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In today’s competitive business environment, improving productivity depends on having access to information about how well your processes, people, and equipment are performing. This means gaining visibility into all areas of document production to gather intelligence about jobs, users, devices, media, and consumables.

Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software, a component of the Océ PRISMAproduction™ output management solution, makes it easy to track, measure, and quantify performance across the production floor. With Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software, you have simplified access to real-time data about all aspects of production—from who requested a job and how it started or finished to total pages run, labor requirements and uptime statistics.

Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting benefits
• Conveniently access relevant performance data over the Web
• Generate specific reports to make informed business decisions
• Collect and analyze data in five key areas—jobs, users, devices, media, and consumables
• Access business intelligence to optimize your workflow and plan future investments
• Eliminate production problems and bottlenecks that cause delays
• Verify document properties, production, and delivery

Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting capabilities
With Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software, you have access to a full range of important features and capabilities that make it easier than ever to track and report on performance. Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting integrates the entire accounting process into a single application that uses an easy-to-use interface to manage a variety of production functions. Capabilities include:

• Fully automated data collection
• Licensable option for Océ PRISMAproduction 3.10
• Universal access to accounting data via the network
• Graphical presentation of data including operator productivity and page totals
• Flexibility to add custom reports upon request
• An open architecture and SQL-compliant database that enables powerful reporting and management capabilities

Advanced production tracking and accounting
Today, many print production operations function as cost centers, without any clear idea of a production costs or the volumes of pages that are printed. With workflow accounting software like Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting, you can identify the source of each print request and track production throughout the print line.

The information you need for compliance
Compliance with quality standards and regulatory requirements is a growing consideration for businesses in regulated industries. However, many production operations lack complete accounting for the documents they produce. To avoid penalties and legal action, more print operations are implementing accounting software as part of a closed-loop production tracking system.

Power up productivity with industry-leading accounting tools
No other accounting and performance tracking solution delivers more to your print operation than Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting. You can collect, deliver, manage, and track information on output management, identifying costs, bottlenecks, and downtime—and opportunities for improvement. Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting tracks every job and user along with process steps, devices, and operators.

Job accounting
Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software tracks the status of a job from the moment it’s submitted to the time it’s completed, providing a solid understanding of the time it takes to complete a job. With this information, you can build tighter production schedules based on overall job performance.

User accounting
With Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting, you can collect data on all types of user activities, including when a user logs on, logs off, submits, starts, and stops jobs. With insight into user activities, a production manager can determine whether a job was actually a long print run or if the operator submitted the job later than expected. User accounting measures operator productivity and performance to keep printers running effectively.
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Device accounting
Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software tracks how many pages actually print on a given device compared to the required number of pages in the original job and monitors the length of the print run and device interventions. The benefit of knowing how a device performs increases over time when you can compare jobs from previous runs to determine whether a device is running at rated speed or if/when changes occur in print-line performance.

Media accounting
With Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting, tracking usage of various types of media/substrates is quick and easy—whether it’s pre-printed forms or usage by paper type, size, or weight. Convenient access to reports that identify how much of a particular stock or media is being used provide the information print providers need to charge a premium for more expensive substrates. In addition, accurate media accounting enables you to build a usage history to facilitate decisions about future purchasing requirements.

Consumables accounting
Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting tracks usage of toner, developer, fuser rollers, brushes, and other standard print maintenance items, enabling more efficient asset management.

Easy access to a wide range of reports
Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software features an open architecture and SQL-compliant database that integrates with existing databases to enable easy access to powerful reporting and management capabilities. Océ PRISMAproduction Accounting software captures and presents production in the following report formats:

- Operator productivity—by operator, department, company, location, and job details
- Consumables—by device name, device type, device model, and hostname over a specified date range
- Printer productivity—by device name, device type, device model, and hostname over a specified date range
- Print job performance—by job name, data type, and job status over a specified date range
- Printer form performance—by form name, data type, and job status over a specified date range
- Total productivity—an overall picture of productivity over a specified date range
- Device actions—access to data on specific devices over a specified date range

Performance tracking
With a performance tracking and accounting solution that provides extensive insight into the production operation, print centers can improve resource utilization, make decisions about when to invest in new technology, and determine the type of technology required—whether it’s hardware, software, or both. As a result, print operations can identify workflow deficiencies and strengths, improve ROI, and make informed decisions to optimize efficiencies and productivity.

Software requirements

- Redundant SuSE LINUX Enterprise server 9 with Linux 2.6.5 or higher
- Océ PRISMAproduction v 3.10 or higher

These software components can be installed on the same server as Océ PRISMAproduction output management software or on a different server.

- Apache 2 Web Server
- Sun Java System Application Server PE 8.2
- Océ PRISMAproduction PRS2 RPM

Major web browser support provides access to Océ PRISMAproduction accounting data from any client that uses any of several browsers including:

- Mozilla Firefox Browser 1.5x or higher
- Microsoft Internet Explorer 6.0 or higher
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