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DETLIN</td>
<td>Detail lines are printed in Courier at 10 lines per inch.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>INVBOT</td>
<td>Payment coupon is printed. A field containing the customer number and total amount due is printed in Interleaved 2 of 5 bar code.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
OFFER The special discount offer is printed in FONT(92), or Courier Italic 12-pitch.

PAGSEG The program passes the page segment name (based on customer sales data), and the page segment is printed 7.0 inches down and 2.6 inches across the page.

PRTOVL The program passes the appropriate overlay in the OVRLAY field, and it is printed at 0 inches down and 0 inches across the page.

Enhancing the Super Sun Seeds Invoice

The Super Sun Seeds invoice is an effective business document, making use of electronic forms, bar coding, custom images and marketing messages. Because it is an electronic document, it easily can be updated or changed.

A number of enhancements to the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application can significantly add to its value as a document:

• A standard set of terms and conditions can be printed on the back side of selected pages. This is called a constant back form or overlay.
• A set of collated copies of the invoice can be automatically produced. A packing list and a file copy, for example.
• The information on the copies can be tailored. For example, pricing information on the packing list can be suppressed.
• The variable positioning capabilities of DDS can be used to create a dynamic or “floating” invoice, one in which the form itself is tailored exactly to customer data.

Two additional Super Sun Seeds invoice examples, INVNEW2 and INVNEW3, demonstrate how to add the functions described above. INVNEW2 implements the copies, price suppression, and constant back overlay. INVNEW3 adds the dynamic, or floating, form. The RPG and DDS source for INVNEW2 and INVNEW3, as well as the output for both examples can be found in Appendix B, Additional DDS Examples on page 289.

The following sections show how the enhancements described above were made.

Specifying Constant Back Overlays

An invoice, or similar document, may need a set of instructions or terms and conditions printed on the back side. This cannot be done with the BACKOVL parameter of the printer file because it cannot force the required page eject. For the Super Sun Seeds application, simply use the PRTOVL record format to print the back side overlay and add the ENDPAGE keyword to force the page eject. A sample of the terms and conditions form (INVBAC) is shown in Figure 52 on page 105.

Specifying Copies

A typical invoicing application would be required to create more than just the customer copy of the bill. Copies of the invoice, such as a packing list, a file copy, and an accounting copy are the norm. In addition, the paper workflow may require that the copies are either collated or uncollated.
For uncollated copies, the easiest technique is to run the application multiple times, creating separate spooled files for each copy. The application runs could be tailored to use different overlays for the different copies, or to simply print the copy designation (for example, Packing List) in text at the bottom of each copy.

Collated copies normally require saving some of the invoicing information in order to print the multiple copies at either a page or invoice break. Because electronic printing is page-mode printing, you need to save the page contents to reprint the page as a copy.

Figure 68 shows a sample of the “Customer Copy”, one of three copies created in sequence by INVNEW2.

Figure 68. Customer Copy - INVNEW2

Just as the electronic forms for Super Sun Seeds have been tailored to match the incoming data, so likewise can the copies be tailored. For example, you can specify that one copy of the invoice is to be used as a packing list, and suppress the price information.

Figure 69 on page 158 shows a sample of the Super Sun Seeds packing list.
The ability of DDS to variably place document elements such as lines, boxes, page segments, and overlays enables you to precisely tailor the output to the application data. You can float these elements on the page; that is, actually change the document structure as the data changes.

For example, consider a brokerage statement. It has sections for portfolio transactions, checking transactions, portfolio balances, and other categories. The transactions are all placed in separate boxes or frames on the statement. Those frames end precisely when the customer transactions end. The result is a document tailored for that customer.

As shown in the Super Sun Seeds invoice example, you can use DDS to accomplish the same thing. While the invoice was tailored depending upon whether it was a one, two, or more page document, it still has a fixed frame for the detailed line items. A customer invoice with five line items has a frame that is part of the 35

Figure 69. Super Sun Seeds Packing List
line item overlay. If DDS line keywords are used, the frame can be built dynamically; that is, as line items are processed. If five line items are all the customer needs, that is all that is drawn.

Program INVNEW3 implements the Super Sun Seeds invoice as a floating document. A sample of the output is shown below.

Program INVNEW3 implements the Super Sun Seeds invoice as a floating document. A sample of the output is shown below.

Figure 70. Super Sun Seeds Invoice as Floating Document

Similarly, you can float other elements of the document. For example, instead of placing the variable page segment at a fixed position, you can float it to where you want it to appear on the invoice, then the frame can be dynamically closed.

Positioning

AFP provides the capability to precisely position any document element anywhere on the page. You can also position information in any sequence. Traditional SCS output uses row and column positioning, working sequentially down the page. DDS supports both methods of positioning information. For many output applications (including the Super Sun Seeds invoicing example), row and column positioning is still a good approach. With the example, the use of absolute positioning is minimized (absolute positioning uses down and across parameters, or the POSITION keyword).
Absolute positioning is not required here, and it represents more work. Note that you cannot combine row and column and absolute positioning within the same record format. With the INVNEW1 example, separate record formats were coded where absolute positioning was needed. This is also true with the enhanced invoicing examples, INVNEW2 and INVNEW3.

One aid to positioning is a “grid” overlay, shown in Figure 71. This grid can be printed with the raw invoicing data. It can be a very effective tool in building your electronic output. In the example, the grid would match the spacing of the application: 6 lines to the inch for rows, 10 characters per inch for columns.

Figure 71. Grid Overlay
Chapter 12. Using the Advanced Print Utility

Advanced Print Utility (APU), a part of the AFP PrintSuite family of application enablers, is an end-user utility for transforming existing application output to advanced electronic documents. APU enables you to transform new and existing applications with line-mode output and preprinted forms to full-function electronic documents without changes to the “line of business” application program.

![Diagram of APU print flow]

**Figure 72. Typical Advanced Print Utility Application**

Figure 72 shows a typical example with invoices. With APU, you can use data that produces multi-copy preprinted invoices as input to create electronic pages with customized copies.

APU, designed to build complex documents, has a simple end-user interface; documents can include such elements as multiple page formats, multiple copies, and standard back overlays. APU provides application data remapping, enabling you to completely change the way the application data is printed. APU also provides output conditional processing, where data in the existing spooled output is used to determine document layout and flow.

**Figure 73 on page 163** illustrates the APU print flow.
Figure 73 shows the APU application flow. APU has a design phase and a production phase. During the design phase (which is done one time), the new electronic application is designed. This design process includes retrieving a sample spooled SCS file and displaying it for use. The user can then create a print definition, which can define conditional logic, redefine data on the page, change fonts, and specify overlays, page segments, and bar codes.

After the new design is ready, you can use the APU Print Monitor or the Apply Print Definition command (APYPRTDEF) to apply the Print Definition to the target SCS spooled file to create the new output. The new output is requeued to the spool. At this point, PSF/400 takes over, retrieves required external print resources, and manages the printing of the job.

What You Can Do with APU

Output specifications for AS/400 application programs generate either SNA Character Stream (SCS) or AFP spooled files. APU works on SCS spooled files. SCS is a line-oriented data stream that for the most part uses preprinted forms to create the final document. With APU, you can eliminate the need for preprinted forms. Instead, you create a completely electronic document. With APU, you can:

- Create multi-copy documents, with each page customized
- Use data that is contained within a page to determine which of multiple output formats to use
- Remap any field that the input SCS pages contain (change position, font, orientation, color, and so on)
- Print application data in any of the standard bar code symbologies
- Add document elements such as electronic forms (overlays), images, lines, boxes, and constant text
- Place a new application into production for automatic processing
- Manage the production of input and output files, including the routing of different output files to different queues, printers, and output bins
• Implement user-defined programs that can address unique document or document distribution requirements

APU provides an interactive interface for defining new output applications. For simpler applications, APU provides a “fast path”. You use the current spooled file (SCS) interactively to redefine the formatting of application data.

**Why Use APU?**

APU assists you in building AFP-compatible electronic output. Effective electronic output can provide significant benefits to an organization, particularly in the areas of information systems costs, process reengineering, and better communications, for example:

• Replacing preprinted multipart forms with electronic forms supplies significant cost savings.
  – You can print a variety of different forms one after the other without switching forms at the printer.
  – You can eliminate carbon forms by printing multiple copies of the same page, that includes the capability of varying the output on each copy.
  – You can eliminate storage space for preprinted forms because the forms are stored electronically rather than physically occupying office space.
  – You can change the form outside of the application program, and you do not need to scrap or reorder preprinted forms.

• Documents, whether printed, stored, or viewed, are critical to the workflow in any organization. The capabilities of electronic documents provide a wealth of opportunities to reengineer organizational processes. In fact, in many industries, document reengineering such as bar coding is a “must.” Coding an electronic document with bar code, optical character recognition (OCR), magnetic ink character recognition (MICR), and images enables you to easily integrate the document into the workflow.

• Electronic documents are more effective documents. Document elements, such as images, text, and overlays, allow you to compose a document that does a better job of communicating or marketing. Electronic flexibility, the ability to change a document dynamically down to the individual transaction level, provides a wide variety of application possibilities. Electronic documents project the image of a strong, professional organization.

**Data Mapping and Field Selection**

APU enables you to select a target spooled file and bring that file into the user definition flow for spool data remapping and field selection. This sample spooled file is brought up in Non-Programmable Terminal (NPT) mode and enables you to:

• Select and define fields for remapping, including:
  – Changing position, font, color, or rotation of field
  – Printing the field separately as bar code
  – Suppressing the printing of a field

• Select and name fields to be used with conditional logic to select and control the page layout
APU Data Structure

APU redefines the output structure by creating a print definition that contains page formats, as well as copy and page layout information. Figure 74 shows this structure.

The structure is as follows:

**Print Definition**

The object that contains all of the instructions for formatting a print job. A print definition can contain one or more page formats. A print definition with one page format is considered a “fast-path” definition.

If multiple page formats are specified, the print definition also specifies the conditions under which each page format is selected. The conditions are defined in the form of tests on fields of data in the existing output that you can specify. For example, you can specify that columns 1-5 in row 1 of the existing output data contain a “trigger” field to be analyzed. If that field is JOB 1, then the page format INVOICE is to be used. If that field is JOB 2 then the page format SHIPPING is to be used.

**Page Format**

The level within a print definition that contains all of the instructions for processing each input page that meets a certain set of criteria. A page format can contain one or more copies.

**Copy**

The level within a page format that contains all of the instructions for formatting a single output page for a single input data page. Using multiple copies, APU can produce multiple pages from a single input page, with each output page having different characteristics (customer copy, file copy, and so on).

*Figure 74. APU Data Structure*
Analyze the current SCS job. Determine what the new document structure and layout will be, what triggers exist for conditional processing, what resources will be required.

Create the required resources. With AFP Utilities, you can print the existing SCS file with a row/col grid overlay to plan out data mapping and electronic form layout.

Build the APU print definition. This design process flows with the new document structure. The general steps include:
- Set overall document values
- Define each page format, and within that...
- Define each copy
- Go to the next page format (if more than one)

Run the Print Definition. After you have completed the design, you can run APU either manually (to test, for example) or start the APU Print Monitor for automatic operation.

**Example of a Single-Page Format Document**

Following are two illustrations.
- "Example of the SCS File to be Formatted" shows the SCS file to be transformed by APU
- "Example of the Formatted File" on page 166 shows the same file after it has been transformed into an AFP file by APU

**Example of the SCS File to be Formatted**

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SAME

PERFORMANCE BOULEVARD

PRINTERSVILLE
CO 45789-2637

100 31300 1/26/98 2/26/98
BEST WAY 1/26/98 NET 30 YOUR PRINTER REP

1 CT 00000300 HIGH ALTITUDE WATERMELON 1.01 1.01
1 PK 01100517 SPARTAN SEEDS 2.39 2.39
```
<table>
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<th>Code</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Price</th>
<th>Total</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>04569870</td>
<td>NORTHERN LITE BLUE SPRUCE</td>
<td>858.32</td>
<td>7,724.88</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>11005004</td>
<td>BUSH GREEN SEEDS</td>
<td>2.50</td>
<td>30.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>11005011</td>
<td>LASSO RED SEEDS</td>
<td>892.23</td>
<td>10,706.76</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26</td>
<td>11005018</td>
<td>EARLY BANTAM SEEDS</td>
<td>.38</td>
<td>9.88</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>11057893</td>
<td>AFRICAN DAISY, SEEDS</td>
<td>2.35</td>
<td>11.75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>15975365</td>
<td>HEAVY OAK</td>
<td>129.09</td>
<td>129.09</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>33</td>
<td>32746510</td>
<td>HOPS BREWING LIGHT</td>
<td>1.20</td>
<td>39.60</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>46578913</td>
<td>SEED SURVEYING SITE</td>
<td>50.00</td>
<td>300.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>56413213</td>
<td>POT POT</td>
<td>7.65</td>
<td>15.30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>80</td>
<td>65412384</td>
<td>SEED SCRUBBER</td>
<td>888.79</td>
<td>71,103.20</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>84512023</td>
<td>OREGON SPRING TOMATO SEED</td>
<td>.97</td>
<td>.97</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>96325874</td>
<td>PINEAPPLE-ORANGE SEEDS</td>
<td>1.29</td>
<td>2.58</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>98412006</td>
<td>BLACK BEAUTY ZUCCHINI</td>
<td>2.30</td>
<td>25.30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>98546320</td>
<td>FROZEN JUICE PROCESSOR</td>
<td>109.90</td>
<td>549.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Thank You .....  
Because you have ordered over $500 of seeds this year, on your next seed order you will receive a 10% discount.  

$90,652.21  

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PERFORMANCE BOULEVARD  
PRINTERSVILLE  
CO 457892637  

Example of the Formatted File  
The formatted output that you want to produce is shown in Figure 76 on page 167.
Super Sun Seeds Case Study

The APU example of the Super Sun Seeds case study is a simple, straightforward application. As shown in [Chapter 5, Introduction to the Super Sun Seeds Case Study] on page 43, the existing Super Sun Seeds invoicing application is a preprinted invoice produced by program INVPRE. APU is used to transform the output of INVPRE to a multi-copy electronic invoice.

To do this, an APU print definition (SUPER) is built that will:

- Specify only one page format, the basic invoice page
- Select a sample spooled file (from INVPRE)
- Automatically create the original copy (*ORIGINAL)
- Define the composition of the original or customer copy, as follows:
  - Specify general page layout options, including the constant terms and conditions back overlay
  - Map data in the spooled file, such as the zip code to POSTNET bar code
  - Write “Customer Copy” at bottom on copy
  - Place INVALL overlay on front

Refer to AS/400 Advanced Print Utility User’s Guide for more information on Advanced Print Utility.
• Define two additional copies, the packing list and file copies, by first copying the definition of the *ORIGINAL.
• Modify the packing list copy, suppressing pricing information and printing “Packing List” as constant text.
• Modify the file copy, printing “File Copy” at the bottom.

Stepping through the following APU displays can help you to understand how the definition process works. Starting from the Advanced Print Utility main menu, select option “1” to create a print definition.

![APU Main Display](https://example.com/figure77.png)

*Figure 77. APU Main Display*

Other functions you can select from the main menu include:
• Working with output queues, applying APU print definitions to selected spooled files.
• Managing the APU Monitor, which automatically selects target spooled files and transforms them with an APU print definition.
• Setting the APU defaults, which includes measurement method, libraries, and code page.
• Working with fonts, which maintains the interface to the fonts used on the system.

From the “Work with Print Definitions” display, create a print definition called SUPER. Define SUPER as a print definition with a single page format.
When you select option “10” (Define), the “Define a Print Definition” display appears. Select the “Set print definition attributes” option to set attributes for the SUPER print definition.

Figure 78. Work with Print Definitions Display

The print definition attributes include page characteristics, the default font family, and resource libraries.

Note: Type *INPUT if you want to use the value contained in the input spooled file.
After you have defined these print definition attributes and pressed Enter, the “Work with Print Definitions” display appears again.

**Note:** If you specify *CALC, the point size is determined by the value specified in the input spooled file.

Select option “12” to display the “Work with Copies” display. On this display you can define the first copy.
The first copy ("ORIGINAL") of the print definition is automatically created. This first copy will be the "Customer Copy" of the Super Sun Seeds invoice. Select option "10" to define the page layout of this copy.

**Figure 82. Work with Copies Display**

The first copy ("ORIGINAL") of the print definition is automatically created. This first copy will be the "Customer Copy" of the Super Sun Seeds invoice. Select option "10" to define the page layout of this copy.

**Figure 83. Define a Copy Display**

The "Define a Copy" display shows the composition elements that you can define for this copy. Select a sample spooled file, set the general page layout options, define field mapping, place constant text, and place the front overlay. Then press Enter. The "Select a Sample Spooled File" display appears.
First select a sample spooled file. In this example, select the output (SCS output) of the INVPRE invoicing program. Press Enter. The “Set Page Layout Options” display appears.

**Figure 84. Select a Sample Spooled File Display**

```
Select a Sample Spooled File

File Total
Opt File Nbr User User Data Queue Sts Pages

QSYSPRT 24 WCSHAFF WCSHAFF RDY 1
QSYSPRT 25 WCSHAFF WCSHAFF RDY 1
QSYSPRT 26 WCSHAFF WCSHAFF RDY 1
QSYSPRT 27 WCSHAFF WCSHAFF RDY 1
1 INVPRE 28 WCSHAFF INVPRE WCSHAFF RDY 7

Bottom:
F4=Prompt F5=Refresh F12=Cancel
```

**Figure 85. Set Page Layout Options Display**

On the “Set Page Layout Options” display, select the general page layout options for the customer copy. You can specify the:

- Input drawer for this page to be drawn from
- Line and column increments for this page, such as 6 lines per inch for line and 10 characters per inch for column
- Page length and width; in this example, 8-1/2 by 11 inches
Many of these values default to "PRTDEF", which points to values set for this print definition. However, these values can also be different, which means that an individual copy can have different orientation, margins, input selections, and other characteristics.

Specify the Terms and Conditions overlay (INVBAC) as the back overlay. That overlay is shown below:

Figure 86. Back Overlay (Terms and Conditions) - INVBAC

This figure shows what is described in the text. Please refer to the printed publication to see this figure.

After you have specified the Terms and Conditions overlay, you will then need to define field mapping for your output. Select the "Define field mapping" option on the "Define a Copy" display and press Enter. The "Define Field Mapping" display, shown below, appears.
APU displays the Super Sun Seeds invoice spooled file for data mapping. With data mapping, you can redefine how the application data is placed on output, including:

- Moving fields to new locations
- Changing how fields are printed, such as font and color
- Printing fields as bar code
- Suppressing fields from printing

To reprint the zip code in the name and address in POSTNET bar code, you first define the zip code field to APU. Use F14 to specify the beginning of the field and F15 to specify the end of the field.

Select what you want to do with the zip code field. In this case, map it as bar code.

**Note:** To successfully print your POSTNET bar code mapping, you must specify the correct number of digits (5 or 9, for example) for the type of POSTNET bar code you selected. If you do not map enough numeric digits, question marks (?) appear in the "Bar code data" field to indicate that you need to map the correct number of digits. If you do not map the correct number of digits, your bar code will not print.

Note that non-numeric characters, such as the dash contained in the ZIP + 4 code, are removed for you.
The "Map Bar Code" display is a multi-screen pop-up used to select, define, and position the bar code. The zip code is at row 15, column 16, and the value is shown. Map it (make a copy of the zip code) in bar code to a position starting at 1.25 inches down and 1.90 inches across the paper. It could have also been positioned by row and column. In either case, it will appear just above the name and address. Position the cursor in the "Bar code type" field and press F4 to display a list of supported bar code types. Select "12", which is POSTNET. Press Enter to return to the "Define Field Mapping" display. Press F3. The "Define Constants" display appears.

Figure 89. Map Bar Code Display

Next, define the constant text “Customer Copy” to appear at the bottom of this copy. Specify a text type for this constant. You could also specify a constant bar code. Select option “1” and press Enter. The “Create Constant Text” display appears.
Define Constants

Create Constant Text

: Type choices, press Enter.

: Position across . . 4.0 +INCH Value

: Position down . . 10.8 +INCH Value

: Constant value . . Customer Copy

: Font . . . . . . . *PRTDEF, Value F4 for list

: Point size . . . . *CALC, Value

: Bold . . . . . . . 1=Yes

: Italic . . . . . . . 1=Yes

: Rotation . . . . . *DEFAULT, 0, 90, 180, 270

: Color . . . . . . . *PRTDEF, Value F4 for list

: F4=Prompt F12=Cancel F22=Set Units

Figure 91. Create Constant Text Display

Specify the text “Customer Copy” and position it 10.8 inches down, and 4 inches across the paper. Again, you could specify the positioning by row and column.

Position the cursor in the “Font” field, and press F4. The font database appears. For this example, select a Helvetica, 10-point, bold font as shown in the following display.

Select a Font

: Font family . . . . . HELVETICA Name, Generic*, *ALL

: Point size . . . . . *ALL Value, *ALL

: Bold . . . . . . . 1=Yes, 0=No

: Italic . . . . . . . 1=Yes, 0=No

: Type Options, press Enter.

: 1=Select 5=Details

: Opt Font family Size Style

: 1 HELVETICA 10 Bold

: HELVETICA 10 Bold-Italic

: HELVETICA 11 Normal

: HELVETICA 11 Italic

: HELVETICA 11 Bold

: HELVETICA 11 Bold-Italic

: F5=Refresh F12=Cancel

Figure 92. Select a Font Display

The “Select a Font” is a pop-up display on which you specify a font family. You can type point size and bold and italic selections. Or you can select the font you want
from the list of fonts in the bottom half of the display. In addition, you can use option “5” to display the details of a specific font.

```
Define Constants
.................................................................
Create Constant Text
.................................................................
Type choices, press Enter.

Position across . . 4.0 *INCH Value
Position down . . . 10.8 *INCH Value
Constant value . . Customer Copy

Font . . . HELVETICA *PRTDEF, Value F4 for list
Point size . . 10 *CALC, Value
Bold . . . 1 =Yes
Italic . . . 1 =Yes
Rotation . . *DEFAULT *DEFAULT, 0, 90, 180, 270
Color . . . *PRTDEF *PRTDEF, Value F4 for list

F4=Prompt F12=Cancel F22=Set Units
.................................................................
```

**Figure 93. Create Constant Text Display**

Press Enter. The “Define Constants” display reappears.

```
Define Constants
Print Definition . . : SUPER Page Format . . . : *DEFAULT
Library . . . . : APUDATA Copy . . . . : *ORIGINAL

Type options, press Enter.
1=Create 2=Change 3=Copy 4=Delete
Constant Position Position Unit of

Opt type across down measure Constant value
1 *TEXT 4.0 10.8 *INCH Customer Copy

F3=Exit F5=Refresh F12=Cancel
.................................................................
```

**Figure 94. Define Constants Display**

Press F3. The “Define Overlays” display appears.
On the "Define Overlays" display, select the Super Sun Seeds invoice overlay (INVALL) to be printed on this copy. A sample of the INVALL overlay is shown below:

```
Define Overlays

Print Definition . . : SUPER Page Format . . . : +DEFAULT
Library . . . . . : APUDATA Copy . . . . . . : *ORIGINAL

Type options, press Enter.
1=Create 2=Change 3=Copy 4=Delete

Position Position Unit of
Opt across down measure Overlay
1 0 0 *INCH INVALL

F3=Exit  F5=Refresh  F12=Cancel
```

Figure 95. Define Overlays Display

On the "Define Overlays" display, select the Super Sun Seeds invoice overlay (INVALL) to be printed on this copy. A sample of the INVALL overlay is shown below:

Figure 96. Sample INVALL Overlay
At this point, the composition of the customer copy has been defined, and the “Work with Copies” display appears again.

```
Figure 97. Work with Copies Display

Select option “3” (copy) to replicate the contents of the customer copy to two additional copies: the packing list and the file copy.

Select option “10” to define these copies, and change the constant text printed at the bottom to “Packing List” and “File Copy”.

```

```
Figure 98. Work with Copies Display

In addition, for the packing list, suppress the printing of the prices. This is done on the “Define Field Mapping” display shown below.

```

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To suppress the price information on the packing list copy (PACKING), select option "10" to define the packing list copy and bring up the sample spooled file with the field mapping function. Use F14 and F15 to mark the first field in a column to be suppressed. In this example, the price and extension fields are suppressed from printing.

Select the function to repeat the suppression. In this case, because an invoice can contain up to 31 line items on a page, repeat the suppression 30 times for the price field.

Figure 99. Define Price Suppression for Packing List

Figure 100. Define Price Suppression for Packing List
Expanded Case Study with APU

The previous APU example used a single page format. The invoice application could easily have been more complex. For instance, many invoicing applications use simple preprinted forms that allow the format of a continuation page to be different from the first page (not unlike what the INVNEW1 example does in the Using DDS chapter). This facilitates, among other things, less heading space and more line items on the continuation pages, as well as a more customized document.

APU handles this more complex application easily. With the page composition different on different pages, the first step is to identify the pages. With APU, you can analyze the sample spooled file, looking for fields that distinguish page one from the continuation pages. The following displays show how this is done.

![Figure 101. Specifying Field and Rules Selection](image)

Now, having specified on creation that it has multiple page formats, PAGE1 and PAGEN, start the SUPER2 print definition. Because this print definition has multiple page formats, you are prompted to define selection fields and selection rules.
Define Selection Fields

Spooled file . . . : INVPRE     Page/Line . . . . . : 1/49
Control . . . . . : Columns . . . . . : 1 - 78
*+...+1+...2+...3+...4+...5+...6+...7+...

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F3=Exit F11=Hide fields F12=Cancel
F14=Start field F15=End field F20=Right
Mark end of field, press F15 or press F12 to cancel

Figure 102. Defining Selection Fields

The sample spooled file, INVPRE, is displayed. Locate the page number field at the bottom on each invoice, and use F14 and F15 to mark it as a field.

Define Selection Fields

Spooled file . . . : INVPRE     Page/Line . . . . . : 1/49
Control . . . . . : Columns . . . . . : 1 - 78
*+...+1+...2+...3+...4+...5+...6+...7+...

: Define Selection Field :
: Type choices, press Enter. :
: Starting Row / Column : 63 / 73 :
IMPROVED PRIN : Length . . . . . . . 3 Value :
PERFORMANCE B : Name . . . . . . . F.063.073 Name :
PRINTERSVILLE :
CO 45789-2637 : F12=Cancel :

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F3=Exit F11=Hide fields F12=Cancel
F14=Start field F15=End field F20=Right
Mark end of field, press F15 or press F12 to cancel

Figure 103. Selection Field Pop-up

A pop-up display shows the selected field, and gives it a default name ("F.063.073").
Change the default field name to "PAGENBR" in order for this print definition to be more readable. Note that the number field has changed to "000" indicating that it is a mapped field.

Figure 104. Selection Field Naming

Using the "Define a Rule" display, enter the logic for identifying Page 1. If the value of PAGENBR is "1", then APU will select page format PAGE1.

Figure 105. Define Selection Rules for Page 1
Enter the logic for identifying pages greater than page one. If the value of PAGENBR is not “1”, then APU will select page format PAGEN.

**Figure 106. Define Selection Rules for All Other Pages**

APU summarizes the current selection rules for the SUPER2 print definition.

After you have identified the page formats, you can perform the same definition process to define copies. The major difference in defining these two page formats is that they have different front overlays.

**Figure 107. Summary of Selection Rules**

APU summarizes the current selection rules for the SUPER2 print definition.
Once you have completed your APU application design, you are ready to put it into production. For each APU application, you can define:

- How to select the target spooled files
- Which APU print definition to use
- What additional functions, through user exits, might be required
- What output files to create
- Where to route the output files
- How to handle input and work files during and after processing

With this information, the APU production monitor can select the target spooled file when it reaches the output queue, retrieve the APU print definition, invoke the AU print engine to transform the input spooled records into AFP, and manage the disposition of files.

The APU production monitor can be invoked in three ways:

1. Manually associating a print definition with a specific spooled file. For manual printing, you just “apply” your print definition to a specific spooled file. Refer to "Manually Associating a Print Definition with a Spooled File".

2. Using the Apply Print Definition command, which enables you to embed an APU printing step within existing application procedures. Refer to "Using the Apply Print Definition Command" on page 188.

3. Using the APU Monitor to automatically identify the sample spooled file and run the conversion programs. This method is described in "Automatic Printing with APU Monitor" on page 188.

**Manually Associating a Print Definition with a Spooled File**

This process works as follows. Using your print definition, SUNSD1 or INVOICE, select option 2 from the APU Main Menu. The Work with Spooled Files panel appears.

![Select a Sample Spooled File](image)

You can display selected output queues and spooled files with this option, and then apply a print definition to the spooled file for example, INVSCS.

**Figure 108. Select Spooled File**

You can display selected output queues and spooled files with this option, and then apply a print definition to the spooled file for example, INVSCS.
Panel 1: Apply Print Definition

APU will move the input spooled file to the output queue defined in the Success or Failure fields, depending on the result, and will place the file in one of the four status conditions shown above. *HOLD is the default for both success and failure.

Some of the fields you should fill out include:

**Input Spooled File**
Name of the input spooled (SCS) file to which a print definition is to be applied.

**Print Definition**
Name of the print definition to be applied to the spooled file.

**Success or Failure**
Specify what you want to happen to the input spooled file on success or failure.

Press the “Page Down” key to access the next panel.

**Note:** INVSCS can also be used with the SUPER and SUPER2 print definition samples that are in the QAPU library. INVPRE can be used with the AMASTER print definition, that is also in the QAPU library.
Panel 2: Apply Print Definition

Make the entries you want. Press F1 for descriptions of the fields. Here is a description of some of the key fields:

**User exit BEFORE**
Initialization the name of a program you want run before processing.

**User exit MIDDLE**
Name of a program you want to be run after the input spooled file has been copied to the input spool database.

**Device name**
Name of the printer on which the output is to be printed.

**Output Queue**
Name of the queue for the output file.

**Spooled file name**
Name to be given to the output.

**User data**
A user-defined parameter in the form of a character string to be placed on the output.

**Hold or Save**
Specify what you want done with the spooled file after it is processed.

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Figure 110. Apply Print Definition panel

Make the entries you want. Press F1 for descriptions of the fields. Here is a description of some of the key fields:

**User exit BEFORE**
Initializes the name of a program you want run before processing.

**User exit MIDDLE**
Name of a program you want to be run after the input spooled file has been copied to the input spool database.

**Device name**
Name of the printer on which the output is to be printed.

**Output Queue**
Name of the queue for the output file.

**Spooled file name**
Name to be given to the output.

**User data**
A user-defined parameter in the form of a character string to be placed on the output.

**Hold or Save**
Specify what you want done with the spooled file after it is processed.
Panel 3: Apply Print Definition

Apply Print Definition (APYPRTDEF)
Type choices, press Enter.
Output bin ............... +SPOOLFILE 1-65536, +SPOOLFILE, +DEVD
User exit AFTER:
  Program ............... +NONE Name, +NONE
  Library Name .......... Name, +LIBL
  User parameter ........

F3=Exit  F4=Prompt  F5=Refresh  F12=Cancel  F13=How to use this display
F24=More keys

Figure 111. Apply Print Definition panel

Make the entries you want. Press F1 for descriptions of the fields. Key field entries here are:

Output bin
Where the output is to be placed.

User exit AFTER
Name of a program you want to be run after the AFPDS output spooled file has been created.

Using the Apply Print Definition Command

One method of starting APU is to use the Apply Print Definition (APYPRTDEF) command. This is the same command that is called when you manually apply a print definition to a spooled file, working from the “Work with Spooled Files” option that is described in “Manually Associating a Print Definition with a Spooled File” on page 185.

To use the apply print definition command, place the command within existing application procedures, such as a CL (Control Language) program. An example of the command is shown below:

```
APYPRTDEF FILE(INVSCS) JOB(098677/JOHN/QPADEV0016) SPLNBR(10)+
PRTDEF(QAPU/INVOICE) SUCCESS(*NONE) FAILURE(*NONE) DEV(PRT3130)
```

This command selects the INVSCS spooled file from the currently running job (either batch or interactive) and starts APU printing, using the INVOICE print definition. The new AFP output is sent to the output queue that is associated with the PRT3130 printer device.

Note: The APYPRTDEF command can also be used to run in batch.

Automatic Printing with APU Monitor

This section describes the third method of printing APU print definitions. (The other two methods are described in “Printing with Advanced Print Utility” on page 183.)

To give you an understanding of the operation of the APU Monitor, the following topics are described here:

- “Understanding How the APU Monitor Works” on page 189
Understanding How the APU Monitor Works

In the APU Monitor, you can specify values for the parameters that govern APU Monitor processing. These parameters are grouped together and called an “Action”.

There are three “Action” groups in the new APU Monitor. The Monitor processes these actions in the following sequence:

- Selection for input spooled file
- Action for input spooled file
- Action for output spooled file

**Note:** If an action group contains more than one action, the actions are processed in the order in which they are defined.

Figure 112 diagrams the sequence in which the APU Monitor processes the action groups.

![Figure 112. APU Monitor Processing Sequence](image)

Here is an explanation of the steps shown in the diagram:

1. The monitor is invoked each time a spooled file arrives in a monitored output queue or if the spooled file status from a spool in a monitored queue changes to *RDY*. Spooled files with other status conditions are not processed.
2. The monitor checks the input selection from each action rule in a sequential manner.
3. As soon as a spooled file matches the action input selection, the input and output action are performed. Subsequent actions are ignored.
4. The input action is applied after the selection matches a spooled file. The action performed depends on whether or not APU is able to complete the job successfully.
5. You can define up to 16 output actions. This allows you, for example, to use several different APU print definitions for the same spooled file.
6. One or more spooled files are placed into one or more output queues.
An Example of APU Monitor Processing

This section describes an example of how the concepts of the APU Monitor can be implemented in a customer environment.

A Customer Environment:  Assume that a customer wants to set up the following environment:

- Three different output types are needed, with each going to a different output queue (OUTQs).
- Two printers are available, and the monitor is to be set up with the following requirements:
  - System output (QSYSPRT) must not use an APU print definition.
  - All jobs in OUTQ1 must be sent to PRT01
  - All jobs in OUTQ2 and OUTQ3 must be sent to PRT02
  - Application jobs APP01 and APP02 must be sent with a print definition SAMPLE applied
  - The application’s original spooled files must be placed in the OUTQ called SAVE.
  - The original QSYSPRT spooled files must be deleted.

The Figure 113 diagrams these customer requirements. The numbers in the figure are used to identify the sequence of notes provided following this diagram.

![Figure 113. APU Monitor before Processing](image)

Notes

1. All QSYSPRT spooled files from the OUTQ1 must be moved to OUTQ PRT01.
2. All QSYSPRT spooled files from all other OUTQs must be moved to OUTQ PRT02.
3. A print definition is to be applied to all application spooled files coming into OUTQ1. A new APU spooled file (the result of the APU processing) is to be placed in the output queue PRT01. The original SCS spooled file is moved into OUTQ SAVE.
4. A print definition is to be applied to all application spooled files coming into all other OUTQs. A new APU spooled file (the result of the APU processing) is to be placed in the output queue PRT02 for each original spooled file. The original SCS spooled file is to be moved into OUTQ SAVE.

**Implementing the Customer Requirements on the APU Monitor:** In the example, we can define two groups of spooled files: the application spooled files and the QSYSRPT spooled files. Only the application spooled files need an APU print definition. In this case, we want to define actions for the application spooled files first and then the action for the QSYSRPT spooled files. So we can say that all spooled files that are not eligible for APU are moved following the QSYSRPT spooled file actions.

*Figure 114* shows which parameters must be defined for each action in the order of the action. The monitor takes the **Input selection** parameters of the first action to identify if the spool and selection match. If the input selection parameters do not match the spooled file, the monitor takes the next action. As soon as the input selection parameters match the spooled file, all action sequences such as **Input action** and **Output actions** proceed.

The numbers in the figure indicate the actions that correspond with *Figure 114*.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Action</th>
<th>Input selection</th>
<th>Input action</th>
<th>Output action</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1. Action for spool</td>
<td>File = APP* OUTQ = Outq1</td>
<td>Success = *outq OUTQ = SAVE Failure = *hold Prtdfl = Sample OUTQ PRT01</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2. Action for spool</td>
<td>File = APP* OUTQ = *all</td>
<td>Success = *outq OUTQ = SAVE Failure = *hold Prtdfl = Sample OUTQ PRT02</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3. Action for spool</td>
<td>File = *all OUTQ = Outq1</td>
<td>Success = *outq OUTQ = PRT01 Failure = *hold Prtdfl = *none</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4. Action for spool</td>
<td>File = *all OUTQ = *all</td>
<td>Success = *outq OUTQ = PRT02 Failure = *hold Prtdfl = *none</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Figure 114. APU Monitor - Action Example*

**Notes**

1. Action for the application spooled files in OUTQ1
2. Action for all other application spooled files in all monitored OUTQs
3. Action for all other spooled files in OUTQ1
4. Action for all other spooled files in all other OUTQs

Many other options are possible for each action. You can decide, for example, to delete the original spooled files after processing or hold the spooled files.

**Condition of the Output Queue after Processing:** In *Figure 115 on page 192* you can see the two QSYSRPT spooled files (A), that all the original application spooled files are in output queue SAVE, and that the new AFPDS spooled files (outcome from APU processing) are placed in the output queues PRT01 and PRT02, depending on where the original was.
Notes

1. The QSYSPRRT spooled file from OUTQ1 is in the output queue PRT01.
2. All QSYSPRRT spooled files from the other OUTQs are in the output queue PTR02.
3. The original application SCS spooled files from OUTQ1 are in the output queue SAVE. New AFPDS spooled files have been placed in the output queue PRT01. This new spooled file is the result from APU after applying the print definition.
4. All other original application SCS spooled files from all other OUTQs are placed in the output queue SAVE. New AFPDS spooled files have been placed in the output queue PRT02. These new spooled files result from APU after applying the print definition.

Note: If the processing for one spooled file fails, the original spooled file stays in the output queue in status *HOLD following the FAILURE parameter.
Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions

When we look at DDS as an enabler for documents and reports, the integration of formatting with the application program was a significant advantage. It provides the application programmer with the capability to produce very customized output conditioned by the database and application data within the program.

However, there are environments where this tight integration is less desirable. It can make the task of coding application logic and output logic more complex because the logic is intertwined. Furthermore, the developer who works with the application programs may be different from the designer/developer that works with output formatting. There is a trade-off here: the customized output that DDS provides versus separation in the application development process.

New output formatting objects on the AS/400, page definitions and form definitions, provide a means to separate page formatting from the application program. These new objects, an industry standard in high-volume printing environments, were added to OS/400 with Version 3 Release 2 and Version 3 Release 7. The manner in which these formatting objects were implemented provides a dynamic method of transforming existing line-mode (SCS) print applications.

As illustrated in Figure 116 on page 194, an SCS print application sends lines of output to the output queue. With the simple reference of the page definition and form definition objects in the AS/400 printer file (and no changes to the application program), the output produced in the output queue is no longer SCS, but is AFP.
Page definitions and form definitions look and act like page formatting programs. They are developed in a source language (which can be front-ended with several different graphical tools) that defines how information is to be placed on the page. Specifically, the page definition defines how data is placed on a logical page layout. Input print lines are read in, optionally parsed into individual fields, and placed on the page. Similar in structure to DDS, the page definition language enables you to place print lines or print fields anywhere on the page while controlling font, orientation, and color characteristics. Data can also be printed in a selected bar code symbology. Figure 117 on page 199 shows a conceptual view of the function of the page definition.
Again like a program, page definitions can contain conditional logic. This means that the formatting rules can change based on the contents of an input field. A “trigger” field (for example, company number) may be used to select a whole series of formatting commands. The form definition is normally used in conjunction with the page definition (it can, however, be used by itself).

The form definition controls how the logical page (defined with the page definition) is placed on the physical medium - the sheet of paper. Source statements within the form definition specify what drawer paper is selected from, what overlay(s) is placed on top of the logical page layout, whether duplexing is used, whether multiple logical pages should be placed on a single physical page, what copies are to be automatically created, and what fields should be suppressed from which copy. Figure 118 on page 196 illustrates the form definition concept.
An additional note should be made on the use of page and form definitions. In addition to specifying the form definition or page definition name in the printer file, the output file type must also be changed to *LINE. This indicates that the print lines will be passed to the page and form definition objects in a slightly different format than SCS. This format is called line data, and it adds blank lines (automatically) for vertical positioning and a couple of additional carriage control characters to each print record. Again, this is transparent to the application program. To the designer/developer of the page definition, however, they must be aware that space and skip to lines will be passed to the page definition as blank lines. They can either be printed as blank lines (to maintain vertical positioning) or thrown away, whichever is appropriate to a particular page layout.

**How can you use Page Definitions and Form Definitions**

1. Preparation stage
   a. The application generates line data.
   b. The person responsible for designing the output layout creates a page definition and form definition to format the line data into the desired form. This step may require a detailed knowledge of the application-generated line data.

2. Production stage
   a. The application generates line data specifying the corresponding page definition and form definition resources through new parameters on the CRTPRTF and OVRPRTF commands.
   b. The line data is sent to an AFP(*YES) defined printer where PSF/400 uses the page definition and form definition specifications to create a formatted data stream which is sent to the printer.

**Note:** Page definitions and form definitions can either be created directly by the customer using Page Printer Formatting Aid (PPFA) or obtained...
Specifying the Logical Page with Page Definitions

Page definitions control the following functions:

- Dimensions of the logical page
- Print direction of the logical page (landscape or portrait)
- Print direction of lines and fields relative to the logical page
- Conditional processing (enabling the content of the print data to control the layout and media handling of the print job)
- Line spacing (number of lines per inch)
- Location of individual lines and fields
- Number of lines per page
- Page segments for inclusion in printed output
- Overlays for inclusion in printed output (position anywhere on the page)
- Page-ejection points
- Fonts and font rotation used on a page
- Multiple-up printing (placing more than one logical page on one side of a single sheet)
- Colors to be used (on printers that support this function, or for viewing)

*Figure 119. Page Definition Functions*
PPFA Sample Page Definition Source and Output

Before you create a page definition, you should examine the application-generated line data. In the following example, a sample invoice application generates these records:

1John Smith
690 Bean Hill Road
Louisville, KY 50301
193-45-8901

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General Parts Inc. (GPIX) 67.00 68.25 67.75
Rasterpunkt Inc. (RPGMBH) 14.00 15.00 15.00
Ecocycle Inc. (ECO) 5.25 5.50 5.25

1Linda Noll
14 Hillcrest Drive
Houston, TX 60443
677-12-7468

Don't forget we offer a preapproved Check payment plan. Call our toll-free number 1-800-STOCKSR to join.

The Page Printer Formatting Aid source code needed to generate the page definition for the previous example is as follows:

5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING
SOURCE FILE ....... AFPLIB/PAGEDFSRC
MEMBER ............ STOCKQ
SEQNBR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ..
100 PAGEDEF STOCKQ /* CVTPPFASRC will create PISTOCKQ */
200 REPLACE YES /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
300 LINEONE 0.5 IN 1.0 IN; /* Position of topmost line */
400 FONT BIG PR10; /* Prestige Roman 10 Char/Inch */
500 FONT NORM PR12; /* Prestige Roman Normal 12 Char/Inch */
600 FONT ITAL PI12; /* Prestige Italic Normal 12 Char/Inch */
700 SETUNITS LINESP 6 LPI; /* 6 lines per inch */
800 /* Customer Address Block - 4 input lines */
900 PRINTLINE
1000 CHANNEL 1 /* When an input line has a first col. */
1200 /* (CC) '1' value, this PRINTLINE gets */
1300 /* control - meaning: top of a new page */
1400 POSITION 2 IN 1 IN /* position across 2 inches down 1 inch */
1500 FONT BIG /* Use the font nicknamed BIG */
1600 REPEAT 4; /* Do this for 4 lines - subsequent */
1700 /* lines are positioned down the page */
1800 /* at 6 lines/inch (see SETUNITS above).*/
1900 /* Soc. Sec. Number - 1 input line rotated/placed in upper right */
2000 PRINTLINE
2200 POSITION 7.8 IN 0.8 IN /* position across 7.75 in down 0.75 in */
2300 FONT NORM /* Use the font nicknamed NORM */
2400 DIRECTION DOWN; /* Print down the page (rotated 90 dgs) */
2500 /* Customer-specific text - 2 input lines */
2600 PRINTLINE /*
2700 */
2800 POSITION 1.25 IN 3.0 IN/* position across 1.25 in down 3 in */
2900 FONT ITAL /* use the font nicknamed ITAL */
3000 REPEAT 2; /* Do this for two input lines */
3100 /* Sales Quote - up to 30 lines of text */
3200 PRINTLINE
3400 POSITION 2.5 IN 4.25 IN/* position across 2.5 in down 4.25 in */
The results of this page definition when used with a form definition are shown in Figure 125 on page 204 and Figure 126 on page 205.

For more information on PPFA page definition commands, refer to the IBM Page Printer Formatting Aid: User’s Guide.

How to Create a Page Definition Using the PPFA Compiler

The following example shows how to create a page definition on the AS/400 using the PPFA compiler and the PPFA page definition source code shown in the previous section. The source code for the page definition is assumed to exist in the AFPLIB/page definition SRC (STOCKQ) member.

You can create a page definition using the PPFA compiler in either of two ways:
- Using the command line interface
- Using the Convert PPFA Source (CVTPPFASRC) display

Creating a Page Definition with PPFA

Creating a page definition with PPFA is a two-step process:
1. Convert the PPFA source code to a page definition output data base file member. You can do this in either of two ways:
   a. Type the command:
      cvtppfasrc file(afplib/pagdefsrc) mbr(stockq) pagdfnfile(afplib/ppfaout)
      and press Enter
   b. Type the command: cvtppfasrc and press F4. The following display appears:

      Type choices, press Enter.

      File ............... PAGEDEFSRC Name
      Library ............. AFPLIB Name, +LIBL, +CURLIB
      Member .............. STOCKQ Name
      Form definition file .... +NONE Name, +NONE
      Library ............. AFPLIB Name, +LIBL, +CURLIB
      Page definition file .... PPFAOUT Name, +NONE
      Library ............. AFPLIB Name, +LIBL, +CURLIB
      Listing output ........ +PRINT +PRINT, +NONE
      Source listing options .... +SRC, +NOSRC, +SECLVL...

      F3=Exit  F4=Prompt  F5=Refresh  F12=Cancel  F13=How to use this display
      F24=More keys

      Type the values you want on the display and press Enter.
Notes:

a. Make sure that the qppfa library is in your library list (you can do this with the addlib qppfa command).

b. In creating the output member in the previous step, the PPFA compiler, which is invoked by issuing the CVTPPFASRC command, adds two characters ("P1" for page definitions and "F1" for form definitions) to the front of the name you specify on the page definition and form definition statements in the PPFA source code. Adding these two characters enables you to put a page definition and a form definition in the same AS/400 file under different member names.

2. Create the AS/400 page definition object, which has a type of *PAGDFN. You can do this in either of two ways:

   a. Type the command:

   ```
crtppagdfn pagdfn(afplib/stockq) file(afplib/ppfaout) mbr(p1stockq)
   ```

   and press Enter

   b. Type the command: crtppagdfn and press F4. The following display appears:

   Type the values you want on the display and press Enter.

   ![Create Page Definition (CRTPAGDFN) Display]

   **Figure 120. Create Page Definition (CRTPAGDFN) Display**

**Specifying the Physical Media with Form Definitions**

Form definitions specify the following functions:

- Position of a logical page on a physical page
- Duplex printing
- Inclusion of overlays, which substitute for preprinted forms
- Selection of the number of copies for any page of data
- Suppression (the exclusion of selected fields of data in one print)
- Jog (the offset stacking of cut-sheet output or copy marking on continuous-forms output)
- Selection among paper sources in a cut-sheet printer
- Quality (selection among print quality levels)
- Constant back (enables printing of a page without variable data)
• Printing up to 8 logical pages of any size in any position on either side of a sheet (for example, you could have 2 logical pages on one side of a sheet and 6 logical pages on the other side of the same sheet)

• Postprocessing controls, such as:
  – selecting functions
  – perforating
  – cutting
  – stapling
  – folding

The following is an example of form definition source and output.

