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23 Abstract

24 This document is one of a set of documents, which together describe all aspects of a new Internet Printing Protocol  
25 (IPP). IPP is an application level protocol that can be used for distributed printing using Internet tools and  
26 technologies. This document describes a simplified model consisting of abstract objects, their attributes, and their  
27 operations that is independent of encoding and transport. The model consists of a Printer and a Job object. A Job  
28 optionally supports multiple documents. IPP 1.1 semantics allow end-users and operators to query printer  
29 capabilities, submit print jobs, inquire about the status of print jobs and printers, cancel, hold, release, and restart  
30 print jobs. IPP 1.1 semantics allow operators to pause, resume, and purge (jobs from) Printer objects. This  
31 document also addresses security, internationalization, and directory issues.

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32 The full set of IPP documents includes:

- 33 Design Goals for an Internet Printing Protocol [RFC2567]
- 34 Rationale for the Structure and Model and Protocol for the Internet Printing Protocol [RFC2568]
- 35 Internet Printing Protocol/1.1: Model and Semantics (this document)
- 36 Internet Printing Protocol/1.1: Encoding and Transport [RFC2910]
- 37 Internet Printing Protocol/1.1: Implementer's Guide [IPP-IIG]
- 38 Mapping between LPD and IPP Protocols [RFC2569]

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40 The "Design Goals for an Internet Printing Protocol" document takes a broad look at distributed printing  
41 functionality, and it enumerates real-life scenarios that help to clarify the features that need to be included in a  
42 printing protocol for the Internet. It identifies requirements for three types of users: end users, operators, and  
43 administrators. It calls out a subset of end user requirements that are satisfied in IPP/1.0. A few OPTIONAL  
44 operator operations have been added to IPP/1.1.

45 The "Rationale for the Structure and Model and Protocol for the Internet Printing Protocol" document describes  
46 IPP from a high level view, defines a roadmap for the various documents that form the suite of IPP specification  
47 documents, and gives background and rationale for the IETF working group's major decisions.

48 The "Internet Printing Protocol/1.1: Encoding and Transport" document is a formal mapping of the abstract  
49 operations and attributes defined in the model document onto HTTP/1.1 [RFC2616]. It defines the encoding rules  
50 for a new Internet MIME media type called "application/ipp". This document also defines the rules for transporting  
51 over HTTP a message body whose Content-Type is "application/ipp". This document defines a new scheme  
52 named 'ipp' for identifying IPP printers and jobs.

53 The "Internet Printing Protocol/1.1: Implementer's Guide" document gives insight and advice to implementers of  
54 IPP clients and IPP objects. It is intended to help them understand IPP/1.1 and some of the considerations that  
55 may assist them in the design of their client and/or IPP object implementations. For example, a typical order of  
56 processing requests is given, including error checking. Motivation for some of the specification decisions is also  
57 included.

58 The "Mapping between LPD and IPP Protocols" document gives some advice to implementers of gateways  
59 between IPP and LPD (Line Printer Daemon) implementations.

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## 340 1. Introduction

341 The Internet Printing Protocol (IPP) is an application level protocol that can be used for distributed printing using  
342 Internet tools and technologies. IPP version 1.1 (IPP/1.1) focuses primarily on end user functionality with a few  
343 administrative operations included. This document is just one of a suite of documents that fully define IPP. The full  
344 set of IPP documents includes:

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352 Anyone reading these documents for the first time is strongly encouraged to read the IPP documents in the above  
353 order.

354 This document is laid out as follows:

- 355 - The rest of Section 1 is an introduction to the IPP simplified model for distributed printing.
- 356 - Section 2 introduces the object types covered in the model with their basic behaviors, attributes, and  
357 interactions.
- 358 - Section 3 defines the operations included in IPP/1.1. IPP operations are synchronous, therefore, for each  
359 operation, there is a both request and a response.
- 360 - Section 4 defines the attributes (and their syntaxes) that are used in the model.
- 361 - Sections 5 - 6 summarizes the implementation conformance requirements for objects that support the  
362 protocol and IANA considerations, respectively.
- 363 - Sections 7 - 11 cover the Internationalization and Security considerations as well as References, Author  
364 contact information, and Formats for Registration Proposals.
- 365 - Sections 12 - 14 are appendices that cover Terminology, Status Codes and Messages, and "media" keyword  
366 values.

367 Note: This document uses terms such as "attributes", "keywords", and "support". These terms have  
368 special meaning and are defined in the model terminology section 12.2. Capitalized terms, such as  
369 MUST, MUST NOT, REQUIRED, SHOULD, SHOULD NOT, MAY, NEED NOT, and  
370 OPTIONAL, have special meaning relating to conformance. These terms are defined in section  
371 12.1 on conformance terminology, most of which is taken from RFC 2119 [RFC2119].

- 372 - Section 15 is an appendix that helps to clarify the effects of interactions between related attributes and their  
373 values.

- 374 - Section 16 is an appendix that enumerates the subset of Printer attributes that form a generic directory
- 375 schema. These attributes are useful when registering a Printer so that a client can find the Printer not just by
- 376 name, but by filtered searches as well.
- 377 - Section 17 is an appendix summarizing the additions and changes from the IPP/1.0 "Model and Semantics"
- 378 document [RFC2566] to make this IPP/1.1 document.
- 379 - Section 18 is the full copyright notice.

