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Not new, but recent version (1st of December 2008)

Since the company Creo was sold to Kodak, we're calling the Software Kodak Preps. The box is still from Creo.

Shipping Contents:

- USB Dongle Type Preps "iKey"
- Creo product password sheet in blue for the dongle with the activation of Preps Plus Standard for Win/Mac Edition from ScenicSoft
- Original CD with Installer of Version 5.0 for Mac and PC
- Download version of the update to version 5.3.2 for Mac OSX 10.5 and PC on CD
- Original box with printed english documentation and release notes
- Documentation in other languages as PDF on the CD
- After the purchase, we take care of a re-licencing, so that you will be the new registered user.
- The Software Preps Ganging is not included.

The current list price of this version Preps 5.3 Plus Standard Mac/Win (USB I-Key) is 4194,75 EUR plus VAT in D/E/F.

Note:

This is **not** the Pro version, which costs 7395 EUR. It can be upgraded to that version though, which would result in additional costs. Preps Pro is sometimes mentioned in the description, but keep in mind that this is not the Pro but just the Plus version

Preps Plus Features:

- *Print environment: commercial*
- *Native PDF imposition*
- *JDF import*
- *JDF/PJTF output*
- *APR, OPI and DCS passthrough*
- *Adobe PDF and PostScript 3 preview*
- *Kodak Brisque, ApogeeX, Prinergy and Rampage workflows compatibility*
- *JDF 1.2 and 1.3; CPI4 LayCrlmp ICS certified*
- *AppleScript Support (Mac OS only)*
- *SmartMarks, mark groups and press marks*
- *Native PDF color mapping*
- *Levels 1 and 2 color separation*
- *Automatic custom tiling*
- *Multitple output files*
- *Output to multiple devices*

Product description

KODAK PREPS Imposition Software is used in popular workflow solutions and in stand-alone POSTSCRIPT and PDF environments worldwide. PREPS Software features are constantly evolving to meet the needs of industry professionals in the most demanding print environments. The series has versions tailored for commercial, on-demand, and large-format, or web-offset printing.

PDF-native workflow

The seamless PDF workflow provides fast and accurate native previewing. It automatically accepts all incoming PDF files without converting them to POSTSCRIPT files, saving time and disk space. PDFs can be archived, sent to an output device, or exported for viewing in ADOBE ACROBAT software.

JDF and CIP3 Support

PREPS Software can now import JDF files from management information systems (MIS). When you import a JDF file, PREPS Software expresses it as a new PREPS Software job and either attempts to match the imposition details specified by the MIS, or dynamically creates a signature on the fly including placement of all marks. PREPS Software can then export a file that includes the original JDF plus the JDF imposition layout and mark flats.

As the first certified producer of JDF layouts of JDF layouts, PREPS Software is ideally positioned within the workflow to create JDF layouts that can be used downstream by prepress workflows and postpress equipment, and upstream by the MIS to update imposition details missing from the original estimate. The JDF can be used downstream by prepress workflows, or upstream by the MIS to update imposition details missing from the original estimate.

Intelligent SMARTMARKS Feature

With the SMARTMARKS Feature, users can define where marks or groups of marks should be placed on a press sheet in relation to the sheet size, gutter, or page, rather than as static marks, and save the marks as templates. When the template is applied to new jobs, these marks will automatically reposition and resize themselves to the new press sheet sizes in a single action, saving valuable job processing time.

Interactive job ganging

For print shops that produce ganged flatwork impositions they know how time consuming stepping up multiple products on a single sheet can be. With PREPS PRO Software, a new is included to efficiently create ganged flatwork impositions. The ganging feature in PREPS Software introduces a new user interface that allows you to build and display the template and content interactively.

With tools like marquee step-and-repeat, multi-dimension editing, auto bleed and trim mark cropping, multiobject snapping, and SMARTMARKS, it's never been faster to build ganged flatwork impositions.

The ganging software is only available as demo with Preps Plus!

Available in seven languages

English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Japanese, and simplified Chinese.

Informations regarding the update to version 5.3.2

Available since the 30th of September 2008

Version number: 5.32

New in this version: Aside from a few error corrections, new features were implemented as well. These are:

Windows Vista Hardware Dongle driver

Adobe PDF library is usable

WST device (cutting and folding) support through HTML files

Scaling option for function Creep

System requirements:

Macintosh

Required: MacOS X 10.4. or OS X 10.5.

Recommended: Intel Duo Core / 2 GB RAM / DVD Drive

Windows

Required: Windows XP or SP2 Professional, Windows Server 2003 and Vista

Recommended: 1 GHz Intel Pentium / 2 GB RAM / DVD Drive

The USB Hardware Dongle we include is suited for both, Mac and PC.



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