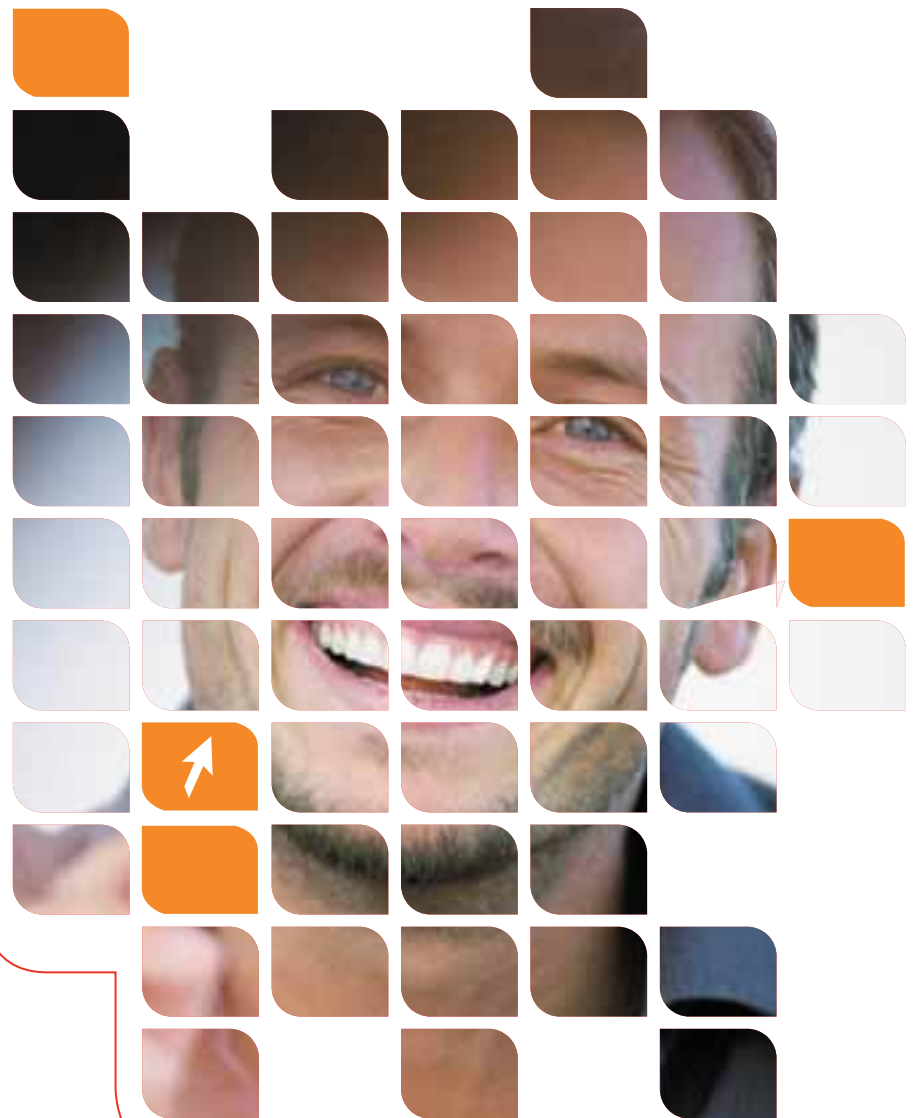


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uniFLOW
Output Manager

Control copying and printing effectively
with uniFLOW Output Manager





Take control of your copying and printing and increase efficiency

You can look forward to real control of your devices on the network with uniFLOW Output Manager. As uniFLOW Output Manager is a modular system, it can be configured specifically to address the needs of your business, ensuring you can make the most productive use of your printing devices. Large corporate enterprises, local schools, print shops: wherever you need to improve the management and cost control of document output, uniFLOW Output Manager can help.

After a simple configuration using the web interface, you can control what is printed, when it is printed, by whom and at what cost – saving time and money.

Flexible to your needs

uniFLOW Output Manager is a solution that caters for each and every stage of your print workflow and is customisable to the specific needs of end-users and administrators. With a user friendly web-based architecture, it suits single and multiple site businesses of all sizes. uniFLOW Output Manager is a software solution that is platform independent, it fits seamlessly into the office network or production print-room environment.