```
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING
SOURCE FILE . . . . . . . APPLIB/FORMDEFSRC
MEMBER . . . . . . . . . . . STOCKQ
SEQNBR*.+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ..
100 FORMDEF STOCKQ /* CVTPPFASRC will create F1STOCKQ */
200 REPLACE YES; /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
300
400 OVERLAY QSHEET; /* O1QSHEET to be used - Quote Sheet */
500 OVERLAY ARCHIV; /* O1ARCHIV to be used - "Archive" lbl */
600 OVERLAY CUSTMR; /* O1CUSTMR to be used - "Customer" lbl */
700
800 /* For each page of application data, two pages will be printed: */
900 /* one labelled "Archive Copy" for archival and the other labelled*/
1000 /* "Customer Copy" to be mailed to the customer. */
1100 SUBGROUP COPIES 1 OVERLAY QSHEET ARCHIV; /* Archive Copy */
1200 SUBGROUP COPIES 1 OVERLAY QSHEET CUSTMR; /* Customer Copy */

**** END OF SOURCE ****

The results of this form definition when used with a page definition are shown in Figure 125 on page 204 and Figure 126 on page 205.

For more information on PPFA form definition commands, refer to the IBM Page Printer Formatting Aid: User’s Guide.
How to Create a Form Definition Using the PPFA Compiler

The following example shows how to create a form definition on the AS/400 using PPFA and the PPFA form definition source code shown in the previous section. The source code for the form definition is assumed to exist in member STOCKQ in the AFPLIB/form definition SRC source file.

You can create a form definition with PPFA in either of two ways:
• Using the command line interface
• Using the Convert PPFA Source (CVTPPFASRC) display

Creating a Form Definition with PPFA

Creating a form definition with PPFA is a two step process:
1. Convert the PPFA source code to a form definition output data base file member. You can do this in either of two ways:
   a. Type the command:
      cvtppfasrc file(afplib/formdefsrc) mbr(stockq) formdffile(afplib/ppfaout)
      and press Enter.
   b. Type the command: cvtppfasrc and press F4. The following display appears:
      Type the values you want on the display and press Enter.

      | Field     | Value                          |
      |-----------|--------------------------------|
      | File      | FORMDEFSRC                     |
      | Library   | AFPLIB                         |
      | Member    | STOCKQ                         |
      | Form def file | PPFAOUT                       |
      | Library   | AFPLIB                         |
      | Page def file | +NONE                        |
      | Library   | AFPLIB                         |
      | Listing output | +PRINT                      |
      | Source listing options | +PRINT, +NONE               |

      Figure 122. Convert PPFA Source (CVTPPFASRC) Display

      Note: In creating the output member in the previous step, the PPFA compiler, which is invoked by issuing the CVTPPFASRC command, adds two characters ("P1" for page definitions and "F1" for form definitions) to the front of the name you specify on the page definition and form definition statements in the PPFA source code. Adding these two characters enables you to put a page definition and a form definition in the same AS/400 file under different names.

      2. Create the AS/400 form definition object, which has a type of *FORMDF. You can do this in either of two ways:
   a. Type the command:
crtformdf formdf(afplib/stockq) file(afplib/ppfaout) mbr(f1stockq)

and press Enter.

b. Type the command: crtformdf and press F4. The following display appears:

```
Create Form Definition (CRTFORMDF)
Type choices, press Enter.
Form definition ...........> STOCKQ Name
Library .................> APPLIB Name, *CURLIB
File .................> PPFAOUT Name
Library .................> APPLIB Name, *LIBL, *CURLIB
Member ...............> F1STOCKQ Name, *FORMDF
Text 'description' .......> *MBRTXT

F3=Exit  F4=Prompt  F5=Refresh  F10=Additional parameters  F12=Cancel
F13=How to use this display  F24=More keys
```

Figure 123. Create Form Definition (CRTFORMDF) Display

Type the values you want on the display and press Enter.

Figure 124 visually illustrates the process of creating page definitions and form definitions using PPFA as shown in the previous examples.

```
AFPLIB

PAGEDEFSRC
STOCKQ
  PAGENT STOCKQ....
  .

PPFAOUT
P1STOCKQ
F1STOCKQ

FORMDEFSRC
STOCKQ
  FORMDEF STOCKQ....
  .

STOCKQ (*PAGDFN)
STOCKQ (*FORMDF)
```

Figure 124. Creating Page Definitions and Form Definitions Using PPFA
Form Definition Example Output

When PSF/400 processes the line data described above with the sample page definition and form definition, it produces output as shown in Figure 125 and Figure 126 on page 205.

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Figure 125. Form Definition Example - Customer 1
Super Sun Seeds Invoice Case Study

In this section, we repeat the Super Sun Seeds Invoice case study and show the source input data used to create it. The sample invoice illustrates the following advanced capabilities:

- Dynamic page format switching based on application data content
- Constant Terms and Conditions overlay on the back sides of specified pages, without requiring the application to generate a page eject
- Producing multiple copies of specified pages with different purposes (for example, a packing slip, customer copy, and file copy) without requiring the application to generate each variation
- Suppressing price data from the packing slip copy

The PPFA source code needed to generate the page definition and form definition for the line data shown in the following examples is in Appendix L. Page Definition and Form Definition Source Code for Super Sun Seeds on page 367.
Examples of Formatted Printout

Figure 127. Three Copies of a Single-Page Customer Invoice
Figure 128. Three Copies of a Two-Page Customer Invoice. Each page of the example invoice uses a different format.
### View of Application-Generated Line Data

The following is an example of line data produced by an application program.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>TEST COMPANY</th>
<th>SAME</th>
<th>TEST STREET</th>
<th>TEST CITY</th>
<th>TS 12345-6789</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>BEST WAY</td>
<td>NET 30</td>
<td>TESTSALES</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>100 31300 11/06/95</td>
<td>12/06/95</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 CT</td>
<td>00000300</td>
<td>HIGH ALTITUDE WATERMELON</td>
<td>1.01</td>
<td>1.01</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 PK</td>
<td>01100517</td>
<td>SPARTAN SEEDS</td>
<td>2.39</td>
<td>2.39</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9 PK</td>
<td>04569870</td>
<td>NORTHERN LITE BLUE SPRUCE</td>
<td>858.32</td>
<td>7,724.88</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 BX</td>
<td>11005004</td>
<td>BUSH GREEN SEEDS</td>
<td>2.50</td>
<td>30.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 CT</td>
<td>11005011</td>
<td>LASSO RED SEEDS</td>
<td>892.23</td>
<td>10,706.76</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26 PK</td>
<td>11005018</td>
<td>EARLY BANTAM SEEDS</td>
<td>3.80</td>
<td>9.80</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 BX</td>
<td>11057893</td>
<td>AFRICAN DAISY, SEEDS</td>
<td>2.35</td>
<td>11.75</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 PK</td>
<td>15975365</td>
<td>HEAVY OAK</td>
<td>129.09</td>
<td>129.09</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>33 BX</td>
<td>32746510</td>
<td>HOPS BREWING LIGHT</td>
<td>1.20</td>
<td>39.60</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>33 BX</td>
<td>32746510</td>
<td>HOPS BREWING LIGHT</td>
<td>1.20</td>
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<td>6 EA</td>
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</tr>
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<td>2 BX</td>
<td>564132313</td>
<td>POT POT</td>
<td>7.65</td>
<td>15.30</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>80 PK</td>
<td>65412384</td>
<td>SEED SCRUBBER</td>
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<td>71,103.20</td>
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Because you have ordered over $500 of seeds this year, on your next seed order you will receive a 10% discount.  

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Thank You .....

Because you have ordered over $500 of fruit this year, on your next fruit order you will receive a 10% discount.

$148,739.80
12/06/95
ORGANIC GARDEN SUPPLIES
546 PRODUCE WAY
GOLDENOATS
CO 949234852

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| 45 BZ  | 11050105 | CHANTENAY SEEDS | 2.19 | 98.55 |
| 951 PK | 11050108 | EARLY BANTAM SEEDS | .38 | 361.38 |
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| 4 BX   | 11057893 | AFRICAN DAISY, SEEDS | 2.35 | 9.40 |
| 4 BX   | 11057893 | AFRICAN DAISY, SEEDS | 2.35 | 9.40 |
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| 1000 BX| 56413213 | POT POT | 7.65 | 7,650.00 |
| 1000 BX| 56413213 | POT POT | 7.65 | 7,650.00 |
| 98 PK  | 84512023 | OREGON SPRING TOMATO SEED | .97 | 95.06 |
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Thank You .....

Because you have ordered over $500 of trees this year, on your next tree order you will receive a 10% discount.

$151,315.56
12/06/95
LOS ARBOLES DEL MUNDO
32483 ARBOL LANE
MESA VERDE
IL 54078-9390

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| 4 PK | 03698741 | STRING GRAPEFRUIT     | 2.01   | 8.04    |
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Thank You .....  
Because you have ordered over $500 of trees this year, on your next stuff order you will receive a 10% discount.  

$26,882.54  

12/06/95  

THE LAST LEAF  
340 DESPERADO COURT  
LONGVIEW  
CA 12345-689  

Page 2
Let's first look at several simple examples of formatting the Super Sun Seeds invoicing data. Page and form definitions do not necessarily need to be used together. They can be used independently and in conjunction with printer file options.

**SSSFD1—Example of a Form Definition**

For example, in following section of code, we have a form definition called SSSFD1 that will create multiple, duplexed pages from each input page of invoice data.

```
000100/*********************************** /
000200/* Formdef Name: SSSFD1 */
000300/*********************************** /
000400FORMDEF SSSFD1 /* SSSFD1 is the form definition */
000500 REPLACE YES /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
000600 DUPLEX NORMAL; /* Print on both sides of the paper */
000700
000800 COPYGROUP F1SEED /* Name of copy group */
000900 CONSTANT BACK;
001000
001100 /* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the copygroup */
001200 OVERLAY INV; /* O1INV - static design; lines, text */
001300 OVERLAY PACK; /* O1PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
001400 OVERLAY FILE; /* O1FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
001500 OVERLAY CUST; /* O1CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
001600 OVERLAY TERMS; /* O1TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
001700 OVERLAY SEED; /* O1SEED - Seed icon/picture */
001800
001900 /* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
002000 /* printed: Front side Back side */
002100 /* Page 1 Packing list Blank */
002200 /* Page 2 Customer Copy Terms & Conditions */
002300 /* Page 3 File Copy Blank */
002400 /* -------- Packing List Copy -------- */
002500 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
002600 OVERLAY INV PACK; /* packlist */
002700 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1; /* BACK */
002800 /* -------- Customer Copy -------- */
002900 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
003000 OVERLAY INV CUST; /* w/prices customer */
003100 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1; /* BACK */
003200 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
003300 /* -------- "File" Copy -------- */
003400 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
003500 OVERLAY INV FILE; /* w/prices file copy */
003600 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1; /* BACK */
```

This form definition has one copy group (F1SEED) that controls all pages. In the heading information for this copy group, the overlays that will be used in the subgroups—individual pages—are defined. In addition, the term "constant back" is specified to indicate that certain pages will be printed without invoice data. These pages may only contain an overlay.

The subgroups define each of the pages, both front and back sides. For example, on the customer copy duplex page, the invoice data is printed on the front side, along with the invoice overlay (INV) and an overlay (CUST) with customer copy information. On the back side, an invoice terms-and-conditions overlay (TERMS) is printed by itself, without invoice data. This form definition takes one page of input invoice data and creates three physical pages—a packing list, a customer copy, and
To implement this application, a change or override to the invoicing printer file is made to include *LINE as the device type and SSSFD1 as the form definition.

**SSSPD1—Example of a Page Definition**

The page definition reads and formats the actual print line data. Line data differs from SCS print data in that line data contains all of the print lines, including the spacing and skipping lines. In the following example, we show page definition SSSPD1, a simple reformatting of the invoicing print lines.

```
000100/**************************************************************************/
000200/* Pagedef Name: SSSPD1 */
000300/**************************************************************************/
000400PAGEDEF SSSPD1 /* SSSPD1 is the page definition name */
000500 REPLACE YES; /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
000600 /* Define font nicknames as follows: */
000700 FONT HELV /* HELV is the short name */
000800 CS H200A0 /* COH200A0 is character set */
000900 CP V10037; /* T1V10037 is code page */
001000 FONT BOLD 440000; /* Courier Roman Bold 10 Char/inch */
001100 FONT ITAL 4300B0; /* Courier Italic Normal 12 Char/inch */
001200 FONT NORM 420000; /* Courier Roman Normal 10 Char/inch */
001300 SETUNITS 1 IN 1 IN /* This indicates that the default unit */
001400 /* for all measurements is the inch */
001500 LINESP 6 LPI; /* Lines spacing at 6 lines/inch */
001600
001700/**************************************************************************/
001800/* All print lines handled by this one page format */
001900/**************************************************************************/
002000
002100 PAGEFORMAT 1OF1; /* 1OF1 is page format name */
002200
002300 /* Customer Address Block - first 14 lines of page */
002400 PRINTLINE
002500 CHANNEL 1 /* When an input line has a first col. */
002600 /* (CC) '1' value, this PRINTLINE gets */
002700 /* control - meaning: top of a new page */
002800 POSITION 0 0 /* Horiz Pos:0 ; Vert Pos:Down 0" */
002900 FONT BOLD /* Use bold font */
003000 REPEAT 14; /* Process 14 lines this way */
003100
003200 PRINTLINE /* Last line of name and address */
003300 POSITION 0 NEXT /* Horiz Pos:0; Vert Pos:Next line */
003400 FONT BOLD; /* Bold font */
003500 FIELD START 16 /* Parse zip code field out for bar */
003600 LENGTH 5 /* code */
003700 POSITION MARGIN -1 IN /* Postnet bar code at page margin, 1" */
003800 BARCODE /* up from last line position */
003900 TYPE POSTNET; /* */
004000
004100 PRINTLINE /* Last 12 lines of page */
004200 /* */
004300 PRINTLINE /* Next 35 lines of page */
004400 POSITION 0 NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Next line */
004500 FONT NORM /* Normal font */
004600 REPEAT 35;
004700
004800 /* */
004900 PRINTLINE /* Total due line */
005000 POSITION 0 NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: Down Next*/
005100 FONT BOLD; /* Bold font */
005200
005300 /* */
005400 PRINTLINE /* Last 12 lines of page */
```
This page definition reads and prints each of the print lines with the following changes:

- Invoice name and address is printed in bold.
- The zip code field is selected and reprinted in bar code.
- The total line is printed in bold.

Looking at the SSSPD1 page definition, the heading information defines the fonts and line spacing to be used. Note that the prefix “C0” will be added in front of the character set name and the prefix “T1” will be added in front of the code page name. For the font name assigned HELV, the character set C0H200A0 will be used. This set is Helvetica in Roman Medium typeface with a point size of eleven.

This page definition contains one page format. All print lines will be processed by this format. Each input print line maps to a PRINTLINE statement. The first PRINTLINE has a CHANNEL keyword. This means that this PRINTLINE statement will assume control when the input print lines advance to the top of a new page (including the first page). This application has 66 print lines per page, including spacing and skipping, but this doesn’t require 66 PRINTLINE statements. The REPEAT keyword enables multiple, successive print lines to be handled by the same PRINTLINE statement.

The first PRINTLINE statement handles the first 14 print lines. This includes the initial 12 blank lines and the first two print lines containing the invoice name and address. These lines are printed in the BOLD font, which is defined as 10-point Courier Bold and is found in character set C0440000. The next PRINTLINE statement handles the name and address print line that contains the US zip code. This print line is also printed in Courier Bold. However, the print line is then parsed (subdefined into individual fields) to define the zip code field. This field is then printed in US Postnet bar code. This bar code is printed at the current horizontal position (MARGIN), but placed one inch above the current vertical position. Therefore, the bar code will print directly above the name and address data just printed.

The remaining PRINTLINE statements handle the rest of the print lines down the page. All of these lines, except for the total due line at line number 51, are printed in the NORM font. The total due line is printed in the font defined as BOLD.

To implement this page definition, the invoice printer file would be changed or overridden to specify *LINE as the device type and SSSPD1 as the page definition name. If the previously described form definition (SSSFD1) was also used, then you would end up with three copies per input page with the line formatting handled by the page definition and the overlays applied as defined by the form definition.

**Additional Form Definition and Page Definition Formatting Functions**

The page and form definition contained in [Appendix L. Page Definition and Form Definition Source Code for Super Sun Seeds](#) on page 367 provides for far more formatting function than the page and form definitions just described. Based on the input invoice data, one of the following three output page types would be created:

- Single page invoice
- First or interior page of multi-page invoice
• Last, or summary, page of a multi-page invoice

In order to create the output page type, conditional logic must be defined. Within the page definition (SEEDS), a PRINTLINE statement is parsed in order to look for the words "seeds", "trees", and "fruits" that are found in the "Thank you" message found at the end of each invoice. Locating these words means that we are on the last page of an invoice. In addition, these words are also used as a trigger to place an image of a seed, tree, or fruit on that page.

The page definition has three different PAGEFORMAT records corresponding to the three different output page types. Based on the conditional logic, control is switched dynamically to the correct PAGEFORMAT record. Control passes back to the first PAGEFORMAT record at the top of a new input page (because it contains the CHANNEL keyword). Note that the form definition contains seven copy groups, corresponding to the output page type and which image (seed, tree, or fruit) is required. The selection of the right copy group is defined within the page definition.

Printer File Keyword Support when Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions

With the introduction of line data, the AS/400 can receive layout and media handling instructions through existing Printer File Command keywords and from new page definition and form definition output-descriptors. You must, therefore, describe which keywords are ignored when a page definition or form definition is specified and which keywords are used when no page definition or form definition is specified.

Print File Keywords Ignored when Line Data Is Specified and a Page Definition Is Used

The following printer file keywords are ignored when line data is specified and a page definition is used:
  • CDEFNT
  • CHRID
  • CPI
  • FOLD
  • FONT
  • FNTCHRSET
  • LPI
  • LVLCHK
  • MULTIUP
  • PAGESIZE
  • PAGRTT
  • REDUCE

Print File Keywords Ignored when Line Data Is Specified and a Form Definition Is Used

The following printer file keywords are ignored when line data is specified and a form definition is used:
  • BACKMGN
  • DRAWER (if *FORMDF is specified)
  • DUPLEX (if *FORMDF is specified)
The following printer file keywords, if used, override the values specified in a form definition.

- DRAWER (if *FORMDF is not specified)
- DUPLEX (if *FORMDF is not specified)

**Other Options for Page and Form Definitions**

You can use different methods to obtain page definitions and form definitions. In this chapter we have shown how you can create page definitions and form definitions with Page Printer Formatting Aid. You can, however, get page definitions and form definitions in other ways. The following list identifies sources for obtaining page definitions and form definitions:

- PSF/400 is shipped with a standard set of precompiled page definitions and form definitions to get you started immediately. The names and characteristics of these resources are included in the accompanying documentation.
- You can create page definition and form definition objects on other AFP platforms, such as MVS, VM, VSE, AIX, and OS/2 (using Business Partner products).
- The IBM Printing Systems Company Solutions Service Center.
- There are several graphical products available for creating page and form definitions interactively. The systems from two companies—ISIS and Elixir—are built on top of form design applications. This enables you to design the electronic form and then format the existing print lines on top of that form.

**Note:** Contact your IBM representative for more information regarding these options.
Chapter 14. Using the AFP Toolbox for AS/400

The AFP Toolbox provides a high-level, application-programming interface that enables programs written in the C, COBOL, and RPG programming languages to directly produce an AFP data stream. The MO:DCA-P documents created with AFP Toolbox are platform-independent and can be printed or viewed by the IBM AFP Printer Drivers on all supported platforms, such as System/390, AS/400, OS/2, RISC/6000, and AFP Workbench for Windows. AFP Toolbox output can be written to a file or returned to the application for further processing.

AFP Toolbox provides an interface for ILE C, COBOL, and RPG applications.

"Appendix M. Toolbox Source for Super Sun Seeds Case Study" on page 379 shows the COBOL program for the Super Sun Seeds application as it could be implemented with AFP Toolbox function calls.

Tasks You Can Do with the AFP Toolbox

Page definitions provide powerful functions for formatting line data, but may not provide enough flexibility or formatting capabilities for every application. If you need more control of the appearance of your output, you should consider using the AFP Toolbox.

The AFP Toolbox enables you to create new print applications with formatting tailored to the requirements of each page of data. For example, if you created the Super Sun Seeds case study example using AFP Toolbox, you can position rules and fixed or variable depth boxes depending on whether the customer’s last order falls on the page or whether the customer has one or many orders.

You also can use a variety of typographic fonts, and include graphics or special messages at different points on each page according to the characteristics of the data. Each statement is designed to most effectively communicate the information needed by the individual customer.

With AFP Toolbox, programmers familiar with the ILE C, COBOL, or RPG programming languages can invoke powerful AFP functions using familiar data structures, function calls, and objects that are easy to learn and understand. These functions enable the programmer to specify and change such AFP formatting options as the following:

- Text position and orientation
- Fonts used for printing lines and fields
- Rules and boxes of varying sizes and positions
- Color for rules, boxes, or fonts
- Page segments, overlays, images, graphics, and bar codes

Formatting with the AFP Toolbox

AFP Toolbox also provides the following formatting capabilities:

- Centering and aligning lines of text using typographic fonts
- Flowing text into a paragraph, which can be left-aligned, right-aligned, centered, or fully justified.
• Querying the width and depth of a string of text before it is actually placed on the page to help the application make decisions about when to break a line or page
• Creating bar code objects (BCOCA)
• Creating graphic objects (GOCA)

**AFP Toolbox Document and Page Structure**

The AFP Toolbox is designed to hide the details of the data stream from applications that need to generate it.

Applications that use the AFP Toolbox library functions need to follow the AFP hierarchy when building compound documents. Documents are made up of pages and the pages are made up of objects, as shown in Figure 129.

Refer to *IBM Advanced Function Presentation Toolbox for Multiple Operating Systems User’s Guide* for a list showing a typical sequence of calls for an application using the AFP Toolbox Library functions.

![Figure 129. AFP Toolbox Document and Page Structure](image-url)
RPG programs utilizing the AFP Toolbox are coded in a similar manner to COBOL. [Sample RPG Program using AFP Toolbox* on page 39] contains a simple RPG example.

In summary, use of the AFP Toolbox with a HLL program represents a similar, though more complex, approach to developing AFP applications, when compared to using DDS. The choice of AFP Toolbox would be driven by specific application requirements, such as fully aligned text, that DDS cannot provide.

Refer to IBM Advanced Function Presentation Toolbox for Multiple Operating Systems User’s Guide (S544-5292) for other examples.

Indexing and Navigation of the AFP Data Stream

AFP Toolbox enables the programmer to add indexing tags to the output document. These tags can be used by the Viewer application of AFP Workbench for Windows to navigate through the document and locate specific pages or groups of pages. The indexing tags also can be used by other applications such as archival and retrieval applications to select and locate specific pages.

Super Sun Seeds Case Study Created with AFP Toolbox

If you created the Super Sun Seeds case study example, as shown below, using AFP Toolbox, you could take advantage of such functions as:

- Variable size boxes
- Alignment of text with typographic fonts
- Counting of pages as they are built
- Creating individualized paragraphs
- Building bar codes

The AFP Toolbox is used in conjunction with a High-Level Language (HLL) program, such as RPG, COBOL, and C, to create documents that are composed of individual pages. Within each page, you can define page elements such as text, image, overlays, lines, boxes, and bar coding. The AFP architecture uses a series of structured fields to represent document and page composition. The AFP Toolbox provides subroutines to be called from a HLL program that handled these structured fields. The application developer focuses on document composition, not the resulting print datastream.

To illustrate the concept described above, let’s look at the overall structure of a COBOL program that uses AFP Toolbox subroutines to generate an AFP application. The program flow is as follows:

```
Set up general parameters
Perform AFPINIT (Initialize)
Set up document parameters
Perform AFPBDOC (Begin document)
Set up page parameters
Perform AFPBPAGE (Begin page)
Set up fonts to be used
Perform AFPDFNAT (Define font)
Set up text to be printed
```
Description of Super Sun Seeds Application with AFP Toolbox

[Appendix M. Toolbox Source for Super Sun Seeds Case Study” on page 379] contains the entire COBOL program using AFP Toolbox subroutines to produce the Super Sun Seeds invoice application. There are several important differences in document formatting with AFP Toolbox support that this example illustrates. These include:

- Typographic fonts can be used throughout, because Toolbox supports left, center, and right alignment of text.
- Boxes surrounding transaction information can be drawn dynamically instead of always being of fixed dimensions.
- Paragraphs of text can be defined and dynamically formatted. The text will be flowed and aligned based on the area of the page allotted for it.
- Page groups (i.e., by customer invoice) can be numbered with pages “n of m.”

Let’s look at several segments of the this Super Sun Seeds program. After initialization, the program sets up overall document information (including the output file name) and performs the begin document operation, as follows:

```
017200000000 MOVE "SUPER SUN SEEDS" TO AFP-DOC-NAME.
017400000000 MOVE "AS/400 COBOL Program" TO AFP-DOC-COMMENT.
017600000000 MOVE FILED TO AFP-OUTPUT-TYPE.
017700960322 MOVE "/QSYS.LIB/QAOCL.LIB/QAYTBRESCS.FILE/SUNSEEDS.MBR" TO AFP-OUTPUT-FILENAME.
018000000000 PERFORM AFPBDOC.
```

Next, the page numbering fields are initialized and the “Begin Page” subroutine is called, as follows:

```
028300000000 MOVE "Page 1" TO AFP-PAGE-NAME.
028500000000 PERFORM AFPBPAGE.
```

Various page elements are composed and placed on the page. An overlay comprising the top part of the invoice page (INVHEAD1) is positioned at a zero-zero offset from the page origin and written to the page, as follows:

```
030300000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
030400000000 * INCLUDE THE OVERLAY *
030500000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
030600000000 MOVE 0 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
030700000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
030800000000 MOVE 0 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
030900000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-Y-REF-COORD-SYS.
031000000000 PERFORM AFPSPOS.
031100000000 031200000000 MOVE "INVHEAD1" TO AFP-OVLY-NAME.
031300000000 PERFORM AFPIOVL.
031400000000 031500000000 PERFORM PROCESS-THE-ADDRESS.
031600000000 031700000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
```
The program reads data from the input file and begins filling in the page. The customer name and address is written using a series of new lines (AFPNLINIE) and writes (AFPWRITE). This text is left aligned:

```assembly
048400000000 PERFORM AFPNLINIE.
048500000000 CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-NAME,
048600000000 BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-NAME,
048700000000 BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
048800000000 AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
048900000000
049000000000 ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
049100000000 MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
049200000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
049300000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
049400000000
049500000000
049600000000
049700000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
049800000000 * Write the customer address. *
049900000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
050000000000 PERFORM AFPNLINIE.
050100000000
050200000000 CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-ST-ADDR,
050300000000 BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-ST-ADDR,
050400000000 BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
050500000000 AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
050600000000
050700000000 ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
050800000000 MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
050900000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
051000000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
051100000000
051200000000
051300000000
```

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051400000000 PERFORM AFPNLIN.
051500000000 CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-CITY-STATE,
051600000000 BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-CITY-STATE,
051700000000 BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
051800000000 AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
051900000000
052000000000 ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
052100000000 MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
052200000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
052300000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
052400000000 PERFORM AFPNLIN.

Other invoice data, such as account number and invoice number is positioned and
right-aligned within the page:

038000000000 MOVE 2254 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
038100000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
038200000000 MOVE 4335 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
038300000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-Y-REF-COORD-SYS.
038400000000 PERFORM AFPSPOS.
038500000000
038600000000 MOVE ACCOUNT-NUM-IN TO ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT.
038700000000 MOVE 4 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
038800000000 MOVE ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
038900000000 MOVE RIGHT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
039000000000 MOVE FALS TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
039100000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
039200000000
039300000000 MOVE ACCOUNT-NUM-IN TO ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT.
039400000000 MOVE 3121 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
039500000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
039600000000
039700000000 MOVE INVOICE-NUM-IN TO INVOICE-NUM-OUT.
039800000000 MOVE 4040 TO AFP-PARA-WIDTH
039900000000 MOVE JUSTIFY-ALIGN TO AFP-FORMAT-OPTION
040000000000 MOVE DEFAULT-LSP TO AFP-LINE-SPACING
040100000000 MOVE 10000 TO AFP-PARA-MAXDEPTH
040200000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
040300000000

As the invoice transaction data is placed down the page, the "frame" of lines
surrounding that information is progressively extended down the page:

065300000000 MOVE TRANS-UOM TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
065400000000 MOVE 2 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
065500000000 MOVE CENTER-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
065600000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
065700000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.

A key capability of AFP Toolbox is the ability to "flow" text like a word processing
program. The space for a paragraph is defined and the text is positioned and
aligned within that space as shown in the program statement below:

057900000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
058000000000 * If there is room, build a personalized paragraph.       *
058100000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
058200000000 PERFORM AFQUERY.
058300000000 IF AFP-Y-COORDINATE < 8000
058400000000
058500000000 MOVE 4040 TO AFP-PARA-WIDTH
058600000000 MOVE JUSTIFY-ALIGN TO AFP-FORMAT-OPTION
058700000000 MOVE DEFAULT-LSP TO AFP-LINE-SPACING
058800000000 MOVE 10000 TO AFP-PARA-MAXDEPTH
058900000000 PERFORM AFPBPARA
059000000000
059100000000 MOVE LOW-VALUES TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
059200000000 STRING AFP-STRING-1
DELIMITED BY SIZE INTO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
CALL "STRING-LENGTH" USING AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
BY CONTENT LENGTH OF AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
BY REFERENCE AFP-STRING-LENGTH
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH
PERFORM AFPPTEXT
CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-NAME,
BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-NAME,
BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
AFP-STRING-LENGTH
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH
PERFORM AFPPTEXT
MOVE LOW-VALUES TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
STRING AFP-STRING-2
DELIMITED BY SIZE INTO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
CALL "STRING-LENGTH" USING AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
BY CONTENT LENGTH OF AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
BY REFERENCE AFP-STRING-LENGTH
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH
PERFORM AFPPTEXT
PERFORM AFPEPARA
END-IF.
Chapter 15. Using the Print Format Utility

The Print Format Utility, along with the Overlay Utility and the Resource Management Utility, is part of the IBM Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 (AFP Utilities). This chapter describes the Print Format Utility and how to use it.

Introduction to the Print Format Utility

The Print Format Utility allows you to print data from database file members (created by application programs or utilities) in various forms, such as text or barcodes, and in various formats on IPDS printers. You can also print summary information of the data in the database member, such as the total, average, or maximum of numeric fields. You can specify these items when designing your printout on the screen interactively and you can place images on the printed page as well.

With Print Format Utility, you can:

- Design your desired layout of a record interactively in the same way as the Overlay Utility.
  
  You can define headings, boxes, or logos that contain text, lines, images, barcodes, and graphics to be printed in addition to the data in the database file member.
- Design the page layout interactively in the same way as in the Overlay Utility.
  
  You can define headings, boxes, or logos that contain text, lines, boxes, images, barcodes, and graphics to be printed.
- Save the record layout and page layout as a printout format definition in your file.
- Print a database file member according to the printout format definition.

With Print Format Utility, you can also create various kinds of output from one database file member. For example, you can print a list of products, product descriptions, or even delivery labels from one database file member using different printout format definitions.

With AFP Utilities, Version 4 Release 4, selective printing of any element in a record layout can be done by using **Element Selection**. Selection is determined by the values of one to five variable fields in the database file being printed. To use the function, press F9=Element selection on any of the following screens and specify the conditions under which the element should be printed:

- Define text
- Change text
- Define line
- Change line
- Define box
- Change box
- Define bar code
- Change bar code
- Place graphics
- Change graphics
- Place page segment
Defining a Printout Format Definition (PFD Definition)

With AFP Utilities, the forms and formats for printing are designed by defining a printout format definition (PFD definition) instead of writing your own application programs.

