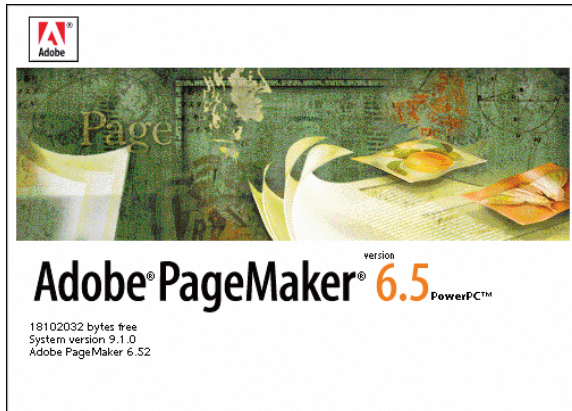


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1. Configure preferences to disable PageMaker color management:

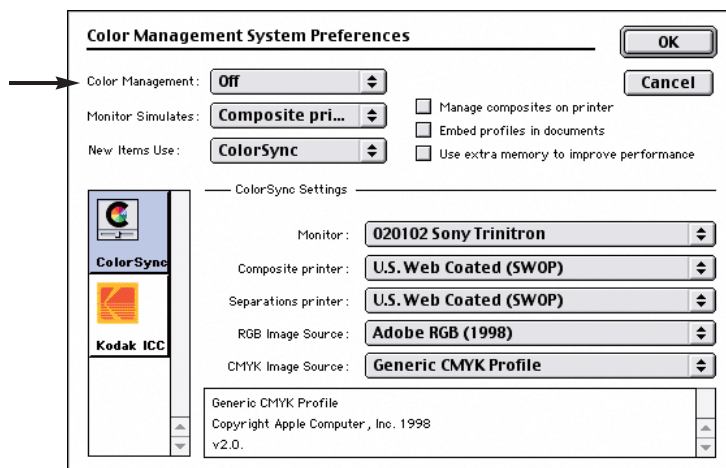


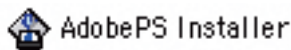
figure 1.

Disabling Color Management

- From the PageMaker menu, select: **File > Preferences > General > CMS setup**
- Select Color Management: **Off**
- Select **OK**
- After having been returned to the Preferences dialog window, select **OK**

2. Configure a printer to be used as a virtual PostScript printer:

Printer installation:



Install the AdobePS 8.7.3 Printer Driver.



Sheridan.ppd

Copy the Sheridan.ppd PostScript Printer Description file to:

[hard drive] > System Folder > Extensions > Printer Descriptions

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Printer configuration:

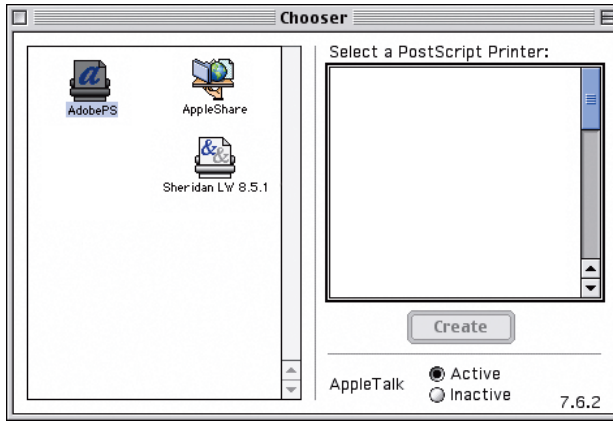


figure 2.

Selecting the printer driver from the Chooser

From the menu:

- Select **Apple > Chooser**

From the Chooser window:

- Select **AdobePS**
- Select **File > Close**

Note: Without selection of a printer from the PostScript Printer list, AdobePS Virtual Printer will be selected by default.

3. Define the PageMaker Printer Style:

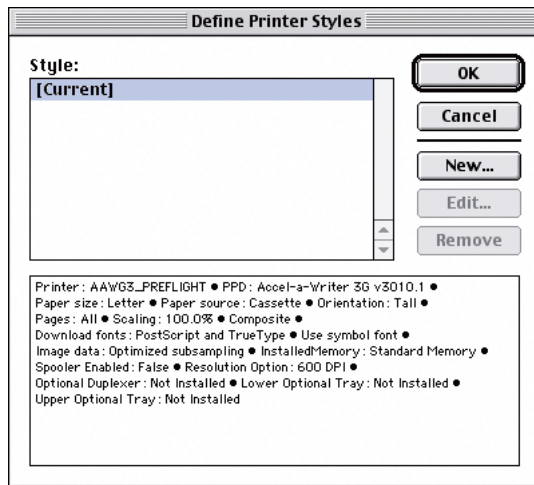


figure 3.

