

AdobeSM Customer Services

New Features in Adobe Type Manager™ 2.5 for Windows™

FONTS CAN BE ADDED AND REMOVED ON THE FLY

In ATM™ 2.5, add or remove fonts without restarting Windows. This will make fonts easier to manage for users with large font libraries who do not want all their fonts installed at once.

FASTER PRINTING UNDER WINDOWS 3.1

ATM 2.5 takes advantage of Windows 3.1 printer drivers' ability to create softfonts on the fly. Many PCL printer drivers in Windows 3.1 can create softfonts on the fly and download only the characters that are necessary. To discover if a driver has this capability, go into the Windows Control Panel / Printers, highlight the printer, click on setup, and click on options. If there is an option to Print True Type as Graphics, the driver supports on-the-fly softfont creation. To use this new option in ATM 2.5, leave Print ATM fonts as graphics unchecked in the ATM Control Panel. Softfonts on the fly will produce noticeably faster printing, especially in longer (multi-page) documents.

EASIER TO USE WITH POSTSCRIPT PRINTERS

There is now an option in ATM 2.5 to add fonts as resident in the printer or to download as softfonts. This is easier for users who download their standard fonts when they start the printers, users who have font cartridges, and users with font hard disks attached to their printers.