Case Study Related Example with Print Format Utility

Although Print Format Utility could be adapted to print a version of the Super Sun Seeds invoice, it is better suited to a related application: packing list bar coded labels. This application would create a label for each line item in a Super Sun Seeds customer order. Labels would be peeled off during order selection, and the bar code scanned to confirm the item selection. The labels are printed 3-up and up to 30 per 8-1/2 by 11 inch page. A sample of the order labels is shown below:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ARBOLES DEL SUR</th>
<th>LASSO RED SEEDS</th>
<th>SCARLET NANTES SEEDS</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>4-L-31</td>
<td>09.658</td>
<td>09.489</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CHANTENAY SEEDS</td>
<td>09-14</td>
<td>09.489</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SEMILLAS DEL SU</td>
<td>3-4-87</td>
<td>09.489</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SOMBREROS</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Figure 130. Order Label Printout

Since PFU works directly with the AS/400 database, we have created an expanded customer invoice file that joins the invoice file (SEEDDETL) and the item master file (SEEDITEM). This allows both invoice and item master information to be passed to PFU with each record processed. The specification for this joined file (SEEDJOIN) is shown below:

```
SOURCE FILE....... SAMPLER/QDDSSRC
MEMBER............ SEEDJOIN
SEQNBR*...+. 1 ...+. 2 ...+. 3 ...+. 4 ...+. 5 ...+. 6 ...+. 7 ...+. 8 200 A R ITMALL JFILE(SEEDDETP SEEDITEM)
300 A J JOIN(SEEDDETP SEEDITEM)
400 A JFLD(ITM1 ITEM#)
500 A* SEEDDETP FIELDS
600 A RECNO 4S 0 COLHDG('Record 'Number')
700 A TEXT('Record Number')
800 A DELETE 1A COLHDG('Delete')
900 A TEXT('Delete Code (D)')
1000 A CUST# 6S 0 COLHDG('Customer 'Number')
1100 A TEXT('Customer Number')
1200 A STNAME 25A COLHDG('SHIP-TO NAME')
1300 A TEXT('SHIP-TO-NAME')
1400 A STSTR 25A COLHDG('SHIP STREET')
1500 A TEXT('SHIP STREET')
1600 A STCITY 25A COLHDG('SHIP CITY')
1700 A TEXT('SHIP CITY')
```

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PFU builds a print definition, or PFD, that defines how information from the database file will be merged with other output elements (such as text, page segments, overlays, and bar code). PFU defines a record layout and a page layout. The record layout defines the composition of one database record. In this example, each record is a line item within a customer invoice. The page layout defines how one or multiple record layouts are positioned on the page. This can be done through a one-to-one relationship, or as in this case, we can place up to 30 records or labels on a page.
From the AFP Utilities main menu, options 11-14 are Print Format Utility functions. Since Print Format Utility can “compose” output that includes overlays and page segments, you could use Overlay Utility and Resource Management Utility to build and manage those resources. We select option “11” to build a print definition.

**Figure 131. AFP Utilities Main Menu**

From the AFP Utilities main menu, options 11-14 are Print Format Utility functions. Since Print Format Utility can “compose” output that includes overlays and page segments, you could use Overlay Utility and Resource Management Utility to build and manage those resources. We select option “11” to build a print definition.

**Figure 132. Work with PFD Definitions Display**

From the “Work with PFD Definitions” display, we select option “2” to change a definition called “ITEMLBL” for the Super Sun Seeds item labels.
The main selection screen shows the options that can be used in building the application. We have selected the options to specify the database file, define break fields, design record layout, and design page layout.

We select SEEDJOIN as the target database file for this application.

Figure 133. Change PFD Definition Display

The main selection screen shows the options that can be used in building the application. We have selected the options to specify the database file, define break fields, design record layout, and design page layout.

Figure 134. Specify Database File Display

We select SEEDJOIN as the target database file for this application.
The "Design Record Layout" display shows the layout of a record (a label) in screen view mode. Design elements include text, bar code, lines, boxes, page segments, and database fields. Fields from the database are specified by using a "&" prefix and "." suffix. For example, the specification "&WEIGHT;" is the field WEIGHT.

When you press F4, the Change Text Detail screen is displayed.

**Figure 135. Design Record Layout Display**

The “Design Record Layout” display shows the layout of a record (a label) in screen view mode. Design elements include text, bar code, lines, boxes, page segments, and database fields. Fields from the database are specified by using a “&” prefix and “.” suffix. For example, the specification “&WEIGHT;” is the field WEIGHT.

When you press F4, the Change Text Detail screen is displayed.

**Figure 136. Change Text Detail Display**

This displays the detail of the text line positioned at .20 inch down and .40 across. This text line contains both constant data (“uom”) and fields from the database (“&uom;”). A continuation display prompts for the font to be used in printing the text and fields.
The Design Record Layout screen, with design elements of the label, can also be displayed in list view, as shown above. This view not only gives a summarized listing, but also facilitates line commands on specific elements (such as move, copy, remove, and restore. You can also change an item by placing the cursor on the desired line and pressing PF14.

With the “Design Page Layout” display, you can place one or more copies of the record layout on the page. Each record layout is filled by variable data from an individual record in the selected database file. With the Super Sun Seeds item labels, we want to use 8-1/2 by 11 inch label stock and position labels three across and ten deep. If we select the first record layout, we can see the record positioning.
This display shows that the record layout is replicated three across and ten down.

### Summary

As you can see, Print Format Utility is very similar in format and interface to Query for AS/400. Unlike Query, PFU creates AFP pages, not simple reports. PFU’s ability to define “subpages” and then replicate those segments across and down a physical page makes it appropriate for use with applications such as multiple-up barcoded labels. In addition, since PFU works directly with a database file, it can be used for one-time or ad hoc reports and documents.
Chapter 16. Using the Client Access/400 AFP Viewer

Advanced Function Presentation

The use of the term Advanced Function Presentation for AFP indicates the extension of AFP architecture and support beyond printing. AFP creates documents that need to be viewed, faxed, merged with scanned information, indexed, and archived, in addition to being printed.

The AFP Workbench Viewer provides the capability to resolve and view graphically AFP documents. It can also view other printed formats, such as SCS and ASCII, as well as a number of image file formats. Once viewed on the client, a document or image can be annotated, reprinted, or faxed from the client. The AFP Workbench Viewer is integrated into Client Access/400.

Summary of View-Related Applications

The ability to view a fully composed AFP document on a PC screen offers many advantages:

- Increased end-user productivity
  - Allows you to proof your output before printing it
  - Allows you to view information online instead of printing it
- Reduced paper use
  - Saves money by purchasing less paper
  - Is environmentally friendly
- Enhanced customer service
  - Allows a customer service representative to immediately access a customer statement online
  - Provides a view of the complete customer statement just as it was printed

Many AS/400 applications now take advantage of the AFP Workbench Viewer so their output may easily be viewed by users at intelligent workstations.

- Client Access/400 now includes a subset of the AFP Workbench Viewer. This provides all users with a graphical interface that allows them to see a list of AS/400 spooled files. Double-clicking on any item in the list invokes the AFP Workbench Viewer, and brings up an image of that document on the PC display.
- Facsimile Support for AS/400 uses the AFP Workbench Viewer to display incoming fax documents.
- OnDemand for AS/400 supports the archival and retrieval of AFP and SCS documents. OnDemand can be used to display documents that have been retrieved.

Designed for high volume, customer service environments, OnDemand for AS/400 provides hierarchical storage management across magnetic, optical, and tape devices. The OnDemand server allows indexes such as customer name and account number to be created and stored for AFP files, giving the user quick and simple navigation through thousands of statements.

- ImagePlus/400 and Workfolder Application Facility (WAF) generate image documents on the AS/400. These documents can be viewed using the AFP Workbench Viewer.
• IBM EDMSuite OnDemand for AIX provides archival and retrieval of AFP formatted documents, as well as line-mode and image documents, much like OnDemand for AS/400.

AS/400 applications that require indexing, archival, and retrieval of a high volume of AFP documents can route their output to an OnDemand for AIX server for these functions.

**Client Access/400 Viewer Details**

AFP Workbench Viewer functions are available to all Client Access/400 clients.

You can view OS/400 spooled files, as well as documents in shared folders, on a LAN, or on a PC. The standard PC file types are supported (TIFF, PCX, DCX, DIB, GIF). Also you can print the document on a locally attached printer, clip portions of a document to create new documents, use the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows to create AFP documents from PC applications, and annotate documents.

The following functions are part of the AFP Workbench:

- Client management of OS/400 spooled files
- View AFP, SCS, and ASCII files
- View TIFF, PCX, DCX, and DIB image files
- Attach notes (annotation) to a displayed document
- Copy selected pages to a file
- Create AS/400 overlays and page segments from any Windows application
- Print viewed document or image
- Search spooled file for target keywords
- Select and copy data to clipboard
- Print (or any print driver operation, such as fax)
- View controls, including zoom, page rotation, etc.

**AFP External Resources**

A typical AFP document is "architected" with references to external page elements such as fonts, overlays, and images (page segments). The Client Access/400 AFP Viewer graphically displays the entire document, including these external elements.
Overlays and Page Segments

In order to understand this process, consider the case study of the Super Sun Seeds Invoice. When that job is a spooled file in an output queue, it contains references to page segments (Super Sun Seeds logo, and others like the strawberry, tree, and flower). It also contains references to several different AFP overlays (the different variations of the invoice form). These resources are not “inline” with the spooled file; they are simply referenced by the spooled file. If this job is released to an IPDS, AFP(*YES) printer, PSF/400 gathers all the resources and sends them to the printer along with the spooled file.

For Windows 95 and Windows NT clients of Client Access, the spooled file is sent along with the externally-referenced overlays and page segments. For OS/2 and Windows 3.1 clients, these resources must be available in a shared folder or PC file directory. If these resources are not already available within a shared folder or PC file directory, they must be copied there. Detailed instructions for copying overlays and page segments can be found in “Appendix C. Setting Up the Client Access/400 Viewer to View AFP Resources” on page 305.

Fonts

The AFP Workbench Viewer uses PC-resident fonts to display documents. This means that the font used in the AS/400 document will be matched as closely as possible with a font available on the PC when the document is displayed with the AFP Workbench Viewer.

By default, the PC uses True Type fonts, which are included with Windows. If the PC also has Adobe Type Manager (ATM) fonts installed and active, the AFP Workbench Viewer uses these fonts to display documents. ATM must be purchased separately from the AFP Workbench Viewer.
For best fidelity when viewing AFP documents, you should use IBM Expanded Core fonts when creating a document, have ATM on your PC, and obtain the AFP Expanded Core Type 1 fonts for your PC. ATM Version 3.02 or higher is recommended. (ATM 3.0 or higher is needed for Windows 95. ATM NT is needed for Windows NT.) The Type 1 Expanded Core fonts for PC are available in the IBM AFP Font Collection product (5648-113) or by contacting the IBM Support Center and placing a request on the AFP Workbench queue.

### AFP Data Types Not Supported by the AFP Workbench Viewer

The following types of AFP data are not supported by the AFP Workbench Viewer:

- Bar Code Object Content Architecture (BCOCA)
- Spooled files associated with a page definition, which may not display correctly

### Using Client Access/400 to View Spooled Files

Follow this procedure to use Client Access/400 to view spooled files on your PC screen.

**Note:** These instructions are for a Windows 95 or Windows NT environment. For OS/2 instructions, see Client Access/400 for OS/2 documentation and online help.

1. Open the Client Access/400 Window.

![Client Access/400 Window](image)

*Figure 141. Client Access/400 Window*
2. Double-click on the AS400 Operations Navigator icon (called System Object Access in Windows 3.1). You will see icons representing various AS/400 system information that can be accessed from the PC client.

![Figure 142. Operations Navigator Window](image)

3. Double-click on the Output icon. This displays a list of AS/400 spooled files. This is the same information that would be displayed on the AS/400 using the WRKSPLF command, but it is presented in an easy to use graphical format.

4. You can customize the information that appears in the Output List. Select View on the title bar of the Printer Output List window, and then select Columns. From here you can select which columns of information you want to see, and in what order.

![Figure 143. Columns](image)
5. You can also specify which printer output you want to list, by User, Printer, Output Queue, and so on. Select View on the title bar of the Output List window, and then select Include. You can make any changes to the following window:

![Include Printer Output](image)

Figure 144. Include Printer Output

6. Once you have the Output List organized to your liking, you can double-click on any spooled file in the list. This automatically invokes the AFP Workbench for OS/2 and Windows Viewer, which allows you to do the following:

- See your spooled file on the display.
Use the AFP Workbench Viewer functions such as zooming, rotating, and so on.

- Print the viewed spooled file to a locally attached printer (if function is available)

### Calling the AFP Workbench Viewer Directly from Your Application

The AFP Workbench Viewer can also be called directly from your application program. You can use the Start PC Command (STRPCCMD) to invoke the Viewer program (CWBVIEWR). The program needs to be passed the complete ID of the target spooled file. For an example, see the `SEGMENT` and `OVERLAY` commands in [Appendix I. AS/400 SEGMENT and OVERLAY Commands](#) on page 343.
Electronic AFP documents enable changes in the ways documents have been traditionally handled within an organization. A document can be created, then used in a number of "downstream" business processes. Let's take a look at several IBM AS/400 applications that work with AFP.

Among the AS/400 applications that utilize AFP are:
- Facsimile Support for AS/400 (FAX/400)
- OnDemand for AS/400 (OnDemand)
- OfficeVision/400 (OV/400)

Using Facsimile Support for AS/400

Facsimile Support for AS/400 provides comprehensive facilities to manage fax within your organization. It can handle inbound faxes, receiving, managing, viewing, and printing those documents. It can send any spooled information on your AS/400 outbound, including setting up and managing the transmission. It can also send data from a PC client that is attached to the AS/400 via Client Access/400 and using the AFP device for IBM Facsimile Support for AS/400. This PC client can be a Windows NT, Windows 95, Windows 3.1, or OS/2 client. Facsimile Support for AS/400 emulates the AFP function of the IBM 3816 printer. This enables it to handle any image or coded (AFP) data, whether it is in the compressed image format of an inbound fax or in the AFP format of a spooled file.

Super Sun Seeds Case Study

Facsimile Support for AS/400 works well with the Super Sun Seeds case study by providing the ability to fax a copy of the Super Sun Seeds invoice to a customer. Assuming that the information being faxed, an invoice or set of invoices for a specific customer, resides in an individual spooled file. Faxing is done most easily by providing a reprint program that selects and reprints specific invoices.

The following section shows how the invoice can be faxed.

From the Facsimile Support for AS/400 main menu, select option 5, “Outbound Fax”. The Outbound Fax Commands Display appears.
Select option “1” to work with a fax output queue.

**Figure 146. Outbound Fax Commands**

You are prompted for output queue information. Select output queue SUPER in library QGPL.

**Figure 147. Work with Fax Output Queue (WRKFAXQ)**

You are prompted for output queue information. Select output queue SUPER in library QGPL.

**Figure 148. Work with Fax Output Queue**
The spooled files in the SUPER output queue are displayed. Select "1" (Send fax) to send the INVNEW2 spooled file as a fax. If you have set up a fax profile that has the environment of 2 = Enhanced, you will see the Submit Fax (SBMFAX) command.

![Send Fax (SNDFAX) display]

Send Fax (SNDFAX)

Type choices, press Enter.

Send to:
Telephone number . . . > 3039246300
To line 1 for cover page . . . > 'Improved Printing Corp'
To line 2 for cover page . . . > 'Performance Boulevard'
To line 3 for cover page . . . > PRINTERSVILLE

Spooled file . . . > INVNEW2
Job name . . . > QPADEV0003
User . . . > WCSHAFF
Number . . . > 104946
Spooled file number . . . > 1
Transmission mode . . . > FINE
Create cover page . . . > YES

More...

F3=Exit  F4=Prompt  F5=Refresh  F12=Cancel  F13=How to use this display
F24=More keys

Figure 149. Send Fax Display

Type in the fax information, including “send to” information, phone number, and company name: Improved Printing Corporation. Specify “YES” in the “Create Cover Page” field to have Facsimile Support for AS/400 generate a cover sheet for the fax.

![Send Fax (SNDFAX) display (continued)]

Send Fax (SNDFAX)

Type choices, press Enter.

Cover page printer file . . . > QPFFCVP
Library . . . > QPADEV0003
Title line for cover page . . . Invoice Confirmation
From lines:
From line 1 for cover page . . > Super Sun Seeds
From line 2 for cover page . . > BLANK
From line 3 for cover page . . > BLANK
Comment for cover page . . . > Please review

More...

F3=Exit  F4=Prompt  F5=Refresh  F12=Cancel  F13=How to use this display
F24=More keys

Figure 150. Send Fax Display (continued)

On this continuation display for Send Fax, specify the printer file name for the cover page and the “To” information. The printer file QPFFCVP is an AFP data stream printer file used to support the fax transmission. The Super Sun Seeds fax cover page overlay is shown below:

![Figure 150. Send Fax Display (continued)]
Specify the cover page overlay name (SSSFAX) as the front overlay name in the QPFFCVP printer file.

Once the requested fax has been sent, it is listed on the outbound fax queue. The outbound fax (INVNEW2) is listed on this queue. When the fax is physically sent, the Super Sun Seeds cover page with the fax information also is sent, followed by the Super Sun Seeds invoice for Improved Printing.
From this display you can also select option “5” to display the spooled file being sent (the invoice).

Display Spooled File

File . . . . .: INVNEW2 Page/Line 1/12
Control . . . .: Columns 1 - 78
Find . . . . .:

*...+....1....+....2....+....3....+....4....+....5....+....6....+....7....+

IMPROVED PRINTING CORP
PERFORMANCE BOULEVARD
PRINTERSVILLE
CO 45789-2637

100 31300 3/09/96 4/09/96
01100517 2.39 2.39
04569870 858.32 7,724.88
11005004 2.50 30.00
11005011 92.23 10,706.76
11005018 .38 9.88
11057893 3.35 11.75
15975365 129.09 129.09
32746510 1.20 39.60
46578913 50.00 300.00
56413213 7.65 15.30

F3=Exit  F12=Cancel  F19=Left  F20=Right  F24=More keys
Bar codes not displayed.

Figure 153. Display Spooled File

You can see a non-graphical display of the invoice. With Client Access/400 viewing support, you can display a complete graphical display of the invoice.

Using OnDemand for AS/400

IBM OnDemand for AS/400 (OnDemand, previously known as R/DARS) is an application solution to store large volumes of data and retrieve selective data, whether on disk, optical, or tape storage media. It provides computer output to laser disk (COLD) and extended archiving functions for the AS/400.

OnDemand:
- Provides a functionally rich, cost effective application solution to store and retrieve large volumes of data
- Provides users with a powerful search and browse capability to locate specific information
- Extracts index values, and compresses and stores data on disk, optical, or tape storage media
- Manages the life cycle requirements of data and automatically moves data to the appropriate media
- Helps reduce cost by eliminating the need to print to paper or microfiche, improving the usability of report information, increasing productivity, and enhancing customer service capabilities
- Offers a powerful administration system, both menu-driven and graphical, for data definition, management, and security
Super Sun Seeds Case Study

OnDemand complements the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application well, providing a comprehensive system to manage documents after they have been issued. The spooled file of multiple invoices can be defined to OnDemand, automatically indexed, compressed, and stored or archived to disk, optical, or tape media. Super Sun Seeds invoicing information can then be easily retrieved, down to the individual invoice.

The invoice can also be reprinted or faxed (using Facsimile Support for AS/400). This saves the Super Sun Seeds Company money by not needing to print multiple copies of invoices for their records, not needing to send the data to microfiche, and not needing to keep large spooled files on their AS/400. It more significantly improves productivity and customer responsiveness by providing the capability for customer service representatives, for example, to view, print, and fax invoices right from their desks while speaking with customers.

The following example shows how the invoice spooled file is defined by OnDemand using the menu-driven administration system. A new graphical report definition tool is also available for point-and-click definition of key values, etc.

```
Create Report Definition - Environment  OD400
                                       1/08/98  14:09:29
Report . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : INVOICES
Version . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : 01
Report type . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : DOC
Input record length . . . . . . . . . . . : 133
Collection name . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : INVCOLL
Report overlay . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : 
Report data type . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : *AFPDS
Report group . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : 
Translate print control . . . . . . . . . . : N Y=Yes, N=No
Printer file . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : 
Library . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : 
Text . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . : Super Sun Seeds invoices
Posting date type . . . . . . . . . . . . . : 1

Press Enter to continue.
F3=Exit  F12=Cancel
```

Figure 154. Create Report Definition - Environment

Filling in the fields on the display begins the OnDemand definition of the Super Sun Seeds invoices. Identify the name by which users will retrieve the invoices (INVOICES). Enter information regarding the attributes of the report, and desired migration characteristics (when to move the compressed data to optical or tape; for example, defined elsewhere within OnDemand as Collection name INVCOLL). Identify that this is an AFP data stream spooled file, and enter a meaningful description of the spooled file for easy recognition by users. You can also tell OnDemand to take the invoice date that is printed on the invoice itself and use that as the date stamp by which users will later search for this set of invoices.
The definition display shown above tells OnDemand how to break up the entire spooled file into separate, multipage invoices. OnDemand doesn’t care how many pages belong to each invoice - that number can vary - as long as you tell OnDemand how to determine when one invoice ends and the next one begins within the spooled file. OnDemand has to do this “segmenting” so that users can retrieve a specific invoice rather than have to scroll through the entire spooled file to find a particular one.

Specifically, the display tells OnDemand to look for a change in a 5-character field in column 33 on line 5. This field represents invoice number. This tells OnDemand to watch for a change in invoice number. When a change is detected, OnDemand knows that the end of the previous invoice has occurred, and that the start of a new invoice has begun. When a user retrieves an invoice, OnDemand knows what pages belong to what invoice.
The display above shows the OnDemand definition for the first search field (key), which was chosen to be the invoice number. This tells OnDemand where the invoice number appears on the printed page. Notice that you can use pivot values (character literals that print near the data you are defining) if the key value is not always on the same line within the invoice. A pivot value was not needed to find invoice number in this example.

The same technique can be used to define other keys used for retrieval, such as customer number and customer name. You can also define display fields such as invoice total, which can be valuable information to extract related to each invoice.

The INVOICES are defined to OnDemand one time, and then each time the invoices spooled file is created (weekly or monthly, for example), the spooled file can be automatically captured and stored within OnDemand. There are a number of ways to automate the process so that no operator intervention is required.

Once the invoices are stored, the real value of OnDemand becomes obvious, because it provides the capability to quickly and easily find any invoice ever stored. Once found, an invoice can easily be viewed, printed, or faxed using a variety of end-user interfaces, as illustrated below.

Examples are presented beginning with those that show the least graphical interface, with samples of a 5250 interface on a non-programmable terminal. Examples at the end of this section show the new graphical user interface.

**For Non-programmable Workstation Users**

The next few screens show what is displayed on a non-programmable workstation.

![Figure 157. Specify Report Search](image)

As a user searching for an invoice, the first step is to tell OnDemand what you are looking for. In the case study, you are looking for INVOICES, so enter it in the display shown above. You also could have entered a partial report name (such as INV*) or pressed the F4 function key to see a list of all reports to which you are authorized. You can also enter a date range to narrow your search, or simply leave the date range blank to see all invoice runs stored in OnDemand.
Figure 158. Specify Report Result

Select the most recent run of invoices, and press Enter to continue.

Figure 159. Specify Document Search

On this display, enter the search criteria. You may know the actual invoice number or you may need to review all the invoices for a particular customer number or customer name for the last six months (by expanding the date range near the bottom of the display). You may also enter customer name IMP* to save keystrokes and let OnDemand find any invoices for customers with names beginning with IMP (such as IMPROVED PRINTING COMPANY). In the example, search for all invoices that begin with 313.
Figure 160. Specify Document Search with Invoice Number

Pressing Enter after typing the search criteria results in the display below:

The display above shows a list of all invoices found that meet the search criteria. Notice that this display shows the invoice date, the three key field values (invoice number, customer number, and customer name) and the informational field (invoice total). It is possible that you can answer a significant number of inquiries about invoices simply by coming to this display to tell a customer the total dollar amount on their invoice, and then faxing or reprinting a copy for them.

Figure 161. Work with Documents

The display above shows a list of all invoices found that meet the search criteria.

Figure 162. Work with Documents - Selecting Option 5
If you want to view the invoice, enter option “5” to display the invoice. Depending on your particular environment, you may see one of the following two resulting displays.

When you select option “5” to display the invoice and you are working on a non-programmable terminal, then OnDemand will invoke a “best efforts” view of the data portion of the AFP data stream on the terminal. This enables users without a workstation to be able to view the data portion of an AFP data stream invoice at their desk. It appears as shown in Figure 163.

![Figure 163. Display Spooled File](image-url)

This invoice, in its fully-resolved form, can be reprinted or faxed, if available, from the non-programmable terminal.

**For Programmable Workstation Users with AFP Viewer**

The next few screens show what is displayed on a programmable workstation with AFP Viewer installed.

Select option “5” to display the invoice, as described above, and if you are working on a programmable workstation that has the IBM Client Access/400 AFP Viewer software installed, then OnDemand will invoke the viewer to display a fully-resolved AFP data stream invoice (as shown in Figure 164 on page 252).
For Programmable Workstation Users with OnDemand Client

For a completely graphical interface, OnDemand now offers a client/server end-user interface to the archived data. Rather than using a 5250 screen as described previously, end users can invoke the client directly from an icon on the Windows or OS/2 desktop.

After logging into the server via the dialog box that appears when you click on the OnDemand icon, a list appears with folders (reports) to which you are authorized. The following screen is an example.

Figure 164. CA/400 Viewer Display of Super Sun Seeds Invoice
To open a folder, double-click on a folder name or select a folder name and then choose **Open**. The Search Criteria and Document List dialog box is displayed.

To search for documents, first enter your search criteria by typing text into any of the search entry fields and selecting a search operator. Then choose any of the powerful search operators, such as equal to, not equal to, like, between, greater than, and less than. Simply click on the operator to select it.

When you have entered your search criteria and chosen your search operator, select **Search**. OnDemand fills the documents list with the documents that satisfy your search criteria and updates the status bar with a count of the documents. From this list, you can either choose a single document to view or select multiple documents to view simultaneously.

**Figure 165. OnDemand Display of a Folder (Report) List**

**Figure 166. OnDemand Search Criteria and Document List Dialog Box**

**Figure 167 on page 254** shows an example of a fully-resolved AFP data stream document displayed by the Client Viewer. You can either print or fax (if available) the document from your workstation.
Using OfficeVision/400

OfficeVision/400 (OV/400) uses AFP function to significantly enhance the quality of documents it can produce. OV/400 can incorporate images, graphic data files, and electronic overlays into its documents. Combined with OV/400’s capabilities to merge application data into documents, this provides some very powerful application possibilities.

For example, company logos, company letterhead, and business forms can all be merged into a document which is, in turn, merged with records from a database file. You can use OV/400 to create sales letters or dunning letters. You can create “form-intensive” applications, such as insurance or mortgage applications, that combine text, overlays, and application data into customer documents.

Super Sun Seeds Case Study

A complement to the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application is a sales or accounts receivable letter application. A marketing letter with OV/400 has been created and is to be sent to the Super Sun Seeds customers. The Overlay Utility of Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 was used to create a Super Sun Seeds letterhead overlay (BEANLTR), shown in Figure 168 on page 255.
Using the front overlay parameter of the printer file for the OfficeVision/400 document, specify the BEANLTR overlay as shown in Figure 169 on page 256.
The Super Sun Seeds customer letter (BEANLTR) is displayed above. It is being sent to Super Sun Seeds customers, and will be merged with variable data in the customer master file.

On the OfficeVision/400 “Print Options” display, specify that the document will use the BEANLTR printer file. In the BEANLTR printer file, the Super Sun Seeds letterhead overlay (BEANLTR) is specified as the front overlay.

OV/400 merges the sales letter document, the BEANLTR overlay, and variable data from the customer master to produce letters like the one shown in the following sample:

Dear Valued Customer:

Super Sun Seeds has a long tradition of providing some of the finest seed and garden products at competitive prices while also providing our continuing award-winning customer service.

Figure 169. Super Sun Seeds Letter on OfficeVision/400

The Super Sun Seeds customer letter (BEANLTR) is displayed above. It is being sent to Super Sun Seeds customers, and will be merged with variable data in the customer master file.

Figure 170. OfficeVision/400 Print Options

On the OfficeVision/400 “Print Options” display, specify that the document will use the BEANLTR printer file. In the BEANLTR printer file, the Super Sun Seeds letterhead overlay (BEANLTR) is specified as the front overlay.

OV/400 merges the sales letter document, the BEANLTR overlay, and variable data from the customer master to produce letters like the one shown in the following sample:
Because it also is possible to include a signature as an image in an OfficeVision/400 document, the signature can be omitted from the overlay and specified in the document. A signature included as an image in a document can be printed dynamically anywhere on the page. See "Using Images with OfficeVision/400" on page 258 for more details.

Additional Examples of Overlays with OfficeVision/400

Printing Front and Back (Odd and Even) Page Overlays

You can print a page overlay on the front sides of a two-sided (duplex), multipage OfficeVision/400 document and print a different page overlay on the back sides of the document. This format is beneficial for publishing applications in which the finished document is bound on the left edge or placed in a notebook.

In the following example, a company procedures manual is a multipage, duplexed OfficeVision/400 document. The front (odd) pages (1, 3, 5, and so on) have the company logo in the upper right corner, but the back (even) pages (2, 4, 6, and so on) have the company logo in the upper left corner.

1. Preparation assumptions:
   - The front and back page overlays are already available on the AS/400
   - A printer file exists specifying the name of the front page overlay and the back page overlay
2. At print time, specify the following in the OfficeVision/400 Print Options:
• The name of the printer file containing the names of the front and back page overlays
• The type of page printing as duplex (two-sided)

The front overlay prints on odd-numbered pages and the back overlay prints on even-numbered pages when you use a duplex-capable, AFP-configured printer.

**Printing a Letterhead Overlay Only on Page 1 of a 4-Page Letter**

In this example, the following is assumed: Barbara Brown has her own letterhead containing her name, the company name, address, and logo; her letterhead is used for page 1 only of her letters. Subsequent pages use plain paper.

1. Preparation assumptions:
   • The letterhead page overlay is already available on the AS/400
   • A printer file exists specifying the name of the letterhead page overlay as the front page overlay and "NONE" as the back page overlay
   • There is only one document for each spooled file

2. At print time, specify the following in the OfficeVision/400 Print Options:
   • The name of the printer file containing the name of the letterhead page overlay.
   • The FORM TYPE is "$OVLxxx", where "xxx" can be any characters you choose, or blanks. Specifying "FORM TYPE = $OVL" is the KEY to printing letterhead page overlays. "$OVL" is the trigger that causes the front page overlay specified in the printer file to be used for page 1 only.

Page 1 of the letter prints with a letterhead. The remaining three pages of the letter use plain paper.

**Using Images with OfficeVision/400**

OfficeVision/400 supports the use of images within OfficeVision/400 documents. The OfficeVision/400 office editor supports two image file types: IOCA and RFT. Usually, the IOCA file type has a file extension of "IMG" or "ICA". Images used by OfficeVision/400 are stored as images in a folder. OfficeVision/400 cannot use page segments (images objectized for AS/400, then named and stored as AS/400 object type *PAGSEG). Use the following steps to implement images in your OfficeVision/400 documents:

1. Start the OfficeVision/400 editor by entering WRKDOC on the command line or by using menu options.
2. Either create a new document or revise an existing one.
3. Store the image in the document. Do this by pressing “F5=Goto” and then entering “gg”, for Get Graphic. On the Get Graphic display, enter the file and folder name information. Make sure the folder that contains the image is the one listed on the folder name prompt. Press “F4” for a list of images in that folder. From this list, select the image you want to include in your document. You may have both IOCA and RFT images in this folder and will see that RFT image types may contain more than one image. Select your choice and press Enter. When you are returned to the Get Graphic display, press Enter again. A message is displayed at the bottom of the edit display reading “Graphic ?????? copied successfully”.
4. At this point, the image is saved in the document but we have not specified where to physically place it for printing. To place it for printing, position your
cursor at the location where you want to print the image. After you have positioned the cursor, press “F5=Goto” and then enter “gr” to display the Graphic Instruction display. On the Graphic Instruction display, specify the image name, graphic type, size, margin, and instruction length information. Because it is possible to have more than one image in a document, you must supply the image name. Press “F4” to list the image names in the document. Select the image you want to print in the document. Press Enter. The “Graphic Instruction” display appears again.

On the “Graphic Instruction” display, the Graphic Type will be “2=Image”, and “Width & Length” are normally the dimensions of the original graphic. You cannot resize or scale the image. If you enter a dimension smaller than the original graphic, the graphic will be cropped. “Print with text Y or N” is specified if you intend to have text and image on the same printed page. “Indent from paper edge” is the amount of space indented from the left edge of the paper, and “Instruction length” is the length of the graphic instruction you want to display on the edit display.

5. You can view graphics by pressing “F5=View graphic”. After you have entered the information required on the Graphic Instruction display, press Enter to place the instruction in the document. Your graphic must be saved as compressed to view it on the display. To view graphics, you must have a workstation with graphic-viewing capability.

6. You can now exit, save and print the document.
Chapter 18. Network Printing

AS/400 printing traditionally meant printing lines of print records on twinax-connected impact printers. Much has changed - electronic printing applications, printer technology, LANs and LAN applications, the extended computing network.

The emergence of LANs in AS/400 customer locations has created two separate print environments: AS/400 host-centric printing of SCS or AFP output and LAN printing of PC-generated output, usually in a PCL or PostScript format. More and more AS/400 customers are looking for ways to integrate these two separate environments. Figure 172 takes a look at AS/400 requirements from an applications perspective.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>AS/400 Legacy Applications</th>
<th>AS/400 AFP Applications</th>
<th>LAN Applications</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Output</td>
<td>Lines of text</td>
<td>Sophisticated documents with fonts, images, graphics, bar codes, electronic forms...</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Data Stream</td>
<td>SCS</td>
<td>AFPDS, IPDS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Bi-Directional for error recovery</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Yes</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Print Technology</td>
<td>Mostly impact; some laser</td>
<td>Mostly laser; some impact</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Printer speed ranges</td>
<td>Up to 2,200 lpm or &gt;729 ppm</td>
<td>Up to 1,200 lpm or &gt;729 ppm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Typically up to 24 ppm, can be up to 40 or 50 ppm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Figure 172. SCS, AFP, and LAN Printing Applications

Traditional AS/400 output is lines of text and/or data in SCS printed a line at a time on mostly impact printers. AFP applications are sophisticated pages of output in first AFP (system) then IPDS (printer) format printed on mostly laser printers. The AS/400 natively supports only AFP and SCS directly. ASCII is supported through transforms of AFP and SCS, or via an individual application (which is transparent to the AS/400).

As the AS/400 is a multi-user, data processing system, the output applications tend to be line-of-business with significant page volumes.

LAN applications also produce sophisticated pages of electronic output, most in either PCL or Postscript format. LAN applications tend to be personal with lower volumes.

Many AS/400 customers have applications in all three categories and want the flexibility to handle the output with AS/400 print management and common printers.
Figure 173 takes a closer look at the network printing flow, revealing the complexity in moving output from application to printer. Applications work under different operating systems and use different resources and printer languages to compose pages. Once composed, print files may be managed by different operating systems and print managers. They may also move across the network, using different communication protocols (TCP/IP, SNA) and different LAN topologies (Token Ring, Ethernet).

In a network-centric environment, TCP/IP is the standard communications protocol. TCP/IP has rapidly become a standard within AS/400 installations. AS/400 network printing enables print files to be moved from AS/400 to network, from network to AS/400, and from AS/400 to other systems. We will look at a number of these network printing scenarios.

In many network print environments, print data must also be transformed. For SCS or AFP print files, the following perform conversion to ASCII formats:

- Host Print Transform
  - SCS to ASCII
  - AFP to PCL
- Advanced Print Services—Warp Server (formerly Print Services Facility for OS/2 or PSF/2)
- Print Services Facility for AIX
- Client Access/400 and Rumba print emulators

For Postscript and PCL print files, transforms are performed by:

- Client Access/400 Virtual Print
- Network Print Server (via APIs)
- Print Services Facility for AIX

Host Print Transform is covered in more detail at the end of this chapter.
Let’s look first at moving AS/400 print files to LAN-connected printers. Figure 174 shows AS/400 print and attachment internals and a simplified LAN structure.

Output files can be sent to:

- LAN-attached IPDS printers directly, with complete print management
- IPDS or PCL printers attached to Warp Server
- Client Access/400-attached ASCII printers
- ASCII printers attached to Non-Programmable Terminals (NPT)
- Printers managed by the Netware integrated server
- Other printers using Network Print Server APIs.

**LAN-attached IPDS Printer**

Until Version 3 of OS/400, printing to a system-attached twinax printer and printing to a network-attached printer were two very different propositions. With system-attached printers printing SCS and IPDS applications, you had printer file functionality, interactive print process management, and complete error recovery. With network-attached printers, much of this control and function was missing. Standard TCP/IP printing is done through a simple file transfer called Line Printer Requestor (LPR). Most of the AS/400 printer file function and all of the print management control is missing. The spooled file is simply sent to an IP address. An IPDS connection applies an interactive, bi-directional print protocol to this environment. Except for auto-configuration, LAN-attached IPDS printers function the same as system-attached printers. Figure 175 on page 264 illustrates the conceptual flow from AS/400 (using PSF/400) to the LAN-attached IPDS printer.
LAN Print Servers

LAN print servers can receive print jobs from AS/400 and manage those files to either IPDS or ASCII printers. IBM LAN print servers include:
- InfoPrint Manager for AIX
- Print Services Facility for AIX (PSF/AIX)
- Advanced Print Services for OS/2 (formerly Print Services Facility/2, or PSF/2)

Printing can be asynchronous or synchronous. With an asynchronous connection, print files are transferred from AS/400 and handled independently by the LAN print server. With a synchronous connection, called Print Services Facility Direct or PSF Direct, printing passes through the LAN print server directly to the target printer. The printers defined to and attached to the LAN print server appear to AS/400 as direct-attached printers.

Distributed Print Function (DPF)

DPF is used to connect an AS/400 to a printer driven by Advanced Print Services. DPF can simultaneously route printed output from several AS/400 systems to different PC-attached printers. In DPF, each printer has a unique device definition on the PC workstation and each connection between an AS/400 and a printer has a unique DPF host receiver. The host receiver is responsible for spooling each AS/400 print file to the PC workstation spool. When the print file and print resources have arrived at the PC workstation, the DPF host receiver sends them to the printer queue. From the DPF printer queue, the print file is sent to the connected LAN print server printer.

The combinations of AS/400s and printers supported is limited by the number of DPF sessions. A session is defined as a connection between a host and a printer, with the printer being equivalent to a host receiver. You can have up to ten AS/400s connected to the same printer, one AS/400 connected to 10 printers, or any combination of hosts and printers that equals ten.
PSF Direct

PSF Direct enables you to print directly to printers attached to IBM’s LAN print servers - Advanced Print Services (Warp Server) and PSF for AIX. PSF Direct functions include:

- Support for wide range of IPDS and non-IPDS printers
- Host notification when print files have successfully completed printing, rather than when they were spooled
- Immediate printing while subsequent pages are being transmitted
- Support for additional AFP function such as multiple-up, printer-resident outline fonts, and host-resident outline fonts

Client Access/400-attached ASCII Printer

Emulated printer support (currently SNA) is available to send AS/400 output to printers attached or available to the Client Access/400 client. Data stream conversion from AS/400 SCS (or in some cases, AFP Data Stream) to ASCII is done either by the Client Access/400 print emulator, or by Host Print Transform (HPT).

LAN-attached ASCII Printer (Lexlink Protocol)

ASCII printers can be directly connected to the LAN using one of the following attachments:

- IBM 4033
- MarkNet XLe device
- Lexmark MarkNet or MarkNet XL Integrated Network Option (sometimes referred to as Internal Network Adapter, or INA)

The AS/400 uses a function, called the LAN Print Driver Program, to direct output to printers using these attachments. The IBM 3912/16 and 3112/16 printers are among those supported the OS/400 LAN Print Driver.

LAN-attached ASCII Printers (TCP/IP)

AS/400 can route print to LAN ASCII printers using TCP/IP. This includes the IBM Network Printer 12, 17, and 24 and the IBM 3130 as well as non-IBM ASCII printers with appropriate network attachments. There are two methods to direct print to these printers: (1) Send TCP/IP Spooled File, and (2) the PJL Driver.

Send TCP/IP Spooled File

Send TCP/IP Spooled File is the AS/400 implementation of the standard TCP/IP print file transfer, called LPR or Line Printer Requestor. The AS/400 spooled file is sent to an IP (Internet Protocol) address. The printer must be capable of receiving an LPR transmission—this capability is called LPD, or Line Printer Daemon. With Send TCP/IP Spooled File, the print file is simply sent. There is no print management by AS/400. The transmission has the following characteristics:

- Entire file is sent.
- Some printers ignore the control file that is sent along, losing job control.
- This is a one-way transmission—no control, status, error recovery.
- Entire spooled file is resent on transmission errors.
- Most printer file parameters on AS/400 are inoperable.
• Cancel printing will yield unpredictable results.