Defining a new Printer Style

From the PageMaker menu:

- Select **File > Printer Styles > Define**
- Select **New** from the Define Printer Styles window.

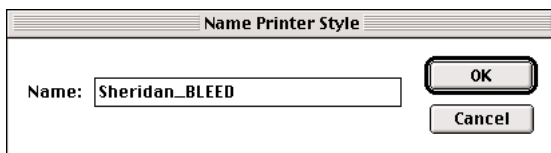


figure 4.

Naming the new Printer Style

- Enter a name (e.g., **Sheridan_BLEED**) for the new Printer Style.
- Select **OK**



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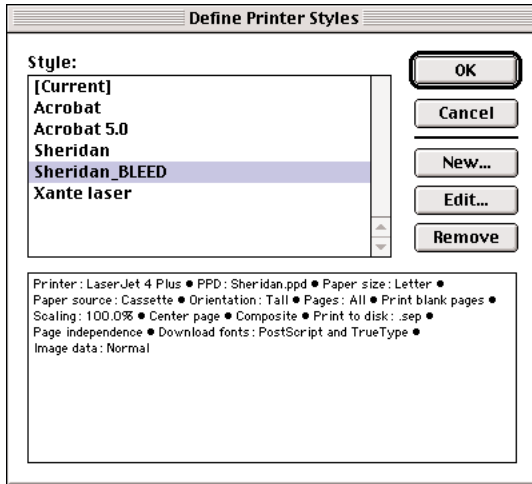


figure 5.

Editing the Printer Style

- Choose the new name from the Printer Style list and select the **Edit** button.

figure 6.

Editing the Printer Style Document options

- For Printer, Virtual Printer (or the PostScript printer selected in the Chooser) will be identified.
- For PPD, select **Sheridan.ppd**
- Select Copies: **1**
- Clear checkboxes for **Collate**, **Reverse** and **Proof**
- For Pages, select the **All** radio button.
- Clear checkbox for **Ignore "Non-Printing" setting**
- For Print, select **Both Pages**
- Clear the checkbox for **Reader's spreads**
- Select the checkbox for **Print blank pages**
- Clear checkbox for **Print all publications in book**
- For Orientation, select the icon for portrait.

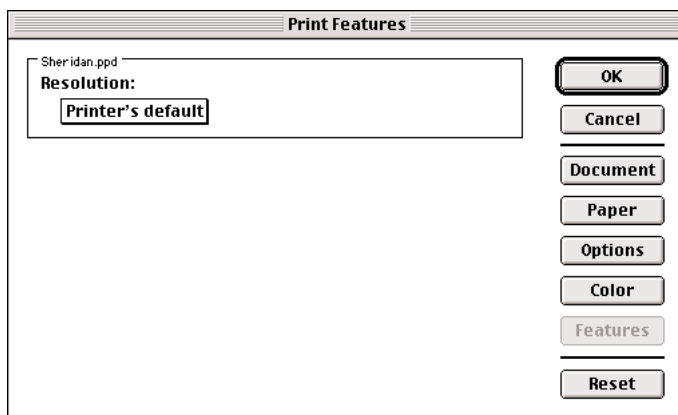
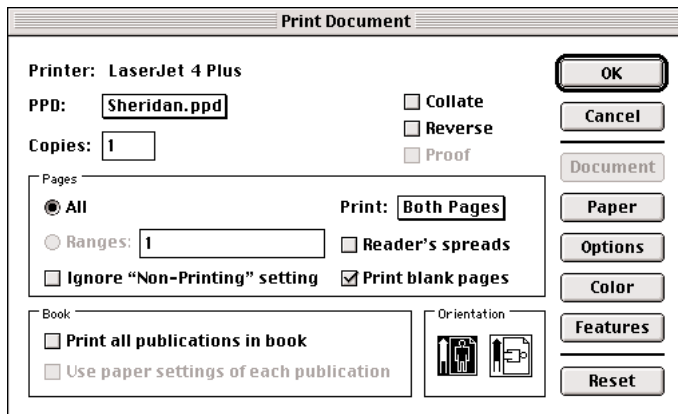


figure 7.

