



## HP Universal Print Driver for Windows, version 4.0

HP PCL6 • HP PCL5 • HP postscript level 2 and 3 emulation



Use a single driver for instant access to virtually any HP printer or MFP—at home, in the office, or on the road.

The HP Universal Print Driver for Windows is the single driver that gives users instant access to virtually any HP LaserJet printer or MFP, without downloading separate drivers.

### Anything but generic

The HP Universal Print Driver is more than a one-size-fits-all print solution. The sophisticated yet simple print driver communicates directly with each HP device, gathers configuration information, then customizes the user interface to show the device's unique, available features.

While some multi-device print drivers only enable the most basic functions, the HP Universal Print Driver enables most available features—no matter how advanced—from two-sided printing and stapling to watermark printing on all of the devices it supports. Users are never held up or held back.

While the user interface is customized for each device, users enjoy a familiar experience regardless of device.

### Speaks your language—and your printer's language

It's just as important for print drivers to communicate with people as with printers. That's why the HP Universal Print Driver is available in 26 different languages. This multilingual driver also supports multiple printer languages, including PCL5, PCL6, and HP postscript 2 and 3 emulation and is compatible with a range of Windows® environments, including Windows Vista™.

This means the HP Universal Print Driver is compatible with more HP print devices than ever, including most color and black-and-white printers, MFPs, and digital copiers.

### Proven to perform

The HP Universal Print Driver is built on proven HP print driver technology. Tested thoroughly and used in many applications for years, the HP Universal Print Driver is a powerful solution that you can rely on to perform consistently.

Download this free software and find more information at [www.hp.com/go/upd](http://www.hp.com/go/upd)

With version 4.0 improvements you can count on plug-and-play ease, effortless printer discovery, customized printing, and broad compatibility.

- ✓ **New plug-and-play capability** Now the HP Universal Print Driver works with both networked and direct-connected HP devices. Users can simply plug their USB cables into any supported USB-enabled HP printer to enjoy instant connectivity.
- ✓ **Two modes for greater flexibility** The HP Universal Print Driver can operate in two different modes to accommodate changing user needs. Dynamic mode allows users to find printers on a network, which is particularly valuable to users on the road or to users who want to print to a new device. Traditional mode performs like a traditional driver. Both modes can be used on the same PC to ensure the best user experience.
- ✓ **Printing shortcuts** Enjoy single-click print settings for types of documents you print frequently, such as booklets or two-sided documents.
- ✓ **Vista compatible** Ease IT's burden when migrating to Windows Vista. Rather than qualifying 100s of drivers, rely on a single Vista-compatible driver for virtually all of your HP LaserJet devices.
- ✓ **Recipient of prestigious Technological Innovation Award** Industry Analysts, Inc.—an independent product testing, evaluation, and market research group—bestowed the HP Universal Print Driver with its Technological Innovation Award, stating that the driver's consistent printing experience across a multitude of devices provided substantial return on investment for help desks, IT departments, and end-users.
- ✓ **Compatible with HP Web Jetadmin** When you are creating a printer path in HP Web Jetadmin, the HP Universal Print Driver is the default driver. The two tools work seamlessly together.

The driver communicates with each HP device and automatically customizes the user interface for each device's unique features.



**Print servers**

**Network connected printers**

**USB-capable printers**

**HP Universal Print Driver (hp color LaserJet 5550)**

**Processing job**

Microsoft PowerPoint - Presentation1  
Printing complete. 1 page printed.

Settings | HP Support | Shop for Supplies | Supplies Details

Real-time print job and device information empowers users to resolve common problems.



## Real customers are saving time and money with the HP Universal Print Driver.

The HP Universal Print Driver delivers more than convenience—it delivers concrete savings in time and money.

- A large university estimates that it now spends 20-30% less time adding new sites and has eliminated the time previously spent resolving driver issues.
- An insurance provider anticipates a 75% decrease in manpower to integrate printers.
- A construction management company expects a 50% reduction in the 16 hours it spends each month installing and maintaining print drivers.<sup>1</sup>

In December, 2006, Industry Analysts, Inc. (IA) bestowed their prestigious Technical Innovation Award to the HP Universal Print Driver. IA praised the driver for the time it would save IT departments, surmising that "administrators will no doubt love that there is a single self-updating driver common to all HP devices."