**PJL File**

The PJL Driver (available with V3R7 and later releases) increases the network printing function beyond what is provided by Send TCP/IP Spooled File. With the PJL Driver, a printer device description is created (unlike the case with Send TCP/IP Spooled File). This facilitates a dialog between AS/400 and printer, although this dialog is limited in comparison with IPDS. The PJL Driver supports the copies and page range parameters of the printer file. Some status information is returned from the printer.

**Integrated Netware Print Support**

The Integrated Netware PC Server provides a closely-coupled Netware server under the covers of AS/400. AS/400 can send print files (after they are converted to ASCII by Host Print Transform) to any Netware-connected printer.

**Automatic Session Recovery**

Because customers have requested that PSF/400 have the ability to automatically attempt to re-establish an APPC or TCP/IP session with a printer or print server (PSF for OS/2 and PSF for AIX) when that session has been "lost," PSF/400 V4R2 now supports automatic session recovery. Lost sessions can occur because of network or printer problems that happen after a successful session has been started. Now you can correct the printer or network problem without having to monitor the status of the printer writer.

The parameter AUTOSSNRCY of the CRT/CHG/PSFCFG commands lets you select *YES to automatically attempt to reconnect to a printer or print server when the connection has been lost after a connection was successfully started. You can control the number of pages that may be reprinted in the case of an automatic session recovery by changing the ACKFRQ (acknowledgment frequency) parameter. The default is 50, meaning that an IPDS acknowledgment request is sent to the printer after each 50 pages. Setting a lower number for ACKFRQ increases the frequency at which acknowledgments are sent, thus reducing the number of pages that may be reprinted after automatic session recovery. However, performance may be degraded by setting ACKFRQ to a small value.

The configuration object parameter RETRY is now applicable to both APPC-attached and TCP/IP-attached printers. RETRY determines the total number of attempts to restart a session with a printer. For printers attached with TCP/IP, the wait time between retries is always approximately three minutes. For APPC-attached printers, the wait time between retries can be controlled by the RETRYDLY parameter in the configuration object.

**PC Output to AS/400 Printers**

**Client Access/400 Virtual Print**

Virtual Print enables a user to print from PC applications, such as WordPerfect or Lotus 123, to AS/400-defined printers. For example, LPT2 can be mapped to PRT02.
Figure 176 shows one example of a basic network structure for moving client print applications to the AS/400.

For full-page client applications (using Postscript or PCL), the print data stream must be converted into IPDS. Figure 177 shows how ASCII print from a Windows application flows to an AS/400-connected IPDS printer. The IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows is used to generate AFP from the PC application, rather than an ASCII data stream like PCL or PostScript. This process is transparent to the user. The PC print job is automatically intercepted by Virtual Print and re-directed to an AS/400 Output Queue associated with an IPDS printer.

Figure 177. Printing Client applications on AS/400 printers

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Figure 177. Printing PC applications on AS/400 IPDS printers
Network Print Server

The Network Print Server is the AS/400 component that handles virtual printing. The network print functions used with virtual printing are also available via APIs (Application Program Interfaces). These APIs enable client/server applications to invoke network print function.

LAN Output to LAN Printers

Providing SCS, AFP, and ASCII print support in a single printer does not necessarily require using print transform services. Some printers now provide all of these capabilities. These are workgroup or departmental printers, and they feature multiple attachments to multiple print servers (including the AS/400) while handling multiple print data streams.

The IBM 3130 and the IBM Network Printers are examples of workgroup printers with these capabilities. They can be simultaneously connected to multiple systems (up to three). For example, they can be twinax connected to the AS/400 and Ethernet connected to the LAN. The printers will dynamically switch between print jobs sent by the connected systems. With a feature called automatic sensing, these printers determine which print data stream has been received and the print data stream is correctly resolved. Figure 178 shows a typical multi-connection environment for a workgroup printer.

AS/400 Output to Other Systems’ Printers

Network printing can also mean moving AS/400 print files to other AS/400s, to other AFP systems, and to other systems in general. Remote output queue and printer pass-thru enable one AS/400 to treat queues and printers on another AS/400 as if they were local resources. Once the connection is established, you have complete AS/400 print functionality.

AFP print files can be sent to other AFP systems. All required AFP resources (i.e., fonts, overlays, page segments) must be on the target system in order to print.
Finally, any print file can be sent to another system and printed using LPR/LPD support. This is a TCP/IP facility for sending and receiving print files. Some considerations on LPR/LPD printing:

- Target system must be accessed by TCP/IP
- Once sent, there is feedback on when the print file has been spooled, but no feedback on whether or not the file has been printed.
- Certain job characteristics contained in the AS/400 printer file are not sent and SNDNETSPLF will lose certain job characteristics when a file is sent to another system.

**Host Print Transform**

Host Print Transform is a print writer subsystem that converts native AS/400 print formats (SCS, AFP, and IPDS) into ASCII format. The basic transforms are:

- SCS to ASCII
- AFP to HP-PCL or Lexmark PPDS

With Version 4 Release 2, the transform facility has been extended to include the following:

- Postscript, GIF, and BMP formats as input
- AFP and HP-PCL formats as output

These additional print and image transforms can be handled automatically through the spooling system, or invoked separately through AS/400 commands.

**Note:** IPDS is not supported as input to HPT.

Host Print Transform services are automatically invoked when the target printer device is an ASCII printer. That determination is made by the Host Print Transform parameter in either the printer device description or the output queue description (in the case of remote output queue).

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**Figure 179. Host Print Transform**
HPT is based on a set of tables, called Workstation Customization Objects (WSC Objects) that contain objects defining how SCS and AFP print data are to be translated into ASCII (for example, PCL or PPDS) to support a specific printer. These tables, in essence, are printer drivers for these printers. They cross-reference SCS and AFP printer controls to the ASCII equivalents for a given printer. The tables also filter out commands that a specific printer cannot handle.

You do not have to specify the WSC Object directly. The Manufacturer Type and Model parameter of the printer device description provides an extensive list of ASCII printers. Selecting a printer from this list will in turn point to the appropriate WSC Object. It is possible to modify the WSC Object if necessary (for example, to map the DRAWER parameter on the AS/400 to a specific input drawer on the printer).

Understanding that the Workstation Customization Object is the driver behind Host Print Transform becomes important if you need to change any aspect of the way the Workstation Customization Object works. Workstation Customization Objects are provided in both source and object form. You can use Source Entry Utility (SEU) to modify the table information within a Workstation Customization Object.

Modifying the printer input drawer is an example of an change you might want to make. For this example, assume that your print job is printing envelopes and using the manual input feeder for those envelopes. The DRAWER parameter in the AS/400 printer file is set to *ENV. This parameter is translated by the Workstation Customization Object for the specific ASCII printer as the manual input drawer on the printer. If you upgrade your printer by adding an automatic envelope feeder, the table in the Workstation Customization Object has to be modified so that is now translates the *ENV parameter to the new automatic envelope feeder. The target command has to be changed to the ASCII control codes that select the automatic envelope feeder. For SCS print files, HPT assumes that the target printer can emulate an IBM 3812 SCS printer. Again, HPT filters out any print function the target printer cannot perform.

The AFP to ASCII print transform is automatically invoked when the input print job is AFP Data Stream. HPT converts the AFP data stream into HP PCL or Lexmark PPDS print data streams. This transform works in one of two ways: raster or mapping. Raster mode builds an image of the page in AS/400 memory to send to the printer. This method provides support for non-page printers such as ink jets. This method provides the best fidelity, but the worst performance. In Mapping mode, AFP data stream commands are mapped into similar commands in the PCL or PPDS data stream. This method is generally faster than Raster mode, but limits function to that supported by the ASCII printer, so fidelity may be an issue. Fonts, as always, can cause trouble when using HPT. In raster mode, host resident fonts are always used to get the character images. Printer resident fonts used in the AFP document are mapped to host resident fonts. In mapping mode, HPT can convert AS/400 host resident fonts to PCL and PPDS fonts and download them to the ASCII printer. This provides good fidelity and consistency, but impacts performance. Requests for printer resident fonts are passed to the ASCII printer and the “best fit” logic of the ASCII printer determines the actual font that is used. This may result in unpredictable and inconsistent output.

The AFP to ASCII Host Print Transform has the following limitations or considerations:

- No Multi-up
- No GOCA (includes large characters created using CHRSIZE)
- No OV/400 or other SCS documents with overlays
- No IPDS error recovery
• Font fidelity
• Performance

Using the AFP transform services of Host Print Transform can complement your AFP applications. HPT facilitates the use of ASCII printers when IPDS printers are not available or not required. An example might be the Super Sun Seeds invoicing application. The normal invoicing run can be printed using an IPDS printer. When a specific invoice needs to be reprinted, either locally or in a remote office, then the AFP to PCL transform can be used with an ASCII printer. In such a case, you trade the advantages of AFP for cost and convenience.
Chapter 19. Cross-System Printing

In many work environments today, printing across networked computer systems is a daily requirement. As an architected, structured print system, AFP can help you print to and from IBM and non-IBM systems. The same printing subsystem runs in all IBM operating systems, and data stream transforms are available in some of these to transform common data streams from other systems. AS/400 further helps printing on remote systems through the Start Remote Writer (STRRMTWTR) command, which enables spooled output files to be sent automatically to other systems using SNA Distribution Services (SNADS) or Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP).

Cross-System Printing Overview

Cross-system printing involves transmitting print requests from one system to another.

On AS/400, the creation of print files is similar to that on other platforms, but the implementation is different. AS/400 uses a printer file to define the attributes of the printed output, and the spooled file, with attributes, is passed to the target system.

Other systems cannot process the AS/400 printer file but may map some or all attributes specified in the printer file to corresponding attributes in the AS/400 system. The architected AFP resource objects (form definition, overlays, fonts, and images) can be processed in all operating systems. Page definitions can be processed in all AFP environments except OS/2 with PSF/2, which requires additional business partner software.

PSF/400 is included as a chargeable feature on AS/400 as part of the OS/400 operating system. PSF/400 is similar to PSF in other operating systems, although the interfaces to it are different in each system.

Supported Data Streams and Formats

AS/400 applications can produce spooled files in the following data streams:

- SCS (SNA Character String)
- IPDS (Intelligent Printer Data Stream)
- AFP Data Stream (Advanced Function Printing Data Stream)
- LINE (Line-mode data stream, or IBM 1403 printer data stream on S/370)
- AFPDSLINE (Line-mode data stream mixed with AFP data stream)
- USERASCII (ASCII data stream, including PostScript)

An ASCII data stream, including PostScript, can also be placed in a spooled file, in which case the device type is USERASCII. Such a spooled file could be created by a PC or Network Station application and spooled to AS/400 by the virtual print function of PC Support/400. You also can create or purchase AS/400 applications that build their own data stream in ASCII.

The type of data stream produced is determined by the DEVTYPE parameter of the printer file associated with the application.

If you intend to send print files to another system, you should limit your use of DEVTYPE to data streams that can be printed on the target system or that can be transformed by network software programs.

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Managing Resources Across Systems

Managing resources across systems involves device and system interchangeability (inline as opposed to externally referenced resources), transferring resources across systems, and automatic resource management with Print Services Facility for OS/2 and PSF/AIX.

Device and System Interchangeability

An AFP data stream spooled file created using Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 or sent from S/370 may contain references to AFP resources (overlays, page segments, fonts, and so on). Spooled AFP data stream files refer to these AFP resources as either inline resources or external resources. Inline and external resources are described as follows:

**Inline resource**

- The AFP resource object is physically contained in the spooled AFP data stream file. Control characters are placed around individual resources in the spooled file to indicate where the resources begin and end.

- If an AFP data stream file contains the AFP resources inline, they do not need to be sent to the target system separately.

**Note:** You can only create an AFP data stream spooled file that includes inline resources if you use the AFP Toolbox or PrintManager/400.

**External resource**

- The AFP resource is a separate object from the AFP data stream file. The spooled file has a reference to a resource name at the position where the resource is to be printed. When an AFP data stream file that refers to external AFP resources is sent to the target system, the external resources must be sent to the target system as a separate step.

If the AFP resources are not resident on the target system or not inline in the spooled AFP data stream file, the spooled file will not print correctly.

Transferring Resources Across Systems

With cross-system AFP printing, you will need to transfer AFP print resources between systems. The following sections describe transferring resources between these systems:

- One AS/400 System to Another AS/400 System
- MVS to AS/400
- AS/400 to MVS
- VM to AS/400
- AS/400 to VM

**Transferring Resources using TCP/IP:** The following TCP/IP commands can be used to transfer resources between systems instead of the SNA commands. When using TCP/IP, you transfer the file by FTPing it. Complete the following instructions to FTP the file. The basic FTP commands are printed in bold.

1. `ftp xxxxx` (xxxxx = system name or IP address that you are accessing)
2. Enter Login User ID.
3. Enter Password.
4. `bin` (to set binary image mode)
5. **put XXXXX.xxxx** (XXXXX.xxxx is the name of the resource to be sent to the remote system.)

6. **quit** (to end FTP session)

Other useful FTP commands:
- **lpwd** = local directory
- **pwd** = remote directory (Library on AS/400)
- **get** = get file from remote system and place on local system
- **ls** or **dir** = list files
- **mget** or **mput** = get or put multiple file (Example: mput afp*)
- **help** = list of commands available on this server

**Transferring Resources from AS/400 to AS/400:** In certain instances, if you have Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 installed on only one system for example, you may want to transfer AFP print resources from one AS/400 system to another AS/400 system.

If both systems have a common media (tapes or diskettes), the resources can be placed in a library and saved to the media using the SAVLIB command, or the resources can be saved individually using the SAVOBJ command. On the receiving system, the libraries and objects are restored using the RSTLIB and RSTOBJ commands.

You also can transfer resources using a communications line by putting the resources in a save file and then sending the save file to the target system. This procedure is described below:

1. Create the save file by issuing the following command:
   
   ```
   crtsavf savf(transfer) lib(afplib) text
   ```

2. Save the AFP resources to the save file by entering savobj and then pressing the F4 key. The Save Object Command panel is displayed. Enter the values you want in the fields of the Save Object Command panel and press Enter.

3. Send the file to the target system by issuing one of the following commands:
   
   **With SNA:**
   ```
   sndnetf file(afplib/transfer) tousrid(elwood rchasm01)
   ```

   **With TCP/IP (FTP):**
   ```
   put XXXXX.xxxx
   ```

   (file name of resource to be sent to remote system)

   **Note:** When sending savefiles to another AS/400, a blank savefile must exist on the receiving AS/400 and the (replace parm specified on the put command. The command = **put savefile.savf (replace**

4. Before receiving the file on the target system, check to see if the target system has a file to receive the data. If one does not exist, create it by issuing the following command:
   ```
   crtsavf file(afplib/transfer)
   ```

5. **With SNA only:** Receive the file on the target system by issuing the following command:
   ```
   rcvnetf fromfile(transfer) tofile(afpfile/transfer)
   ```

   **Note:** Skip this step if you if you used FTP to send the file.
6. Restore the object from the save file by entering `rstobj` and pressing the F4 key. The Restore Object Command panel is displayed. Enter the values you want in the fields of the Restore Object Command panel and press Enter.

**Notes:**

a. If you restore the AFP resources into a new library, add the library name to the library list of the receiver of the spooled files.

b. If you want to use tape or diskettes to transfer you AFP resources, just replace `*SAVF` in the Device filed of the Restore Object Command panel with the device name; for example, TAP01 or DKT01.

**Transferring Resources from MVS to AS/400:** AFP print resources can be transferred from MVS to AS/400 either by tape or, if a telecommunication connection is available between MVS and AS/400, by using the MVS transmit command (XMIT) to send the resources and the AS/400 RCVNETF command to receive them.

The MVS command to send the resources might look like the following:

```
xmit node.userid da(level1.level2(member)) seq
```

**Note:** The SEQ parameter is required so that the resources being sent can be in a form that the AS/400 can accept when the corresponding RCVNETF command is issued to receive the resources.

**Transferring Resources from AS/400 to MVS:** AFP print resources on the AS/400 are objects, such as overlays (of the type `*OVL`) and page segments (`*PAGSEG`). These resources can only be transferred to MVS after they have been converted, using a program like Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400, to physical file members. The physical file member then can be sent to MVS and received as an AFP resource without further conversion.

**Transferring Resources from VM to AS/400:** AFP print resources can be transferred from VM to AS/400 either by placing the resources inline with the print file or by making them available in an AS/400 library before the print request is submitted.

The resources file is either moved to a tape file using the MOVEFILE command in VM and then moved manually to the AS/400 system, or it is sent by way of a communications link to the AS/400. On the AS/400 system, the file then is either copied from tape onto disk using the CPYFRMTAP command, or it is received with the RCVNETF command as a physical file member.

**Transferring Resources from AS/400 to VM:** AFP print resources on the AS/400 are objects, such as overlays (of the type `*OVL`) and page segments (`*PAGSEG`). These resources can only be transferred to VM after they have been converted, using a program like Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400, to physical file members. The physical file member then can be sent to VM and received as an AFP resource without further conversion.

**Note:** When putting an AS/400 savefile (`savf`) to VM, enter FTP command **site fixrecfm 528** to specify fixed record format with 528 byte records before entering the **put** command.
Printing Between AS/400 and System/390

When printing jobs between AS/400 and System/390 (S/390), you need to take into account print job attributes, data stream considerations, resource management, and print job management.

When working with print job attributes, S/390 parameters and AS/400 printer file parameters, you need to know how they match across systems. The MVS S/390 FCB parameter, for example, which specifies the printer file used, is the FILE parameter on AS/400. See Table 5 and Table 6 on page 278 for a more complete listing of these matching parameters.

The S/390 parameters shown in Table 5 and Table 6 on page 278 are supported when data is sent directly to the output queue of a user on the AS/400 system.

If an S/390 printer parameter that is not in the following tables is specified and there is no matching or equivalent AS/400 printer file parameter, the S/390 printer parameter is ignored when the data is printed on the AS/400 system.

The following System/390 parameters are supported when data is sent directly to the output queue of a user on the AS/400 system.

If a System/390 printer parameter that is not in this table is specified, and there is no matching or equivalent AS/400 printer file parameter, the System/390 printer parameter is ignored when the data is printed on the AS/400 system.

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<td>BIN</td>
<td>PSF</td>
<td>Specifies which drawer or bin the paper is taken from.</td>
<td>DRAWER</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>CC</td>
<td>PRINT, PSF</td>
<td>Specifies control characters.</td>
<td>CTLCHAR&lt;sup&gt;1&lt;/sup&gt;</td>
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<td>CHARS</td>
<td>SPOOL</td>
<td>Specifies a table of coded fonts.</td>
<td>AFPCHARS</td>
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<td>COPY</td>
<td>SPOOL</td>
<td>Specifies the number of copies.</td>
<td>COPIES</td>
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<tr>
<td>DATACK</td>
<td>PSF</td>
<td>Specifies whether or not the printer will block print positioning and invalid character errors. Twinaxial attached printers will always block print positioning and invalid character errors unless the printer file used to create the spooled file has the fidelity parameter value set to *ABSOLUTE.</td>
<td>No equivalent AS/400 parameter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DEST</td>
<td>TAG</td>
<td>Specifies node and user ID.</td>
<td>No equivalent AS/400 parameter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DUPLEX</td>
<td>PSF</td>
<td>Specifies if duplex printing is to be used.</td>
<td>DUPLEX</td>
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<td>FCB</td>
<td>SPOOL, TAG</td>
<td>Specifies the printer file used.</td>
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<td>FORM</td>
<td>SPOOL</td>
<td>Specifies the form type to be used.</td>
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<td>PSF</td>
<td>Specifies the form definition to be used.</td>
<td>FORMDF</td>
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<td>PSF</td>
<td>Specifies the page definition to be used.</td>
<td>PAGDFN</td>
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<td>PRMODE</td>
<td>PSF</td>
<td>Specifies the device type, ideographic character data, processing shift-out/shift-in characters.</td>
<td>DEVTYPE, IGCDTA, IGCOSI</td>
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<td>TRC</td>
<td>PRINT, PSF</td>
<td>Specifies if the data stream contains table reference codes.</td>
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### Table 6. MVS System/390 Parameters

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<td>DD, OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies a table of coded fonts.</td>
<td>AFPCHARs</td>
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<td>CONTROL</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies line spacing.</td>
<td>No equivalent AS/400 parameter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>COPIES</td>
<td>DD, OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies the number of copies.</td>
<td>COPIES</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DATAck</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies whether or not the printer will block print positioning and invalid character errors. Twinaxial attached printers will always block print positioning and invalid character errors unless the printer file used to create the spooled file has the fidelity parameter value set to *ABSOLUTE.</td>
<td>No equivalent AS/400 parameter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DCB=RECFM</td>
<td>DD</td>
<td>Specifies control characters.</td>
<td>CTLCHAR²</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DEST</td>
<td>DD, OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies node and user ID.</td>
<td>No equivalent AS/400 parameter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FCB</td>
<td>DD, OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies the printer file used.</td>
<td>FILE</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FORMDEF</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies the form definition to be used.</td>
<td>FORMDF</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>FORMS</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies the form type to be used.</td>
<td>FORMTYPE</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PAGEDEF</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies the page definition to be used.</td>
<td>PAGDFN</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>PRMODE</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies the device type, ideographic character data, processing shift-out/shift-in characters.</td>
<td>DEVTYPE, IGCANDTA, IGCOSIS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TRC</td>
<td>OUTPUT</td>
<td>Specifies if the data stream contains table reference codes.</td>
<td>TBLREFCHR</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

You should be aware of the following considerations when working with S/390 MVS parameters:

**FCB**
If you specify the FCB parameter on MVS, the printer file of that name in the library list of the user receiving the spooled file on the AS/400 system is used. If the FCB parameter is not specified, the AS/400 system printer file QSYSPPRT is used.

**BIN and DUPLEX**
If neither the BIN nor DUPLEX parameter values nor the form definition is specified from MVS, the values for the AS/400 system DRAWER and DUPLEX parameters are taken from the printer file specified in the FCB parameter. If the FCB parameter is not specified, the DRAWER and DUPLEX values are set to *FORMDEF, which means that the values are taken from the form definition.

**FORMDEF**
If the form definition (FORMDEF) parameter is not specified from MVS, the AS/400 system form definition parameter value is set to *DEVD, and *LIBL is used for the library. *DEVD means the form definition used is the one specified in the device description for the printer you want to use.

AS/400 produces SCS, IPDS, AFP, USERASCII, and AFPDSLINE data streams. If you are using NJE, the SCS data stream will be transformed into EBCDIC line data when sent from AS/400 to the S/390. If you generate an AFP data stream print job on the AS/400, you must use the STRRMTWTR command to send it to the S/390.

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1. In order to correctly print System/390 line data with first-character forms control, each channel value specified in the CTLCHAR parameter must have a unique line number associated with that channel value.
2. In order to correctly print System/390 line data with first-character forms control, each channel value specified in the CTLCHAR parameter must have a unique line number associated with that channel value.
The AFPDSLINE data stream (line-mode data stream mixed with AFP data stream) also is supported when printing between AS/400 and S/390. The IPDS and USERASCII data streams are not currently supported when printing between AS/400 and S/390. See “Supported Data Streams and Formats” on page 273 for more information on supported data streams.

The management of resources when printing between AS/400 and S/390 is the same as that between AS/400 and any other system; see “Managing Resources Across Systems” on page 274 for more information.

After data has reached the S/390 spool, all job management is done by the S/390 system. No print job completion messages and no accounting information are sent to the AS/400.

**Using the VM/MVS Bridge and NJE**

The VM/MVS bridge provides the following functions:

- Distribution services between an AS/400 SNADS and an S/390 Virtual Machine/Remote Spooling Communication Subsystem (VM/RSCS) using either BSC or SNA. The bridge must be SNA if the Network Job Entry (NJE) protocol is used.
- Distribution services between an AS/400 SNADS and Multiple Virtual Storage/Job Entry Subsystem (MVS/JES), either JES2 or JES3, using SNA.
- Sending or receiving of files, messages, input streams, and spooled files between S/390 and object distribution users.
- Distribution of documents created by a document interchanges session.
- Distribution of PC files, RFT/FFT documents, notes, and messages between users on OfficeVision/400, DISOSS, or any DIA/SNADS node connected to the bridge.

**Using Network Services and the Remote Writer**

A remote writer is an OS/400 program that takes spooled output files from a remote output queue and sends them to the specified remote system. The remote writer, which is a system job, sends the spooled output files using SNADS or TCP/IP. This process is called remote system printing on AS/400 and the Start Remote Writer (STRRMTWTR) command is used to begin remote system printing.

**Printing Between AS/400 and AIX**

AS/400 users can print their AS/400 files on printers attached to the RISC System/6000 (RISC/6000) and RISC/6000 users can print their files on printers attached to AS/400. You can send print files between the two systems in all of the major data streams: ASCII, PostScript, AFP, IPDS, and so on. The connection between the two systems can be either SNA or TCP/IP.

Refer to *IBM AS/400 Printing IV* for more information.
Using an AFP Printer to Print PostScript Output

If you use an IBM Network Station or PC to run applications that generate a PostScript data stream, you can print on an AS/400-connected printer. The AS/400 converts the PostScript data stream to AFP data stream so that it can print on an AS/400 IPDS printer. For example, many Web browsers generate PostScript data streams only. If you are working on a Network Station connected to an AS/400 server, you can print from the browser on an AS/400-supported printer—an IBM 3160, for example.

In order to enable this conversion from PostScript to AFP data stream, you must set the IMGCFG parameter in the printer's device description correctly for that printer.

Table 7. Image Configuration Objects by Printer

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Printer</th>
<th>IMGCFG Parameter</th>
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<tr>
<td>IBM 3130, 3160-1 AF Printer (240-pel mode)</td>
<td>*IMGC01</td>
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<td>IBM 3130 AF Printer (300-pel mode), 3935 AF Printer</td>
<td>*IMGC02</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 3825, 3827, 3828 AF Printer</td>
<td>*IMGC09</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 3825, 3827, 3828 AF Printer (w/AFIG)</td>
<td>*IMGC01</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 3829 AF Printer</td>
<td>*IMGC01</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 3835-001, IBM 3835-002, 3900AF Printer (w/AFIG)</td>
<td>*IMGC05</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 3912, 3916 Page Printer with IPDS features (twinax)</td>
<td>*IMGC06</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 4028 LaserPrinters</td>
<td>*IMGC06</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IBM 4312, 4317, 4324 NP w/IPDS feature (twinax and LAN)</td>
<td>*IMGC06</td>
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<tr>
<td>IBM InfoPrint 20 and InfoPrint 32</td>
<td>*IMGC06</td>
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<td>IBM InfoPrint 60</td>
<td>*IMGC03</td>
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<td>IBM InfoPrint 62 Model 2</td>
<td>*IMGC05</td>
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<td>IBM InfoPrint 4000 High Resolution</td>
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The following table presents descriptions of the image configuration parameters listed in the previous table.

Table 8. Image Configuration Descriptions

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<th>IMGCFG Parameter</th>
<th>IDPS Printer</th>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC01</td>
<td>IPDS 240-dpi printer</td>
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<td>*IMGC02</td>
<td>IPDS 300-dpi printer</td>
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<td>IPDS 600-dpi printer</td>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC04</td>
<td>IPDS 1200-dpi printer</td>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC05</td>
<td>IPDS 240-dpi printer with no-print border</td>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC06</td>
<td>IPDS 300-dpi printer with no-print border</td>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC07</td>
<td>IPDS 600-dpi printer with no-print border</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>*IMGC08</td>
<td>IPDS 1200-dpi printer with no-print border</td>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC09</td>
<td>IPDS 240-dpi printer (IM/1 image)</td>
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Table 8. Image Configuration Descriptions (continued)

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<th>IMGCFG Parameter</th>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC10</td>
<td>IPDS 240-dpi printer (IM/1 image) with no-print border</td>
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<tr>
<td>*IMGC11</td>
<td>IPDS 240-dpi printer (CCITT G4)</td>
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## Appendix A. IBM Printers and Compatibility Considerations

This appendix lists IBM Printers for AS/400.

### IBM Printers for the AS/400 (Impact - Twinax & ASCII)

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<th>IBM Printer</th>
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<tr>
<td>4224-1C2</td>
<td>400 cps</td>
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<td>4230-101</td>
<td>375 cps</td>
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<td>-1S2, -102</td>
<td>480 cps</td>
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<td>(-000)</td>
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<td>6400-004</td>
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### Twinax or ASCII Attachment, Impact Printers

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### Technology

- Dot Matrix
- Dot Matrix 18 wire
- Dot Matrix 9 wire
- Dot Band
- Line Matrix
- Varies by print quality mode

### Resolution

- 144 x 144
- Varies by print quality mode

### Attachment

- Twinax (-1XX), Serial (-3XX)
- Twinax OR Serial/Parallel (-4XX)
- Twinax Serial/Parallel LAN via NPS
- Varies by print quality mode

### Emulation/Data Stream

- IPDS (-1XX), ASCII (-3XX)
- IPDS (-111,-102,-4I3), SCS (-101,-1S2,-4S3), ProPrinter or 4224-3XX (-4XX)
- ASCII (-A00)
- SCS (-001)
- ProPrinter or Epson FX80-1050
- ProPrinter Printronics Emulation
- SCS, IPDS Opt.
- Cde V, IGP

### Features

- Heavy Duty
- IPDS graphics, bar code
- Easy to use
- Dual Twinax/ASCII attachment (-4XX Mods)
- Very Quiet (53 dBA)
- Heavy duty
- Easy to use
- Very quiet (53 dBA)
- Replaced by 6400-xxx
- Withdrawn from Mktg
- IPDS graphics, bar code
- Up to 6 inputs
- 2 continuous forms
- Up to 8-part forms
- Quiet (55 dBA)
- Heavy Duty
- Very Quiet (52 dBA)
- Low cost of operation
- Code V, IGP bar code options, IPDS option
- Replaced by 6400-xxx
- Withdrawn from Mktg
- Heavy Duty
- Very Quiet (52 dBA)
- Low cost of operation
- Code V, IGP bar code options, IPDS option

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### Twinax or ASCII Attachment, Impact Printers

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<td>6412-CT0 -A00 -CTA</td>
<td>1200 lpm</td>
<td>Line Matrix</td>
<td>Varies by print quality mode</td>
<td>Twinax (-CT0), Serial/Parallel (-A00), Twinax OR Serial/Parallel (-CTA)</td>
<td>SCS (-CT0), ProPrinter, Epson Graphics, (-A00) Opt. IPDS (-CTA), Opt. Code V, Opt. IGP</td>
<td>Replaced by 6400-xxx Withdrawn from Mktg Heavy Duty Very Quiet (55 dBA) Low cost of operation Code V, IGP bar code options, IPDS option (-CTA)</td>
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<tr>
<td>6252-T08 -T12 -AP8,-AS8 -AP2,-AS2</td>
<td>800 lpm 1200 lpm 800 lpm 1200 lpm</td>
<td>Engraved Character Band</td>
<td>Fixed Character</td>
<td>Twinax (-TXX), Serial/Parallel (-AXX)</td>
<td>SCS (-TXX), ProPrinter (-AXX)</td>
<td>Quiet (55 dBA) Very Small footprint Total front access</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6262-T12 -T14 -T22 -A12 -A14 -A22</td>
<td>1200 lpm 1400 lpm 2200 lpm 1200 lpm 1400 lpm 2200 lpm</td>
<td>Engraved Character Band</td>
<td>Fixed Character</td>
<td>Twinax (-TXX), Serial/Parallel (-AXX)</td>
<td>SCS (-TXX), ProPrinter (-AXX)</td>
<td>All except -X22 models withdrawn High speed line printing, High-speed forms stacking, Small footprint</td>
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Note: All IBM printers feature round-the-clock IBM maintenance.

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### IBM Printers for the AS/400 (Non-Impact - Twinax & ASCII)

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<tr>
<td>4028-AS1</td>
<td>10 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300</td>
<td>Twinax</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
<td>Good AFP Performer Envelope option 20,000 imp/month Cut sheet/simplex</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3112-001</td>
<td>12 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300, 600 x 600 1,200 x 1,200 (PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Serial/Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring, LocalTalk</td>
<td>IPDS SCS PCL5e PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>No longer available Internal INA Option 50,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3116-001 -002 -003</td>
<td>16 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300, 600 x 600 1,200 x 1,200 (PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Serial/Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring, LocalTalk</td>
<td>IPDS SCS PCL5e PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>Internal INA Option 50,000 imp/month -001 75,000 imp/month -002 75,000 imp/month -003 Cut sheet/duplex</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3912-AS0 -AS1</td>
<td>12 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300, 600 x 600 (PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Serial/Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS (-AS1) SCS (-AS0) HP-PCL5 PostScript</td>
<td>No longer available Envelope option 50,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<tr>
<td>3916-AS0 -AS1</td>
<td>16 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300, 600 x 600 (PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Serial/Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS (-AS1) SCS (-AS0) HP-PCL5 PostScript</td>
<td>No longer available Envelope option 75,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<tr>
<td>Network Printer 12 (4312)</td>
<td>12 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300 (IPDS), 600 x 600 (PCL, PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Serial/Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS, SCS, PCL5e, PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>&quot;Real&quot; IPDS 1 Internal NIC Option Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<tr>
<td>Network Printer 17 (4317)</td>
<td>17 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300 (IPDS), 600 x 600 (PCL, PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS, SCS, PCL5e, PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>&quot;Real&quot; IPDS 2 Internal NIC Options 10 bin mailbox Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<td>InfoPrint 20</td>
<td>20 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300 (IPDS), 600 x 600 (PCL, PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS, SCS, PCL5e, PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>&quot;Real&quot; IPDS 2 Internal NIC Opt. Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<td>Network Printer 24 (4324)</td>
<td>24 ipm</td>
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<td>300 x 300 (IPDS), 600 x 600 (PCL, PostScript)</td>
<td>Twinax, Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS, SCS, PCL5e, PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>&quot;Real&quot; IPDS 2 Internal NIC Opt. Jogger/Stapler Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<td>InfoPrint 32</td>
<td>32 ipm</td>
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<td>Twinax, Parallel, Ethernet, Token Ring</td>
<td>IPDS, SCS, PCL5e, PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>&quot;Real&quot; IPDS 2 Internal NIC Opt. Jogger/Stapler Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<tr>
<td>Network Color Printer (4305)</td>
<td>3 ipm Color</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>600 x 600 Parallel Ethernet</td>
<td>PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>Limited AS/400 support Photographic color quality EFI Fiery controller RIP-while-print</td>
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<tr>
<td>3816-01S -01D</td>
<td>24 ipm</td>
<td>EP - LED</td>
<td>240 x 240 Twinax or Serial/Parallel</td>
<td>IPDS (twinax), ASCII (Serial/Parallel)</td>
<td>Replaced by 3930 Withdrawn from mkig 80,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<tr>
<td>3130-01S -02S -02D -03S</td>
<td>30 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>240 x 240 or 300 x 300 Twinax, SNA SDLC, SNA Token Ring, TCP/IP Token Ring or Ethernet</td>
<td>IPDS, HP PCL5e, PostScript Lev 2</td>
<td>AFCCU control Unit 5 input bins 3 output bins 200,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<td>3930-02S -02D -03S -03D</td>
<td>30 ipm</td>
<td>EP - LED</td>
<td>240 x 240 (-02X), 300 x 300 (-03X) Twinax (-02X), Serial/Parallel (-03X), Ethernet (Opt.) (-03X)</td>
<td>IPDS (-02X), PPDS (-03X), HP-PCL5 (-03X), PostScript (Opt) (-03X)</td>
<td>Withdrawn 4/26/96 High Reliability, improved performance over 3816, 150,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<td>3935-001</td>
<td>35 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>300 x 300 Twinax, SNA Token Ring, SNA SDLC, TCP/IP Token Ring or Ethernet</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
<td>Withdrawn 4/26/96 AFCCU control unit 4 input bins 200,000 imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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**Note:** On all of these printers, duplex is feature or model dependent. All IBM printers feature round-the-clock IBM maintenance.
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<td>3829</td>
<td>92 ipm</td>
<td>EP - LED</td>
<td>480 x 480</td>
<td>S/370 Channel Emulator/A Adapter (PSF/2 or PSF/6000)</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
<td>High speed cut sheet printing, Smallest footprint in its class, 2 million imp/month Cut sheet/duplex</td>
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<tr>
<td>3835-001</td>
<td>88 ipm (-001), 91 ipm (-002)</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>240 x 240</td>
<td>S/370 Channel (PSF/2 or PSF/6000)</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
<td>Reliable paper path, Enhanced print quality (-002), Intelligent Post-Processing 1.8 million imp/month Continuous form</td>
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<tr>
<td>3900-001 ; -0W1, -0W3, -D01, -D02, -DW1, -DW2</td>
<td>229 ipm, 354 ipm (2-up) 232 ipm (2-up) 300 ipm (duplex) 464 ipm (dup, 2-up)</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>240 x 240</td>
<td>SNA Token Ring, TCP/IP Token Ring or Ethernet, S/370 Channel (PSF/2 or PSF/6000) Mod -001 is Channel attach only</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
<td>Exceptional reliability High speed, high volume, Enhanced print quality (-001,-0WX), 18&quot; print web (-0WX), Duplex (-DXX), Intelligent Post-Processing, 5.6 million imp/month Continuous form</td>
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<td>62 ipm</td>
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<td>240, 300</td>
<td>TCP/IP Token Ring or Ethernet, S/370 Parallel Channel</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
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<td>InfoPrint 3000</td>
<td>112 ipm (ES1) 224 ipm (ED1/ED2)</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
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<td>TCP/IP Token Ring TCP/IP Ethernet, S/390 ESCON Channel FDDI (TCP/IP)</td>
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<td>InfoPrint 4000</td>
<td>up to 1002 ipm</td>
<td>EP - Laser</td>
<td>240 240/300 480/600 600</td>
<td>TCP/IP Token Ring, TCP/IP Ethernet, S/390 ESCON channel, FDDI (TCP/IP)</td>
<td>IPDS</td>
<td>High speed, high volume, Continuous Form</td>
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**Note:** All IBM printers feature round-the-clock IBM maintenance.
Appendix B. Additional DDS Examples

“Chapter 11. Using Data Description Specifications” on page 127 showed the Super Sun Seeds invoicing with the INVNEW1 program. This example provided a nice electronic invoice, including the tailoring of the invoice pages to the application data. The chapter closed with a discussion of several enhancements that could be made to the invoicing application.

In the following sections, two different invoicing applications, INVNEW2 and INVNEW3, are shown and described. INVNEW2 provides for multiple copies, duplex, and price suppression. INVNEW3 illustrates the use of a floating form, precisely tailoring the invoice form to the data.

Figure 180 shows a sample of the output for INVNEW2.

INVNEW2 Enhanced Super Sun Seeds Invoicing

In order to produce multiple collated copies of each page, the invoice detail must be stored. Once each logical page is complete, the customer copy, packing list, and file copy can be printed. As each detail record in the invoice file (SEEDDETL) is processed, the fields for the invoice detail line are stored in the DETDS data.
structure instead of being printed. This data structure stores up to 48 detail lines. A page is completed either through overflow (38 detail lines for page one, 48 details line for a continuation page) or through end of the customer invoice.

The fields PAGCNT and PAGTYP keep track of the page number and page type, and in combination, determine what kind of page is being printed. INVNEW2 executes the subroutine PAGSR for each page to be printed (customer copy, packing list, and file copy). In turn, the subroutine PRTDET is called to print the invoice line items out of the DETDS data structure. Indicator 51, set for the packing list, controls the suppression of the price and extension fields. A terms and conditions overlay (INVBAC) is printed only on the back of the customer copy. After all the copy pages have been printed, subroutine BLKDET is called to blank the DETDS data structure.

**INVNEW2 RPG Source**

The RPG source for INVNEW2 is as follows:

```
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:47:37 1
SOURCE FILE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .....
```
the value of your documents. Several additional enhancements that could be made to Example 2 include:

1. Use of "floating" forms. With DDS dynamic positioning of document elements (e.g., line, box, segment, overlay, etc.), the invoice information could be floated. This means that the grid for detail lines is drawn as transactions are processed, and the grid is closed at the end of a specific customer's transactions. All other document elements could be similarly floated.

2. Use of multiple input and output bins of the printer to utilize different stock for different pages. For example, the packing list might use stock that embeds a barcoded packing label on it.

