

Printware

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Backup a RIP Configuration

Summary: Back up the Navigator or Torrent RIP configuration for archival purposes.

Applicable Products: Any Navigator or Torrent RIP.

Tools/Parts Required: flash drive or CD-R and a burnable CD drive.

STEP 1 – EXECUTE THE BACKUP

1. Start the RIP and choose Navigator or Torrent, then **print file** from the drop-down menu.
2. Browse to the RIP “Utilities” folder. This is usually located at C:\Xitron\Navigatorxx.x\Utilities or C:\Torrentxx\Utilities. Print the file called **backupconfig.ps** to any Page Setup.
3. If the fonts are installed on the RIP and you also want to back those up, print the file called **backupfonts.ps** that is located in the same directory.
4. This will create files named: **config.ps** and **fonts.ps** in the same utilities folder.

Note: This procedure will not backup settings in the **Cassette Manager** and the **Device Manager**.

STEP 2 – MANUALLY BACKUP CASSETTE AND DEVICES

1. Create a folder called “**Config Backup**”. Put the **config.ps** and/or **fonts.ps** file created from Step 1 in the folder.
2. Create a text document in the folder stating the cassette(s) size that are used.
Example: 10” poly upper – 12” film lower.
3. Make a copy of the **devices** folder (inside of the SW folder) and to the same for **Config Backup** folder. This will backup all of the Printware devices.

Backup the “**Config Backup**” folder to CD, USB flash drive or the network.

STEP 3 – To RESTORE THE BACKED UP SETTINGS

1. Start the RIP and go to Navigator or Torrent – Print File.
2. Locate the files you wish to restore (config.ps or fonts.ps).
3. Highlight the restore file and click OK.
4. Replace the devices folder in the SW folder to re-install the Printware devices.
5. Open the text document and use it as a guideline to re-create the cassette sizes in the Page Setup Manager.

If there are any difficulties please call Printware Customer Service at
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