## Powerful tools make management easy and effective.

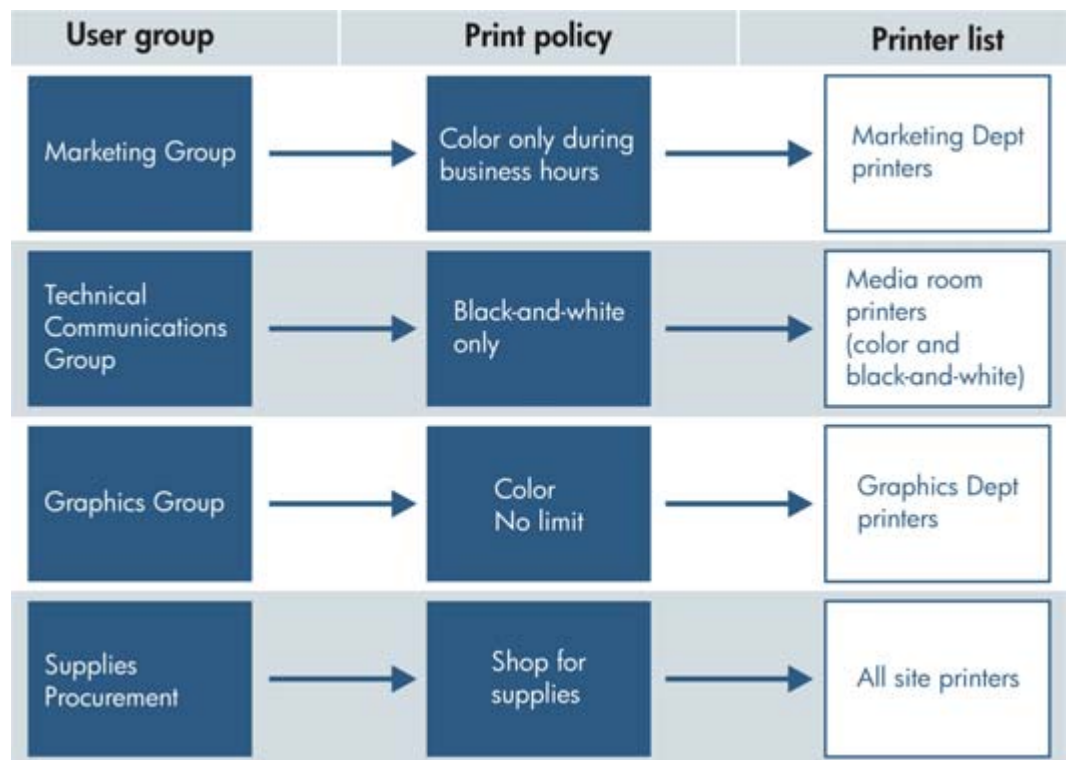
Get even more functionality from the HP Universal Print Driver—use the HP Managed Printing Administration software or Active Directory templates to create printer lists, user groups, or print policies that manage notifications and control color access.

### Create, import, and modify Managed Printer Lists

Help users find the printers they need by creating Managed Printer Lists (MPLs). Use MPLs to define printer groups based on department, printing needs (color, advanced finishing), or location. MPLs control features at both the user group and individual-printer levels when they are associated with a Managed Print Policy (MPP). Printer lists may be imported from HP Web Jetadmin or Novell print shares.