Data structure to store up to 48 detail lines

First pass only

Start of Customer

Start of Customer

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* Process invoice detail

*IN01 CABNE'1' ENDDET  Item Processing

*IN21 CABEQ'1' ENDDET

ADD 1 ITMCNT

Z-ADD0 EXTPRC

QTY1 MULT SELPRC EXTPRC 72

Z-ADDQTY1 QTY 40

EXTPRC ADD TOTDUE TOTDUE

CABLT38 ENDDET 38 lines on Page 1

CABLT4B ENDDET 48 lines on Page n

ITMCNT OCUR DETDS Set up DS

PAGCNT IFEQ 0

CABLT38 ENDDET

CABLT4B ENDDET

CABLT TAG

CL1 IFGT 18 No Room for PSEG

CL1 MOVE 'OF ' PAGTYP  OF page

CL1 MOVELCPY,1 PAGNAM 25

CL1 ADD 1 PAGCNT

CL1 EXSR PAGSR Print Cust Copy

CL1 SETON 51

CL1 MOVELCPY,2 PAGNAM 25

CL1 EXSR PAGSR Packing List

CL1 SETOF 51

CL1 MOVELCPY,3 PAGNAM 25

CL1 EXSR PAGSR File Copy

CL1 SETOF 52

CL1 Z-ADD0 ITMCNT Reg or Of Page Type

CL1 MOVE ' ' PAGTYP

CL1 EXSR BLKDET

CL1 ENDDET TAG

CL1 MOVEL'BARTOT BARPRC 150 Load Totals

CL1 Z-ADDTOTDUE TOTDUE 92
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Based on page number and page type, determines what overlay to use.

20000 C* use

20100 C*

20200 CSR PAGSR BEGSR

20300 C PAGTYP IFEQ 'OF '

20400 C PAGCNT IFEQ 1

20500 C MOVE 'INVFST 'OVRLAY 8

20600 C WRITEINVTOP

20700 C ELSE

20800 C WRITEINVTP2

20900 C MOVE 'INVMID 'OVRLAY

21000 C ENDFI

21100 C ENDFI

21200 C*

21300 C PAGTYP IFEQ 'END'

21400 C PAGCNT IFEQ 1

21500 C MOVE 'INVALL 'OVRLAY 8

21600 C WRITEINVTOP

21700 C ELSE

21800 C WRITEINVTP2

21900 C MOVE 'INVLST 'OVRLAY

22000 C ENDFI

22100 C ENDFI

22200 C*

22300 C EXSR PRTDET Print details

22400 C WRITEPAGEOF Pg 1 of n Msg

22500 C 30 WRITEOFFER Write Offer

22600 C 30 WRITEPAGSEG Write Segment

22700 C PAGTYP IFEQ 'END'

22800 C WRITEINVBOT Invoice Totals

22900 C ENDFI

23000 C WRITEPRTOVL Print Overlay

23100 C WRITEENDPAG End Page

23200 C*

23300 C PAGNAM IFEQ CPY,1 Back Overlay

23400 C MOVE 'INVBAC 'OVRLAY 8

23500 C WRITEPRTOVL

23600 C ENDFI

23700 C WRITEENDPAG

23800 C*

23900 CSR ENDP ENDSR

24000 C*

24100 C* Print invoice detail lines from data structure

24200 C*

24300 CSR PRTDET BEGSR
24400  C       Z-ADD1  X    20
24500  C       1 DO  48 X
24600  C       X OCUR DETDS
24700  C       ITEM# IFGT 0
24800  C       WRITEDETLIN
24900  C       ENDIF
25000  C       END
25100  CSR      ENDSR
25200  C*
25300  C* Blank out data structure
25400  C*
25500  CSR      BLKDET BEGSR
25600  C       1 DO  48 X
25700  C       X OCUR DETDS
25800  C       MOVE=BLANKS UQM
25900  C       MOVE=BLANKS ITMDES
26000  C       Z-ADD0 QTY
26100  C       Z-ADD0 ITEM#
26200  C       Z-ADD0 SELPRC
26300  C       Z-ADD0 EXTPRC
26400  C       END
26500  CSR      ENDSR
26600  C* Set up Date
26700  CSR      DATESR BEGSR
26800  C       Z-ADDUDAY PAYDA
26900  C       UMONTH ADD 1 PAYMO
27000  C       PAYMO IFGT 12
27100  C       Z-ADD1 PAYMO
27200  C       UYEAR ADD 1 PAYR
27300  C       ELSE
27400  C       Z-ADDUYEAR PAYYR
27500  C       ENDIF
27600  C       MOVE PAYDAA PAYDAT 60
27700  C       Z-ADDPAYDAT PAYDA@ 60
27800  CSR      ENDSR
27900  C* Set up Offer at end of invoice
28000  *
28100  *
28200  CSR      OFFSR BEGSR
28300  C       SLSSED IFGE 500
28400  C       Z-ADD1 IX 20
28500  C       MOVE 'FLWRNB 'PSEG 8    Seed
28600  C       SETON 30
28700  C       GOTO WRTOFR
28800  C       ENDIF
28900  C       IFGE 500
29000  C       SLSFRT
29100  C       Z-ADD7 IX   Strawberry
29200  C       MOVE 'STRWNB 'PSEG
29300  C       SETON 30
29400  C       GOTO WRTOFR
29500  C       ENDIF
29600  C       SLSSUP IFGE 500
29700  C       Z-ADD13 IX  
29800  C       MOVE 'TREENB 'PSEG  Tree
29900  C       SETON 30
30000  C       GOTO WRTOFR
30100  C       ENDIF
30200  C       SLSCHM IFGE 500
30300  C       Z-ADD19 IX  
30400  C       MOVE 'BETLB 'PSEG  Beetle
30500  C       SETON 30
30600  C       GOTO WRTOFR
30700  C*
30800  C       GOTO ENDOFR
30900  C*
31000  C       WRTOFR TAG

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INVNEW2 DDS Source

The DDS source for INVNEW2 is as follows:

```
31100 C  MOVE WDS,IX OFFR@1 24  Build Offer Text
31200 C  ADD 1 IX
31300 C  MOVE WDS,IX OFFR@2 24
31400 C  ADD 1 IX
31500 C  MOVE WDS,IX OFFR@3 24
31600 C  ADD 1 IX
31700 C  MOVE WDS,IX OFFR@4 24
31800 C  ADD 1 IX
31900 C  MOVE WDS,IX OFFR@5 24
32000 C  ADD 1 IX
32100 C  MOVE WDS,IX OFFR@6 24
32200 CSR ENDOFR ENDSR
32300 C*
32400 *
32500 ** WDS WORDS FOR OFFER
32600 Thank You ....
32700 Because you have ordered
32800 over $500 of seeds this
32900 year, on your next seed
33000 order you will receive
33100 a 10% discount.
33200 Thank You ....
33300 Because you have ordered
33400 over $500 of fruit this
33500 year, on your next fruit
33600 order you will receive
33700 a 10% discount.
33800 Thank You ....
33900 Because you have ordered
34000 over $500 of trees this
34100 year, on your next tree
34200 order you will receive
34300 a 10% discount.
34400 Thank You ....
34500 Because you have ordered
34600 over $500 of stuff this
34700 year, on your next stuff
34800 order you will receive
34900 a 10% discount.
35000
35100 ** CPY Copy Name
35200 Customer Copy
35300 Packing List
35400 File Copy

*** END OF SOURCE ***
```

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Figure 181 on page 298 shows a sample of the output for INVNEW3.
Although the output looks similar, the approach is very different. Only the very top (invoice heading) and bottom (payment coupon) of the invoice are overlays.

The invoice heading overlay (INVHEAD) for page 1 is shown below.

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Figure 181. INVNEW3 Sample Invoice

Although the output looks similar, the approach is very different. Only the very top (invoice heading) and bottom (payment coupon) of the invoice are overlays.

The invoice heading overlay (INVHEAD) for page 1 is shown below.

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Figure 182. Invoice Heading Overlay for Page 1

The middle, where the actual invoice data is printed, is built as you go. The invoice grid lines are drawn vertically with each line item. At an invoice or page break, the grid for the invoice data is “closed” with a horizontal line. If this is the end of the invoice, a total box is drawn.
The INVNEW3 program is very similar to INVNEW2, except that it uses variations of the overlays - INVHEAD, INVHEAD2, and INVPAY. It also includes printer file writes as follows:

**DTGRID**

Extends the vertical lines .167 inches (6 lines per inch) with each detail line

**CLOSE**

Draws the horizontal line to close the transaction grid

**TOTAL**

Draws the total box, and prints the totals

### INVNEW3 RPG Source

The INVNEW3 RPG source is shown below:

```
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:47:38 1
SOURCE FILE ......... SAMPLER/QRPGSRC
MEMBER ......... INVNEW3
SEQNBR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8
100 * INVNEW3 - Super Sun Seeds Electronic Invoice
200 * Example 3 - Floating Invoice
300 *
400 * This is an enhancement to INVNEW1 and INVNEW2 that adds the
500 * following function:
600 *
700 * 1. Multiple copies of invoice with routing designation -
800 * "Customer Copy", "Packing List", "File Copy"
900 * 2. Overlay specifying terms and conditions to print on back of
1000 * customer copy.
1200 * 4. The invoice is a floating document. Only the invoice
1300 * header and payment coupon are static overlays. The
1400 * main part of the invoice is built dynamically using
1500 * line commands. Output format DTGRID extends the vertail
1600 * lines of the invoice detail area down. Output format
1700 * CLOSE draws the horizontal line to close the grid. Format
1800 * TOTAL draws the "Total Due" box.
1900 *
2000 * This program reads a transaction file (SEEDDETL), retrieves info
2100 * from item master (SEEDITEM) and customer master (SEEDCUST), then
2200 * prints invoices.
2300 *
2400 * Different electronic overlays are used depending on whether this
2500 * is a one page or multi-page invoice, as well as whether there is
2600 * room remaining on the invoice to print a customer offer. The following
2700 * overlays are used:
2800 *
2900 * INVHEAD 1-page invoice header
3000 * INVHEAD2 Continuation page invoice header
3100 * INVPAY Payment coupon at bottom
3200 * INVBAC Back side Terms and Conditions overlay
3300 *
3400 * Invoice detail lines are processed until either end of customer order
3500 * or end of the page (38 detail lines for page 1, 48 detail lines for
3600 * the continuation pages) is reached. At the end of an order,
3700 * a check is made to see if there are more than 18 detail lines left
3800 * to print. If there are, that would not leave room in the invoice body
3900 * to print the customer offer. In this case, the page is printed, and a
4000 * new final page is built with the offer and the payment coupon.
4100 *
4200 * The offer is a message (and corresponding image, or page segment) based
4300 * on item sales in the customer master. For example, a flower image
4400 * would print if seed sales exceeded $500.
4500 *
```
* Data structure to store up to 48 detail lines

** IDETDS DS 48
** 1 40QTY
** 5 6 UOM
** 7 140ITEM#
** 15 39 ITMDES
** 40 452SELPRC
** 46 522EXTPRC

* Cust# and Total Amount to print in bar code

** IBARTOT DS
** 1 60CUST#
** 7 152TOTDUE

* First pass only

** C_MA 1 IF '0'
** SETON 90
** EXSR DATESR
** EXSR BLKDET
** MOVEL 'Page' PAGCON 4
** MOVEL 'Total' TOTCON 9
** MOVE 'Due' TOTCON 9
** ENDIF

* Start of Customer

** C_MA 1 IF '1'
** CUST# ADD 31200 INVC# 60 Invent Invoice#
** Z-ADD0 TOTDUE 92 Reset Totals/Ctrs
** Z-ADD0 ITMCNT 30
** Z-ADD0 PAGCNT 20
** MOVEL ' ' PAGTYP 3
** CHAINSEEDCUST 20 Get Cust Master

* Process invoice detail

** C_MA 1 IF '1'
** CABNE '1' ENDET
** Z-ADD0 SELPRC
** CHAINSEEDITEM 21
** CABEQ '1' ENDET
11300 C*
11400 C ADD 1 ITMCNT
11500 C Z-ADD0 EXTPRC
11600 C QTY1 MULT SELPRC EXTPRC 72
11700 C Z-ADDQTY1 QTY 40
11800 C EXTPRC ADD TOTDUE TOTDUE
11900 C*
12000 C* Load item detail fields into data structure
12100 C*
12200 C ITMCNT OCUR DETDS Set up DS
12300 C*
12400 C* Check end of page
12500 C*
12600 C PAGCNT IFEQ 0
12700 C ITMCNT CABLT39 ENDDET 35 lines on P1
12800 C ELSE
12900 C ITMCNT CABLT48 ENDDET 48 lines on Pn
13000 C ENDIF
13100 C*
13200 C* If end of page, print
13300 C*
13400 C MOVEL'OF ' PAGTYP 3
13500 C MOVELCPY,1 PAGNAM 25
13600 C ADD 1 PAGCNT
13700 C EXSR PAGSR Print Cust Copy
13800 C*
13900 C SETON 51
14000 C MOVELCPY,2 PAGNAM 25 Packing List
14100 C EXSR PAGSR
14200 C SETOF 51
14300 C*
14400 C SETON 52
14500 C MOVELCPY,3 PAGNAM 25 File Copy
14600 C EXSR PAGSR
14700 C SETOF 52
14800 C*
14900 C Z-ADD0 ITMCNT Reg or OF Page
15000 C MOVE ' ' PAGTYP
15100 C EXSR BLKDET
15200 C ENDDET TAG
15300 C*
15400 C* End of Customer Invoice
15500 C*
15600 CL1 ITMCNT IFGT 18 No Room for PSEG
15700 CL1 MOVE 'OF ' PAGTYP OF page
15800 CL1 MOVELCPY,1 PAGNAM 25
15900 CL1 ADD 1 PAGCNT
16000 CL1 EXSR PAGSR Customer Copy
16100 C*
16200 CL1 SETON 51
16300 CL1 MOVELCPY,2 PAGNAM 25 Packing List
16400 CL1 EXSR PAGSR
16500 CL1 SETOF 51
16600 CL1*
16700 CL1 SETON 52
16800 CL1 MOVELCPY,3 PAGNAM 25 File Copy
16900 CL1 EXSR PAGSR
17000 CL1 SETOF 52
17100 C*
17200 CL1 EXSR BLKDET Blank DS
17300 CL1 ENDIF
17400 C*
17500 C* Setup payment coupon fields
17600 C*
17700 CL1 MOVE BARTOT BARPRC 150
17800 CL1 Z-ADDTOTDUE TOTD02 92
17900 CL1 MOVE NAME NAME02 25

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Based on page number and page type, determines what overlay to use.

```
CSR PAGSR BEGSR
PAGTYP IFEQ 'OF'
PAGCNT IFEQ 1
MOVE 'INVHEAD' OVRLAY 8 Full Header
WRITEINVTOP
ELSE
WRITEINVTOP2
MOVE 'INVHEAD2' OVRLAY Abbrev. Header
ENDIF
ENDIF

PAGTYP IFEQ 'END'
PAGCNT IFEQ 1
MOVE 'INVHEAD' OVRLAY 8 Full Header
WRITEINVTOP
ELSE
WRITEINVTOP2
MOVE 'INVHEAD2' OVRLAY Abbrev. Header
ENDIF
ENDIF

EXSR PRTDET Print details
WRITEDTGRID Extend grid
ADD .167 DWN .167 inch down
WRITECLOSE Close grid
WRITETOTAL
DWN ADD .5 DWN2 Offset - Total
DWN ADD .35 DWN3 Box
ENDIF

WRITEENDPAG End Page
```

```
WRITEENDPAG
```

```
PAGNAM IFEQ CPY,1
MOVE 'INVBAC' OVRLAY 8 Back Overlay
```
Appendix B. Additional DDS Examples
**INVNEW3 DDS Source**

In the INVNEW3 DDS source, several program variables (&DWN, &DWN2, and &DWN3) are used to control spacing down the page for the DTGRID, CLOSE, and TOTAL record formats.
The INVNEW3 DDS printer file source is shown below:

5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:48:16 1
SOURCE FILE . . . . . . . SAMPLER/QDSSRC
MEMBER . . . . . . . . . INVNEW3
SEQNR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8
100 A* INVNEW3 - Printer File DDS for Super Sun Seeds Invoice
200 A* Example 3 (floating grid)
300 A* 400 A* Printer File Create or Change Parameters:
500 A* - Printer Device Type (DEVTYPE) *AFPDS
600 A* - Overflow Line (OVRFLW) 64
700 A* - Print on Both Sides (DUPLEX) *YES
800 A* if running on duplex printer
900 A*
1000 A* Page 1 Header
1100 A* includes Postnet Zip+4
1200 A*
1300 A R INVTOP SKIPB(10)
1400 A ZIPPN 9S 12 BARCODE(POSTNET)
1500 A SPACEA(2)
1600 A NAME 25A 12
1700 A STNAME 25A 48
1800 A SPACEA(1)
1900 A STREET 25A 12
2000 A STSTRT 25A 48
2100 A SPACEA(1)
2200 A CITY 25A 12
2300 A STCITY 25A 48
2400 A SPACEA(1)
2500 A STATE 2A 12
2600 A ZIP 9S 16 EDTWRD(' - ')
2700 A STZIP 9S 52 EDTWRD(' - ')
2800 A SPACEA(3)
3000 A CUST# 6S 0 14 EDTCDE(2)
3100 A INVC# 6S 0 32 EDTCDE(2)
3200 A PAYDAT 6S 0 66EDTCDE(Y)
3300 A SPACEA(2)
3500 A SHPVIA 10A 14
3600 A TERMS 10A 47
3800 A SLSMAN 16A 64
3900 A SPACEA(4)
4000 A*
4100 A* Page 2 Header
4200 A*
4300 A R INVTOP2 SKIPB(10)
4400 A NAME 25A 12
4500 A SPACEA(2)
4600 A CUST# 6S 0 14 EDTCDE(2)
4700 A INVC# 6S 0 32 EDTCDE(2)
4800 A PAYDAT 6S 0 66EDTCDE(Y)
5000 A SPACEA(4)
5100 A*
5200 A* Detail Lines
5300 A*
5400 A R DETLIN SPACEA(1)
5500 A QTY 4S 0 8 EDTCDE(2)
5600 A UOM 2A 13
5700 A ITEM# 8S 0 18
5800 A ITMDES 25A 28
5900 A N51 SELPRC 6S 2 58 EDTCDE(J)
6000 A N51 EXTPRC 7S 2 70 EDTCDE(J)
6100 A*
6200 A* Floating Grid
Appendix B. Additional DDS Examples

**** END OF SOURCE ****
Appendix C. Setting Up the Client Access/400 Viewer to View AFP Resources

Client Access/400 supports viewing AS/400 spooled files on personal computer (PC) displays. This enables you to see what your spooled file looks like before you print it.

The Viewer that is shipped with Client Access/400 Optimized for Windows 95/NT Mod3 is able to view AFP resources (overlays and page segments) automatically. However, the Viewer that is shipped with previous releases of the Optimized client, as well as all versions of the client for Window 3.1 and OS/2, requires that AFP resources be copied manually to a shared folder or PC hard drive to be viewed with the spooled file. Before you can use the Client Access/400 Viewer to display a spooled file with AFP resources included in it, you must complete the following setup procedure:

1. Modify the Client Access/400 Viewer initialization file to specify which PC or shared folder directory contains the needed AFP resources: The following instructions assume you are storing resources in a shared folder.
   a. On the AS/400, create a folder to store your resources in. At the AS/400 command line, type CRTFLR and press Enter. Specify the following:

   
   
   
   
   FOLDER
   
   Resource (folder name)

   INFOLDER
   
   *NONE

   TEXT DESC.
   
   ‘Folder for AFP Resources for Viewer’

   b. From the Windows desktop, double-click on the MS-DOS prompt icon on the Main window.
   c. At the C:\WINDOWS prompt, type CD\CAWIN and press Enter to change to the Client Access/400 for Windows directory.
   d. At the C:\CAWIN prompt, type E EHNSPORT.INI or CWBSPORT.INI and press Enter to start an editor that enables you to change the Client Access/400 Viewer initialization file.
   e. Page down in the Client Access/400 Viewer initialization file until you find the Preferences section. Add the following entries to the bottom of the Preferences section (you can add lines by placing the cursor before the position where you want lines to be added and then pressing Enter):

   ResourceDataPath=I:\QDLS\RESOURCE
   ExportExt=*.OLY
   PageSegExt=*.PSG

   where RESOURCE is the folder you defined earlier.
   f. Check the PaperSize setting in the SFLVIEW section of the Client Access/400 Viewer initialization file. If this value is anything other than 0, reset it to 0. A value of 0 ensures that your spooled files will be displayed as letter size (8.5 x 11) pages.
   g. Press F4 to file the revised EHNSPORT.INI or CWBSPORT.INI file and exit the editor.

2. Copy all needed AFP resources into the shared folder (described earlier).

   If your AFP resources were created using a PC package or the IBM AFP Printer Driver for Windows, then you probably already have a copy of them either on
your PC or in a shared folder. If you do, then the only setup required is to
ensure that in the Client Access/400 initialization file, EHNSPORT.INI or
CWBSSPORT.INI, the Resource Data Path is pointing to the directory that
contains the resources. This was described in the first step above.
If your AFP resources were created on the AS/400 using Advanced Function
Printing Utilities for AS/400 or if you received them as *OVL or *PAGSEG
objects from an application service provider, you will need to perform two steps
for each resource:

a. Convert the resource into a physical file member. This removes the
AS/400-specific object code from the resource, enabling it to be viewed on a
PC. This is sometimes referred to as “de-objectizing”.

Note: This step requires Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400.
b. Copy the “de-objectized” resource into a shared folder that can be accessed
by a PC.

Use the following procedure for AS/400 *OVL or *PAGSEG resources:
a. Copy page segments to a file that can be used by the PC. With the
Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 installed, you can copy page
segments to a shared folder as follows:
1) Click on your AS/400 window to activate it.
2) If Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 is not active, start it
again by typing the command STRAFPU and then pressing Enter.
3) Select option 23 to Work with Page Segments.
4) Select option 9 to Convert to File (you also can use the CVTPAGSFPFM
command).

Figure 183. Convert Page Segment

b. Copy this file into a PC document in your shared folder.
   1) At the AS/400 command line, type CPYTOPCD and press Enter.
c. Copy overlays to a file that can be used by the PC. With the Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 installed, you can copy overlays to a shared folder as follows:

1) Click on your AS/400 window to activate it.
2) If Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 is not active, start it again by typing the command STRAFPU and then pressing Enter.
3) Select option 22 to Work with Overlays.
4) Select option 9 to Convert to File (you also can use the CVTOVLPFM command).

d. Copy this file into a PC document in your shared folder.

1) At the AS/400 command line, type CPYTOPCD and press Enter.
Figure 186. Copy to PC Document
Appendix D. Page Definitions Supplied by PSF/400

This appendix describes the page definitions supplied with PSF/400. Page definitions are available for the various paper sizes used by the printers supported by PSF/400. For information about the paper sizes your printer uses, refer to your printer publications.

Page Definitions for IPDS Matrix Printers

The IPDS Matrix printers include those listed below:

- 4224
- 4230
- 4234
- 4247
- 6400 (All Models)
- 6408
- 6412

Page definitions for IPDS Matrix printers are supplied for formatting some of the more common paper sizes, as shown in the following tables. These page definitions are designed for printing on continuous-forms paper. They are not designed for printing on the 4224, 4230, or 4247 with cut-sheet paper or with the document-on-demand device feature.

The IPDS Matrix printers support different fonts, depending on the print quality level set for the printer. Therefore, be sure to select a font that is supported at the print quality level set for your printer. Refer to Advanced Function Presentation: Printer Information for more information. Each of these page definitions assigns a channel-1 (carriage) control character to the first line of the page.

Table 9 describes the page definitions for continuous-forms paper that measures 12 × 8.5 inches.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: ³ Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1J04964</td>
<td>10.67 × 8.17</td>
<td>49 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0 GT10</td>
<td>Across Landscape</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1J06484</td>
<td>10.67 × 8.17</td>
<td>64 at 8.01 lpi</td>
<td>30/0 GT12</td>
<td>Across Landscape</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 10 describes the page definitions for continuous-forms paper that measures 9.5 × 11 inches.

3. Position down and position across are shown in logical units, with 240 logical units per inch. For example, 24 logical units is equal to .10 inch. Measurements specified in logical units are the same for all PSF/400-supported printers, regardless of the resolution or pel density of the printer.

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Table 10. Page Definitions for Continuous-Forms Paper 9.5 by 11-Inches

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: ³ Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1A06462</td>
<td>8.17 × 10.67</td>
<td>64 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1A08584</td>
<td>8.17 × 10.67</td>
<td>85 at 8.01 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 11 describes the page definitions for continuous-forms paper 14.88 x 11 inches. The width of the printable area in these page definitions is 13.2 inches for the 4224, 4230, 4234, and 6412 printers, and 13.6 inches for the 6408 and all models of the 6400 printers. To print records having a line length of 13.2 inches (for example, 132-byte records printed with a GT10 font) you must use a form definition that positions the page at the left margin.

Table 11. Page Definitions for Continuous-Forms Paper 14.88 by 11-Inches

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: ³ Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1L06464</td>
<td>13.2 × 10.67</td>
<td>64 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1L08584</td>
<td>13.2 × 10.67</td>
<td>85 at 8.01 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Page Definitions for PCL4 and PPDS Printers

Page definitions for PCL4 and PPDS printers are supplied for formatting some of the more common paper sizes, as shown in the following tables. These page definitions must be used in combination with the form definitions for PCL4 and PPDS printers. For information about the paper sizes supported for your printer, refer to your printer publications.

Each of these page definitions specifies a channel-1 (carriage) control character to position at the top of the next page.

The following table describes the page definitions for cut-sheet A4 paper, which is 8.27 inches wide by 11.69 inches high.

Table 12. Page Definitions for A4 Paper

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: ³ Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1Q09182</td>
<td>7.77 × 11.29</td>
<td>91 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>25/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1X04863</td>
<td>10.60 × 7.77</td>
<td>48 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1X06483</td>
<td>10.60 × 7.77</td>
<td>64 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1X06683</td>
<td>10.60 × 7.77</td>
<td>66 at 8.5 lpi</td>
<td>24/224 ⁴</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The following table describes the page definitions for cut-sheet B4 paper, which is 10.12 inches wide by 14.33 inches high.

4. The user-printable area is 9.67 x 7.77 because of the 224 logical unit offset in the Position Down/Position Across column.

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**Table 13. Page Definitions for B4 Paper**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1T08362</td>
<td>9.62 × 13.93</td>
<td>83 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1T13382</td>
<td>9.62 × 13.93</td>
<td>113 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1T05963</td>
<td>13.93 × 9.62</td>
<td>59 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1T07983</td>
<td>13.93 × 9.62</td>
<td>79 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The following table describes the page definitions for cut-sheet letter paper, which is 8.5 inches wide by 11 inches wide.

**Table 14. Page Definitions for Letter Paper**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1P06362</td>
<td>8.00 × 10.60</td>
<td>63 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1P08682</td>
<td>8.00 × 10.60</td>
<td>86 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1X04763</td>
<td>10.60 × 7.77</td>
<td>47 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1X06483</td>
<td>10.60 × 7.77</td>
<td>64 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1X06683</td>
<td>10.60 × 7.77</td>
<td>66 at 8.5 lpi</td>
<td>24/224</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The following table describes the page definitions for cut-sheet legal paper, which is 8.5 inches wide by 14 inches high.

**Table 15. Page Definitions for Legal Paper**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1R08162</td>
<td>8.00 × 13.60</td>
<td>81 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1R11082</td>
<td>8.00 × 13.60</td>
<td>110 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1R04763</td>
<td>13.60 × 8.00</td>
<td>47 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1R06683</td>
<td>13.60 × 8.00</td>
<td>66 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Page Definitions for All Other PSF/400-Supported Printers**

Table 16 on page 316 describe the page definitions supplied with PSF/400 for all printers other than the IPDS Matrix, and PCL4 and PPDS printers. PSF/400 provides common page definitions for printers other than these three to promote interchange of documents between different printers.

PSF/400 provides page definitions to format the commonly-used cut-sheet and continuous-forms paper sizes. The following tables show the page definitions for each paper size. For information about the paper sizes supported for your printer, refer to your printer publications.

Each of these page definitions specifies a channel-1 (carriage) control character to position at the top of the next page.
Table 16 describes the page definitions for cut-sheet A4 paper, which is 8.27 inches wide by 11.69 inches high.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: (^3) Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1C09182</td>
<td>7.94 × 11.36</td>
<td>91 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>25/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V04863</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>48 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V06483</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>64 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V06683</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>66 at 8.5 lpi</td>
<td>24/224 (^5)</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 17 describes the page definitions for cut-sheet B4 paper, which is 10.12 inches wide by 14.33 inches high.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: (^3) Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1D08462</td>
<td>9.79 × 14</td>
<td>84 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1D11382</td>
<td>9.79 × 14</td>
<td>113 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1D06063</td>
<td>14 × 9.79</td>
<td>60 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1D08083</td>
<td>14 × 9.79</td>
<td>80 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 18 describes the page definitions for any of the following paper sizes:

- Cut-sheet: Letter, which is 8.5 inches wide by 11 inches high
- Continuous-forms: 12 inches wide by 8.5 inches high
- Continuous-forms: 9.5 inches wide by 11 inches high

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: (^3) Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1A06462</td>
<td>8.17 × 10.67</td>
<td>64 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1A08682</td>
<td>8.17 × 10.67</td>
<td>86 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V04863</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>48 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V06483</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>64 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V06683</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>66 at 8.5 lpi</td>
<td>24/224 (^5)</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 19 on page 317 describes the page definitions for any of the following paper sizes:

- Cut-sheet: Legal, which is 8.5 inches wide by 14 inches high
- Continuous-forms: 14.88 inches wide by 11 inches high

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5. The user printable area is 9.74 × 7.94 because of the 224 logical unit offset in Position Down/Position Across column.
### Table 19. Page Definitions for Legal and Continuous-Forms Paper 14.88 x 11-Inches

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, In Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1B08262</td>
<td>8.17 × 13.67</td>
<td>82 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1B11082</td>
<td>8.17 × 13.67</td>
<td>110 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1B04963</td>
<td>13.67 × 8.17</td>
<td>49 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1B06683</td>
<td>13.67 × 8.17</td>
<td>66 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 19 describes the page definitions for multiple-up printing on any of the following paper sizes:

- Cut-sheet: Letter, which is 8.5 inches wide by 11 inches high
- Cut-sheet: A4, which is 8.27 inches wide by 11.69 inches high
- Continuous-forms: 12 inches wide by 8.5 inches high
- Continuous-forms: 9.5 inches wide by 11 inches high

### Table 20. Multiple-Up Page Definitions

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, in Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1W120C2</td>
<td>7.94 × 10.67</td>
<td>60 at 12 lpi 60 at 12 lpi</td>
<td>16/160/1344/160</td>
<td>GT20</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Portrait: Over/Under</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1W12883</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>64 at 8.2 lpi 64 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0 24/1281</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape: Side-by-Side</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1W240F3</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.94</td>
<td>60 at 15.2 lpi 60 at 15.2 lpi 60 at 15.2 lpi 60 at 15.2 lpi</td>
<td>16/48 968/48 16/1322 968/1322</td>
<td>GT24</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Landscape: Over/Under Side-by-Side</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The phrases *Side-by-Side* and *Over/Under* in Table 20 describe the placement of the subpages, which appear as separate logical pages on the physical page, as shown in Figure 187 on page 318.
Table 21 lists page definitions for printing on a variety of sizes of 3-hole punched paper. The page definitions specify that the printing direction is Up, and they offset printing to accommodate 3-hole punched paper. You must use these page definitions with the form definitions whose names begin with "F1H".

Table 21. Page Definitions for Printing on 3-hole Punched Paper

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
<th>Printable Area Width by Height, in Inches</th>
<th>Print Lines Per Page</th>
<th>Page Position: Down/Across</th>
<th>Recommended Font</th>
<th>Printing Direction</th>
<th>Page Presentation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P1B0446B</td>
<td>13.67 × 7.34</td>
<td>44 at 6 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1B0608B</td>
<td>13.67 × 7.34</td>
<td>60 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1D0556B</td>
<td>14.0 × 8.96</td>
<td>55 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1D0748B</td>
<td>14.0 × 8.96</td>
<td>74 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V0436B</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.11</td>
<td>43 at 6.1 lpi</td>
<td>30/0</td>
<td>GT10</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V0588B</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.11</td>
<td>58 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT12</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1V0608B</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.11</td>
<td>60 at 8.5 lpi</td>
<td>24/224</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1W1168B</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.11</td>
<td>58 at 8.2 lpi</td>
<td>24/0</td>
<td>GT15</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>P1W216FB</td>
<td>10.67 × 7.11</td>
<td>54 at 15.2 lpi</td>
<td>16/48</td>
<td>GT24</td>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Page Definition Line-Spacing Values and Fonts

The following tables list the line-spacing values for some of the PSF/400-supplied page definitions. The tables also list fonts by group according to the lines per inch at which each font is printed.

Table 22 shows the line-spacing values for each of the page definitions for the IPDS Matrix printers.

**Table 22. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Page Definitions for the IPDS Matrix Printers.**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6 lpi</td>
<td>P1J04964</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1J06462</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1L06464</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.01 lpi</td>
<td>P1J06484</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1A08584</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1L08584</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 23 shows the line-spacing values for each of the page definitions for cut-sheet A4 paper for the PCL4 and PPDS printers.

**Table 23. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Page Definitions for Cut-Sheet A4 Paper for the PCL4 and PPDS Printers.**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6.1 lpi</td>
<td>P1X04763</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.2 lpi</td>
<td>P1Q09182</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1X06483</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.5 lpi</td>
<td>P1X06683</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 24 shows the line-spacing values for each of the page definitions for cut-sheet B4 paper for the PCL4 and PPDS printers.

**Table 24. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Page Definitions for Cut-Sheet B4 Paper for the PCL4 and PPDS Printers.**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6 lpi</td>
<td>P1T08362</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6.1 lpi</td>
<td>P1T05963</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.2 lpi</td>
<td>P1T11382</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1T07983</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 25 shows the line-spacing values for each of the page definitions for all other printers.

**Table 25. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Page Definitions for Other Printers**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6 lpi</td>
<td>P1D08462</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1B08262</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1B04963</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1A06462</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1B0446B</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Table 25. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Page Definitions for Other Printers (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Page Definition Name</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6.1 lpi</td>
<td>P1D06063</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1V04863</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1D0556B</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1V0436B</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.2 lpi</td>
<td>P1C09182</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1D11382</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1D08083</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1A08682</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1V06483</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1B11082</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1B06683</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1W12883</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1B0608B</td>
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<td></td>
<td>P1D0748B</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>P1V0588B</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1W1168B</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.5 lpi</td>
<td>P1V0608B</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1V06683</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12 lpi</td>
<td>P1W120C2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15.2 lpi</td>
<td>P1W240F3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>P1W216FB</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Any font that can be printed at the specified line spacing (or at a larger line-spacing value) can be used with a page definition. Table 26 describes the line spacing for commonly used monospaced fonts provided with PSF/400.

### Table 26. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Commonly Used PSF/400 Monospaced Fonts

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Fonts</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>6 lpi</td>
<td>CE10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>CE12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>CI10</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>CR10</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GB10</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GF10</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GS10</td>
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<td></td>
<td>GT10</td>
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<td></td>
<td>LB12</td>
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<td>LR12</td>
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<td>PB12</td>
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<td>PI12</td>
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<td></td>
<td>PR10</td>
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<td></td>
<td>PR12</td>
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<td>8 lpi</td>
<td>GB12</td>
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<td></td>
<td>GF12</td>
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<td></td>
<td>GF15</td>
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<td></td>
<td>GI12</td>
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<td>GP12</td>
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<td>GS12</td>
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<td>GS15</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GT12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GT15</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10 lpi</td>
<td>GC15</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 26. Cross-Reference of Line Spacing and Commonly Used PSF/400 Monospaced Fonts (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Line Spacing</th>
<th>Fonts</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>12 lpi</td>
<td>GFC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GSC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GUC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Special</td>
<td>AE20°</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GT20°</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>GT24°</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

For more information about these fonts or about fonts not listed in this table, refer to the font technical references.

6. Fonts AE20 and GT20 are printed at 12.8 lines per inch. Font GT20 is specified in page definition P1M132C1. To print an application using font AE20, you can use PPFA/370 to change the source for P1M132C1 to specify font AE20.

7. Font GT24 is printed at 8.8 lines per inch as defined in page definition P1M13280.
Appendix E. Form Definitions Supplied by PSF/400

This appendix describes the form definitions supplied by IBM with PSF/400.

Form Definitions for PCL4 and PPDS Printers

The following table describes the form definitions supplied with PSF/400 for printing on PCL4 or PPDS printer through PSF/2. These form definitions must be used in combination with page definitions for the PCL4 and PPDS printers. Each of these form definitions specifies:
- One copy
- No overlays
- No offset stacking or copy marking

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1CP0110</td>
<td>F2CP0110</td>
<td>0.250, 0.200</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1CP0120</td>
<td>F2CP0120</td>
<td>0.250, 0.200</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1CP0111</td>
<td>F2CP0111</td>
<td>0.250, 0.200</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1CP0121</td>
<td>F2CP0121</td>
<td>0.250, 0.200</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1CP0112</td>
<td>F2CP0112</td>
<td>0.250, 0.200</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1CP0122</td>
<td>F2CP0122</td>
<td>0.250, 0.200</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Form Definitions for Printers Other than the PCL4 and PPDS Printers

Table 28 describes the form definitions for printers other than the PCL4 and PPDS printers, with the name and a description of each. Note that printing near the edge of the paper on some printers can result in poor print quality in the border area. Some of the form definitions enable you to use the third paper source, if the printer has one. Refer to your printer publications for the limitations on your printer. Each of these form definitions specifies:
- One copy
- No overlays
- No offset stacking or copy marking

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1A10110</td>
<td>F2A10110</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10120</td>
<td>F2A10120</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10130</td>
<td>F2A10130</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10111</td>
<td>F2A10111</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10121</td>
<td>F2A10121</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10131</td>
<td>F2A10131</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10112</td>
<td>F2A10112</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Table 28. Form Definitions for All Printers Other than the PCL4 and PPDS Printers (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1A10122</td>
<td>F2A10122</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10132</td>
<td>F2A10132</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10140</td>
<td>F2A10140</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Duplex Off</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10141</td>
<td>F2A10141</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Normal Duplex</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A10142</td>
<td>F2A10142</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Tumble Duplex</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Note: The 3820 lines up B4-size paper differently from other paper because of the B4 paper length. To compensate for this, you can create a form definition with a page position of 0.10, 0.00 inch.

Table 29 lists form definitions that enable you to print envelopes and use the manual input bin on the 4028 printer.

Table 29. Form Definitions for Printing Envelopes on the 4028

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1A101E0</td>
<td>F2A101E0</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Envelope</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A000E0</td>
<td>F2A000E0</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Envelope</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A101M0</td>
<td>F2A101M0</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Manual</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A000M0</td>
<td>F2A000M0</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Manual</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 30 lists form definitions that specify a 0,0 offset.

Table 30. Form Definitions with a 0,0 Offset

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1A00010</td>
<td>F2A00010</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00011</td>
<td>F2A00011</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00012</td>
<td>F2A00012</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00020</td>
<td>F2A00020</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00021</td>
<td>F2A00021</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00022</td>
<td>F2A00022</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00030</td>
<td>F2A00030</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00031</td>
<td>F2A00031</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00032</td>
<td>F2A00032</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00040</td>
<td>F2A00040</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Duplex Off</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00041</td>
<td>F2A00041</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Normal Duplex</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1A00042</td>
<td>F2A00042</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>Tumble Duplex</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The following table lists form definitions for N_UP 2 printing. These form definitions define two pages on a side. Refer to Page Printer Formatting Aid/370: User’s Guide and Reference for additional information on creating N_UP form definitions using the N_UP subcommand.
Table 31. Form Definitions for N_UP 2 Printing

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1N20010</td>
<td>F1N20010</td>
<td>0.0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20011</td>
<td>F1N20011</td>
<td>0.0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20012</td>
<td>F1N20012</td>
<td>0.0</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20110</td>
<td>F1N20110</td>
<td>0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20111</td>
<td>F1N20111</td>
<td>0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20112</td>
<td>F1N20112</td>
<td>0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20130</td>
<td>F1N20130</td>
<td>0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20131</td>
<td>F1N20131</td>
<td>0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N20132</td>
<td>F1N20132</td>
<td>0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table 32 lists form definitions designed for use with 3-hole punched paper. You can use any of these form definitions with any of the 3-hole punched page definitions.

