



The Printer Working Group

IPP Recent Features and Enhancements - 2024

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IPP Recent Features 2022 – 2024



PWG has completed updates to many important IPP specifications in the last 3 years

- [PWG 5100.1-2022: IPP Finishings 3.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.3-2023: IPP Production Printing Extensions v2.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.7-2023: IPP Job Extensions v2.1](#)
- [PWG 5100.11-2024: IPP Enterprise Printing Extensions v2.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.13-2023: IPP Driver Replacement Extensions v2.0](#)

Updates include both new features and redesigns to features that were previously supported

General Printing – New Features (1 of 2)



- **Extended Print Quality Options (PWG 5100.13)**
 - "print-quality" now extensible beyond 'draft' / 'normal' / 'high'
 - Specialized type of Preset (group of attribute settings applied atomically)
 - Uses new "preset-category" extension to "job-presets-supported"
- **Custom Color Modes (PWG 5100.13)**
 - "print-color-mode" extended to support Printer-applied Job color transformations
 - "print-color-mode-icc-profiles" to support client-side previews
- **Job Accounting Source Host and Application Metadata Enhancements (PWG 5100.7)**
 - Enables reporting of client system and software modules upstream of job submission
 - "client-info" replaces the now-deprecated "document-format-details"

General Printing – New Features (2 of 2)



- "Overprint" printing (PWG 5100.13)
 - "media-overprint" enables intent to print beyond the edges of the physical media
- Message Catalog Extensions for Tool Tips and Help URLs (PWG 5100.13)
 - "_tooltip" and "_helpurl" suffix definitions added to create association between a label, a short help statement, and a URL for more information
- Print Processing Attribute Grouping and Identification
 - "print-processing-attributes-supported" lists attributes (standard and third party) that relate to "processing"
 - Enables a Client to present vendor-unique attributes relating to Job processing in a way that allows some Client control over context

Office Printing – New Features



- Custom Color Modes (PWG 5100.13)
 - Discussed earlier
- Additional Finishing Enhancements (PWG 5100.1)
 - Supports better client-side previews of Printer layout limits
- Printer Booklet layout (PWG 5100.3)
 - New "imposition-template" for performing booklet layout (2-up / 2-sided printing / page reordering) in the Printer
- Job Print Policy (PWG 5100.11)
 - Get-User-Printer-Attributes operation is an "authenticated Get-Printer-Attributes" providing results limited to those available for use by the Authenticated User
 - Provides a better user experience than Job rejection or incorrect rendering



Office Printing – Redesigned Features

- Job Storage (PWG 5100.11)
 - Job can be stored for later reprinting
- Proof and Suspend (PWG 5100.11)
 - First copy printed then Job suspended pending review
- Job Release (PWG 5100.11)
 - Extends existing "job-password" / "PIN printing" push release to support pushbutton and owner authenticated release mechanisms

Designed
For
Interoperability¹

¹ Predecessor Features (5100.11-2010) Were Not Interoperable

Production Printing – New Features



- Enhancements to Page Layout on Physical Media (PWG 5100.3)
 - "image-orientation"
 - New imposition templates
- Additional Finishing Enhancements (PWG 5100.1)
 - Supports better client-side previews of Printer layout limits
- Printer Booklet layout (PWG 5100.3)
 - New "imposition-template"
- Job scheduling enhancements (PWG 5100.3)
 - "date-time-at-completed-estimated", "date-time-at-processing-estimated", "time-at-completed-estimated", and "time-at-processing-estimated" provide Job scheduling estimates
 - "job-complete-before" and "job-complete-before-time" allow a Client to specify when a Job needs to be finished



- Specifications

- [RFC 8011: IPP/1.1 Model and Semantics](#)
- [PWG 5100.1-2022: IPP Finishings 3.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.3-2023: IPP Production Printing Extensions v2.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.7-2023: IPP Job Extensions v2.1](#)
- [PWG 5100.11-2024: IPP Enterprise Printing Extensions v2.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.13-2023: IPP Driver Replacement Extensions v2.0](#)
- [PWG 5100.19-2015: IPP Implementor's Guide v2.0](#)

- Previous Presentations

- 2023 – [PWG Significant Recent Updates to IPP](#)
- 2022 – [PWG 2022 State of the Union](#)
- 2021 – [PWG 2021 State of the Union](#)
- 2018 – [PWG IPP Overview and State of the Union](#)

IPP Workgroup Status – November 2024



- **Specifications in development:**
 - Internet Printing Protocol/2.x Fourth Edition (Stable)
 - IPP Encrypted Jobs and Documents v1.0 (Prototype)
 - IPP Everywhere™ v2.0 (Prototype)
 - IPP Everywhere™ Printer Self-Certification Manual v2.0 (Interim)
 - IPP OAuth Extensions v1.0 (Stable)
 - IPP Shared Infrastructure Extensions v1.1 (Stable)
 - IPP System Service v1.1 (Stable)
- **Registrations in development:**
 - IPP Firmware Upgrade Extensions v1.0 (Interim)
- **Recently approved:**
 - IPP Wi-Fi Configuration Extensions v1.0
 - PWG 5100.5-2024: IPP Document Object v1.2 (DOCOBJECT)
 - PWG 5100.11-2024: IPP Enterprise Printing Extensions v2.0 (EPX)
 - PWG 5101.1-2023: PWG Media Standardized Names v2.1 (MSN)
- **Up-to-date pending IANA registrations online:**
 - <https://www.pwg.org/ipp/ipp-registrations.xml>