Modular Design

Maximise your return on investment

In order to ensure you can optimise your return on investment, Canon will work closely with you to gain a thorough understanding of your existing technology and business processes. We'll then design a solution that accommodates your needs now and which takes account of the future. With your approval, we can then install and configure uniFLOW Output Manager to your specific timescales, ensuring your staff receive all the necessary training. That way, you can start realising the benefits straight away.

Consultative Approach

Future proof

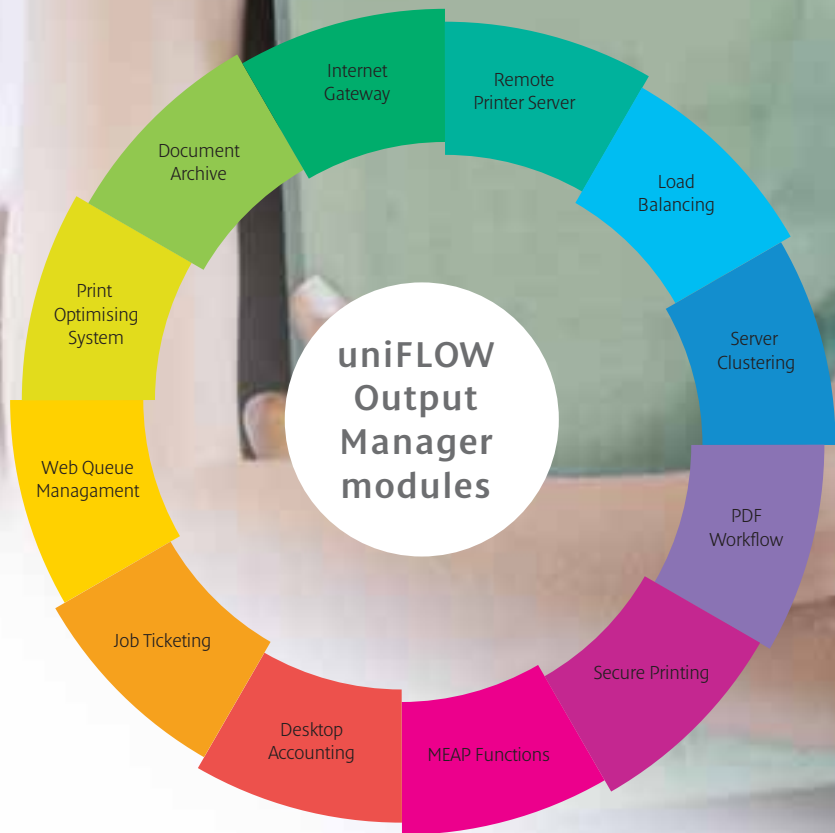
All our solutions have been engineered to grow with our customers' businesses and are totally scalable. uniFLOW Output Manager has been designed to be as open as possible, with all modules based upon pdf and web based technology. This has the benefit of increasing scope and flexibility of use whilst making integration with other systems relatively easy and cost effective to implement. Not only that, but uniFLOW Output Manager is fully MEAP (Multifunctional Embedded Application Platform) compatible, ensuring it is able to meet current and future customer needs.

ANALYSIS
CONSULTING
PROJECT
MANAGEMENT

PLANNING
CUSTOMISING
IMPLEMENTATION

TRAINING
SUPPORT
REVIEW

The modular design of the software ensures that you can select only the elements that add value to your organisation.





Accurately measure usage and cost by user, workgroup or department – it's simple with uniFLOW Output Manager. Using the detailed reports available, you can make the most effective use of your output resources, by minimising costs and placing devices in areas where they are most needed.

Where security is a concern, Secure Printing functionality provides failsafe security mechanisms which control the printing of sensitive documents via a personal code, chip card or even a fingerprint. uniFLOW Output

Manager is also compatible with many payment systems which restrict access based on the amount of available credit – popular in schools and colleges.

Complete accountability across the network

Secure Printing

Secure Printing provides users with effective security mechanisms to control the output of sensitive documents. Print jobs are held on the server and can only be retrieved at the printing device using an appropriate identification method - ideal for government bodies dealing in sensitive information. "My Print Anywhere" printing is supported too; ensuring documents can be sent and then printed out at whichever device is most appropriate.