### Create and modify user groups

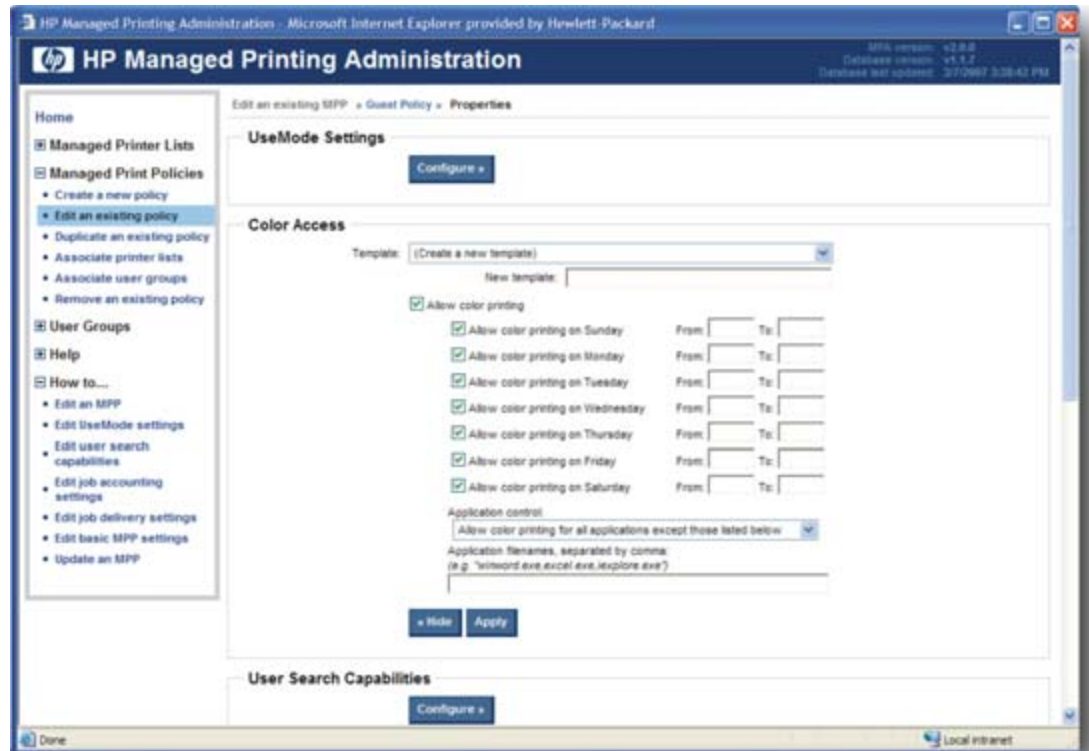
Establish user groups, determine their printing needs, and assign print policies based on those needs. For example, create a user group for your finance department and assign a policy that allows color printing from 8 to 5 on weekdays.



<sup>1</sup> From "One Driver to Rule Them All: The Universal Print Driver," published in InfoTrends, November 15, 2006.

## Create and modify Managed Print Policies

- Manage printer status notifications—Customize job, device, and supplies status notifications. If you choose, notifications may include links that allow users to contact support or shop online for supplies. For more information, visit [www.hp.com/learn/suresupply](http://www.hp.com/learn/suresupply).
- Control who uses color and when they use it—Assign color access by user or application, or shut color capability down completely until it's needed for special projects. This ensures that the people who truly need to leverage the power of color—such as your sales team and marketing department—can, while others automatically default to black-and-white printing.



Manage access to color printing.

## Technical specifications

<b>Compatibility</b>	Supports Microsoft Windows Vista, 2000, XP, XP Professional x64, and 2003 Server (32/64 bit); Microsoft Windows Terminal Services and Citrix Presentation Server Environments.
<b>Supported devices</b>	Supports a broad range of HP printers, MFPs, and AiOs. For more information go to <a href="http://www.hp.com/go/upd">www.hp.com/go/upd</a> .
<b>Size</b>	18 MB

To download the free HP Universal Print Driver Series for Windows, go to: [www.hp.com/go/upd](http://www.hp.com/go/upd)

For support and more information, go to: [www.hp.com/support/universalprintdriver](http://www.hp.com/support/universalprintdriver)

To download the HP Managed Printing Administrator or HP's Active Directory Administrative Templates, go to: [www.hp.com/go/mpa](http://www.hp.com/go/mpa)

For support and more information, go to: [www.hp.com/support/mpa](http://www.hp.com/support/mpa)



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