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Technical bulletin

Installing and Configuring Pandora 2.0 with Workshop

Installing Pandora 2.0

The complete Pandora 2.0 installation instructions are located in the Pandora 2.0 User Guide. The following is a brief summary:

Attention: Under Windows 2000, you must install Pandora BEFORE inserting the hardware key.

1. Insert the CD-ROM containing the Pandora application and navigate to the **Pandora 2.0** folder.
2. Double-click on **setup.exe**.
3. Follow any instructions during the installation process.
4. Install the Pandora hardware key.
5. After you start Pandora, you will be required to enter the correct password for your hardware key.

Updating Pandora 1.5 (or Pandora 2.0 beta) to Pandora 2.0

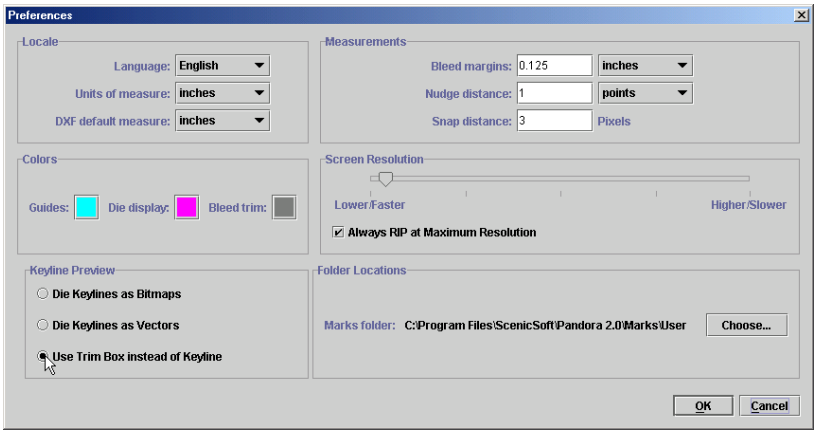
1. Go to **C:\Program Files\ScenicSoft** in the Explorer window and rename the **ScenicSoft** folder to **Creo**.
2. Insert the Pandora 2.0 CD.
3. Double-click on **Pandora 2.0 Updater.exe**.
4. Follow the prompts from the update application.

Configuring Pandora with Prinergy Workshop

Setting up Pandora to recognize the Trim Box of incoming PDF files

1. Launch Pandora

2. From the Pandora Menu select **Edit > Preferences,** then select **Use Trim Box Instead of Keyline** in the Preferences dialog box that opens.



3. Close Pandora.

Setting up Prinergy Workshop to run Pandora interactively from within Workshop

Before setting up a Prinergy Workshop client to run Pandora in an integrated mode, Pandora must be installed on the client workstation, using the Pandora License for Powerpack.

1. Launch Prinergy Workshop.
2. From the Job Finder menu, select **Tools>Configure Layout Applications**.
3. Click **Add**, then browse to the **RunPandora.exe** file (**Pandora 2.0** on a Mac) located in the Pandora 2.0 folder, and click **Open**.
   Pandora will be added to the application list.
4. Click **Done** to close the Configure Layout Applications dialog box.

Adding Prinergy Variable Marks to Pandora

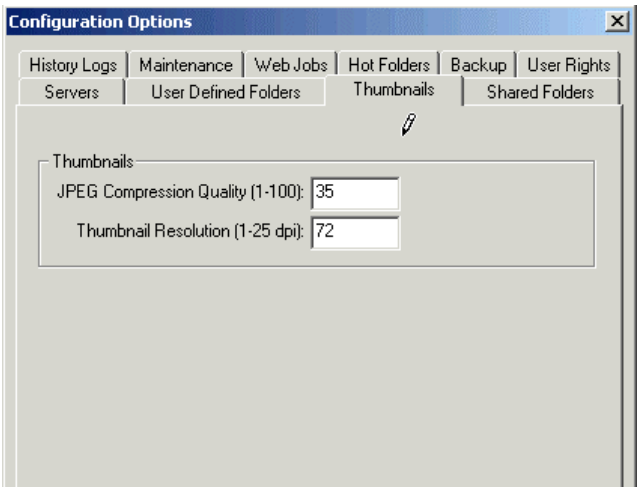
A set of Prinergy variable marks is available in the **Pandora 2.0\Extras\Prinergy Variable Marks** folder. To make these available in the with Pandora Marks palette, move the **Prinergy Variable Marks** folder into the **Pandora 2.0\Resources\BuiltInMarks** folder. See the **Using Marks With Pandora in a Powerpack Environment** technical bulletin for details on how to use Prinergy variable marks with Pandora.

Using Prinergy generated thumbnail images with Pandora

The Pandora application uses preview images (thumbnails) of artwork files for placement into a layout. In stand-alone mode, Pandora creates these thumbnails based on a resolution selected on the Pandora Preferences dialog box. However, in interactive mode (i.e. when Pandora is launched from Prinergy Powerpack) Pandora

uses thumbnails created by Prinergy during the Refine process. This allows for a more efficient, and faster workflow. You can set the resolution of these Prinergy thumbnails as follows:

1. From the Prinergy Administrator window, select **Tools>Configure System>Thumbnails**.



2. In the Thumbnail Resolution box, enter the desired resolution (72 dpi is recommended).

NOTE: To allow Pandora to use the Prinergy thumbnail JPEG's, refine your artwork with the **Thumbnails** option turned **ON** in the Refine Process Plan.

Launching Pandora interactively from Prinergy Workshop

1. From the Job Manager menu, select **File>Create New Layout.**
   The New Layout dialog box appears
2. Enter a new layout name in the **Layout Name** box.
3. In the **Select Layout Application** box, select **Pandora for Packaging**
4. Click **OK**.

Importing a Job Ticket Interactively Into Prinergy Workshop

The following describes the different ways in which Prinergy Workshop imports job tickets interactively from Pandora:

Save

Each time you **Save** a Pandora job, it creates a job ticket in the **Transient Layout** folder of your Prinergy job. This is for backup purposes—in the event of a crash, you can retrieve the layout from the last 'Save' state by going into Prinergy Workshop and importing the **<layout name>in.jt** job ticket file from the Transient Layout folder. To make edits to the Pandora layout, double-click on the layout and Pandora will launch interactively.

Close

In order for Prinergy Workshop to import a job ticket from Pandora, you can choose to **Close** the job in Pandora. A dialog box will open, asking whether or not you want to save your job at this point before you import the job ticket. Prinergy Workshop imports the job ticket from the last saved version of the job, so you must save it if you want the latest changes to be imported. (If the Pandora job has never been saved, and you choose not to save it now, you will be returned to Workshop without importing a job ticket.)

Note: When you choose to **Close** Pandora, Pandora still runs in the background until you end the process in the task manager.

Quit

You can also import a job ticket into Prinergy Workshop by choosing to **Quit** from Pandora. A dialog box will open, asking whether or not you want to save your job at this point before you import the job ticket. Prinergy Workshop imports the job ticket from the last saved version of the job, so you must save it if you want the latest changes to be imported. (If the Pandora job has never been saved, and you choose not to save it now, you will be returned to Workshop without importing a job ticket.)

Save as

Selecting **Save as** will allow you to save a Pandora job to a destination of your choice. However, this will not save a job ticket for you. The Pandora job that is saved will be only accessible through stand-alone mode.

Print

If you choose to **Print** a job ticket, you can select **PJTF – Creo** and this will allow you to save a job ticket to a destination of your choice. If you use this method, Prinergy Workshop will not be able to interactively import the job ticket. You will need to import the job ticket manually from within Workshop.

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