To provide maximum flexibility, many different identification systems can be integrated with uniFLOW Output Manager, such as:

- ▮ Fingerprint readers
- ▮ Chip card readers
- ▮ Magnetic card readers
- ▮ Contactless card readers
- ▮ Keyboard entry

MEAP Functions

MEAP is Canon's Java based software platform that enables the key functionality of uniFLOW Output Manager software to be controlled directly from the Canon print device's user interface. This simplifies operation and provides greater convenience for users.

The MEAP enabled version of uniFLOW Output Manager supports secure printing (i.e. selection of jobs from personal queues), accounting features and printing of jobs from a central archive (print-on-demand).

Desktop Accounting

Desktop Accounting provides office users with key information concerning their locally connected printers, allowing users to better understand the usage levels and costs associated with printed output.

Better
Understanding

Remote Printer Server

Using Remote Printer Server, administrators can account for print jobs in remote locations. And that means complete control across all output devices, wherever they are in the organisation.

Complete
Control

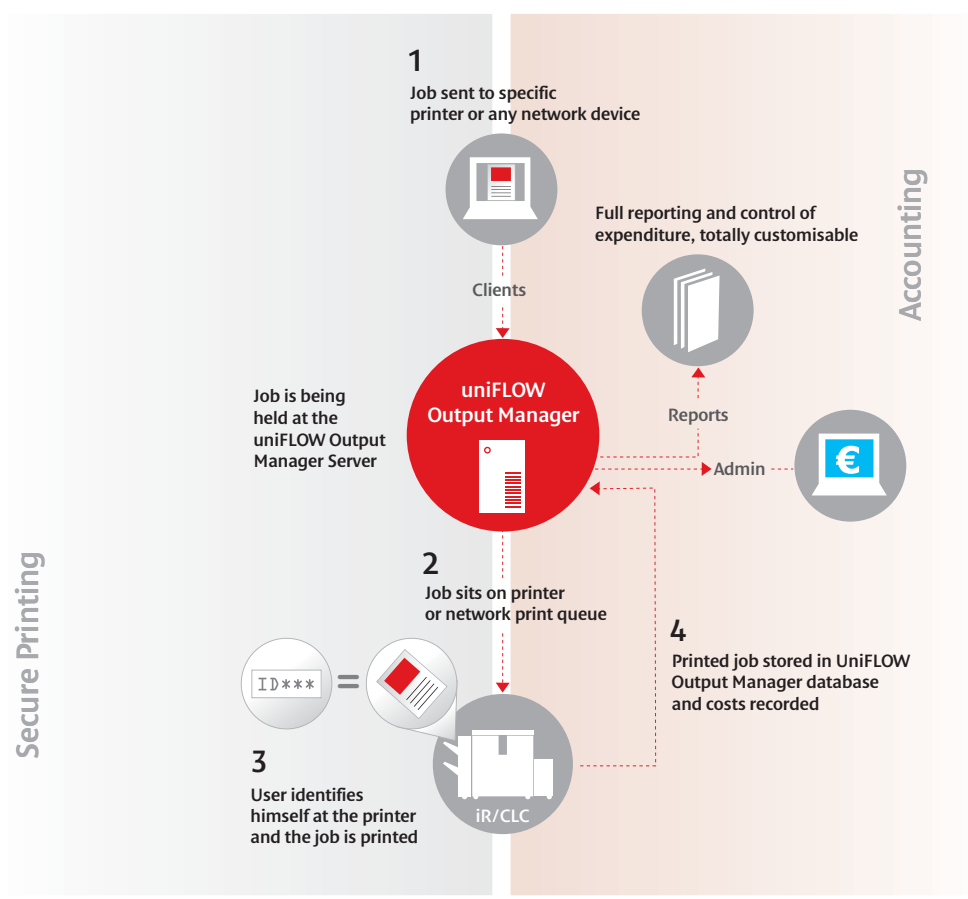
Load Balancing

With Load Balancing, uniFLOW Output Manager can distribute print jobs across several different office output devices, ensuring optimal efficiency and capacity utilisation. Load Balancing can also divert output to alternative devices in the event of a problem, so that the productivity of staff is not affected.

