INposition 1.5.1 Addendum

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Purpose:

INposition 1.5.1 contains fixes to problems found in version 1.5, enhancements to features, as requested by various users, and new features. A major revision to the EPS Filter is contained in this update. Since the filter now accepts any graphic format supported by QuarkXPress, the name has been changed from EPS Filter to Graphic Filter.

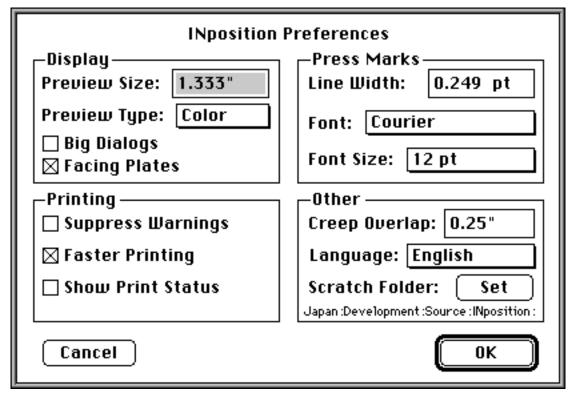
Installation

Addendum

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XTension, Filter, and Language File Locations

INposition and its filters and language files can now be placed in the XTension folder as well as the QuarkXPress folder. However, all related files must be together in either location.



INposition Preferences dialog box

Preferences

Facing Plates

The Facing Plate option in the Preferences dialog box affects only the display of plates in the Publication Palette. In version 1.5 the mirroring option for a Sheet Guide was ignored if viewing single plates. Clearly this was confusing and inconsistent. Mirrored Sheet Guides are now always applied to the even numbered (back) plates whether viewing plates singly or in pairs.

Faster Printing

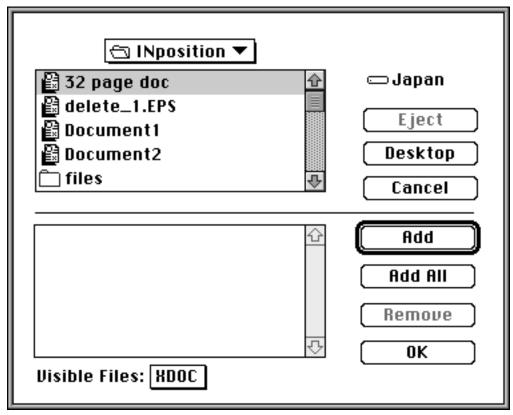
The Faster Printing option in the Preferences dialog box has been changed dramatically. Printing a plate that contains pages from multiple documents could cause problems in text flow since certain QuarkXPress options such as hyphenation method must be uniform across all documents. Turning Faster Printing off causes INposition to create an EPS file of each page on a plate and then print those files as the pages. This method ensures that re-flow will not occur since the EPS file locks all the text and graphics into position. The EPS files are created in the Scratch Folder (see below) so you should make sure that the disk drive that contains the scratch folder has enough free disk space to accommodate a plate s worth of EPS files. These files are created automatically during printing, and deleted af terwards. The original QuarkXPress files, and INposition publication, are not affected in any way.

Language

The ability to include alternate Language Files has been added to INposition. These resources only affect INposition s language: the QuarkXpress language stays the same. If you are using INposition with a copy of QuarkXPress Passport, then setting the language to Automatic will cause INposition to automatically change to match the current language of QuarkXPress. This is true for single language versions of QuarkXPress as well. Language Files are available in a limited number of languages. Contact DK&A technical support for information on obtaining alternate Language Files. The current language can only be changed when there is no publication open. The language popup menu is disabled if the Publication Palette is shown.

Scratch Folder

A new option in the Preferences dialog box allows you to set a specific location where all of INposition s temporary files are created and deleted. This allows you to make sure all temporary files are stored on a local drive that contains enough free disk space for the operations being performed. The Scratch Folder option defaults to the QuarkXPress folder. A remote (networked) drive should not be used since this will dramatically slow down printing.



Quark Page Filter Get File dialog box

Publication Palette

Plate Selection

When viewing plate pairs in the Publication Palette both plates are select ed by default. Selection works in the standard Macintosh manner whereby holding the shift key down while selecting a plate either adds or deletes that plate from the selection range. Only selected plates are affected by changes to the current Sheet Guide. A plate is selected by clicking in the gray area around its perimeter.

Quark Page Filter

The Get File dialog box that appears when the Quark Page Filter is dragged into the Publication Palette has been modified. A popup menu at the bottom of the dialog box selects which files are visible. XDOC refers to QuarkXPress documents created on the Macintosh. A TEXT file option is necessary to import documents created in QuarkXPress for Windows. This option is enabled by selecting TEXT in the popup menu. Selecting an item in the menu that is already selected will deselect that option. The files listed in the top portion of the dialog will update each time the selection parameters have changed. When TEXT is selected all text files are visible: they might not all be valid QuarkXPress documents

Print Signatures

One Pass

Printing to a PostScript file does not require the One Pass option to be selected. Printing to files without One Pass checked causes a new file to be created for each plate printed (if Tiling is selected, then all the tiles for a particular plate will be contained in one file). After creating the initial file, with the name given in the Save File dialog box, subsequent files have their plate number appended to the name. For example, if you print a publication with two plates, and use the name myfile, then plate 1 will be saved in a file named myfile and plate 2 will be saved in a file named myfile.2.

Selected Flat and Pin Tiling

If you are printing a Selected Flat and you choose the Pin Tiling option, then that flat will be rotated 180. That is, you are able to rotate any portion of a plate (including the entire plate) using this method.

Printing

Job Name

When printing directly to a printer (or print server) a jdb name is created that may appear in certain status dialog boxes. The print jdb name is now more compatible with many print servers and can be configured by the user if neces sary. The jdb name is now created by appending _P to the Publication name and then appending the plate number being printed. The _P can be modified to any characters desired, and the numbering can include preceding characters (such as 01, 02,...09, 10 etc.). If you require modifications to the naming scheme please call technical support.

Press Marks

Text and graphics used as press marks are no longer reversed when printed on mirrored plates. That is, text is right-reading on both the front and back of a Sheet Guide with mirroring checked. Graphic Filter

New Features

Like the Quark Page Filter, the Graphic Filter includes a Get File dialog box that allows multiple files to be imported at a time. Document types visible in the dialog are selected in the popup menu at the bottom of the dialog box. By default the visible types are EPS and TIFF. TEXT can be selected so that files brought over from Windows can be included in the file list. ALL is added so that other file types, not commonly imported into QuarkXPress, can be included. If you plan to use the Add All button to import all files in a folder make sure only those files you want imported are visible. After clicking OK, you are presented

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Graphic Filter Import Options dialog box

with an Import Options dialog box. Since graphic files can be many sizes, and are often not the same size as your publication size, the ability to set a uniform document size is included. This size will most often match your overall publication size. The graphic will most often be centered on the page, but you have the option of having the image placed in the upper left corner of the page. After click - ing OK, all the selected graphics are imported into a new QuarkXPress document and then imported into INposition.

A bleed value is included in the Import Options dialog box so that EPS files saved with a bleed (such as those from PageMaker with Include Extra Bleed checked) are handled correctly. The bleed option spreads the picture box past the edge of the QuarkXPress page by the amount specified. As long as the EPS file does not explicitly clip the file to its bounding box the bleed items will print.