Configuring the Printer Style Features window

- Select **Features** from the Print window.
- Select Resolution: **Printer's default**

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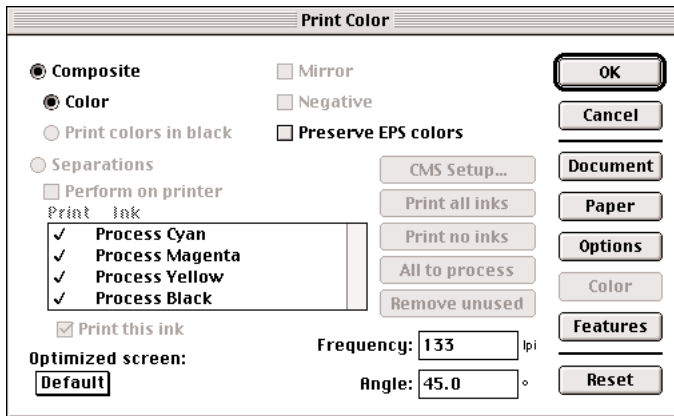


figure 8.

Editing the Printer Style Color options

- Select **Color** from the Print window.
- Select the **Composite** radio button.
- Select the **Color** radio button.
- Clear all checkboxes.
- Select Optimized screen: **Default**
- Enter Frequency: **133 lpi**.
- Enter Angle: **45.0°**.

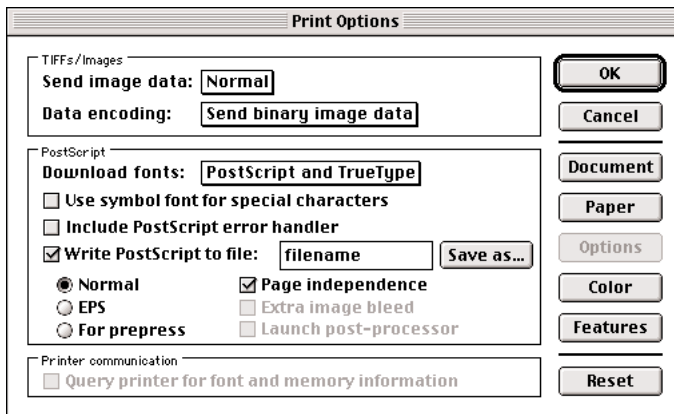


figure 9.

Configuring the Printer Style Options

- Select **Options** from the Print window.
- Select the checkbox for: **Write PostScript to file:**
- Select the radio button: **Normal**
- Select the checkbox for **Page Independence**
- Select Send image data: **Normal**
- Select Data encoding: **Send binary image data**
- Select Download fonts: **PostScript and True Type**
- Clear the checkbox for **Use symbol font**
- Clear the checkbox for **Include PostScript error handler**
- Select **OK**

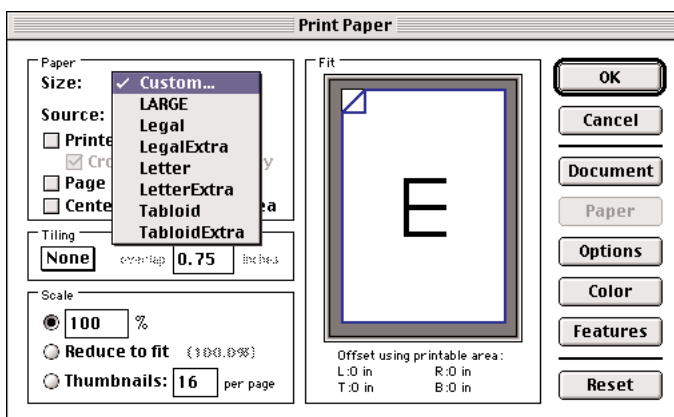


figure 10.

Editing the Printer Style Paper options

- Select the **Paper** button.
- Select Paper Size: **Letter** (or select **Custom** to define a paper size to match the publication trim size).