Server Clustering

With Server Clustering, customers benefit by employing the highest degree of fail-over protection and system load balancing behaviour.

Manage output and control costs effectively across the entire network with uniFLOW Output Manager.





uniFLOW Output Manager can be easily configured to provide you with a complete workflow, perfect for enhancing the management of output in production environments such as print shops and central print rooms.



Enhance your production workflow with uniFLOW Output Manager

Complete flexibility in the print room

Canon can analyse your production environment and define a digital job ticketing system that incorporates whatever level of sophistication you require. With uniFLOW Output Manager, the central print room and office output devices become an

Optimal Flexibility extension of the end-users' desktop, providing optimal flexibility across the organisation.

Job Ticketing

By completing an on-screen order menu linked to their document, job ticketing gives users the ability to communicate clear, precise instructions to operators in the print room or print shop.

Web Queue Management

In the print shop environment, operators can access the central queue for incoming print jobs, and then direct jobs at their discretion to the most appropriate print device. uniFLOW Output Manager will then interpret the print job and adapt it according to the output device specified, saving valuable time for the operator. The relevant print accounting information is then stored in a central database.

Valuable Time Saving

Print Optimising System

Print Optimising System addresses specific challenges concerning the modification and merging of print jobs after submission.

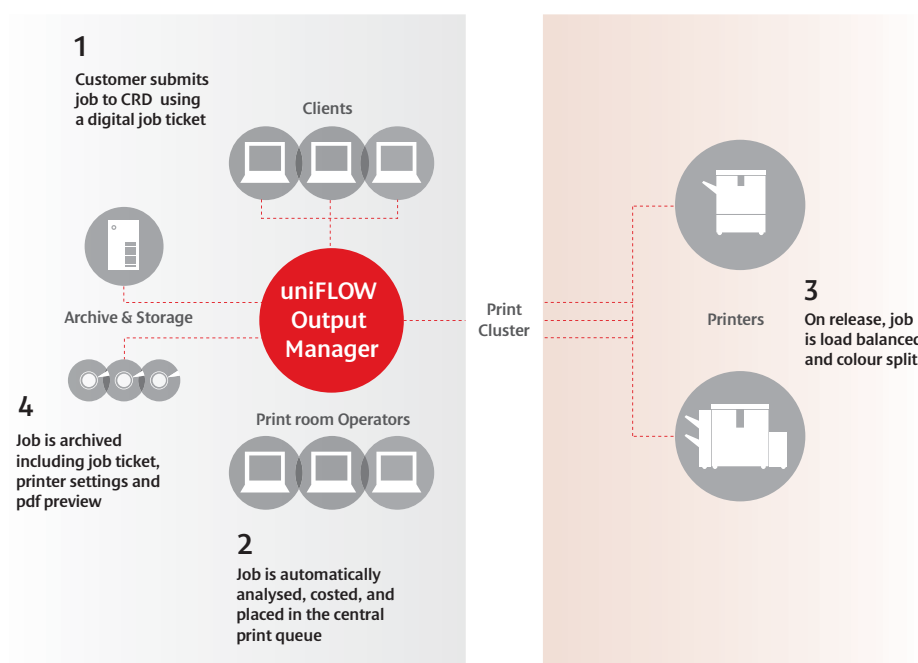
PDF Workflow

PDF Workflow provides real benefits to operators in the print room. With this functionality, PDF previews of jobs can be generated and viewed, saving time and money by providing accurate proofs, prior to printing.

Load Balancing

In a production environment, minimising output costs to maximise profitability is critical. With Load Balancing you can ensure that jobs are allocated to printers incurring the lowest copy costs and also split jobs to the relevant output device when they contain mixed colour and black and white pages.

Enhance management of output and control your costs with uniFLOW Output Manager.



Internet Gateway

Internet Gateway is a secure wide area solution for submitting print jobs over the internet for processing. Print shops that accept jobs via the web can also benefit from uniFLOW Output Manager's on-line pricing, accounting, job ticketing and PDF preview functionality.

Document Archiving

When you need an effective job archiving system for your print shop or central print room, uniFLOW Output Manager is the answer. Full print jobs can be archived and then simply retrieved. Since the archive information always incorporates the job ticket, you can check your customer's original specification should any queries arise.

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