Table 32. Form Definitions for 3-Hole Punched Paper

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1H10110</td>
<td>F2H10110</td>
<td>1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10111</td>
<td>F2H10111</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10112</td>
<td>F2H10112</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Primary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10120</td>
<td>F2H10120</td>
<td>1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10121</td>
<td>F2H10121</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10122</td>
<td>F2H10122</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Alternate</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10130</td>
<td>F2H10130</td>
<td>1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10131</td>
<td>F2H10131</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10132</td>
<td>F2H10132</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Third</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10140</td>
<td>F2H10140</td>
<td>1.000,0.165</td>
<td>Duplex Off</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10141</td>
<td>F2H10141</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 0.165,0.165</td>
<td>Normal Duplex</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1H10142</td>
<td>F2H10142</td>
<td>1.000,0.165 0.000,0.165</td>
<td>Tumble Duplex</td>
<td>Fourth</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Compatibility Form Definitions for the 3831, 3835, and 3900 Printers

Table 33 describes compatibility form definitions supplied with PSF/400 for printing on the 3831, 3835, and 3900 printers. Compatibility form definitions enable you to print data formatted for other printers. Use one of the compatibility form definitions when printing data formatted for landscape presentation on a cut-sheet printer.

These form definitions specify the following:
- One copy group
- One copy
- No offset stacking or copy marking
- Primary paper source
- No overlays

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Compatible With</th>
<th>Presentation Mode</th>
<th>Print Direction</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1C10110</td>
<td>Cut-sheet printers</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1C10111</td>
<td>Cut-sheet printers</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1C10112</td>
<td>Cut-sheet printers</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>0.165, 0.165</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F10101PD</td>
<td>3800 printer wide forms</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F10101LA</td>
<td>3800 printer wide forms</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F10101PA</td>
<td>3800 printer narrow forms</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F10101LD</td>
<td>3800 printer narrow forms</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

You can also use these form definitions when printing on the printers for which the data was formatted so that you do not need to change form definitions.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Compatible With</th>
<th>Presentation Mode</th>
<th>Print Direction</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>N_UP</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1N201PD</td>
<td>3800 printer wide forms (N_UP of None)</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N201LA</td>
<td>3800 printer wide forms (N_UP of None)</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N201PA</td>
<td>3800 printer narrow forms (N_UP of None)</td>
<td>Portrait</td>
<td>Across</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1N201LD</td>
<td>3800 printer narrow forms (N_UP of None)</td>
<td>Landscape</td>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>0.00, 0.50</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

8. The name of the copy group is the same as the name of the form definition, except for the prefix. For example, form definition F10101PA has one copy group named F20101PA.
### Table 34. N_UP Compatibility Form Definitions for the 3835 and 3900 Printers (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Compatible With</th>
<th>Presentation Mode</th>
<th>Print Direction</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>N_UP</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Note:** Use of the above N_UP form definitions on the 3800 will result in PSF/400 issuing messages APS283I or APS284I. The output will be printed appropriately.

Refer to *Advanced Function Presentation: Printer Information* for more information about when to use each of these form definitions.

### Form Definitions for Special Purpose Jobs

The following table describes the form definitions supplied with PSF/400 for special purposes. You can use these form definitions on any AFP printer. Each of these form definitions specifies:
- One copy
- No offset stacking or copy marking
- Primary paper source
- Duplex off
- Nor forms flash

### Table 35. Form Definitions for Special Purpose Jobs

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Copy Group</th>
<th>Page Position, in Inches</th>
<th>Overlay</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1IBM</td>
<td>IBM</td>
<td>0.0, 0.5</td>
<td>O1IBM</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1OGL</td>
<td>OGL/370</td>
<td>0.0, 0.0</td>
<td>none</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Form definition F1IBM is provided for installation verification. It prints a supplied overlay that contains the IBM logo.

### Form Definitions for use with Finishing Options

PSF/400 supplies two types of form definitions for use with print jobs that use finishing operations:
- Simple form definitions with finishing
- Finishing form definitions for multiple copy groups

### Table 36. Simple form definitions with finishing

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
<th>Finishing Operation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1FC0010</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Corner staple, top left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FC0111</td>
<td>0,0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Corner staple, top left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FC0112</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Corner staple, top left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FE0010</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Edge staple, left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FE0020</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Edge staple, left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FE0012</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Tumble duplex</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Edge staple, left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FS0010</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>N-Up 2, saddle stitch</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FS0011</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>Enhanced N-Up 2, saddle stitch</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Table 36. Simple form definitions with finishing (continued)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form Definition Name</th>
<th>Page Position, In Inches</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
<th>Finishing Operation</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1FS2031</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Bin 3</td>
<td>N-Up 2, saddle stitch</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FZ0030</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Bin 3</td>
<td>Enhanced N-Up 2, ZFold</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FZ2031</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal duplex</td>
<td>Bin 3</td>
<td>N-Up 2, ZFold</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FEL010</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>2 edge staples, left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FER010</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Duplex off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>3 edge staples, right</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Table 37. Finishing Form Definitions with Multiple Copy Groups

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Form definition name</th>
<th>Copy Group name</th>
<th>Page Position</th>
<th>Duplex</th>
<th>Paper Source</th>
<th>Copy Group Finishing Operation</th>
<th>Paper Size</th>
<th>Print File Finishing</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>F1FEC010</td>
<td>COVERPAG</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Bin 7</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>8.5 x 11 in</td>
<td>2 edge staples, left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>DOCPAGES</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>8.5 x 11 in</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FEZ010</td>
<td>ZFOLDPGS</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Bin 3</td>
<td>Z-fold</td>
<td>11 x 17 in</td>
<td>2 edge staples, left</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>DOCPAGES</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Off</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>8.5 x 11 in</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FZ1021</td>
<td>B02ZDN1R</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal</td>
<td>Bin 2</td>
<td>Z-fold</td>
<td>11 x 17 in</td>
<td>Device default edge staple</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>B01INF</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>8.5 x 11 in</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F1FZ2021</td>
<td>B02ZDN2R</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal</td>
<td>Bin 2</td>
<td>Z-fold enhanced N-Up 2</td>
<td>11 x 17 in</td>
<td>Device default edge staple</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>B01INF</td>
<td>0, 0</td>
<td>Normal</td>
<td>Bin 1</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>8.5 x 11 in</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Note:** You can obtain additional form definitions from: ftp.software.ibm.com/printers. The additional form definitions IBM supplies include:

- **F1FZ0030**  Z-fold from Bin 3
- **F1FS2031**  Saddle stitch, 2–up
- **F1FEC010**  Left edge stitch, cover sheet from bin7
- **F1FEL010**  2 left-edge staples
- **F1FER010**  3 right-edge staples
- **F1FEZ010**  Edge stitch with Z-fold sheets from bin 3
- **F1FZ1021**  Z-fold ledger, 1–up landscape
- **F1FZ2021**  Z-fold ledger, 2–up portrait
Appendix F. Data Description Specifications (DDS) Reference

The following is a listing of DDS keywords associated with printer files.

Remember

DDS and its associated keywords can be used only if the SRCCFILE parameter contains the name of the file and the SRCMBR parameter contains the name of the member in which the DDS source resides.

The following list contains all the DDS keywords that you can use to help control how your printed output will look. Remember, some DDS keywords can be used only if the target printer supports them.

**ALIAS**
Alternative Name. Use this field-level keyword to specify an alternative name for a field. When the program is compiled, the alternative name is brought into the program instead of the DDS field name. The high-level language compiler in use determines if the alternative name is used. Refer to the appropriate high-level language reference publication for information about ALIAS support for that language.

**BARCODE**
Bar Code. Use this field-level keyword to print a field as a user-specified bar code. BARCODE is valid for IPDS printers. (A bar code is a pattern of bars of various widths containing data to be interpreted by a scanning device.)

**BLKFOLD**
Blank Fold. Use this field-level keyword for named fields that overflow onto subsequent print lines, to cause folding to occur at a blank rather than at the end of a line. If the blank fold keyword is not specified, the line folds at the end of the physical print line.

**BOX**
Box. Use this record-level keyword to specify the position where a box will be drawn on a page. You can specify the corners of the box and the weight (thickness) of the lines in the box.

**CDEFNT**
Coded Font. Use this record- or field-level keyword to specify the coded font for printing a named or constant field or fields within a record.

For outline fonts only: The optional point size parameter can be used to further define a numeric font specifying a point size. It is specified as an expression of the form (*POINTSIZE value). The valid values for the parameter are 0.1 through 999.9.

**CHRID**
Character identifier. Use this field-level keyword to specify that a graphic character set and code page other than the device default can be used for this field. This can be important when extended alphabeticcs (characters such as u with an umlaut or c with a cedilla) are to be printed.

**CHRSIZ**
Character Size. Use this record- or field-level keyword to expand the width and height of a record or field. This applies to SCS double-byte characters and to IPDS and AFP data stream single-byte characters.
CPI
Characters per Inch. This record- or field-level keyword specifies the horizontal printing density for the record format or field you are defining. Use CPI to:
• Darken logos and other printed graphics that you create using the DFNCHR keyword
• Place more data in less space on printed forms
• Fit the appearance of a form to your needs

CVTDTA
Convert Data. This field-level keyword converts character data to hexadecimal data when the field is passed to the printer. You can use the CVTDTA keyword to define:
• Logos or emblems for a letterhead on your forms
• Alternative character sets or symbols (such as a copyright symbol)
• The appearance of a physical form (by adding vertical and horizontal lines that act as boundaries on the form or between positions on an invoice)
• IPDS bar code commands

DATE
Date. Use this field-level keyword to display the current job date.

DFNCHR
Define Character. The DFNCHR keyword enables you to define characters of your own design at the file or record level for the 5224 Printer and 5225 Printer. With this keyword you can specify DFNCHR more than once at the file or record level, or as many as 50 characters each time you specify DFNCHR.

DFT
Default. Use the DFT keyword to specify a constant value for constant (unnamed) fields.

DLTEDT
Delete Edit. Use this field-level keyword to specify that the OS/400 program is to ignore any edit code or edit word keywords specified for the referenced field. If a field description is referred to from a database file, DLTEDT prevents certain information from being referenced.

DRAWER
Drawer. Use this record-level keyword to specify the drawer from which noncontinuous forms will be selected.

DTASTMCMD
Data Stream Command. Use record- or field-level keyword to store a data stream command in a MO:DCA-P NOOP structured field in the data stream of a spooled file. This information can be used to determine how to process a record or field on a particular page of a spooled file. The DTASTMCMD keyword is only valid for printer files that have the device type specified as *AFPDS.

DUPLEX
Duplex. Use this record-level keyword to specify whether output is printed on one or two sides of the paper.

EDTCDE
Edit Code. Use this keyword to edit output-capable numeric fields.

An edit code is a letter or number indicating that editing should be done according to a defined pattern before a field is displayed or printed.
EDTWRD
Edit Word. If you cannot accomplish the desired editing by using the EDTCDE keyword, specify an edit word instead.

An edit word is a user-defined word that specifies the form in which the field values are to print and clarifies the data by inserting characters, such as decimal points, commas, floating- and fixed-currency symbols, and credit balance indicators. Also use it to suppress leading zeros and to provide asterisk fill protection.

ENDPAGE
End Page. Use this record-level keyword to specify that the page should eject. Page ejection occurs after the record format is processed.

FLTFIXDEC
Floating-Point to Fixed Decimal. Use this field-level keyword to print a number in a floating point field in fixed decimal notation.

FLTPCN
Floating-Point Precision. Use this keyword to specify the precision of a floating-point field.

FNTCHRSET
Font Character Set. Use this record- or field-level keyword to specify the font for printing a named or constant field or fields within a record.

For outline fonts only: The optional point size parameter can be used to further define a numeric font specifying a point size. It is specified as an expression of the form *(POINTSIZE value).* The valid values for the parameter are 0.1 through 999.9.

FONT
Font. Use the FONT keyword to specify the font ID for printing a named or constant field or fields within a record.

The optional point size parameter can be used to further define a numeric font specifying a point size. It is specified as an expression of the form *(POINTSIZE value).* The valid values for the parameter are 0.1 through 999.9.

FORCE
Force. Use this record-level keyword to force a new sheet of paper to be fed. FORCE is different from ENDPAGE, because with duplex printing, FORCE ejects the sheet of paper (ENDPAGE only ejects the sheet of paper when printing on the back side of the sheet).

FORMDF
Form Definition. Use this keyword to specify the form definition to be used with the current application.

GDF
Graphics Data Format File. Use this record-level keyword to specify the inclusion of a graphic data file at a specific location on a page.

HIGHLIGHT
Highlight. Use this record- or field-level keyword to indicate that a field should be printed in bold letters.

IGCCDEFNT
DBCS Coded Font. Use this record- or field-level keyword to print DBCS data contained in the AFP data stream.
For outline fonts only: The optional point size parameter can be used to further define a numeric font specifying a point size. It is specified as an expression of the form (*POINTSIZE value). The valid values for the parameter are 0.1 through 999.9.

INDARA
Indicator Area. Use this keyword to remove option indicators from the buffer (also called the record area) and place them in a 99-byte separate indicator area.

INDTXT
Indicator Text. Use this file-, record-, or field-level keyword to associate descriptive text (indicating intent or use) with a specific indicator. You can specify INDTXT once for each indicator.

INVMMAP
Invoke Medium Map. Use this keyword to invoke a new medium map. The medium map is in a form definition and enables you to select or change print parameters (input drawer, page rotation, and overlays).

You can specify the medium map name as a constant or program-to-system field.

LINE
Line. Use this record-level keyword to position where a line will be drawn on a page. You can specify the weight (thickness) of lines. Only horizontal and vertical lines can be drawn.

LPI
Lines Per Inch. Use this keyword to change lines per inch within a file. If you do not specify LPI for a record, the LPI value is set from the LPI value on the CRTPRTF, CHGPRTF, or OVRPRTF command.

MSGCON
Message Constant. Use this field-level keyword to indicate that the text for a constant field is contained in a message description. If the message description does not exist at DDS compile time, the file is not created. If you change the message description, you must create the file again.

OUTBIN
Outbin. Use this record-level keyword to specify the destination bin of the output on printers that support multiple output bins.

OVERLAY
Overlay. Use this record-level keyword to specify the inclusion of an overlay to be printed at a specific location on a page.

PAGEDFN
Page Definition. Use this keyword to specify the page definition to be used with the current application.

PAGNBR
Page Number. Use this field-level keyword to specify the location of an unnamed, four-digit, zoned decimal field to contain the page number.

PAGRTT
Page Rotation. Use this record-level keyword to specify the degree of rotation of the text with respect to the way the page is loaded into the printer. The PAGRTT keyword is valid only for the 3812, 3816, 3820, 3825, 3827, 3828, 3829, 3831, 3835, 3900, 3912, 3916, 3935, and 4028 Printers. If you do not specify a PAGRTT keyword for a record, the page rotation is set from the value
specified on the Create Printer File (CRTPRTF), Change Printer File (CHGPRTF), or Override Printer File (OVRPRTF) commands.

**Note:** Overlays and page segments are not rotated with the rest of the page.

**PAGSEG**
Page Segment. Use this record-level keyword to specify the inclusion of a page segment to be printed at a specific location on a page.

**POSITION**
Position. Use this field-level keyword to specify the position of a field using the units specified on the unit of measure (UOM) printer file parameter.

**PRTQLTY**
Print Quality. Use this record- or field-level keyword to vary the print quality within the file.

The PRTQLTY keyword is allowed only on records or fields for which a CHRSIZ or BARCODE keyword applies.

**REF**
Reference. Use this file-level keyword to specify the name of a file from which field descriptions are to be retrieved.

**REFFLD**
Referenced Field. Use this field-level keyword when referring to a field under one of these three conditions:
- The name of the referenced field is different from the name in positions 19 through 28.
- The name of the referenced field is the same as the name in positions 19 through 28, but the record format, file, or library of the referenced field is different from that specified with the REF keyword.
- The referenced field occurs in the same DDS source file as the referencing field.

**SKIPA**
Skip After. Use this file-, record-, or field-level keyword to specify that the printer device skips to a specific line number after it prints one or more lines.

**SKIPB**
Skip Before. Use this file-, record-, or field-level keyword to specify that the printer device is to space some number of lines before it prints the next line(s).

**SPACEA**
Use this record- or field-level keyword to specify that the printer device spaces some number of lines after it prints one or more lines.

**SPACEB**
Space Before. Use this record- or field-level keyword to specify that the printer device is to space some number of lines before it prints the next line or lines.

**TEXT**
Text. Use this record- or field-level keyword to supply a text description (or comment) for the record format or field.

**TIME**
Time. This field-level keyword prints the current system time.

**TRNSPY**
Transparency. This field-level keyword prevents code points you have redefined
(using the DFNCHR keyword) from being interpreted as SCS printer control commands when your program sends an output operation that prints the field you are defining.

**TXTRTT**
Text Rotation. Use this field-level keyword to specify the rotation of the text on a page.

**UNDERLINE**
Underline. Use this field-level keyword to specify that the OS/400 program is to underline the field when it is printed.

**ZFOLD**
Z-fold. Use this record-level keyword to specify that either a ledger- or A3–sized sheet of paper is to have the z-fold operation applied to it.

For more detailed information on how to create and code DDS source files and to find out which printers support which DDS keywords, refer to *AS/400 Data Description Specifications Reference.*
Appendix G. Control Language (CL) Commands Used for Printing Tasks

The Control Language (CL) commands described in the sections below are used while working with printing tasks.

CL Commands Most Frequently Used for Printing Tasks

Among the CL commands most frequently used for printing tasks are the following:

- **CRTPRTF**: Create a printer file.
- **CHGPRTF**: Change a printer file. Changes to a printer file are permanent.
- **OVRPRTF**: Override a printer file. Overrides to a printer file are in effect only for the current session.

Other CL Commands Used for Printing Tasks

Other CL commands used for printing tasks include those used with spooled files and with output queues. These sets of commands are described below.

CL Commands Used with Spooled Files

You can use the following commands to work with spooled files.

- **WRKSPLF**: Work with Spooled Files. Enables you to display or print a list of all spooled files on the system.
- **WRKSPLFA**: Work with Spooled File Attributes. Shows the current attributes of a spooled file.
- **CHGSPLFA**: Change Spooled File Attributes. Enables you to change some attributes of a spooled file, such as the output queue name or the number of copies requested, while the spooled file is on an output queue.
- **CPYSPLF**: Copy Spooled File. Copies a spooled file to a specified database file. The database file may then be used for other applications, such as those using microfiche or data communications.
- **DLTSPLF**: Delete Spooled File. Deletes a spooled file from the output queue.
- **DSPSPLF**: Display Spooled File. Enables you to display data records of a spooled file.
- **HLDSPLF**: Hold Spooled File. Stops the processing of an output file by a printer writer. The next spooled file in line is processed.
RLSSPLF
Release Spooled File. Releases a previously held spooled output file for processing by the printer writer.

SNDNETSPLF
Send Network Spooled Files. Enables you to send spooled files to another system.

**CL Commands Used with Output Queues**

The following commands may be used to work with output queues.

**WRKOUTQ**
Work with Output Queue. Shows the overall status of all output queues or the detailed status of a specific output queue.

**WRKOUTQD**
Work with Output Queue Description. Shows descriptive information for an output queue.

**CLROUTQ**
Clear Output Queue. Removes all spooled files from an output queue.

**CRTOUTQ**
Create Output Queue. Creates a new output queue.

**DLTOUTQ**
Delete Output Queue. Deletes an output queue from the system.

**HLDOUTQ**
Hold Output Queue. Prevents all spooled files from being processed by the printer writer.

**RLSOUTQ**
Release Output Queue. Releases a previously held output queue for processing by the printer writer.

**CL Commands Used with PSF Configuration Objects**

You can use the following commands to work with PSF configuration objects.

**CRTPSFCFG**
Create a PSF Configuration Object. Creates a PSF configuration object.

**DSPPSFCFG**
Display a PSF Configuration Object. Displays a PSF configuration object.

**DLTPSFCFG**
Delete a PSF Configuration Object. Deletes a PSF configuration object.

**CHGPSFCFG**
Change a PSF Configuration Object. Changes a PSF Configuration Object.

**WRKPSFCFG**
Work with a PSF Configuration Object. Works with a list of PSF configuration objects from one or more libraries.

**CL Commands Used with Font Resources**

You can use the following commands to work with PSF configuration objects.
CHGFNTRSC
Change a font resource. Changes a font resource.

CRTFNTRSC
Create a font resource. Creates a font resource.

WRKFNTRSC
Work with a font resource. Enables you to work with all the font resource space objects from the system or user libraries.

DSPFNTRSCA
Display the attributes of a font resource. Shows the attributes of the specified font resource.

DSCPDEFNFT
Display a coded font. Displays a coded font from the specified library.

CHGCDEFNFT
Change a coded font. Enables you to mark font character set and code page pairs referenced in the coded font as resident in the printer. (often used when dealing with double-byte fonts)

**CL Commands Used with Font Tables**

You can use the following commands to work with font tables.

**CRTFNTTBL**
Create a font table. Creates a font mapping table to be used by PSF/400.

**DSPFNTTBL**
Display a font table. Displays a font table.

**DLTFNTTBL**
Delete a font table. Deletes the specified font table.

**CHGFNTTBL**
Change a font table entry. Changes an entry in the specified font table.

**ADDFNTTBL**
Add a font table entry. Adds an entry in the specified font table.

**RMVFNTTBL**
Remove a font table entry. Removes an entry in the specified font table.
Appendix H. Printer File Parameters

The following list contains selected printer file parameters.

**FILE** Specifies the qualified name by which the printer file being called is known.

**DEV** Specifies the name of a printer device description.

**DEVTYP** Specifies the type of data stream created for a printer file. This parameter indicates whether the resulting data stream should be an intelligent printer data stream (IPDS), an SNA character stream (SCS), an ASCII data stream (*USERASCII), an Advanced Function Printing data stream (*AFPDS), line data (*LINE), or mixed data (*AFPDSLINE).

**PAGESIZE** Specifies the length and width of the printer forms used by this printer file.

**LPI** Specifies the line spacing setting on the printer, in lines per inch, used by this printer file.

**UOM** Specifies the unit of measure to be used for various measurements used in printing. Possible values are:

- *INCH (Use inches as the unit of measure.)*
- *CM (Use centimeters as the unit of measure.)*

**CPI** Specifies the printer character density, in characters per inch (CPI), used by this printer file.

**OVRFLW** Specifies the line number where an overflow message is issued.

**RPLUNPRT** Specifies (1) whether unprintable characters are replaced and (2) which substitution character (if any) is used.

**FIDELITY** Specifies whether the spooled file should continue printing if errors are encountered. Possible values are:

- *CONTENT* If errors are encountered, the spooled file continues to print.
- *ABSOLUTE* If errors are encountered, the spooled file does not print.

**CTLCHAR** Specifies whether the printer file supports input with print control characters.

**PRTQLTY** Specifies, for the 4214, 4224, 4230, 4234, and 5219 printers, the quality of print produced.

**FORMFEED** Specifies, for the 3916, 4028, 4214, 4224, 4230, 5219, and 5553 printers, the form feed attachment used by this printer file.

**DRAWER** Specifies the source drawer used when automatic cut sheet feed mode is used.

**OUTBIN** Specifies the destination bin of the output on printers that support multiple output bins. Possible values are:

- *DEVD The destination of the output is the default output bin for the printer device.
Output Bin
For printed output, specifies the output bin to be used on
the printer device.

Valid values range from 1 through 65535.

FONT Specifies the font identifier and the point size of the font used with
this printer.

CHRID Specifies the character identifier (graphic character set and code
page) for fields identified with the CHRID DDS keyword.

FNTCHRSET Specifies the font character set and the code page to be used at
printing time.

The font character set identifier provides the size and style of the
character.

For outline fonts, you must specify a point size.

The code page identifies which characters in a font are available for
printing.

CDEFNT Specifies the coded font to be used at printing time.

A coded font is an AFP resource that is made up of a font character
set name and a code page name.

For outline fonts, you must specify a point size.

PAGRTT Specifies the degree of text rotation.

Note: Overlays and page segments are not rotated with the rest of
the page.

PRTTXT Specifies the printing of a line of text at the bottom of each page.

JUSTIFY For the 5219 and 3812 SCS only, specifies the printing positions of
the characters on a page so the right-hand margin of printing is
regular.

DUPLEX Specifies whether the output is printed on only one or on two sides
of the paper.

SPOOL Specifies whether the output data for the printer file is spooled.

SCHEDULE Specifies, for spooled files only, when the spooled file is made
available to the printer writer program.

IGCDTA Specifies, for program-described printer files, whether the printer file
processes double-byte character set data.

IGCEXNCR Specifies whether the system processes double-byte character
extension characters.

IGCCHRRTT Specifies whether the printer should rotate double-byte characters
90 degrees counterclockwise when printing.

IGCCPI Specifies the printer character density of double-byte characters, in
characters per inch.

IGCSOSI Specifies how the system prints shift control characters.

IGCCDEFNT Specifies the font that the system uses to print DBCS data to an
IPDS printer. The printer must be configured AFP("YES).

For outline fonts, you must specify a point size.
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<td><strong>SHARE</strong></td>
<td>Specifies whether the open data path (ODP) for the printer file can be shared with other programs in the same routing step.</td>
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<td><strong>LVLCHK</strong></td>
<td>Specifies whether the level identifiers of the record formats in this printer file are checked when the file is opened by the program.</td>
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<td><strong>GENLVL</strong></td>
<td>Specifies the severity level of DDS messages that cause file creation to fail.</td>
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<td>Specifies whether the page alignment must be verified by the operator before printing is started.</td>
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<td>Specifies a list of channel numbers with their assigned line numbers. Use this parameter only if CTLCHAR(*FCFC) has been specified.</td>
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<td>Reduce the text output when doing multiple up printing.</td>
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<td>*NONE</td>
<td>Do not reduce the output when doing multiple up printing.</td>
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<td><strong>MULTIUP</strong></td>
<td>Specifies how many logical pages of output can be printed on one physical page of paper. The values are 1 through 4. 1 is the default value.</td>
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<td><strong>BACKOVL</strong></td>
<td>Specifies the overlay to be used on the back side of a piece of paper. Possible values are:</td>
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<td>*NONE (No overlay is used.)</td>
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<td><strong>MAXRCDS</strong></td>
<td>Specifies, for spooled output only, the maximum number of records in the spooled file for spooled jobs using this printer file.</td>
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<td><strong>FORMDF</strong></td>
<td>Specifies the name of a form definition to be used.</td>
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<td>Specifies the name of a page definition to be used.</td>
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<td>Specifies one or more AFP coded fonts to be used with line data and a page definition.</td>
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<td>TBLREFCHR</td>
<td>Specifies whether table reference characters are present in the line data.</td>
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<td>CORNERSTPL</td>
<td>Specifies the reference corner to be used for a corner stable by devices that support this function.</td>
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<td>EDGESTITCH</td>
<td>Specifies where one or more staples are driven into the media along the finishing operation axis by devices that support this function.</td>
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<td>Specifies where one or more staples are driven into the media along the finishing axis by devices that support this function.</td>
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<td>FNTRSL</td>
<td>Specifies the resolution PSF/400 uses when printing to a multiple resolution device configured to report multiple resolutions for a spooled file that does not specify the font metrics and resolution for the requested font.</td>
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<tr>
<td>IPDSPASTHR</td>
<td>Specifies whether IPDS spooled files may pass through PSF to the printer.</td>
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<td>USRRSCLIBL</td>
<td>Specifies the list of user resource libraries to be used for searching for AFP resources for a spooled file.</td>
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Appendix I. AS/400 SEGMENT and OVERLAY Commands

This appendix describes the AS/400 SEGMENT and OVERLAY commands and gives examples of their displays and of corresponding CL command information and RPG and COBOL source programming material. These commands are not available until they are downloaded.

The OVERLAY and SEGMENT commands automate the processing of overlay and page segment resources created on the client. The general process is:
- Create a temporary physical file
- Copy resource from folder to the physical file
- Create the overlay or page segment object
- Print a proof of the resource
- Optionally, use the Client Access/400 Viewer to view the resource

You can download the SEGMENT and OVERLAY commands from the IBM Printers Home Page (http://www.printers.ibm.com). Look for the AS/400 Sampler.

SEGMENT Command

The SEGMENT command is composed of the following:
- SEGMENT command
- SEGMENT CL program
- SEG01 RPG program to print the proof
- SEG01 DDS printer file source

The following figure shows the SEGMENT command display:

![SEGMENT Command Display](image)

Source for the SEGMENT command is as follows:

```
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:51:03 1
SOURCE FILE .............. SAMPLER/QCMDSRC
MEMBER ..................... SEGMENT
SEQNR=....+...1 ....+...2 ....+...3 ....+...4 ....+...5 ....+...6 ....+...7 ....+...8
100 CMD PROMPT('Create/Print Page Segment')
200 PARM KWD(FOLDER) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(13) +
300 PROMPT('Folder')
400 PARM KWD(DOCNAM) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(12) MIN(0) +
500 PROMPT('Document Name')
```

Figure 188. Create/Print Page Segment (SEGMENT) Display

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/* SEGMENT: processes an segment file residing in a folder, */
/* executing the following steps: */
/* - Create PSGPF work file */
/* - Copy segment file from folder to work file (CPYFRMPCD) */
/* - Create page segment object (CRTPAGSEG) */
/* - Print page segment (SEG01 program) */
/* - Optionally, launch CA/400 Viewer and display segment on PC */

PGM PARM(&FOLDER &DOCNAM &DOCTXT &SEG &LIB &VIEW &OUTQ &OUTQLIB &REPLACE)

/* General error handling */
MONMSG MSGID(CPF0000) EXEC(GOTO CMDLBL(GENERR))

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/* Retrieve job values for spooled file name */

RTVJOB A JOB(&JOB) USER(&USER) NBR(&NBR) OUTQ(&OUTQ) +
OUTLIB(&OUTLIB)

RTVNETA SYSNAME(&SYS)

CHGVAR &STMSG (&SEG *TCAT ' Segment being processed')

SNPDMMSG MSGID(CPF9809) MSGF(QCPFMSG) MSGOTA(&STMSG) +
TOPGMQ(*EXT) MSGTYPE(*STATUS)

/* Create work file (PSGPF) for page segment copy */

DLTF FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF)

MONMSG MSGID(CPF2105)

CRTPF FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) RCDLEN(8192) MBR(*NONE) +
MAXMRS(*NOMAX) LVLCNK(*NO)

ADDPFM FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) MBR(&SEG)

MONMSG MSGID(CPF5812 CPF7306)

/* Copy page segment file from folder to file */

CPYFRMPCD FROMFLR(&FOLDER) TOFILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) +
FROMDOC(&DOCNAM) TOMBR(&SEG) +
TRNTBL(*NONE) TRNFMT(*NOTEXT)

/* Create page segment object */

CRTPAGSEG PAGSEG(&LIB/&SEG) FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) +
MBR(&SEG) TEXT(&DOCTXT) REPLACE(&REPLACE)

/* Print proof of page segment */

OVRPRTF FILE(SEG01) DEVTYP(=AFPDS) PAGESIZE(11 8.5 +
*UOM) OVRFLW(66) FIDELITY(*CONTENT) +
PAGRRT(0) FRONTOVL(*NONE) +
OUTQ(&OUTQ) USRDTA(&LIB) +
SPLFNAME(&SEG) SECURE(*YES)

/* Create page segment object */

CALL SEG01 (&SEG &LIB &SPLNBR)

/* Launch CA/400 Viewer and display overlay */

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/* Retrieve job values for spooled file name */

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RTVNETA SYSNAME(&SYS)

CHGVAR &STMSG (&SEG *TCAT ' Segment being processed')

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TOPGMQ(*EXT) MSGTYPE(*STATUS)

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DLTF FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF)

MONMSG MSGID(CPF2105)

CRTPF FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) RCDLEN(8192) MBR(*NONE) +
MAXMRS(*NOMAX) LVLCNK(*NO)

ADDPFM FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) MBR(&SEG)

MONMSG MSGID(CPF5812 CPF7306)

/* Copy page segment file from folder to file */

CPYFRMPCD FROMFLR(&FOLDER) TOFILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) +
FROMDOC(&DOCNAM) TOMBR(&SEG) +
TRNTBL(*NONE) TRNFMT(*NOTEXT)

/* Create page segment object */

CRTPAGSEG PAGSEG(&LIB/&SEG) FILE(QTEMP/PSGPF) +
MBR(&SEG) TEXT(&DOCTXT) REPLACE(&REPLACE)

/* Print proof of page segment */

OVRPRTF FILE(SEG01) DEVTYP(=AFPDS) PAGESIZE(11 8.5 +
*UOM) OVRFLW(66) FIDELITY(*CONTENT) +
PAGRRT(0) FRONTOVL(*NONE) +
OUTQ(&OUTQ) USRDTA(&LIB) +
SPLFNAME(&SEG) SECURE(*YES)

/* Create page segment object */

CALL SEG01 (&SEG &LIB &SPLNBR)

/* Launch CA/400 Viewer and display overlay */

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11200  CHGVAR  VAR(&SPLCHR)  VALUE(&SPLNBR)
11300  CHGVAR  &CMD ('CWBVIEWR OVERO1/')</n11400  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT &SPLCHR *TCAT '')</n11500  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT &JOB *TCAT '')</n11600  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT &NBR *TCAT '')</n11700  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT &USER *TCAT '')</n11800  /*  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT &SYS) */
11900  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT 'S1019640')</n12000  CHGVAR  &WRK (' /V:LETTER')
12100  CHGVAR  &CMD (&CMD *TCAT &WRK)
12200  STRPCCMD  PCCMD(&CMD)  PAUSE(*NO)
12300  ENDDO
12400
12500  END:  RETURN
12600  */
12700  GENERR:
12800  SONDPGMSG  MSGID(CPF9898)  MSGF(QCPFMSG) +
12900  MSGDTA('Unexpected error - use PF10 to review detailed +
13000  messages')  MSGTYPE(*ESCAPE)
13100  */
13200  ENDPGM

*** END OF SOURCE ***

5763PW1  V3R2M0  960917  SEU SOURCE LISTING  03/03/96  17:48:58  1
SOURCE FILE........ SAMPLER/QRPGSRC
MEMBER............ SEG01
SEQNBR*........... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8
100  *  SEG01 - prints page segment (called by SEGMENT command). Also
200  *  passes the spooled file number (SNO) back to the calling SEGMENT
300  *  program for use with the invocation of the external AFP viewer.
400  *
500  FSEG01  O  E  PRINTER
600  F  KINFDS  INFO
700  INFO  DS
800  I  81  82  TYPE
900  I  103  112  SNAME
1000  I  113  122  SLIB
1100  I  B  123  1240  SNO
1200  C  *ENTRY  PLIST
1300  C  PARM  SEG  8
1400  C  PARM  LIB  10
1500  C  PARM  SPLNBR  40
1600  C*
1700  C  MOVEL' '  BLKB  8
1800  C  MOVEL'Segment:'PROMP1  8
1900  C  MOVEL'Library:'PROMP2  8
2000  C  WRITEREC1
2100  C  WRITEREC2
2200  C  WRITEREC3
2300  C  Z-ADDSNO  SPLNBR
2400  C  SETON  LR

*** END OF SOURCE ***

5763PW1  V3R2M0  960917  SEU SOURCE LISTING  03/03/96  17:48:43  1
SOURCE FILE........ SAMPLER/QDDSSRC
MEMBER............ SEG01
SEQNBR*........... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8
100  A*  SEG01 - Printer file DDS for printing Page Segment
200  A*  (called by SEGMENT command)
300  A*
400  A*  Printer File Create or Change Parameters:
500  A*  -  Printer Device Type (DEVTYPE)  *AFPDS
600  A*  -  Overflow Line (OVRFLW)  65
700  A*
800  A  R  RECI
900  A  PROMP1  8A  POSITION(0.5 0.5)
1000  A  SEG  8A  POSITION(0.5 1.5)
1100  A  PROMP2  8A  POSITION(0.7 0.5)
OVERLAY Command

The OVERLAY command is composed of the following:

- OVERLAY command
- OVERLAY CL program
- OVER01 RPG program to print the proof
- OVER01 DDS printer file source

The following figure shows the OVERLAY command display:

```
Figure 189. Create/Print Overlay (OVERLAY) Display
```

Source for the OVERLAY command is as follows:

```
5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:51:03 1
SOURCE FILE........... SAMPLER/QCMDSRC
MEMBER............. OVERLAY
SEQNBR=.+...... 1 .....+.... 2 .....+.... 3 .....+.... 4 .....+.... 5 .....+.... 6 .....+.... 7 .....+.... 8
100 CMD PROMPT('Create/Print Overlay')
200 PARM KWD(FOLDER) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(13) +
300 PROMPT('Folder')
400 PARM KWD(DOCNAM) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(12) MIN(0) +
500 PROMPT('Full Document Name')
600 PARM KWD(DOCTXT) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(25) MIN(0) +
700 PROMPT('Overlay Description')
800 PARM KWD(LIB) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(10) MIN(0) +
900 PROMPT('Overlay Library')
1000 PARM KWD(OVL) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(10) +
1100 MIN(0) PROMPT('Overlay Name')
1200 PARM KWD(RES) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(4) RSTD(*YES) +
1300 PROMPT('Resolution')
1400 PARM KWD(VIEW) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(4) RSTD(*YES) +
1500 PROMPT('Display Overlay')
1600 PARM KWD(OUTQ) TYPE(*CHAR) LEN(10) +
1700 PROMPT('Output Queue')
```
**OVERLAY**: processes an overlay file residing in a folder, executing the following steps:

- Create OVERLAY work file
- Copy overlay file from folder to work file (CPYFRMPCD)
- Ensure font libraries are in library list
- Create OVERLAY object (CRTLOVL)
- Print overlay (OVER01 RPG program)
- Optionally, launch CA/400 Viewer and display overlay on PC

```
100 /* OVERLAY: processes an overlay file residing in a folder, */
200 /* executing the following steps: */
300 /* - Create OVERLAY work file */
400 /* - Copy overlay file from folder to work file (CPYFRMPCD) */
500 /* - Ensure font libraries are in library list */
600 /* - Create OVERLAY object (CRTLOVL) */
700 /* - Print overlay (OVER01 RPG program) */
800 /* - Optionally, launch CA/400 Viewer and display overlay on PC */
900 /* */
1000 PGM PARM(&FOLDER &DOCNAM &DOCTXT &LIB &OVL &RES &VIEW + &OUTQ &OUTQLIB &REPLACE &RECL)
```

```
1300 DCL &FOLDER *CHAR 13
1400 DCL &DOCNAM *CHAR 12
1500 DCL &DOCTXT *CHAR 25
1600 DCL &LIB *CHAR 10
1700 DCL &OVL *CHAR 8
1800 DCL &RES *CHAR 4
1900 DCL &RECL *DEC 6
2000 DCL &VIEW *CHAR 4
2100 DCL &OUTQ *CHAR 10
2200 DCL &OUTQLIB *CHAR 10
2300 DCL &STSMGS *CHAR 75
2500 DCL &CMD *CHAR 75
2600 DCL &WRK *CHAR 10
2700 DCL &FILEXT *CHAR 13
2800 DCL &TEST *CHAR 12
2900 DCL &FNAME *CHAR 8
```

```
3000 /* Job */
3100 DCL &JOB *CHAR 10
3200 DCL &USER *CHAR 10
3300 DCL &NBR *CHAR 6
3400 DCL &SYS *CHAR 8
3500 DCL &OUTQ *CHAR 10
3600 DCL &OUTQLIB *CHAR 10
3700 DCL &SPLNBR *DEC 2 0
3800 DCL &SPLCHR *CHAR 2
```

```
3900 /* General message handling */
4000 /* */
4100 MONMSG MSGID(CPF0000) EXEC(GOTO CMDlbl(GENERR))
4200 /* */
4300 CHGVAR &STSMGS (&GOVL + TCAT ' overlay being processed')
4400 SNOPGMMGS MSGID(CPF9808) MSGF(QCPFMSG) MSGOTA(&STSMGS) + TOPGMQ(*EXT) MSGTYPE(*STATUS)
4600 /* Retrieve job info */
4700 /* */
4800 RTVJOB% JOB(&JOB) USER(&USER) NBR(&NBR) OUTQ(&OUTQ) + OUTQLIB(&OUTQLIB)
5000 RTVNETA SYNAME(&SYS)
5100 /* Check/Create OVERLAY PF */
5200 /* */
5300 DLTF FILE(QTEMP/OVERLAY)
5400 MONMSG MSGID(CPF2105)
```
Appendix I. AS/400 SEGMENT and OVERLAY Commands

