Using PANTONE Color files

Note *For the latest information on color libraries, call Tektronix Customer Support in the U.S. and Canada at 1-800-835-6100. Outside the U.S. and Canada, contact your local Tektronix reseller.*

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Overview

Use the following PANTONE files with specific applications.

PANTONE Color file	Application
TEK_550.AI	■ Adobe Illustrator 3.0
	■ Adobe Illustrator 4.02
TEK_550.ACF	■ Aldus PageMaker 5.0
TEK_550.PAL	■ CorelDRAW!

Installing the files

The PANTONE Color files are available on the Phaser 550 CD-ROM and the Printer Software for Windows diskette.

1. Use either the Phaser 550 CD-ROM or the diskette:

   CD-ROM: Insert the Phaser 550 CD-ROM into your computer's CD-ROM drive.

   Diskette: Insert the Printer Software for Windows diskette into your computer's disk drive.

2. Open the *PANTONE* directory.

3. Copy the PANTONE files you want from the CD-ROM or diskette to your hard disk.

4. Refer to the individual application notes for instructions on where to install the files.

Using the PANTONE Color library files

Click on the following topics for more information:

- [Adobe Illustrator 3.0 and 4.02](#)

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Adobe Illustrator 3.0 and 4.02

The *TEK_550.AI* file lets you customize PANTONE Colors for Adobe Illustrator and a Phaser 550 printer. This file is application-specific and printer-specific.

1. Copy the *TEK_550.AI* file from the *PANTONE* directory on either the Phaser 550 CD-ROM or the Printer Software for Windows diskette, to your computer's hard disk

2. Place the file in Adobe Illustrator's *Color* directory.

3. Start the Illustrator program.

4. Open the file or image you want to use.

5. From the **File** menu, select the **Open** command.

6. In the dialog box that appears, locate the directory and file location of the *TEK_550.AI* file, and open the file.

7. When you are working on an image, use the **Paint** menu and either the **Paint Style** or **Custom Color** commands to select PANTONE Colors.

Aldus PageMaker 5.0

The *TEK_550.ACF* file is used by the application to properly specify PANTONE Colors for the Phaser 550 printer.

1. Copy the *TEK_550.ACF* file from the *PANTONE* directory on either the Phaser 550 CD-ROM or the Printer Software for Windows diskette, to your hard disk.

2. Place the file in the *USENGLSH\COLOR* directory in the *Aldus* application directory.

3. Start PageMaker.

4. Choose **Element**, **Define Colors**, **New, Libraries**, then select the Phaser 550 printer.

CorelDRAW!

The *TEK_550.PAL* file used by the CorelDRAW! application to properly specify PANTONE Colors for a Phaser 550 printer. This file is application-specific and printer-specific.

1. Copy the *TEK_550.PAL* file from the *PANTONE* directory on either the Phaser 550 CD-ROM or the Printer Software for Windows diskette, to your computer's hard disk

2. Place the file in the Corel application's directory.

3. Open CorelDRAW!.

4. Open the document you want to work in.

5. Select the item you want filled with a PANTONE Color, then select the **Fill tool** icon (paint bucket).

6. Select the **Fill tool** icon again, then select the **Open** button under **Palette**.

7. In the dialog box under **Path**, specify the location of the *TEK_550.PAL* file.

8. Under **Files**, select the *TEK_550.PAL* file and select the **Load** button.