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# **EFI PrintMe**

# Easy and Convenient Mobile Print Solution\*

The rapid increase of consumers using their mobile devices for business purposes is driving the need for print functionality in those devices. To print from such devices—and even laptops for mobile workers—has historically been a challenge. To do this, one required special printing applications, special printers for particular devices, or new printer drivers. In other cases, one would need to transfer files to mediums such as USB drives or create online storage accounts. Equally inconvenient, mobile workers had to wait until they were back at their desks to print their documents.

But that was then.

EFI's MEAP® application, EFI PrintMe, changes all that. The MEAP application makes mobile printing from smartphones, tablets, and laptops as easy as sending an e-mail. Users can easily and conveniently send documents from their mobile devices through EFI's PrintMe Service via print@printme.com or through printme.com for output on Canon imageRUNNER ADVANCE multifunction office products (MFPs).

#### **EFI PrintMe: How It Works**

#### Overview

User sends files to EFI's PrintMe Service from a mobile device, laptop, or desktop computer. User doesn't need an account.

- User receives a return e-mail containing a Document ID.
- User selects the PrintMe icon on the Main Menu of the imageRUNNER ADVANCE MFP's front-panel display.
- · User enters the Document ID.
- User selects the number of copies, color or black and white, and single- or double-sided printing.
- · User selects "Print."

#### **Sending Files**

User can send files from their mobile devices to print three different ways.

- Send by e-mail:
  - User sends an e-mail with files to be printed as attachments to print@PrintMe.com.
  - User receives a return e-mail containing a Document ID.
- Send by Web upload:
  - User visits PrintMe.com.
  - o User enters e-mail address.
  - User uploads one or multiple supported files to PrintMe.com.
  - User receives a Document ID via the Web page and e-mail.
- Send by PrintMe Windows® driver:
  - o User downloads Windows PrintMe driver from PrintMe.com.
  - User prints by selecting File > Print > EFI PrintMe from any Windows application.
  - User receives a Document ID from the driver dialog box and via e-mail.

## Printing Files on Canon imageRUNNER ADVANCE MFPs

- 1 User selects the EFI PrintMe icon on the Main Menu of the imageRUNNER ADVANCE MFP's front-panel display.
- 2 User enters the PrintMe Document ID and presses "Next."
- 3 EFI PrintMe retrieves the file from the PrintMe Service.
- 4 User selects the file(s) to print.
- 5 User selects the number of copies; color or black and white; single- or double-sided printing; and then selects "Print."



#### **EFI PrintMe**

# Leverage Mobile Print in the Office

EFI PrintMe is a mobile print solution that allows users to print from their mobile devices directly to Canon imageRUNNER ADVANCE MFPs.\*

#### For mobile device users

EFI PrintMe provides an easy way for mobile device users to send documents through EFI's PrintMe Service for output on imageRUNNER ADVANCE MFPs in both corporate and public facilities. Mobile users need little IT support to get started.

# Helps empower office workers

In corporations, EFI PrintMe can provide employees, contractors, and guests with mobile printing capabilities for documents previously uploaded to EFI's PrintMe Service.

- Employees working on another floor or in another building on campus can easily print from wherever they are.
- Traveling employees visiting another company site can print directly without finding network printers, installing printer drivers, or asking for IT assistance.
- Remote employees, such as sales people, can quickly print when at the office.
- Anyone who needs "on-demand" printing can specify where and when to print.
- Visitors or contract workers without access to the company internal network can also print securely.

#### Convenience printing

The EFI PrintMe solution accommodates mobile professionals who need to remotely print documents and fulfills the need for a convenient, easy-to-use mobile printing solution.



"Businesses in the U.S. have shown a propensity to adopt mobile working business practices and have welcomed the shift to mobile workers to increase productivity and efficiency. InfoTrends is projecting that the total number of mobile knowledge workers in the U.S. will increase from 100.3 million in 2009 to 122.1 million in 2014."

Mobile Knowledge Workers:
Emerging Opportunities
InfoTrends, January 2011





## Supported file formats

- Microsoft® Office (DOC, DOCX, XLS, XLSX, PPT, PPTX)
- · Adobe® PDF
- Image and photo files (JPEG, GIF, PNG, BMP, PICT, TIFF)
- Web pages (HTML, HTM)
- Text (TXT)
- PostScript® (PS)

### Supported mobile platforms

Smartphones, PDAs, and tablets including:

- Apple® iOS
- RIM® BlackBerry® OS
- Google Android<sup>™</sup> OS

#### File size limit

Files downloaded to Canon imageRUNNER ADVANCE systems are limited to 100MB.

#### **Transmission time**

There's a bandwidth time limit of five minutes when sending files from mobile devices to EFI's PrintMe Service. Files that don't reach EFI's PrintMe Service in five minutes will timeout.

# Canon imageRUNNER ADVANCE requirements

- Direct Print Kit or PS Printer Kit is required.
- Additional Memory Type B may be required on certain imageRUNNER ADVANCE MFPs.



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