5500  CRTPF   FILE(QTEMP/OVERLAY) RCDELN(*RECL) MBR(*NONE) +
5600     MAXMBR(*NOMAX) LVLCHECK(*NO)
5700  ADDPFM   FILE(QTEMP/OVERLAY) MBR(&OVL)
5800  MNMSEG MSGID(CPF5812 CPF7306)
5900  /* */
6000  /* Copy overlay file from folder to OVERLAY file */
6100  /* */
6200  CPYFRMPCD FROMFLR(&FOLDER) TOFILE(QTEMP/OVERLAY) +
6300     FROMDOC(&DOCNAM) TOMB(&OVL) +
6400     TRNTBL(*NONE) TRNFMT(*NOTEXT)
6500  /* */
6600  IF  (&OUTQ *EQ '*JOB') (DO)
6700     CHGVAR &OUTQ &JOUTQ
6800     CHGVAR &OUTQLIB &JOUTQLIB
6900  ENDDO
7000  /* */
7100  /* Place 240 dpi font libraries in library list */
7200  /* */
7300  IF  (&RES *EQ '*240') (DO)
7400     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNTCDEPAG)
7500     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
7600     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNTCF_LA1)
7700     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
7800     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNTCPL)
7900     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
8000     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNT240LA1)
8100     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
8200     RMLLIBLE LIB(QFNT300CPL)
8300     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2110 CPF2110)
8400     RMLLIBLE LIB(QFNT300LA1)
8500     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2110 CPF2110)
8600  ENDDO
8700  /* */
8800  /* Place 300 dpi font libraries in library list */
8900  /* */
9000  IF  (&RES *EQ '*300') (DO)
9100     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNTCDEPAG)
9200     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
9300     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNTCF_LA1)
9400     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
9500     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNT300CPL)
9600     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
9700     ADDLIBLE LIB(QFNT300LA1)
9800     MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2103 CPF2110)
9900     RMLLIBLE LIB(QFNT300CPL)
10000  MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2110 CPF2110)
10100  RMLLIBLE LIB(QFNT240LA1)
10200  MNMSEG MSGID(CPF2110 CPF2110)
10300  ENDDO
10400  /* */
10500  /* Create overlay object, using CRTOVL command */
10600  /* */
10700  CRTOVL OVL(&LIB/&OVL) FILE(QTEMP/OVERLAY) MBR(&OVL) +
10800     TEXT(&DOCTXT) REPLACE(&REPLACE)
10900  /* */
11000  CHGVAR &STMSG (&OVL *TCAT 'Overlay Created')
11100  SNOPGMMSEG MSGID(CPF9898) MSGQ(QCPFMSG) MSGDTA(&STMSG) +
11200     TOPQ(*EXT) MSGTYPE(*STATUS)
11300  /* */
11400  /* Override printer file and print overlay */
11500  /* */
11600  OVRPRTF FILE(OVER01) TOFILE(*FILE) +
11700     FIDELITY(*CONTENT) +
11800     OUTQ(&OUTQ) USRDTA(&OVL)
11900  /* */
12000  CALL OVER01 PARM(&OVL &LIB &SPLNBR)
12100  CHGVAR &STMSG (&OVL *TCAT 'Sent to Out Queue')
12200  SNDPGMMSG MSGID(CPF9898) MSGF(QCPFMSG) MSGDTA(&STSMSG) + 12300   TOPONQ(*EXT) MSGTYPE(*STATUS)  12400  /* */ 12500  /* Launch CA/400 Viewer and display overlay */ 12600  /**/ 12700  /* Invoke by command: STRPCCMD PCCMD('CWBVIEWR splfid /V:form') */ 12800  /* - splfid is: splfname/splfnum/jobname/jobnum/user/system */ 12900  /* - i.e. CBWVIEWR INVOICE/12/WS1/074178/USER1/MAIN400 /V:LETTER */ 13000  /* */ 13100  IF (&VIEW *EQ '*YES') (DO) 13200   CHGVAR VAR(&SPLCHR) VALUE(&SPLNBR) 13300   CHGVAR &CMD ('CWBVIEWR OVER01/') 13400   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT &SPLCHR +TCAT '/') 13500   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT &JOB +TCAT '/') 13600   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT &NBR +TCAT '/') 13700   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT &USER +TCAT '/') 13800   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT &SYS) */ 13900   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT 'S1019640') 14000   CHGVAR &WRK ('/V:LETTER') 14100   CHGVAR &CMD (&CMD +TCAT &WRK) 14200   STRPCCMD PCCMD(&CMD) PAUSE(*NO) 14300  ENDDO 14400  END: RETURN 14500  /* */ 14600  GENERR: 14700  SNDPGMMSG MSGID(CPF9898) MSGF(QCPFMSG) + 14800   MSGDTA('Unexpected error - use PF10 to review detailed + 14900   messages') MSGTYPE(*ESCAPE) 15000  /* */ 15100  ENDJOB: ENDPGM  5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:47:58 1 SOURCE FILE....... SAMPLER/QRPGSRC MEMBER ......... OVER01 SEQRB+.... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8 100  * OVER01, called by the OVERLAY command, prints a sample of the 200  * overlay that has just been created. It also passes the spooled file 300  * number (SNO) back to the OVERLAY CL program for use with the 400  * invocation of the external AFP viewer. 500  * 600  FOVER01 O E PRINTER 700  F KINFDS INFO 800  INFO DS 900  I 81 82 TYPE 1000  I 103 112 SNAME 1100  I 113 122 SLIB 1200  I B 123 1240SNO 1300  C *ENTRY PLIST 1400  C PARM OVER 8 1500  C PARM LIB 10 1600  C PARM SPLNBR 20 1700  C* 1800  C MOVEL 'BLKB 8 1900  C MOVEL 'Overlay':PROMP1 8 2000  C MOVEL 'Library':PROMP2 8 2100  C WRITEREC1 2200  C WRITEREC2 2300  C WRITEREC3 2400  C Z-ADDSNO SPLNBR 2500  C SETON LR 5763PW1 V3R2M0 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING 03/03/96 17:48:39 1 SOURCE FILE....... SAMPLER/QDDSSRC MEMBER ......... OVER01 SEQRB+.... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ...+... 8 100  A* OVER01 - Printer File DDS for OVERLAY command

AS/400 Guide to AFP and PSF
Printer File Create or Change Parameters:

- Printer Device Type (DEVTYP) *AFPDS

**END OF SOURCE**
Appendix J. Font Samples

This appendix presents a sampling of various fonts provided by IBM. Refer to *IBM AFP Fonts: Font Samples* for a more complete description and illustration of fonts provided by IBM.

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<td>14</td>
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*Figure 196. Helvetica Italic Medium*
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<td>Helvetica Italic Bold 30pt</td>
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<td>Helvetica Italic Bold 36pt</td>
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Figure 197. Helvetica Italic Bold
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</table>

Figure 198. Courier Font Samples
Appendix K. AFP Fonts for AS/400

This appendix lists the fonts in the AFP Fonts for AS/400 font product. You can order each font family separately.

These fonts are downloadable raster fonts for 240-pel only.

Table 38. AFP Fonts for AS/400

<table>
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<td></td>
<td>QFNT01</td>
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<td>Roman, Roman Bold, Italic, Italic Bold</td>
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<td>Feature # 5057 Monotype Garamond</td>
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<tr>
<td>Monotype Garamond</td>
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Feature # 5058 Century Schoolbook</td>
<td></td>
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<td>QFNT08</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Century Schoolbook</td>
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<td>6 through 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 30, and 36</td>
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<tr>
<td>Feature # 5059 Pi and Specials</td>
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<td>Pi Serif, Pi Sans Serif</td>
<td>Roman, Roman Bold</td>
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Table 38. AFP Fonts for AS/400 (continued)

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<td>ITC Souvenir</td>
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<td>6 through 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 30, and 36</td>
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</table>

**Feature # 5061 ITC Avant Garde Gothic**

| ITC Avant Garde Gothic       | Roman, Roman Bold, Italic Bold | 6 through 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 30, and 36 | QFNT11       |

**Feature # 5062 Math and Science**

| Math Format                  | Roman                        | 6 through 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 30, 32, 36, 40, 44, 48, 54, 60, 72 | QFNT12       |

| Math Symbols Serif, Math Symbols Sans Serif | Roman, Roman Bold | 6 through 12, 14, 16, 18, 24, 36 | QFNT12       |

**Feature # 5063 DATA1**

| Math Symbols Serif, Math Symbols Sans Serif | Roman, Roman Bold, Italic | 8 | QFNT13       |

**Feature # 5064 APL2**

| APL2, APL2 Gothic, APL2 Text | Roman, Italic | 8, 9, 10 | QFNT14       |

| APL2                         | Roman          | 5         | QFNT14       |

**Feature # 5065 OCR A and OCR B**

| OCR A, OCR B                 | Roman          | 10        | QFNT15       |

Table 39. AFP DBCS Fonts for AS/400

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<tr>
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<td>Medium, Upright</td>
<td>8,10.5,12,14,18</td>
<td>QFNT61</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Japanese Half Size Mincho</td>
<td>Medium, Upright</td>
<td>8,10.5,12,14,16,18</td>
<td>QFNT61</td>
</tr>
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<td>Japanese Half Size Round Gothic</td>
<td>Medium, Upright</td>
<td>10.5,12,14,18</td>
<td>QFNT61</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Japanese Mincho</td>
<td>Medium, Upright</td>
<td>5,7,8,10,10.5,12,13,14,16,18</td>
<td>QFNT61</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Japanese Round Gothic</td>
<td>Medium, Upright</td>
<td>10.5,12,14,18</td>
<td>QFNT61</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Feature # 5072 Korean**

| Korean Gothic                  | Medium, Upright       | 5,7             | QFNT62       |
| Korean Mincho                  | Medium, Upright       | 7,9,10.5,12,14,18 | QFNT62       |
| Korean Half Size Gothic        | Medium, Upright       | 5,7             | QFNT62       |
| Korean Half Size Mincho        | Medium, Upright       | 7,9,10.5,12,14,18 | QFNT62       |

**Feature # 5073 Traditional Chinese**

| Traditional Chinese Gothic    | Medium, Upright       | 5               | QFNT63       |
| Traditional Chinese Ming      | Medium, Upright       | 7,10,12         | QFNT63       |

**Feature # 5074 Simplified Chinese**
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</tr>
<tr>
<td>Thai OFFICIAL</td>
<td>Medium, Upright</td>
<td>12,18</td>
<td>QFNT65</td>
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</table>
The PPFA source code needed to generate the page definition for the line data shown in Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions on page 193 is shown in the following example.

5763PW1 V3RMO 960917 SEU SOURCE LISTING
SOURCE FILE . . . . . . . . AFPLIB/PPFASRC
MEMBER . . . . . . . . SEEDS
SEQNBR*...+... 1 ...+... 2 ...+... 3 ...+... 4 ...+... 5 ...+... 6 ...+... 7 ..
100 /* ********** WHAT THIS IS *********** */
200 /* The following statements, written as PPFA/400 source statements, */
300 /* describe how to process output from a specific application. The */
400 /* application-generated output was used along with a specification */
500 /* of the desired print format to create the following pagedef and */
600 /* formdef. PPFA/400 is required to process these source statements */
700 /* and from them make a pagedef and a formdef object which PSF/400 */
800 /* uses when printing. */
900 /* *********************************** */
1000 /* pagedef Name: SEEDS */
1100 /* Conditional Processing inside this pagedef: */
1200 /* This is a somewhat complicated pagedef since there are actually */
1300 /* three Pageformats within the pagedef. The following describes */
1400 /* how the page formats work together to allow dynamical format */
1500 /* changing based upon the content of the application data: */
1600 /* 1OF1 - First and only page of a single-page billing. */
1700 /* This Pageformat is given control initially under the */
1800 /* assumption that the customer's billing is 1 page long */
1900 /* (logic within this Pageformat will switch to the following */
2000 /* 1OFMULTI Pageformat if the customer's billing data turns out */
2100 /* to span multiple pages). */
2200 /* 1OFMULTI - First & interior pages of a multi-page billing. */
2300 /* This Pageformat is given control from the 1OF1 Pageformat */
2400 /* and will continue processing pages until the last/summary page*/
2500 /* is reached (at which point logic within this Pageformat will */
2600 /* switch to the following NOFMULTI Pageformat). */
2700 /* NOFMULTI - Last/summary page of a multi-page billing. */
2800 /* One page will be processed, and control will be returned */
2900 /* unconditionally to Pageformat 1OF1 for the next billing. */
3000 /* */
3100 /* Flow Start-> 1OF1 ->-+--> 1OFMULTI ->-+--> NOFMULTI ->-+ */
3200 /* */
3300 /* Summary: */
3400 /* A | A V */
3500 /* | V +--<---> V */
3600 /* +--<----------------------------------------<--------+ */
3700 /* ********** GENERAL SECTION ********** */
3800 /* pagedef Name: SEEDS */
3900 /* Here we specify characteristics of the pagedef */
4000 /* */
4100 /* PAGEDEF SEEDS */
4200 /* PPFA will produce PISEEDS as output */
4300 /* REPLACE YES; */
4400 /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
4500 /* Define font nicknames as follows: */
4600 /* FONT BOLD CB10; */
PAGEFORMAT 1OF1; /* Name */

PRINTLINE

POSITION MARGIN 1.8 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 1.8" */

FONT BOLD /* Customer name in bold print */

REPEAT 4; /* Process 4 input lines this way */

/* Customer account data - 1 input line, 1 output line */

PRINTLINE

POSITION MARGIN 2.9 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 2.9" */

FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */

/* Shipping information - 1 input line, 1 output line */

PRINTLINE

POSITION MARGIN 3.2 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 3.2" */

FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */

/* Billing Detail Section - 20 lines of input, 20 lines of output */

PRINTLINE

POSITION MARGIN 3.8 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: Down 3.8" */

FONT NORM /* Normal font to be used here */

REPEAT 20; /* Same processing for 20 lines */

FIELD START 1 LENGTH 57; /* This field always printed */

FIELD START 58 LENGTH 22 /* Note: Positioning is assumed by */

10000 /* default to follow previous FIELD */

10100 /* - which in this case is desirable. */

10200 /* Suppression PRICES; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */

10300 /* These next 6 lines are either 6 more billing lines or 6 lines */

10400 /* of "Thank You" text. - 6 lines of input, 6 lines of output */

10500 /* Process the first 2 lines as if they are Thank You (Italic) */

10600 PRINTLINE
10800  POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
10900  FONT ITAL /* Italic font to be used here */
11000  REPEAT 2; /* Same processing for 2 lines */
11100
11200  /* We must check line 3 to ensure it really is in the Thank You */
11300  /* area and, therefore, a first page of a single-page billing. */
11400  /* Furthermore, the field we check will indicate which "icon" */
11500  /* (the little picture of a seed, tree, or fruit) this page */
11600  /* includes. The inclusion is controlled here by specifying the */
11700  /* correct Copygroup. Note: The default icon is the seed icon; */
11800  /* if it is determined to be correct, no switch is necessary. */
11900  /* If the field has a non-icon value, we are in the middle of */
12000  /* a valid first page of a multiple-page billing and we must */
12100  /* immediately switch to the 1OFMULTI Pageformat, which will */
12200  /* reprocess the page correctly. */
12300  PRINTLINE
12400  POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
12500  FONT ITAL; /* Italic font to be used here */
12600
12700  CONDITION GOTO1OFM /* Check if really first of single-page */
12800  /* Note: comparisons are case sensitive*/
12900  START 49 LENGTH 5 /* look for... */
13000  WHEN EQ 'seeds' /* Yes, 1 of 1 - although seeds is the */
13100  /* default icon, we need to check for */
13200  /* it or OTHERWISE would get control! */
13300  WHEN EQ 'trees' /* Yes, 1 of 1 - bring in trees picture */
13400  BEFORE SUBPAGE COPYGROUP 1OFITREE /* same Pagerformat */
13500  WHEN EQ 'fruit' /* Yes, 1 of 1 - bring in fruit picture */
13600  BEFORE SUBPAGE COPYGROUP 1OFIFRUIT /* same Pagerformat */
13700  OTHERWISE /* No, 1 of Multi - switch to 1OFMULTI */
13800  BEFORE SUBPAGE COPYGROUP 1OFMULTI PAGEFORMAT 1OFMULTI;
13900
14000  /* If above conditions did not switch processing to NOFMULTI */
14100  /* (Switching Copygroup does not affect flow of control), then */
14200  /* this page really is the first of a single-page billing, so */
14300  /* continue processing through the end of the page. */
14400  PRINTLINE
14500  POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
14600  FONT ITAL /* Normal font to be used here */
14700  REPEAT 3; /* 3 remaining "Thank you" lines */
14800
14900  /* "Total Due" line - 1 line of input, 1 line of output */
15000  PRINTLINE
15100  POSITION MARGIN 8.4 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 8.5" */
15200  FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
15300  FIELD START 1 LENGTH 79
15400  SUPPRESSION PRICES ; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
15500
15600  /* Date/Total Line - 1 line of input, 1 line of output */
15700  PRINTLINE
15800  POSITION MARGIN 9.17 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 8.5" */
15900  FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
16000  FIELD START 1 LENGTH 60; /* Always print the date */
16100  FIELD START 61 LENGTH 19 /* Total may be suppressed */
16200  SUPPRESSION PRICES ; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
16300
16400  /* Footer Billing info - 5 lines of input, 5 lines of output */
16500  PRINTLINE
16600  POSITION MARGIN 9.50 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 9.33"*/
16700  FONT NORM /* Normal font to be used here */
16800  REPEAT 5; /* five lines input file lines output */
PAGEFORMAT 1OFMULTI; /* Name */

PRINTLINE
CHANNEL 1 /* When an input line has a first col. */
(position (CC) '1' value, this PRINTLINE gets */
(control - meaning: top of a new page */
POSITION MARGIN 1.8 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 1.8" */
FONT BOLD /* Customer name in bold print */
REPEAT 4; /* Process 4 input lines this way */

PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 2.9 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 2.9" */
FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */

PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 3.2 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 3.2" */
FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */

PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 3.8 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: Down 3.8" */
FONT NORM /* Normal font to be used here */
REPEAT 22; /* Same processing for 22 lines */
FIELD START 1 LENGTH 57; /* This field always printed */
FIELD START 58 LENGTH 22 /* Note: Positioning is assumed by */
/* default to follow previous FIELD */
21500 /* which in this case is desirable. */
21600 SUPPRESSION PRICES ; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
21700
21800 /* We must check billing detail line 23 for the possibility that */
21900 /* this page is last/summary page. If it is, we switch to the */
22000 /* NOFMULTI Pageformat, which will reprocess the page correctly. */
22100 PRINTLINE
22200 POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
22300 FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
22400 FIELD START 1 LENGTH 57; /* This field always printed */
22500 FIELD START 58 LENGTH 22 /* Note: Positioning is assumed by */
22600 /* default to follow previous FIELD */
22700 /* which in this case is desirable. */
22800 SUPPRESSION PRICES ; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
22900

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23000  CONDITION GOTO NOF
/* Check if need to process last/summary*/
23100  /* Note: comparisons are case sensitive*/
23200  START 49 LENGTH 5 /* look for... */
23300  WHEN EQ 'seeds' /* Yes, N of Multi - get seed picture */
23400  BEFORE SUBPAGE COPYGROUP NOFMSEED PAGEFORMAT NOFMULTI
23500  WHEN EQ 'trees' /* Yes, N of Multi - get tree picture */
23600  BEFORE SUBPAGE COPYGROUP NOFMTREE PAGEFORMAT NOFMULTI
23700  WHEN EQ 'fruit' /* Yes, N of Multi - get fruit picture*/
23800  BEFORE SUBPAGE COPYGROUP NOFMFRUI PAGEFORMAT NOFMULTI;
23900
24000  /* If above conditions did not switch processing to NOFMULTI, */
24100  /* then this page is still an internal page, so continue on. */
24200  PRINTLINE
24300  POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
24400  FONT NORM /* Normal font to be used here */
24500  REPEAT 3; /* Same processing for lines 24-26 */
24600  FIELD START 1 LENGTH 57; /* This field always printed */
24700  FIELD START 58 LENGTH 22 /* Note: Positioning is assumed by */
24800  /* default to follow previous FIELD */
24900  /* - which in this case is desirable. */
25000  SUPPRESSION PRICES ; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
25100
25200  /* "CONTINUED" line - 1 input line, 1 output line */
25300  PRINTLINE
25400  POSITION MARGIN 10.5 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 10.5"*/
25500  FONT ITAL; /* Italic font to be used here */
25600
25700  /* "Page x" line - 1 input line, 1 output line */
25800  PRINTLINE
25900  POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
26000  FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
26100
26200  /**** PAGEFORMAT NOFMULTY**********/
26300  /* NOFMULTI - This Pageformat lays out billing data to */
26400  /* correspond around the O1NOFM Overlay. This overlay has */
26500  /* one line for a customer name at the top, and a large */
26600  /* payment slip at the bottom to contain customer address and */
26700  /* "Amount Due". In the middle of the page there is room for */
26800  /* up to 26 lines of billing details and 6 lines for a "Thank */
26900  /* You" message. */
27000  /* Processing Logic Note: */
27100  /* Pageformat 1OFMULTI has already determined the current data */
27200  /* to be the last of a multiple-page billing. Now, this */
27300  /* Pageformat will process this last page and return control */
27400  /* to Pageformat 1OF1 for the next customer's billing. */
27500  /**** PAGEFORMAT NOFMULTI; /* Name */
27600
27700  SETUNITS LINESP 6 LPI; /* 6 lines per inch */
27800
27900  /* Customer Address Block - 4 input lines, 1/2 output line */
28000  /* We want to output part of the 1st line, and suppress the */
28100  /* remaining 3 input lines (historically the application needed */
28200  /* to output the information, but it no longer should be printed */
28300  /* (Note: this feature shows how we are protected from changing */
28400  /* (the application) */
28500  PRINTLINE
28600  CHANNEL 1 /* When an input line has a first col. */
28700  /* (CC)'1' value, this PRINTLINE gets */
28800  /* control - meaning: top of a new page */
28900
29000  POSITION MARGIN 1.6; /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: Down 1.6"*/

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FIELD START 1 LENGTH 44 /* Just put out "Sold to" Customer Name */
FONT BOLD; /* Customer name in bold print */
/* Before we forget, make a note that after finishing this page */
/* we switch control back to Pageformat 1OF1. This condition */
/* has no connection with the above PRINTLINE, it could be */
/* attached to any PRINTLINE in the Pageformat. */
CONDITION GOTO1OF1
START 1 LENGTH 1
WHEN GE X'00' /* Unconditional switch when finished */
/* Note: seeds icon is made default for */
/* the next customer billing here. */
AFTER SUBPAGE COPYGROUP 1OF1SEED PAGEFORMAT 1OF1;
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN SAME /* Positioning doesn't matter */
REPEAT 3; /* For three lines */
FIELD TEXT ' '; /* Just put out blanks instead */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 1.9 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 1.9" */
FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN SAME; /* Positioning doesn't matter */
FIELD TEXT ' '; /* Just put out blanks instead */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 1.9 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 1.9" */
FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN SAME; /* Positioning doesn't matter */
FIELD TEXT ' '; /* Just put out blanks instead */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 2.67 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: Down 2.67*/
FONT NORM /* Normal font to be used here */
REPEAT 20; /* Same processing for 20 lines */
FIELD START 1 LENGTH 57; /* This field always printed */
FIELD START 58 LENGTH 22 /* Note: Positioning is assumed by */
/* default to follow previous FIELD */
/* - which in this case is desirable. */
SUPPRESSION PRICES; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN NEXT /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos: continue */
FONT ITAL /* Italic font to be used here */
REPEAT 6; /* Same processing for 6 lines */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 8.4 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 8.4" */
FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
FIELD START 1 LENGTH 79
SUPPRESSION PRICES; /* Copygroup will decide if to print. */
PRINTLINE
POSITION MARGIN 9.17 /* Horiz Pos:Margin; Vert Pos:Down 8.5" */
FONT NORM; /* Normal font to be used here */
FIELD START 1 LENGTH 60; /* Always print the date */
FIELD START 61 LENGTH 19 /* Total may be suppressed */
The PPFA source code needed to generate the form definition for the line data shown in [Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions](#) on page 193 is shown in the following example.

```plaintext
/ **** GENERAL SECTION ************** /
/*formdef Name: SEEDS */
/* Here we specify characteristics of the formdef */
/* Conditional Logic within the pagedef will switch us between the */
/* different Copygroups. It is necessary to switch Copygroups */
/* to allow the application data to control if we use a first page */
/* overlays or a last/summary page overlay. Also, application data */
/* determines which "icon" (seed, tree, or fruit) is to be included */
/* Note: formdefs play no part in the switching logic - they are */
/* subject to the logical decisions made within the pagedefs. */
/* There need to be seven Copygroups in this formdef (so many are */
/* needed since there are multiple combinations of icons to be */
/* merged onto summary-type sheets). There are 3 Copygroups for the */
/* 3 1OF1 scenarios (1OF1SEED, 1OF1TREE, and 1OF1FRUI), 1 Copygroup */
/* for the 1OFMULTI, and 3 Copygroups for the 3 1OFMULTI scenarios */
/* (1OFMSEED, 1OFMTREE, and 1OFMFRUI). */
/* FORMDEF SEEDS /* PPFA will produce F1SEEDS as output */
/* REPLACE YES /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
/* DUPLEX NORMAL; /* Print on both sides of the paper */
/* SUPPRESSION PRICES; /* Prices will be suppressed on packing */
/* lists below. */
/* */
/* */
```

Form Definition Source Code

The PPFA source code needed to generate the form definition for the line data shown in [Chapter 13. Using Page Definitions and Form Definitions](#) on page 193 is shown in the following example.

```plaintext
/ **** GENERAL SECTION ************** /
/*formdef Name: SEEDS */
/* Here we specify characteristics of the formdef */
/* Conditional Logic within the pagedef will switch us between the */
/* different Copygroups. It is necessary to switch Copygroups */
/* to allow the application data to control if we use a first page */
/* overlays or a last/summary page overlay. Also, application data */
/* determines which "icon" (seed, tree, or fruit) is to be included */
/* Note: formdefs play no part in the switching logic - they are */
/* subject to the logical decisions made within the pagedefs. */
/* There need to be seven Copygroups in this formdef (so many are */
/* needed since there are multiple combinations of icons to be */
/* merged onto summary-type sheets). There are 3 Copygroups for the */
/* 3 1OF1 scenarios (1OF1SEED, 1OF1TREE, and 1OF1FRUI), 1 Copygroup */
/* for the 1OFMULTI, and 3 Copygroups for the 3 1OFMULTI scenarios */
/* (1OFMSEED, 1OFMTREE, and 1OFMFRUI). */
/* FORMDEF SEEDS /* PPFA will produce F1SEEDS as output */
/* REPLACE YES /* PPFA should replace existing copy */
/* DUPLEX NORMAL; /* Print on both sides of the paper */
/* SUPPRESSION PRICES; /* Prices will be suppressed on packing */
/* lists below. */
/* */
/* */
```

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COPYGROUP 1OFISEED /* Name */

CONSTANT BACK;

/* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the copygroup */
OVERLAY 1OF1; /* 011OF1 - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY SEED; /* 01SEED - Seed icon/picture */

/* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
/* printed: Front side Back side */
/* Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
*/-------- Packing List Copy --------*/
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
OVERLAY 1OF1 PACK /* packlist */
SEED; /* seed icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/-------- Customer Copy --------*/
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
OVERLAY 1OF1 CUST /* w/prices customer */
SEED; /* seed icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/-------- "File" Copy --------*/
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
OVERLAY 1OF1 FILE /* w/prices file copy */
SEED; /* seed icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */

*/ *** COPYGROUP 1OFITREE *** */
/* 1OFITREE - This Copygroup provides the overlay for the */
/* first page of a single-page billing. Also, it merges in */
/* the tree icon at a fixed location so that the picture */
/* appears next to the "Thank You" message. */
/* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * */
COPYGROUP 1OFITREE /* Name */

CONSTANT BACK;

/* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the copygroup */
OVERLAY 1OF1; /* 011OF1 - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY TREE; /* 01TREE - Tree icon/picture */

/* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
/* printed: Front side Back side */
/* Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
*/-------- Packing List Copy --------*/
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46400 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
46500 SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
46600 OVERLAY 1OF1 PACK /* packlist */
46700 TREE; /* tree icon */
46800 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
46900 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
47000 /* --------- Customer Copy --------- */
47100 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
47200 OVERLAY 1OF1 CUST /* w/prices customer */
47300 TREE; /* tree icon */
47400 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
47500 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
47600 /* --------- "File" Copy --------- */
47700 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
47800 OVERLAY 1OF1 FILE /* w/prices file copy */
47900 TREE; /* tree icon */
48000 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
48100 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
48200 /* ------- "File" Copy -------- */
48300 */ * * * * * COPYGROUP 1OF1FRUI * * * * * * * * * /
48400 /* 1OF1FRUI - This Copygroup provides the overlay for the */
48500 /* first page of a single-page billing. Also, it merges in */
48600 /* the fruit icon at a fixed location so that the picture */
48700 /* appears next to the "Thank You" message. */
48800 /* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * */
48900 COPYGROUP 1OF1FRUI /* Name */
49000 CONSTANT BACK;
49100
49200 /* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the copygroup */
49300 OVERLAY 1OF1; /* 01OF1 - static design; lines, text */
49400 OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
49500 OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
49600 OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
49700 OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
49800 OVERLAY FRUI; /* 01FRUI - Fruit icon/picture */
49900
50000 /* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
50100 /* printed: Front side Back side */
50200 /* Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
50300 /* Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
50400 /* Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
50500 /* ------- Packing List Copy -------- */
50600 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
50700 SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
50800 OVERLAY 1OF1 PACK /* packlist */
50900 FRUI; /* fruit icon */
51000 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
51100 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
51200 /* --------- Customer Copy --------- */
51300 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
51400 OVERLAY 1OF1 CUST /* w/prices customer */
51500 FRUI; /* fruit icon */
51600 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
51700 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
51800 /* --------- "File" Copy --------- */
51900 SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
52000 OVERLAY 1OF1 FILE /* w/prices file copy */
52100 FRUI; /* fruit icon */
52200 SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
52300 OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
COPYGROUP 1OFMULTI /* Name */

CONSTANT BACK;

OVERLAY 1OFM; /* 01OFM - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for Packing List */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */

/* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
/* printed: Front side Back side */
/* Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/* ------- Packing List Copy -------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
OVERLAY 1OFM PACK; /* packlist */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
/* ------- Customer Copy -------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
OVERLAY 1OFM CUST; /* w/prices customer */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
/* ------- "File" Copy -------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
OVERLAY 1OFM FILE; /* w/prices file copy */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */

COPYGROUP NOFMSEED /* Name */

CONSTANT BACK;

OVERLAY NOFM; /* 01NOFM - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY SEED; /* 01SEED - Seed icon/picture */

/* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the Copygroup */
OVERLAY NOFM; /* 01NOFM - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */

/* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
/* printed: Front side Back side */
/* Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/* Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/* ------- Packing List Copy -------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
OVERLAY NOFM PACK /* packlist */
COPYGROUP NOFMTREE

CONSTANT BACK;

You need to "register" overlays to be used in the Copygroup */
OVERLAY NOFM; /* 01NOFM - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY SEED; /* 01SEED - Seed icon/picture */

For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
/* printed: Front side Back side */
/ * Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
/ * Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/ * Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
*/ ------- Packing List Copy ------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
OVERLAY NOFM PACK /* packlist */
TREE; /* tree icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/ ------- Customer Copy ------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
OVERLAY NOFM CUST /* w/prices customer */
TREE; /* tree icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/ ------- "File" Copy ------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
OVERLAY NOFM FILE /* w/prices file copy */
TREE; /* tree icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/ ------- COPYGROUP NOFMFRUI ------ */
COPYGROUP NOFMFRUI /* Name */

/ * You need to "register" overlays to be used in the Copygroup */
OVERLAY NOFM; /* 01NOFM - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY SEED; /* 01SEED - Seed icon/picture */

For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */
/* printed: Front side Back side */
/ * Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */
/ * Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
/ * Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */
*/ ------- Packing List Copy ------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */
SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */
OVERLAY NOFM PACK /* packlist */
TREE; /* tree icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/ ------- Customer Copy ------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */
OVERLAY NOFM CUST /* w/prices customer */
TREE; /* tree icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/ ------- "File" Copy ------- */
SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */
OVERLAY NOFM FILE /* w/prices file copy */
TREE; /* tree icon */
SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */
*/ ------- COPYGROUP NOFMFRUI ------ */
COPYGROUP NOFMFRUI /* Name */

/ * You need to "register" overlays to be used in the Copygroup */
OVERLAY NOFM; /* 01NOFM - static design; lines, text */
OVERLAY PACK; /* 01PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */
OVERLAY FILE; /* 01FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */
OVERLAY CUST; /* 01CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */
OVERLAY TERMS; /* 01TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */
OVERLAY SEED; /* 01SEED - Seed icon/picture */
/* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the Copygroup */

COPYGROUP NOFMFRUI /* Name */

CONSTANT BACK;

/* You need to "register" overlays to be used in the Copygroup */

OVERLAY NOFM; /* O1NOFM - static design; lines, text */

OVERLAY PACK; /* O1PACK - overlay for "PACK" copy */

OVERLAY FILE; /* O1FILE - overlay for "FILE" copy */

OVERLAY CUST; /* O1CUST - overlay for "Customer" copy */

OVERLAY TERMS; /* O1TERMS - Terms and Conditions ovly */

OVERLAY FRUI; /* O1FRUI - Fruit icon/picture */

/* For each page of application data, 3 duplex pages must be */

/* printed: Front side Back side */

/* Page 1 Packing list w/out prices Terms & Conditions */

/* Page 2 Customer Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */

/* Page 3 File Copy with all data Terms & Conditions */

/* ------ Packing List Copy ------ */

SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 1 FRONT */

SUPPRESSION PRICES /* no prices */

OVERLAY NOFM PACK /* packlist */

FRUI; /* fruit icon */

SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */

OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */

/* ------ Customer Copy ------ */

SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 2 FRONT */

OVERLAY NOFM CUST /* w/prices customer */

FRUI; /* fruit icon */

SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */

OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */

/* ------ "File" Copy ------ */

SUBGROUP FRONT COPIES 1/* Page 3 FRONT */

OVERLAY NOFM FILE /* w/prices file copy */

FRUI; /* fruit icon */

SUBGROUP BACK COPIES 1/* BACK */

OVERLAY TERMS; /* Terms and Conditions */

*** END OF SOURCE ***
Appendix M. Toolbox Source for Super Sun Seeds Case Study

This appendix contains source code for a COBOL program and an RPG program, both using the AFP Toolbox.

Sample COBOL Program using AFP Toolbox

The sample COBOL program shown in this appendix creates the familiar "Super Sun Seeds" application (shown in Figure 199) as it could be implemented with AFP Toolbox function calls.

Figure 199. Super Sun Seeds Case Study Created with AFP Toolbox

Only portions of the sample program are shown here to illustrate some of the Toolbox functions. A description of the COBOL program listing follows the source code.

Refer to IBM Advanced Function Presentation Toolbox for Multiple Operating Systems (S544-5292) for instruction on how to execute the sample programs.

The entire source for this program can be found in library QAOCQL/QAYTSAMPS(CBLTEST) once the Toolbox product is installed. The copy files to declare the AFP variables and PERFORM statements are provided in QAOCQL/QAYTDECLS(AOCLCBLH) and QAOCQL/QAYTDECLS(QAOCLCBLP), respectively.

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION.
PROGRAM-ID. SUNSEEDS.
ENVIRONMENT DIVISION.
CONFIGURATION SECTION.
SOURCE-COMPUTER. IBM.
OBJECT-COMPUTER. IBM.
INPUT-OUTPUT SECTION.
FILE-CONTROL.
SELECT INPUT-DATA
ASSIGN TO DISK-SUNSEEDATA
ORGANIZATION IS SEQUENTIAL
FILE STATUS IS FILE-STATUS.

DATA DIVISION.
FILE SECTION.
FD INPUT-DATA
RECORD CONTAINS 80 CHARACTERS.
01 INPUT-RECORD.
03 TRANS-QUANTITY PIC 9(4).
03 TRANS-UOM PIC X(2).
03 TRANS-ITEMNUM PIC X(8).
03 TRANS-DESCRIPTION PIC X(25).
03 TRANS-AMOUNT-IN PIC S9(7)V9(2).
03 TRANS-CUST-NUM PIC 9(4).
03 TRANS-INVOICE-NUM PIC 9(8).
03 TRANS-INVOICE-DATE PIC 9(6).
03 TRANS-PAYMENT-DATE PIC 9(6).
03 TRANS-EXTRA PIC X(8).

WORKING-STORAGE SECTION.
01 FILE-STATUS PIC 99.
01 CUST-IN.
03 CUST-NAME PIC X(25) VALUE SPACES.
03 CUST-ADDR PIC X(30) VALUE SPACES.
03 CUST-CITY-STATE PIC X(35) VALUE SPACES.
03 ACCOUNT-NUM-IN PIC 9(4) VALUE ZERO.
03 INVOICE-NUM-IN PIC 9(8) VALUE ZERO.
03 INVOICE-DATE-IN PIC 9(6) VALUE ZERO.
03 PAYMENT-DATE-IN PIC 9(6) VALUE ZERO.
03 SHIP-DATE-IN PIC 9(6) VALUE ZERO.
03 TERMS-IN PIC X(4) VALUE SPACES.
03 SALESMAN-IN PIC X(25) VALUE SPACES.
01 TRANSACTION-PROCESSING-VARS.
03 PAGE-HEADER-DEPTH PIC 9(5)V9(4) BINARY
03 PAGE-BODY PIC 9(5)V9(4) BINARY
This program produces a sample customer statement. The statement contains an overlay with the Super Sun Seeds logo and other fixed data. The customer transactions are formatted into columns of text that are right, left, center, and character-aligned to demonstrate the different Toolbox functions. Variable size boxes are also drawn to create the columns.
PROCEDURE DIVISION.

MAINLINE.

OPEN INPUT INPUT-DATA.
    IF FILE-STATUS NOT = ZEROS
        DISPLAY "UNABLE TO OPEN INPUT FILE"
        DISPLAY "FILE STATUS" FILE-STATUS
        STOP RUN.
    PERFORM SETUP-AFPTBOX.
    PERFORM READ-DATA.
    PERFORM PROCESS-A-CUSTOMER UNTIL DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
        = "NO ".
    PERFORM END-PROCESSING.
    CLOSE INPUT-DATA.
    DISPLAY "SUNSEEDS COMPLETED".
    STOP RUN.

/--------------------------------------------------------------------------*
** SETUP-AFPTBOX. **
* Initialize the session. *
* Begin a document. *
* Define the fonts. *
*--------------------------------------------------------------------------*

MOVE "SUPER SUN SEEDS" TO AFP-DOC-NAME.
MOVE "AS/400 COBOL Program" TO AFP-DOC-COMMENT.
MOVE FILED TO AFP-OUTPUT-TYPE.
MOVE "/QSYS.LIB/QAOCL.LIB/QAYTBRESCS.FILE/SUNSEEDS.MBR" TO AFP-OUTPUT-FILENAME.
PERFORM AFPBDOC.

