LRS Print Plug-in

What is the Print Plug-in?

Internet browsers are designed to browse report pages. PageCenter is designed to browse and print multiple pages of a report from the Host. If a user is accessing PageCenter with PageCenter Web Access then the user must be using an Internet browser. Internet browsers are not designed to process formfeeds so LRS developed a Print Plug-in to handle the formfeeds within reports. The Plug-in also provides the ability to set the orientation and font for printing and save the output to a text file.

Must I use the Print Plug-in?

If the user needs to print a range of pages with formfeeds added between the report pages then the Print Plug-in must be installed. If a user only needs the capability to view reports on-line then the user would not need to have the Print Plug-in installed. In addition, if a user will print reports but is not concerned about a formfeed between the pages, then the Print Plug-in is not necessary.

Installing the Print Plug-in with Microsoft Internet Browser

This procedure is grouped into three procedures:

1. Logging into PageCenter.
2. Accessing the user profile.
3. Installing the Print Plug-in.

Log into PageCenter

1 Log into PageCenter through PageCenter Web Access.
Result: A mailbox list will display with the mailboxes you have access to.

Access the user profile

2 Select the **Preferences** option above the mailbox list.
Note: Depending on the browser being used, a **Security Information** dialog may display.

3 Click the **Browse** tab.

Install the Print Plug-in

4 Select **Install Print Plug-in** at the bottom of the Print Plug-in Settings section.
Result: The **File Download** dialog will display.

5 Select **Run this program from its current location** and then select the **OK** button.
Note: Depending on the browser being used, a **Security Information** dialog may display.

6 The **Plug-in Welcome** dialog will display.

7 Select the **Next** button.
Result: The **License Agreement** dialog will display.

8 Select the **Next** button.
Result: The **Installation Folder** dialog will display.

9 The installation folder default is "C:\WINDOWS\TEMP\PCWAINST". Accept this folder or use the browse button to select another folder.

Select the **Finish** button.

10 The next dialog that displays asks for the directory where the Support Plugin for PageCenter Web Access should be copied. When the directory has been selected, select the **OK** button.
Result: A dialog displays stating that the Print Plug-in has been installed and the browser must be restarted before the Print Plug-in will be used.

11 Select **OK**.

Log off of PageCenter and restart the browser.

Installing the Print Plug-in with Netscape Browser

This procedure is grouped into three procedures:

1. Logging into PageCenter.
2. Accessing the user profile.
3. Installing the Print Plug-in.

Log into PageCenter

1 Log into PageCenter through PageCenter Web Access.
Result: A mailbox list will display with the mailboxes you have access to.

Access the user profile

2 Select the **Preferences** option above the mailbox list.
Result: The **User Profile Maintenance** dialog will display.

Install the Print Plug-in

3 Select **Install Print Plug-in** at the bottom of the Print Plug-in Settings section.
Result: The **Save As** dialog will display.

4 Select a directory where the **PRTPLG12.EXE** file should be saved. Select the **Save** button.
Result: The file will be saved in the place specified and the **User Profile Maintenance** will display again.

5 Go to the place where **PRTPLG12.EXE** was saved and double click on the file name.
Result: The **Plug-in Welcome** dialog will display.

6 Select the **Next** button.
Result: The **License Agreement** dialog will display.

7 Select the **Next** button.
Result: The **Installation Folder** dialog will display.

8 The installation folder default is "C:\WINDOWS\TEMP\PCWAINST. Accept this folder or use the browse button to select another folder. Select the **Finish** button.

9 The next dialog that displays asks for the directory where the Support Plugin for PageCenter Web Access should be copied. When the directory has been selected, select the **OK** button.
Result: A dialog displays stating that the Print Plug-in has been installed and the browser must be restarted before the Print Plug-in will be used.

10 Select **OK**.

Log off of PageCenter and restart the browser.