CodePrint - Version 2.40 - January 24, 1994

Please read the CHANGES.TXT file if you have version 1.00

The CodePrint distribution package consist of the following files:

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CODEPRNT.EXE - CodePrint main application file
CODEP.DLL    - Support (must be in same directory as CODEPRNT.EXE)
CTL3D.DLL    - Support file (copied to windows system directory by
               install program)
CODEPRNT.HLP - CodePrint help file
README.TXT   - This file, information about CodePrint
CHANGES.TXT  - Revision history
REGORDER.FRM - The registration/order form
SYSOPS.TXT   - Information for BBS sysops
VENDORS.TXT  - Vendor distribution agreement
README.WRI   - This file, information about CodePrint (Write format)
CHANGES.WRI  - Revision history (Write format)
VENDORS.WRI  - Vendor distribution agreement (Write format)
SETUP.EXE    - Setup program used to install CodePrint and create a
               program group
SETUP.INF    - Setup information file
BINXZ.EXE    - Support program for SETUP.EXE
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If you did not receive all the files listed above, please contact the author by electronic mail on Compuserve at 72230,47 or America Online at CGPARKER or send U.S. mail to **Micro Software Solutions, PO Box 851504, Richardson, TX 75085-1504, USA**.

INSTALLATION

Registered User Disk

When you register your copy of CodePrint you will receive the latest version of CodePrint on disk.

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1) Place the CodePrint disk in your floppy drive.
2) Start Windows if required.
3) Open the Windows Program Manager and select RUN from the File
      menu.
4) Type either a:setup or b:setup (depending on which drive you are
   installing from). Click OK.
5) Answer the questions when prompted by the installation program.
6) A CodePrint group will automatically be created.
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Downloaded from a BBS or Received from a Disk Vendor

Unzip or copy all the files to the ROOT directory of a floppy disk. Then follow the instructions above to install the program.

If you are an experienced user, you can copy the files listed above to a subdirectory on your hard disk. You can then optionally create a program group.

Note: CTL3D.DLL should be copied to the Windows or Windows NT system directory. Check for previous copies of this file.

UPGRADE INFORMATION

Please see the on-line help topic "**Upgrade Information**", for more information on upgrading registered copies of CodePrint.

OVERVIEW

CodePrint is a Windows 3.1 program used for printing ASCII text files on any printer supported by Windows. You can easily select one or more files to print with control over how the text is formatted on the page. You can open and save configurations that allow you to set page formatting for the various text files that you normally print. For example, if you are a programmer you can save a configuration for printing your source code two-up on a page. To save on the amount of paper used, CodePrint has a duplex printing option that allows printing on both sides of the paper. A duplex printer is not required but is supported. CodePrint features include:

* Portrait or landscape paper orientation
* Multiple columns
* Headers and footers that you define including filename, date and page number
* Option to print FULL filename path or filename ONLY
* Option to select file creation/modified date or date printed
* Change font, style and size
* Include border and/or column dividers
* Optional border widths, LIGHT, MEDIUM or HEAVY
* Change left, top, right and bottom margins
* Change number of spaces used to expand tabs
* Automatic wrapping of text wider than column
* Option to print wrap symbol or turn it OFF
* Option to truncate lines at the right margin
* Option to include line numbers
* Open and save page configurations
* Compatible with Windows 3.1 Drag-and-Drop feature
* Duplex printing option - print on both sides of the paper
* Multiple instances of CodePrint allow you to drop files to several configurations
* Maintains a list of most recently used (MRU) configurations
* Compatible with Windows NT production release.
* Supports command line arguments useful for batch processing

CodePrint is **NOT** compatible with Windows 3.0 or earlier versions.

KNOWN PROBLEMS

The following are reported and known problems. In some cases these problems may be hardware and/or configuration dependent and may not be a problem in all cases. If any apply you should try using CodePrint and report any problems you might have.

1) There have been problems reported by some users with an HP Deskjet+ and Laserjet III printer installed. The following specific problems have been reported.

* Floating point error, CodePrint v1.15 with Deskjet+
* Prints file multiple times using Drag-and-Drop feature, CodePrint v1.13, Laserjet IIP and III

Please note that the problems reported with the HP Laserjet are isolated. The program has been tested with a Laserjet III with no problems. If you are having a problem please let us know.

If you do have problems using CodePrint, first make sure you have the latest printer driver for the installed printer. One place to obtain these drivers is from **Microsoft Download Service** using your modem. This is a download service ONLY. The number is **(206) 939-6735**. If you still have problems please contact us.

2) CodePrint v2.20 and higher supports printers with duplex printing capability such as the HP Laserjet IID and IIID printers. If you select the duplex option you want to use from Options on the Printer Setup dialog box, CodePrint will take advantage of the printers duplex feature.

If duplex printing is not directly supported by your printer, CodePrint can handle this internally by first printing the ODD pages and by re-inserting the sheets it will print the EVEN pages. **(See on-line help for more information).**

HP however does not recommend printing on both sides of the paper when using their simplex printers. In light of this, if you have a simplex HP printer, i.e. one that does not support a built-in duplex printing option, you should **NOT** use the duplex option in CodePrint. If you need additional information you should download the file **DUPLEX.LJ** from the **LJ/LJII library (2)** in the **HPPER** forum on Compuserve or contact HP technical support directly.

If you have a laser printer other than HP, you may want to test the CodePrint duplex printing option. For example, this feature was developed using a TI OmniLaser, which does not directly support duplex printing, with no problems and very good print quality when printing on both sides of the paper.

3) A bug has been found in the TI OmniLaser postscript printer driver under Windows NT version 3.1. The bug indicates the printer supports duplex printing when in fact it does not. This bug prevents CodePrint from internally supporting duplex printing. Therefore, since the printer does not directly support duplex printing you will not be able to use this feature until the driver is fixed.

If you are using a printer that DOES NOT support duplex printing and CodePrint indicates that it does, please contact Microsoft for an updated driver for your printer.

FUTURE ENHANCEMETS

Please contact use by U.S. mail or Compuserve mail @72230,47 if you have features you want added to CodePrint.

1) Option to print the date and time the file was created
2) Option to print file name without full path

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