

# Preview

Printing Previewer for the Macintosh - version 1.0

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'Preview' was written to allow the printed output of any program to be viewed on the screen to check full page formatting without wasting paper. It is very simple to use and uses very little disk space.

COMPUTER:applications is looking at the feasibility of distributing Macintosh software through the Shareware approach, with 'Preview' being the first product that we are introducing in this fashion. If the response is good we will be introducing more software through this system. So, feel free to distribute the 'Preview' program to anyone you like, as long as this document is distributed together with it. If you find the program useful, please send \$10.00 to COMPUTER:applications, using the registration form on the next page. Registered users will be automatically informed of any updates to the program, and will be informed of any additional software distributed by COMPUTER:applications.

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## **Using Preview:**

To use the 'Preview' program, simply place it in your system folder. Whenever you wish to view a document on the screen, use the chooser to select the 'Preview' icon. Then select print from your program. Each page will be displayed in miniature on the screen, with buttons for proceeding to the next page and canceling printing. When finished with preview, use the chooser to re-select your printer to obtain a hard-copy of your document.

When selecting 'Preview', the chooser will display a box asking you to use the "Page Setup" option in your program. This step should not be performed with 'Preview'. Simply close the chooser and print. The connection port for the printer has no effect on 'Preview'.

'Preview' has been tested with a great number of programs for compatibility. The only current incompatibility is with programs which talk to the printer directly, like MacPaint. However, these programs usually have a miniature view option built in. Programs known to work properly include: MacWrite, MS Word, PageMaker, Ready-Set-Go, MacDraw, Excel and Superpaint, but anything using the "Page Setup"- "Print..." options should work fine (actually, no tested program misbehaved with 'Preview').

We hope that you enjoy this program and we welcome comments/suggestions for this product and/or possible future products. Thank You.

# Registration Form

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