

Installation of SendHeader Macro

SendHeader is a macro that automates downloading the postscript header from Print Manager to the postscript printer, thereby eliminating numerous menu and execution steps. I find that downloading the postscript header at the start of the print function (as opposed to causing the postscript header to be downloaded with each print job - the default posture) generally enhances the printing speed.

This Word for Windows template contains two template macros to allow the user to install the macro: **SendHeader** into WFW 6.0's Normal Template. This is Freeware. I trust you to use your judgment as to the suitability of this macro for your purposes. I find no compatibility problems with the several configurations I utilized both in WFW 2.0 and 6.0.

To install the SendHeader macro in WFW 6.0, open the ToolsMacro dialog box. Select SENDHDR.DOT from the "Macros Available In" section box, and run Install Macro. From the Install Macro Dialog Box select and install SENDHEADER into your NORMAL.DOT template. I also installed the macro as a custom tool on the Toolbar utilizing the customized button located in the fourth row down, fifth button from the left. I placed the macro under the Files menu, too.

For those of you who are interested in a similar macro for Excel, the following is the macro I installed as a Global macro which I likewise run from the toolbar:

SendHeader_h	Sends PostScript Header
=EXEC("printman.exe",1)	Executes Print Manager
=ECHO()	
=SEND.KEYS("%o",TRUE)	Sends keys to send header
=SEND.KEYS("p",TRUE)	to postscript printer
=SEND.KEYS("%s",TRUE)	
=SEND.KEYS("%o",TRUE)	
=SEND.KEYS("%s",TRUE)	
=SEND.KEYS("%s",TRUE)	
=SEND.KEYS("{enter 3}",TRUE)	Returns to Print Manager
=SEND.KEYS("% ",TRUE)	
=SEND.KEYS("n",TRUE)	Minimizes Print Manager
=RETURN()	

I assert no pride of authorship that will stand in the way of your advice and counsel. Please advise me of any problems you experience and of any suggestions to improve the function.

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