Fiery JDF

Profitable, Productive and Cost-Efficient Integration

Production Solutions
In high-volume businesses, every resource, minute and penny counts. Fiery® JDF technology helps you use your workforce more wisely, shorten lead times and produce more work profitably by automating and integrating business and print processes. Fiery JDF technology eliminates operators’ manual entry steps and streamlines job workflow from submission to output, letting job information flow through systems seamlessly and capture production data such as media usage and running time. By introducing an integrated workflow, you increase your productivity and profits and decrease your overhead costs.

What is JDF Technology?

JDF is an open standard technology that allows data to pass between different applications and systems for automating print production workflow. With JDF, your MIS, Web-to-print and prepress solutions talk to each other. The electronic JDF job ticket simplifies data exchange and collection, eliminates manual data entry and re-entry, makes print production faster, efficient and accurate. JDF specifies how jobs are managed and produced.
Increases Productivity and Efficiency
Fiery JDF technology allows job tickets and metadata to move through your system without human intervention and automatically collects production data. It eliminates the need for your operators to enter job and production data throughout multiple steps, dramatically decreasing waste and error. The technology enables unattended job processing and frees up operators to complete other tasks that involve higher-level skills, which ultimately increases profits. In addition, customer satisfaction is dramatically improved because jobs are delivered right, on time and on budget.

Provides Highly Accurate Business Intelligence
Fiery JDF technology captures all production data, such as media usage and job running time, and disseminates it to the appropriate business software (e.g., Print MIS) for more accurate reporting, estimating and accounting. Now business owners acquire automated business intelligence that can help them assess how profitable their businesses are.

Supports Hybrid Workflow for the Best of Both Worlds
In environments with mixed offset and digital printing solutions, Fiery JDF technology can serve as an easy and quick mechanism to direct jobs to the appropriate systems, enabling hybrid workflow. Jobs can be managed with a common user interface for multiple devices and can be automatically routed to the most cost effective devices. Fiery JDF technology also allows analog print shops to easily expand their businesses with on-demand, cost-effective and value-add services, such as variable data printing. Now, you can meet your customers’ demands for faster turnaround times and short-run jobs with capabilities that only digital printing and hybrid workflow environments are able to produce.

Maximizes Return on Investment and Profitability
Scalable Fiery JDF technology, not only makes your business more efficient, it also opens new doors for future expansion with EFI™ and many other third-party solution providers. It uses JDF industry standards with non-proprietary formats for flexible out-of-the-box interoperability. Fiery JDF technology enables seamless integration with many third-party solutions and with EFI Web-to-Print and Print MIS solutions, such as EFI PrintSmith™, Pace™, Monarch and Digital StoreFront®.
Beat the competition and profit with EFI’s integrated Fiery, VUTEk, Print MIS, Web-to-Print and Proofing, Jetrion and Rastek solutions. Visit www.efi.com to learn more.

Print to win with EFI

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