*--------------------------------------------------------------------------*
** SETUP-AFPTBOX. **
* Define the fonts. *
*--------------------------------------------------------------------------*

MOVE "T1V10500" TO AFP-CODE-PAGE.
MOVE "TIMES NEW ROMAN LATIN1" TO AFP-DESCRIPTIVE-NAME.
MOVE 100 TO AFP-POINT-SIZE.
MOVE MEDIUM TO AFP-WEIGHT.
MOVE NORMAL TO AFP-FONT-WIDTH.
MOVE ROMAN TO AFP-STYLE.
PERFORM AFPDFNTAT.
MOVE AFP-FONT-ID TO TIM10MED.
MOVE BOLD TO AFP-WEIGHT.
PERFORM AFPDFNTAT.
MOVE AFP-FONT-ID TO TIM10BOLD.
READ-DATA.
READ INPUT-DATA AT END
MOVE "NO" TO DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
END-READ.
IF FILE-STATUS NOT = ZEROS AND FILE-STATUS NOT = 10
DISPLAY "READ ERROR"
DISPLAY "FILE STATUS" FILE-STATUS
STOP RUN.
* If this is a new customer, read the customer address and account balance.
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
IF TRANS-QUANTITY EQUAL ZEROS AND DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
NOT EQUAL "NO"
MOVE "YES" TO NEW-CUSTOMER
MOVE TRANS-CUST-NUM TO ACCOUNT-NUM-IN
MOVE TRANS-INVOICE-NUM TO INVOICE-NUM-IN
MOVE TRANS-INVOICE-DATE TO INVOICE-DATE-IN
MOVE TRANS-PAYMENT-DATE TO PAYMENT-DATE-IN
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ the customer name
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ INPUT-DATA AT END MOVE "NO" TO DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
END-READ
MOVE TRANS-DESCRIPTION TO CUST-NAME
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ the customer street address.
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ INPUT-DATA AT END MOVE "NO" TO DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
END-READ
MOVE TRANS-DESCRIPTION TO CUST-ST-ADDR
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ the customer city and state.
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ INPUT-DATA AT END MOVE "NO" TO DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
END-READ
MOVE TRANS-DESCRIPTION TO CUST-CITY-STATE
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
Read the first customer transaction
*---------------------------------------------------------------*
READ INPUT-DATA AT END MOVE "NO" TO DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH
END-READ
IF FILE-STATUS NOT = ZEROS
DISPLAY "READ ERROR"
DISPLAY "FILE STATUS" FILE-STATUS
STOP RUN
ELSE CONTINUE
ENDIF.
ELSE CONTINUE
ENDIF.
/---------------------------------------------------------------*
* PROCESS THE CUSTOMER. *
PROCESS-A-CUSTOMER.
*
* Initialize the number of transactions for this customer to 0 *
*
MOVE 1 TO NUM-CUSTOMER-PAGES.
MOVE DEFAULT-WS TO AFP-EXTRA-VARSPACE.
MOVE DEFAULT-ICS TO AFP-EXTRA-ICSPACE.
MOVE "Page 1" TO AFP-PAGE-NAME.
PERFORM AFPBPAGE.

CREATE-THE-HEADER.
*
* INCLUDE THE OVERLAY *
*
MOVE 0 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
MOVE 0 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-Y-REF-COORD-SYS.
PERFORM AFPSPOS.
MOVE "INVHEAD1" TO AFP-OVLY-NAME.
PERFORM AFPIOVL.
PERFORM PROCESS-THE-ADDRESS.

* Start vertical rules under the shaded box *
*
MOVE 10 TO AFP-RULE-FAT-THICKNESS.
MOVE BASELINE-DIR TO AFP-DIRECTION.
MOVE 793 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
MOVE 5442 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
MOVE 567 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
MOVE 850 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPSPOS.
PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
SET RULEHNDL1 TO AFP-RULE-HANDLE.
MOVE 850 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPMOVE.
PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
033600000000 PERFORM AFPBRULE.
033700000000 SET RULEHNDL3 TO AFP-RULE-HANDLE.
033800000000 MOVE 1474 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
033900000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
034000000000 PERFORM AFPBRULE.
034100000000 SET RULEHNDL4 TO AFP-RULE-HANDLE.
034200000000 MOVE 4505 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
034300000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
034400000000 PERFORM AFPBRULE.
034500000000 SET RULEHNDL5 TO AFP-RULE-HANDLE.
034600000000 MOVE 1304 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
034700000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
034800000000 PERFORM AFPBRULE.
034900000000 SET RULEHNDL6 TO AFP-RULE-HANDLE.
035000000000 MOVE 1500 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
035100000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
035200000000 PERFORM AFPBRULE.
035300000000 SET RULEHNDL7 TO AFP-RULE-HANDLE.
035400000000 MOVE 0 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
035500000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVETO.
035600000000 PERFORM AFPNLINE.

* Set font for transaction text *

035800000000 MOVE AFP-FONT-ID TO TIM10MED.
035900000000 PERFORM AFPSFONT.
036000000000

* Move down for first transaction *

036200000000 MOVE 2254 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
036300000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
036400000000 MOVE 4335 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
036500000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-Y-REF-COORD-SYS.
036600000000 PERFORM AFPSPOS.
036700000000

* Query the position and calculate the page header depth. *

036900000000 PERFORM AFPQUERY.
037000000000 MOVE AFP-Y-COORDINATE TO PAGE-HEADER-DEPTH.
037100000000

* Write the account number and invoice number *

037500000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
037600000000

037700000000 MOVE TIM10MED TO AFP-FONT-ID.
037800000000 PERFORM AFPSFONT.
037900000000

* Move 2254 to AFP-X-COORDINATE.

038000000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
038100000000 MOVE 4335 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
038200000000 MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-Y-REF-COORD-SYS.
038300000000 PERFORM AFPSPOS.
038400000000

* Move account-num-in to account-num-out. *

038500000000 MOVE 4 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
038600000000 MOVE ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT TO ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT.
038700000000 MOVE 8 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
038800000000 MOVE ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT TO ACCOUNT-NUM-OUT.
038900000000 MOVE RIGHT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
039000000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
039100000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
039200000000

* Move 3121 to AFP-X-COORDINATE. *

039300000000 MOVE 3121 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
039400000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
039500000000

* Move invoice-num-in to invoice-num-out. *

039600000000 MOVE 8 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
039700000000 MOVE INVOICE-NUM-OUT TO INVOICE-NUM-OUT.
039800000000 MOVE 8 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
039900000000 MOVE INVOICE-NUM-OUT TO INVOICE-NUM-OUT.
040000000000 MOVE RIGHT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
040100000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
040200000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
* Write the invoice date and payment date *

MOVE 2551 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMOVE.

MOVE INVOICE-DATE-IN TO INVOICE-DATE-OUT.
MOVE 8 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
PERFORM AFPWRITE.

MOVE 2100 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMOVE.

MOVE PAYMENT-DATE-IN TO SHIP-DATE-OUT.
MOVE 8 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
PERFORM AFPWRITE.

* Write the shipping information. *

* Write the terms and sale info. *

PERFORM AFPNLINE.

PERFORM AFNLINE.

MOVE TERMS-IN TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
MOVE 3 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
PERFORM AFPWRITE.

MOVE 2800 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMOVE.

CALL "TRIM" USING SALESMAN-IN,
BY CONTENT LENGTH OF SALESMAN-IN,
BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
PERFORM AFPWRITE.

PROCESS-THE-ADDRESS.

* Create the postal zip code. *

MOVE TIM10BOLD TO AFP-FONT-ID.
PERFORM AFPSFONT.

MOVE 1450 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
MOVE 2584 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-Y-REF-COORD-SYS.
PERFORM AFPSPOS.

*-----------------------------------------------------------------------------*
* Write the customer name.  *
*-----------------------------------------------------------------------------*
PERFORM AFPNLINE.
CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-NAME,
   BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-NAME,
   BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
   AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
PERFORM AFPWRITE.

*-----------------------------------------------------------------------------*
* Write the customer address.  *
*-----------------------------------------------------------------------------*
PERFORM AFPNLINE.
CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-ST-ADDR,
   BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-ST-ADDR,
   BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
   AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
PERFORM AFPWRITE.

*-----------------------------------------------------------------------------* 
* PROCESS TRANSACTIONS.  *
*-----------------------------------------------------------------------------*
PROCESS-TRANSACTIONS.
   MOVE "NO " TO NEW-CUSTOMER.
   MOVE 5442 TO AFP-Y-COORDINATE.
   PERFORM AFPVMOVETO.
   PERFORM WRITE-TRANSACTIONS UNTIL
      NEW-CUSTOMER = "YES" OR DATA-REMAINS-SWITCH = "NO".
      PERFORM AFPNLINE.
      MOVE 793 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
      MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
      PERFORM AFPVMOVETO.
      SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL1.
      PERFORM AFPERULE.
      MOVE 850 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.

PERFORM AFPHMMOVE.
SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL2.
PERFORM AFPERULE.
MOVE 570 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMMOVE.
SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL3.
PERFORM AFPERULE.
MOVE 1427 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMMOVE.
SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL4.
PERFORM AFPERULE.
MOVE 4422 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMMOVE.
SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL5.
PERFORM AFPERULE.
MOVE 1247 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMMOVE.
SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL6.
PERFORM AFPERULE.
MOVE 4618 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMMOVE.
SET AFP-RULE-HANDLE TO RULEHNDL7.
PERFORM AFPERULE.
MOVE 850 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
PERFORM AFPHMMOVETO.
MOVE ABSOLUTE-POS TO AFP-X-REF-COORD-SYS.
PERFORM AFPHMOVETO.
MOVE 10500 TO AFP-RULE-LENGTH.
MOVE 10 TO AFP-RULE-THICKNESS.
PERFORM AFPPHRUL.

If there is room, build a personalized paragraph.

PERFORM AFPQUERY.
IF AFP-Y-COORDINATE < 8000
MOVE 4040 TO AFP-para-width
MOVE JUSTIFY-ALIGN TO AFP-FORMAT-OPTION
MOVE DEFAULT-LSP TO AFP-LINE-SPACING
MOVE 10000 TO AFP-para-maxdepth
PERFORM AFPBPARA
MOVE LOW-VALUES TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
STRING AFP-STRING-1
DELIMITED BY SIZE INTO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
CALL "STRING-LENGTH" USING AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
    BY CONTENT LENGTH OF AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
    BY REFERENCE AFP-STRING-LENGTH
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH
PERFORM AFPPTEXT
CALL "TRIM" USING CUST-NAME,
    BY CONTENT LENGTH OF CUST-NAME,
    BY REFERENCE AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
    AFP-STRING-LENGTH
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH
PERFORM AFPPTEXT
MOVE LOW-VALUES TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
STRING AFP-STRING-2
DELIMITED BY SIZE INTO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING
CALL "STRING-LENGTH" USING AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
    BY CONTENT LENGTH OF AFP-CHARACTER-STRING,
    BY REFERENCE AFP-STRING-LENGTH
ADD 1 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH
PERFORM AFPPTEXT
062200960322 PERFORM AFPPTEXT
062300960322 PERFORM AFPEPARA
062400960322 END-IF.
062500000000
062600000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
062700000000 * Write the transaction rows for this customer. *
062800000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
062900000000 WRITE-TRANSACTIONS.
063000000000 MOVE 1000 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
063100000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVETO.
063200000000 PERFORM AFPNLINE.
063300000000 PERFORM AFPQUERY.
063400000000
063500000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
063600000000 * This is where we check to see if we need another *
063700000000 * page. if so, count it, and start a new one. *
063800000000 * don't end page until all done so we can print *
063900000000 * 'page n of m' string . *
064000000000 *---------------------------------------------------------------*
064100000000 IF AFP-RET-CODE = 13 OR AFP-Y-COORDINATE > 11520
064200000000 PERFORM END-CUST-PAGE.
064300000000
064400000000 MOVE TRANS-QUANTITY TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
064500000000 MOVE 4 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
064600000000 MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
064700000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
064800000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
064900000000
065000000000 MOVE TRANS-UOM TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
065100000000 MOVE 2 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
065200000000 MOVE CENTER-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
065300000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
065400000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
065500000000
065600000000 MOVE 417 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
065700000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVETO.
065800000000 MOVE TRANS-ITEMNUM TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
065900000000 MOVE 8 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
066000000000 MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
066100000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
066200000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
066300000000
066400000000 MOVE 1417 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
066500000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVETO.
066600000000 MOVE TRANS-DESCRIPTION TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
066700000000 MOVE 25 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
066800000000 MOVE LEFT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
066900000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
067000000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
067100000000
067200000000 MOVE 8390 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
067300000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVETO.
067400000000 MOVE TRANS-AMOUNT-IN TO TRANS-AMOUNT-OUT.
067500000000 MOVE TRANS-AMOUNT-OUT TO AFP-CHARACTER-STRING.
067600000000 MOVE 7 TO AFP-STRING-LENGTH.
067700000000 MOVE RIGHT-ALIGN TO AFP-ALIGNMENT-OPTION.
067800000000 MOVE TRU TO AFP-POSITION-OPTION.
067900000000 PERFORM AFPWRITE.
068000000000
068100000000 MOVE 1500 TO AFP-X-COORDINATE.
068200000000 PERFORM AFPHMOVE.
068300000000 MULTIPLY TRANS-QUANTITY BY TRANS-AMOUNT-IN GIVING
068400000000 EXTENSION-AMOUNT-COMP ROUNDED.
068500000000 MOVE EXTENSION-AMOUNT-COMP TO EXTENSION-AMOUNT-OUT.
There are several important differences in the way this application can be done with the Toolbox. First, typographic fonts can be used, because the Toolbox enables text strings to be formatted in several alignments. Second, the boxes around the item transactions can be drawn to the exact size needed instead of always being a fixed size. Third, a personalized paragraph of text is included for each customer order.
Notice that the text in this paragraph is formatted and that the lines are flowed by Toolbox, so that the application program does not have to measure the strings of characters. Bar codes can be generated directly from your application. Finally, you can number pages “n of m” and make decisions from your application about when a page of text is full.

All Toolbox applications begin by initializing the session (as shown in line 016400000000). If the initialization call is successful, the next thing to do is begin a document. Lines 017200000000 through 018000000000 show how to specify the output file name and other information about the document for the output AFP data stream.

After the document is started, each page must be built (see lines 028300000000 and 028500000000). The application reads the customer data from an input file. The name and address are formatted at the top of the page, following the overlay which contains the Super Sun Seeds logo and other fixed text (see lines 030300000000 through 035300000000).

The Toolbox provides the capability to format text as left-, right-, center- or character-aligned strings. Left-aligned strings such as the customer name and address are shown in lines 048400000000 through 052700000000 of the sample. Right-aligned strings for the account and invoice numbers are shown in lines 038000000000 through 040300000000. Centered strings are shown in the UOM column (lines 065300000000 through 065800000000), and character-alignment is used for the Total Due field.

One of the most powerful functions provided by the Toolbox is the ability to produce formatted paragraphs of text. The personalized paragraph in the middle of the page is produced by the code shown in lines 057900000000 through 062400960322.

The variable size rules for the box are started in lines 032000000000 through 035300000000 and ended in lines 054300000000 through 057700000000.

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**Sample RPG Program using AFP Toolbox**

The following is a sample of the source code of an RPG program that was created with AFP Toolbox. This sample code creates a paragraph of formatted text in 14-point Times New Roman font.

```rpg
HDATFMT(*USA)
  FQSYSPRT 0 F 132 PRINTER OFLIND(*INOV)
  * These arrays hold constants used in the program
  DWDS S 100A DIM(3) PERRCD(1) CTDATA
  DDTA S 45A DIM(12) PERRCD(1) CTDATA
  * Font ID's
  D TIM14NAME S 51 0
  D TIM14TYPE S 51 0
  * Return code
  D AFPRTNCDE S 101 0
  * D/COPY AOCLRPGH
  * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
  * MAINLINE
  * The mainline logic is as follows:
```

---
* Set-up the API
* Begin a Page
* Set Position
* Write a string of text in 14 point bold TNR
* End the Page
* End the API
*
*********
*
C EXSR SETUPAPIR
*
C DTA(1) CAT(P) X'00':0 AFPPAGNAM
* The above line places the DTA(1) data in AFPPAGNAM and adds a Hex'00' as
C EXSR AFPBPAGER
*
C Z-ADD 1440 AFPXCRD
C Z-ADD 1440 AFPYCRD
C Z-ADD ABSPOS AFPXRFCRDS
C Z-ADD ABSPOS AFPYRFCRDS
C EXSR AFPPSOSR
*
C Z-ADD TIM14TYPE AFPFNTID
C EXSR AFPFSFONTR
*
C DTA(2) CAT(P) X'00':0 AFPCHRSTR
C Z-ADD 1440 AFPYCRD
C EXSR AFPMOVER
*
C Z-ADD 20 AFPRULTHK
C Z-ADD 4320 AFPBOXWID
C EXSR AFPBOXR
*
C EXSR AFPNLINER
*
C Z-ADD 140 AFPXCRD
C EXSR AFPHMOVER
*
C Z-ADD 4040 AFPPARWTH
C MOVE JUSTFYALN AFPPMTOPT
C MOVE DEFLSP AFPPLINSPC
C Z-ADD 10000 AFPPARMAX
C EXSR AFPBPARAR
*
C WDS(1) CAT(P) WDS(2):0 AFPCHRSTR
C CAT(P) WDS(3):0 AFPCHRSTR
C CAT(P) X'00':0 AFPCHRSTR
C EXSR AFPPTEXTXR
*
C EXSR AFPEPARAR
*
C Z-ADD 80 AFPYCRD
C EXSR AFPMOVOR
*
C Z-ADD 1440 AFPXCRD
C EXSR AFPHMOVOR
*
C EXSR AFPEBOXR
*
C EXSR AFPEPAGER

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* Set Up the API
  * Initialize the AFP API
  * Set the output characteristics
  * Begin a document
  * Define the fonts

C SETUPAPIR BEGSR
C EXSR AFPINITR

* Set the output characteristics
C DTA(3) CAT(P) x'00':0 AFPDOCNAM
C DTA(4) CAT(P) x'00':0 AFPDOCMT
C Z-ADD FILED AFPOUTYP
C DTA(5) CAT(P) x'00':0 AFPOUTLE
C EXSR AFPDOOCR

* Define the fonts
C DTA(6) CAT(P) x'00':0 AFPDESNAM
C DTA(7) CAT(P) x'00':0 AFPCDEPAG
C Z-ADD 140 AFPNTSIZ
C Z-ADD MEDIUM AFPWGRT
C Z-ADD NORMAL AFPFNWTH
C Z-ADD ROMAN AFPSTL
C EXSR AFPDNTATR

C Z-ADD AFPFNTID TIM14TYPE
C DTA(8) CAT(P) x'00':0 AFPCHRSRT
C* EXSR AFPDNTNMR
C* Z-ADD AFPFNTID TIM14NAME

C ENDSR

**CTDATA WDS
The Toolbox allows you to produce customized output pages that utilize typographic fonts, shading, graphics, and image. You can focus your customer's attention on important information that might be overlooked.

**CTDATA DTA
Page 1 of Many 1
HELLO WORLD 2
RPG TEST DOC 3
And a comment 4
/QSYS.LIB/MYLIB.LIB/AFPOUT.FILE/RPGTEST.MBR 5
TIMES NEW ROMAN LATIN1 6
TIV10500 7
CON20000 8

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Appendix N. Where to Find Additional Information

The following publications contain additional information about AFP printing with PSF/400. The titles and order numbers for publications can change from time to time. To verify the current title or order number for a publication, contact your IBM representative.

You can use any of the following methods to send comments about the publications:

- Reader’s Comment form in each publication
- IBM Mail Exchange id: IEA USIB4TDB
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Synonymous with. This appears in the commentary of a preferred term and identifies less desirable or less specific terms that have the same meaning.

A

ACIF. AFP Conversion and Indexing Facility

addressable point. Any point in a presentation surface that can be identified by a coordinate from the coordinate system of the presentation medium. See also pel.

Advanced Function Presentation (AFP). A set of licensed programs that use the all-points-addressable concept to print data on a wide variety of printers or display data on a variety of display devices. AFP also includes creating, formatting, archiving, viewing, retrieving, and distributing information.

Advanced Function Presentation Application Programming Interface. An AFP program shipped with PSF/MVS 2.1.1 and later and PSF/VM 2.1.1 that creates the AFP data stream from the COBOL and PL/1 high-level programming languages.

Advanced Function Presentation data stream. A presentation data stream that is processed in the AFP environment. MO:DCA-P is the strategic AFP interchange data stream. IPDS is the strategic AFP printer data stream.

Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400 (AFP Utilities). An IBM licensed program that includes a group of utilities that work together to provide Advanced Function Printing on the AS/400.

Advanced Print Utility (APU). Part of the AFP PrintSuite family of application enablers that allow end-users to migrate existing application output to advanced electronic documents.

AFP. Advanced Function Presentation.

AFP API. Advanced Function Presentation Application Programming Interface

AFP Conversion and Indexing Facility. An AFP program you can use to convert a print file into a MO:DCA-P document, to retrieve resources used by the document, and to index the file for later retrieval and viewing.

AFPDS. A synonym for the composed page, MO:DCA-P-based data stream interchanged in AFP environments.


AFP Workbench for OS/2 and Windows. A platform for the integration of AFP enabling applications and services. The Viewer application is a Workbench tool.
The Windows version runs under WIN-OS/2 or Microsoft Windows. The OS/2 version runs under OS/2.

**all-points addressable (APA).** The capability to address, reference, and position text, overlays, and images at any defined point (pel) on the printable area of the paper. See page mode.

**American National Standard Code for Information Interchange.** A standard code, using a coded character set consisting of 7-bit coded characters (8-bits, including the parity check), that is used for information interchange among data processing systems, data communication systems, and their associated equipment. The ASCII set consists of control characters and graphic characters.

**APA.** All points addressable.

**APA printers.** Devices that are all points addressable; in other words, devices that print with picture elements on the printing medium at any valid location on a sheet of paper.

**APPC.** Advanced program-to-program communication. APPC is the implementation of the SNA LU session type 6.2 architecture.

**application program.** A program written for or by a user that applies to the user’s work, such as a program that does inventory control or payroll.

**application programmer.** A programmer who is responsible for writing programs for specific applications. The application programmer takes application data and writes programs to print it on line and AFP printers.

**Application System/400.** The hardware on which the OS/400 operating system runs.

**APU.** Advanced Print Utility

**APU Monitor.** A program that, when processed, applies print definitions to selected spooled files so that the spooled files are automatically converted to AFP print files.

**architecture.** The set of rules and conventions that govern the creation and control of data types such as text, image, graphics, font, fax, color, audio, bar code, and multimedia.

**ASCII.** American National Standard Code for Information Interchange

**AS/400.** Application System/400.

**bar code.** A code representing characters by sets of parallel bars of varying thickness and separation that are read optically by transverse scanning. (1)

**baseline.** In a font, the imaginary line on which successive characters are aligned in the inline direction.

**batch.** (1) A group of records or data processing jobs brought together for processing or transmission. (2) Pertaining to activity involving little or no user action. Contrast with interactive.

**batch environment.** The environment in which noninteractive programs are executed. The environment schedules their execution independently of their submitter. Contrast with interactive environment.

**burst.** To separate continuous-form paper into separate sheets.

**character.** (1) A symbol used in printing. For example, a letter of the alphabet, a numeral, a punctuation mark or any other symbol that represents information. (2) A byte of data.

**character graphic.** The visual representation of a character, defined by toned or untoned picture elements (pels). Note: An untoned pel (a reverse character) is visually represented by the toned pels around it.

**character increment.** The distance the current print position is increased by printing the current character graphic.

**character rotation.** The alignment of a character relative to the baseline, measured in degrees in a clockwise direction. Examples are 0°, 90°, 180°, and 270°.

**code page.** A font component that associates code points and character identifiers. A code page also identifies how undefined code points are handled.

**code point.** A 1-byte code representing one of 256 potential characters.

**command.** A request from a terminal or a specification in a batch processing job for the performance of an operation or the execution of a particular program.

**composition.** The act or result of formatting a document.

**conditional processing.** A page definition function that enables input data records to partially control their own formatting.

**constant data.** (1) Data with a value that does not change. (2) Data that has an unchanging, predefined value to be used in processing. A constant does not change during execution of a program, but the contents of a field or variable can. Contrast with variable data.

**continuous-forms paper.** A series of connected forms that feed continuously through a printer. The connection
between the sheets is perforated to enable the user to
tear them apart. Before printing, the sheets are folded in
a stacked arrangement, with the folds along the
perforations. (Note that some continuous forms are in
rolls and are not folded.) Contrast with cut-sheet paper.

copy.  The specification level of an APU print definition
where most layout work, such as specifying page layout
options, selecting and placing images, and defining
constants and boxes, is done.

cut-sheet paper.  Paper that is cut into separate
sheets before being printed on. Contrast with
continuous-forms paper.

D
data base.  A set of data, part or the whole of another
set of data that consists of at least one file, and that is
sufficient for a given purpose or for a given
data-processing system. (I) (A)
data processing.  The systematic performance of
operations upon data; for example, handling, merging,
sorting, and computing. (I) (A)
data stream.  (1) All data transmitted through a data
channel in a single read or write operation. (2) A
continuous stream of data elements being transmitted,
or intended for transmission, in character or binary-digit
form, using a defined format. (3) Records sent to PSF
from the print files and the resource libraries.

DBCS.  Double-byte character set.
direction.  The print position of data on a logical page,
line, or field. The ultimate reference point for all
direction controls on a page is the hardware origin.
Secondary and tertiary reference points are possible as
well, enabling more than one print direction on a page.
ditroff.  A file format consisting of device-independent
data produced by the troff utility. See troff.
document.  (1) A publication or other written material
pertaining to a specific subject or related subjects. (2) In
word processing, a collection of one or more lines of
text that can be named and stored as a separate entity.
duplex printing.  Pertaining to printing on both sides of
a sheet of paper. Contrast with simplex printing.

E
electronic overlay.  Synonym for overlay.
end user.  (1) A person, device, program, or computer
system that uses a computer network for the purpose of
data processing and information exchange. (T) (2) A
person who writes and creates documents. The end
user has little or no programming training but knows
how to use a terminal for text processing. Examples of end users include secretaries, writers, and engineers.

external formatting.  Controls for the placement of
data on the page that are imbedded outside the actual
application program.

F
field.  In a record, a specified area used for a particular
class of data; for example, a group of character
positions used to enter or display wage rates on a
screen. (T)

file.  (1) A named set of records stored or processed as
a unit. (T) (2) The major unit of data storage and
retrieval, consisting of a collection of data in one of
several prescribed arrangements and described by
control information to which the operating system has
access.

font.  A family or assortment of characters of a given
size and style; for example, 9-point Sonoran Serif
roman medium. (A)

font administrator.  A person who is responsible for
installing and maintaining the fonts stored in computer
resource libraries.

font metrics.  Measurement information that defines
individual character values such as height, width, and
space as well as overall font values such as the
average and maximum heights and widths of
characters. Font metrics can be expressed in specified
fixed units, such as pels, or in relative units that are
independent of both the resolution and size of the font.

form.  (1) The paper on which output data is printed by
a line printer or a page printer. (2) A physical sheet of
paper. See preprinted form.

form definition.  A resource that defines the
characteristics of the form which include overlays to be
used (if any), text suppression, the position of page data
on the form, and the number and modifications of a
page. Contrast with page definition.

format.  (1) A specified arrangement of such things as
characters, fields, and lines, usually used for displays,
printouts, or files. (2) To arrange such things as
characters, fields, and lines. (3) (v.) To prepare a
document for printing in a specified format.

formatter.  A computer program that prepares a source
document for printing.

forms designer.  A person who is responsible for
designing electronic or preprinted forms that are
readable, usable, and attractive. The forms designer
usually has training in graphics design and in the
presentation of information.
ftp.  File transfer protocol.

G

GDDM.  Graphical Data Display Manager.

graphic.  Image, text, or a combination of both that can be placed on the printed page.

Graphical Data Display Manager (GDDM).  An IBM licensed program containing utilities for creating, saving, editing, and displaying visual data such as page segments, charts, images, vector graphics, composites (of text, graphics, and images), and scanned data.

graphics designer.  A person who is responsible for the design and appearance of graphics used in a company’s documents. The graphics designer has experience in graphics design as well as in using computers to create graphics.

H

hardware.  Physical equipment as opposed to programs, procedures, rules, and associated documentation.  Contrast with software.

host-based computer.  (1) In a computer network, a computer that provides end users with services such as computation and data bases and that usually performs network control functions.  (2) The primary or controlling computer in a multiple-computer installation.

I

image.  A pattern of toned and untoned pels that form a picture.

impact printer.  A device in which printing results from mechanical impacts.  Contrast with nonimpact printer.

index.  (1) A process of segmenting a print file into uniquely identifiable groups of pages (a named collection of sequential pages) for later retrieval.  (2) A process of matching reference points within a file and creating structured field tags within the MO:DCA-P document and the separate index object file.

index object file.  An index-information file created by Advanced Function Presentation Conversion and Indexing Facility that contains Index Element (IEL) structured fields, which identify the location of the tagged groups in the AFP file. The indexing tags are contained in the Tagged Logical Element (TLE) structured fields.

Intelligent Print Data Stream (IPDS).  A host-to-host printer data stream for Advanced Function Printing subsystems. It provides an interface to all-points-addressable printers that makes possible the presentation of pages containing an architecturally unlimited mixture of different data types.

interactive.  Pertaining to an application in which entries call forth a response from a system or program, as in an inquiry system. An interactive system might also be conversational, implying a continuous dialog between the user and the system. Interactive systems are usually communicated with through terminals, and respond immediately to commands.

interactive environment.  An environment in which a terminal user interacts with the system. Contrast with batch environment.

IPDS.  Intelligent Print Data Stream.

L

LAN.  Local area network

LAN administrator.  A person responsible for installing, configuring, and maintaining Local Area Networks on which are installed workstations and printers.

library.  A file or a set of related files; for example, a page definition library containing one or more page definition files.

licensed program.  A utility that performs a function for the user and usually interacts with and relies upon system control programming or some other IBM-provided control program. A licensed program contains logic related to the user’s data and is usable or adaptable to meet specific requirements.

line data.  Data prepared for printing on a line printer such as an IBM 3800 Model 1 Printing Subsystem. Line data is usually characterized by carriage-control characters and table reference characters. Contrast with MO:DCA-P data.

line-data print file.  A file that consists of line data, optionally supplemented by a limited set of structured fields.

line printer.  A device that prints a line of characters as a unit.  Contrast with page printer.

lines per inch (lpi).  (1) A unit of measurement for the specification of baseline placement.  (2) A measure of the number of lines per vertical inch of paper.

local area network.  A data network located on the user’s premises in which serial transmission is used for direct data communication among data stations.  Contrast with network.

logical page.  A presentation space. One or more object areas or data blocks can be mapped to a logical page. A logical page has specifiable characteristics, such as size, shape, orientation, and offset and is rectangular in shape. Orientation and offset are specified relative to a medium coordinate system.
lowercase. Pertaining to small letters, as distinguished from capitals; for example, a, b, g, rather than A, B, G.

lpi. Lines per inch.

M

magnetic ink character recognition (MICR). Recognition of characters printed with ink that contains particles of a magnetic material.

metafile format. OS/2 graphics data produced by Presentation Manager applications such as IBM CAD, CorelDRAW, or Aldus Pagemaker.

MICR. Magnetic ink character recognition.


mixed-pitch font. A font that simulates a proportionally spaced font. The characters are in a limited set of pitches (for example, 10 pitch, 12 pitch, and 15 pitch).

MO:DCA-P. Mixed Object Document Content Architecture

monospaced font. A font in which the graphic characters have a uniform character increment. Synonymous with uniformly spaced font. Contrast with proportionally spaced font.

multiple-up printing. The printing of more than one page on a single surface of a sheet of paper.

N

nonimpact printer. A device in which printing is not the result of mechanical impacts; for example, thermal printers, electrostatic printers, photographic printers. (1) (A) Contrast with impact printer.

O

object format. The format of AFP resources required for use by PSF. Contrast with source format.

offset stacking. A function that enables the printed output pages to be offset for easy separation of the print jobs.


OnDemand for AS/400. An IBM licensed program that enables you to archive, retrieve, view, and print AFP documents. This application features a graphical user interface.

Operating System/2 (OS/2). An IBM licensed program that can be used as the operating system for the PS/2 processor series.

Operating System/400 (OS/400). An IBM licensed program that can be used as the operating system for the AS/400 processor series.

orientation. (1) The angle between the top or bottom edge of the page and the baselines within a column, measured in a clockwise direction. (2) The rotation of an element relative to a fixed reference.

OS/2. Operating System/2.

OS/400. Operating System/400.

outline font. A font whose graphic character shapes are defined mathematically rather than by raster patterns.

output device. A machine used to print, display, or store the result of data processing.

overlay. A resource that can contain text, image, graphics, and bar code data. An overlay is electronically created in the host processor, stored in a library, and can be merged electronically with variable data on a sheet during printing. See also preprinted form and forms flash.

Overlay Generation Language/370 (OGL/370). An IBM licensed program used to create overlays.

P

page. A collection of data that can be printed on a physical sheet of paper.

page definition. A resource containing a set of formatting controls for printing logical pages of data. Includes controls for number of lines per printed sheet, font selection, print direction, and mapping individual fields in the data to positions on the printed sheets.

page format. (1) A subset of a page definition, containing controls governing the arrangement of text on a page. (2) In APU, the object that contains all of the instructions for formatting a print job. A print definition can name one or more page formats.

page mode. The mode of operation in which the printer can accept a page of data at a time from a host processor to be printed on an all-points addressable output device. Data may consist of pages composed of text, images, overlays, or page segments.

page printer. Any of a class of printers that accepts MO:DCA-P pages, constructed of composed text and images, among other things. Contrast with line printer.
Page Printer Formatting Aid. An IBM licensed program that you can use to create and store form definitions and page definitions.

definitions. A resource containing composed text and images, prepared before formatting and included during printing.

definitions. The number of pels per unit of linear measurement.

personal computer. A desktop, floor-standing, or portable microcomputer that usually consists of a system unit, a display monitor, a keyboard, one or more diskette drives, internal fixed-disk storage, and an optional printer. Personal computers are designed primarily to give independent computing power to a single user or small businesses. Note: Personal computers are designed primarily for stand-alone operation but can be connected to mainframes or networks.

PFU. Print Format Utility.

physical page. The side of a sheet of paper that is to be printed on.

pica. A unit of about 1/6 inch used in measuring typographical material.

picture element. An element of a raster pattern about which a toned area on the photoconductor might appear. See also raster pattern. Synonym for pel.

pitch. A unit of measurement for the width of a printed character, reflecting the number of times a graphic character can be set in 1 linear inch; for example, 10-pitch has 10 graphic characters per inch. Uniformly spaced fonts are measured in pitch. Contrast with point.

plotter. An output unit that presents data in the form of a two-dimensional graphic representation. (I) (A)

point. In printing, a unit of about 1/72 of an inch used in measuring typographical material. Each pica contains 12 points.

point size. The height of a font in points.

postprocessing option. A hardware device that attaches to the output side of a printer; for example, an envelope stuffer, binder, or stapler.

PostScript. A page description language with interactive graphics capabilities that was developed by Adobe Systems, Incorporated.

PPDS. Page Printer Data Stream.

PPFA. Page Printer Formatting Aid.

preprinted form. A sheet of paper containing a preprinted design of constant data. Variable data can be merged on such a form.

preprocessing option. A hardware device that attaches to the input side of a printer; for example, a paper-roll feed or multiple input bins.

print data set. Synonym for print file.

print definition. Contains instructions for transforming simple SCS print output to advanced AFP output. A print definition includes the specifications for remapping existing print data, defining and creating different page formats and copies, and adding document elements such as overlays, images, fonts, bar codes, and constants.

print file. A file created by an application program that contains the actual information to be printed and some of the data that controls the format of the printing. Print files can contain MO:DCA-P data, line data, or a combination of MO:DCA-P and line data.

Print Format Utility (PFU). Part of the Advanced Function Printing Utilities for AS/400. This utility enables you to print data from database file members in various forms, such as text or bar codes.

print job. The data to be printed that is submitted to Print Services Facility by the user.

Print Services Facility (PSF). An IBM licensed program that produces printer commands from the data sent to it.

printer driver. A program that passes commands and resources with a data stream from the system spool to tell the printer how to print the page.

proportionally spaced font. A font in which the characters have different character increments. Graphic character widths vary with the size of each graphic character. This allows for even spacing between printed characters and eliminates excess space around narrow characters, such as the letter i. Contract with uniformly spaced font.

PSF. Print Services Facility.

R

raster font. (1) A font created by a series of pels (picture elements) arranged in scan lines to form an image. (2) A font in which the characters are defined directly by the raster bit map.

raster graphics. Computer graphics in which a display image is composed of an array of picture elements (pels) arranged in rows and columns. (I) (A) Contrast with vector graphics.
**raster pattern.** A series of picture elements (pels) in scan lines to form an image. See also page segment.

**record.** A collection of related data or words, treated as a unit; for example, in stock control, each invoice could constitute one record.

**remote printer.** A device that prints in a location away from the centralized data processing center.

**resource.** A collection of printing instructions and sometimes data to be printed consisting entirely of structured fields. A resource can be stored as a member of a library and can be called for by Print Services Facility when needed. Coded fonts, font character sets, code pages, page segments, overlays, form definitions, and page definitions are all resources.

**resource library.** (1) A collection of related files. (2) A place to store resources such as form definitions, page definitions, page segments, fonts, and overlays.

**rotation.** The number of degrees a character is rotated relative to the print direction. One of four directions that define the orientation of text relative to a sheet, page, overlay, text block, or page segment.

**scanner.** A device that examines a spatial pattern one part after another and generates analog or digital signals corresponding to the pattern. Scanners are often used in mark sensing, pattern recognition, or character recognition. *(T)* *(A)*

**SCS.** See SNA character string (SCS)

**segment.** See page segment.

**simplex printing.** Printing on only one side of the paper. Contrast with duplex printing.

**SNA.** Systems Network Architecture (SNA)

**SNA character string (SCS).** In SNA, a data stream composed of EBCDIC controls, optionally intermixed with end-user data, that is carried within a request/response unit.

**software.** Programs, procedures, rules, and any associated documentation pertaining to the operation of a system. *(T)* *(A)* Contrast with hardware.

**source format.** The format of an AFP resource, other than fonts, used by AFP resource management programs. Contrast with object format.

**spooling (simultaneous peripheral operation online).** (1) The use of auxiliary storage as a buffer storage to reduce processing delays when transferring data between peripheral equipment and the processors of a computer. *(T)* *(A)* (2) The reading of input data streams and the writing of output data streams on auxiliary storage devices, concurrently with job execution, in a format convenient for later processing or output operations.

**structured field.** A self-identifying, variable-length record, which can have a content portion that provides control information, data, or both.

**syntax.** The rules and keywords that govern the use of a programming language.

**system printer.** The printer used for any printed output that is not specifically directed to another printer.

**system programmer.** A programmer who is responsible for writing programs for the functions of the computer operating system and who has a thorough knowledge of the operating system. The system programmer installs and maintains AFP software in the System/390 environment.

**Systems Network Architecture (SNA).** In IBM networks, the description of the layered logical structure, formats, protocols, and operational sequences that are used for transmitting information units through networks, as well as controlling the configuration and operation of networks.

**TCP/IP.** Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol

**terminal.** A device, usually equipped with a keyboard and some kind of display, capable of sending and receiving information over a communication channel.

**text.** A graphic representation of information on an output medium. Text consists of alphanumeric characters and symbols arranged in paragraphs, tables, columns, or other shapes.

**text-formatting program.** A program that determines the manner in which data will be placed on a page.

**text orientation.** A description of the appearance of text as a combination of inline and baseline directions and character rotation.

**Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP).** A set of communications protocols that support peer-to-peer connectivity functions for both local and wide area networks.

**troff.** A phototypesetting utility originally designed to support a Graphics Systems phototypesetting machine but that is now capable of supporting a variety of phototypesetters. The utility produces data in a format called ditroff.

**type family.** A collection of fonts of a common typeface that vary in size and style.
**type font.** Type of a given size and style; for example, 10-point Sonoran Serif roman medium. (A)

**typeface.** A collection of fonts all having the same style, weight, and width; each font differs from the others by point size or type family.

**typeset.** (1) To arrange the type on a page for printing. (2) Pertaining to material that has been set in type.

**typographic font.** A typeface originally designed for typesetting systems. Contrast with mixed-pitch font, uniformly spaced font. Synonym for proportionally spaced font.

**underscore.** A line printed under a character. To underline.

**uniformly spaced font.** A font in which the characters have the same character increment. Synonymous with monospaced fonts. Contrast with proportionally spaced font and typographic font.

**uppercase.** Pertaining to capital letters, as distinguished from small letters; for example, A, B, G, rather than a, b, g.

**variable data.** (1) In programming languages, a language object that may take different values, one at a time. The values of a variable are usually restricted to a certain data type. (I) (2) A quantity that can assume any of a given set of values. (A) (3) Used to represent a data item whose value can be changed while the program is running. Contrast with constant data.

**vector.** In computer graphics, a directed line segment.

**vector graphics.** Computer graphics in which display images are generated from display commands and coordinate data. (I) (A) Contrast with raster graphics.

**word processing.** The entry, modification, formatting, display, and printing of text on personal computers, microprocessors, and stand-alone word processors.
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