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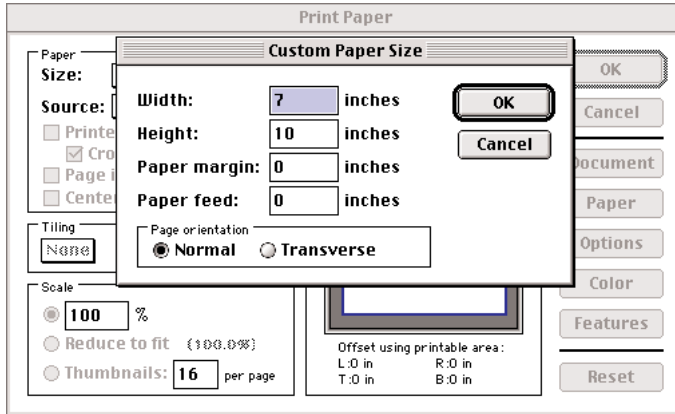


figure 11.

The Custom Paper Size dialog window

- For custom page sizes, enter the applicable Width and Height amounts.
- Set Paper margin and Paper feed to 0 inches.
- For Page Orientation, select the radio button for Normal
- Select OK

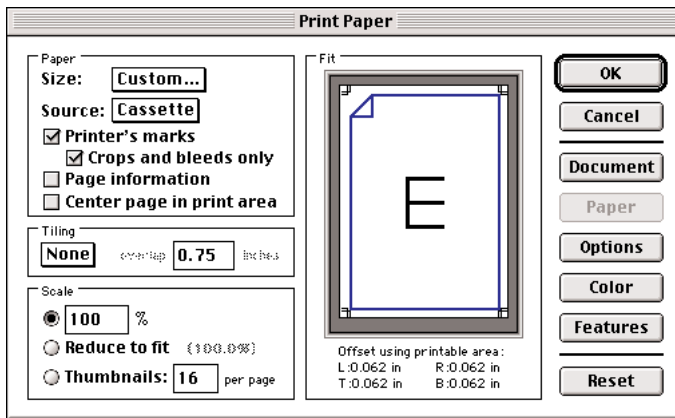


figure 12.

Editing the Printer Style Paper options

- Paper source will be selected as Casset
- Select the checkbox for Printer's marks
- Select the checkbox for Crops and bleeds only
- Clear the checkbox for Page information
- Select the checkbox for Center page in print area
- Select tiling: None
- Select scale: 100%

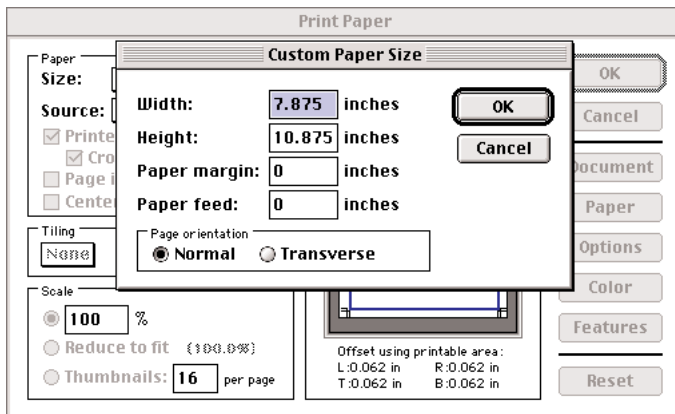


figure 13.

The Custom Paper Size dialog window

- Width and Height amounts will have been adjusted automatically to accommodate marks
- Select OK

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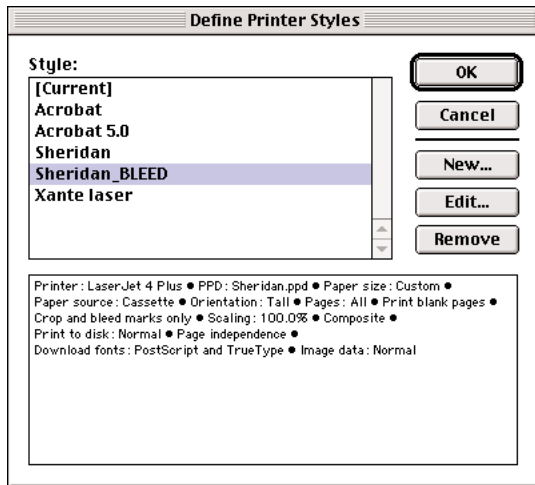


figure 14.

Verifying the Printer Style Options

- Select OK