## 380 **1.1 Simplified Printing Model**

381 In order to achieve its goal of realizing a workable printing protocol for the Internet, the Internet Printing Protocol  
382 (IPP) is based on a simplified printing model that abstracts the many components of real world printing solutions.  
383 The Internet is a distributed computing environment where requesters of print services (clients, applications, printer  
384 drivers, etc.) cooperate and interact with print service providers. This model and semantics document describes a  
385 simple, abstract model for IPP even though the underlying configurations may be complex "n-tier" client/server  
386 systems. An important simplifying step in the IPP model is to expose only the key objects and interfaces required  
387 for printing. The model described in this model document does not include features, interfaces, and relationships  
388 that are beyond the scope of the first version of IPP (IPP/1.1). IPP/1.1 incorporates many of the relevant ideas  
389 and lessons learned from other specification and development efforts [HTTP] [ISO10175] [LDPA] [P1387.4]  
390 [PSIS] [RFC1179] [SWP]. IPP is heavily influenced by the printing model introduced in the Document Printing  
391 Application (DPA) [ISO10175] standard. Although DPA specifies both end user and administrative features, IPP  
392 version 1.1 (IPP/1.1) focuses primarily on end user functionality with a few additional OPTIONAL operator  
393 operations.

394 The IPP/1.1 model encapsulates the important components of distributed printing into two object types:

- 395 - Printer (Section 2.1)
- 396 - Job (Section 2.2)

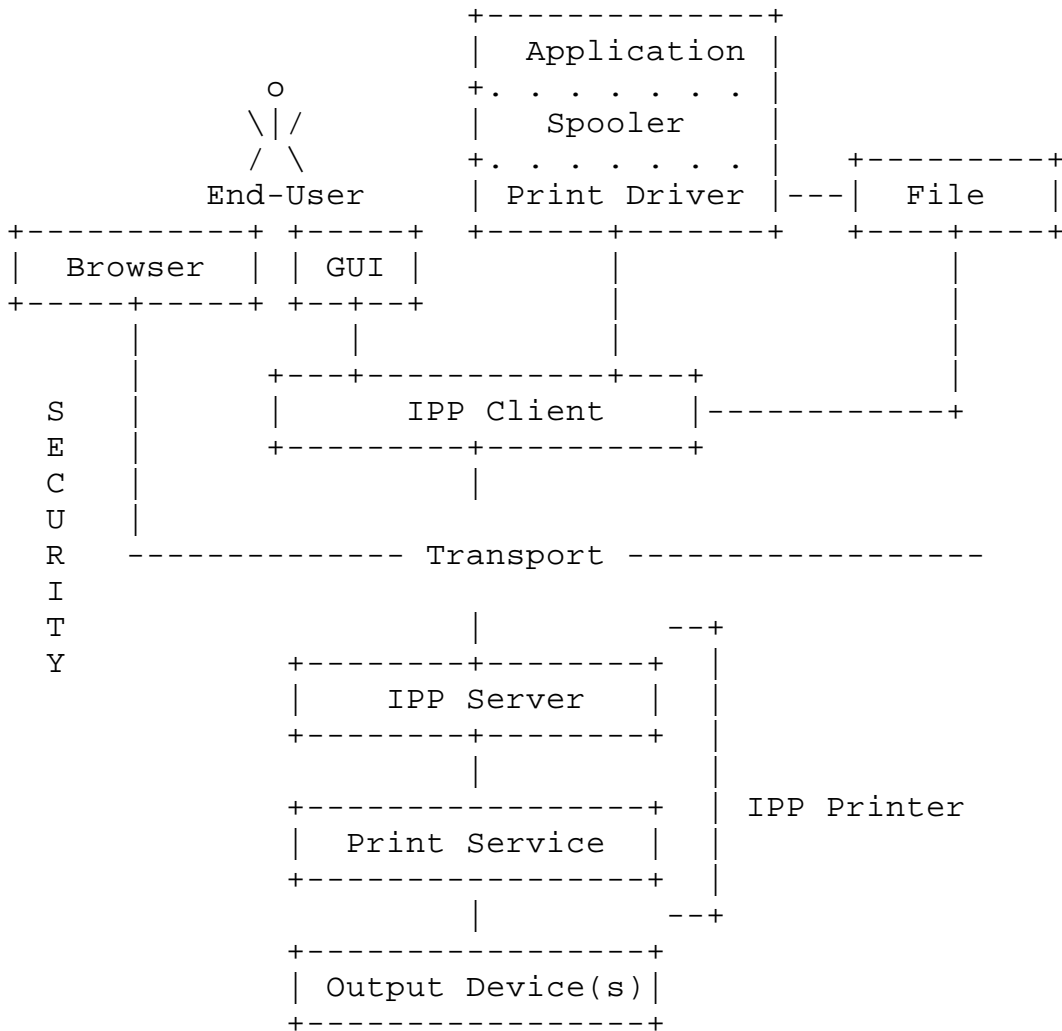
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398 Each object type has an associated set of operations (see section 3) and attributes (see section 4).

399 It is important, however, to understand that in real system implementations (which lie underneath the abstracted  
400 IPP/1.1 model), there are other components of a print service which are not explicitly defined in the IPP/1.1 model.  
401 The following figure illustrates where IPP/1.1 fits with respect to these other components.

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433 An IPP Printer object encapsulates the functions normally associated with physical output devices along with the  
434 spooling, scheduling and multiple device management functions often associated with a print server. Printer objects  
435 are optionally registered as entries in a directory where end users find and select them based on some sort of  
436 filtered and context based searching mechanism (see section 16). The directory is used to store relatively static  
437 information about the Printer, allowing end users to search for and find Printers that match their search criteria, for  
438 example: name, context, printer capabilities, etc. The more dynamic information, such as state, currently loaded  
439 and ready media, number of jobs at the Printer, errors, warnings, and so forth, is directly associated with the  
440 Printer object itself rather than with the entry in the directory which only represents the Printer object.

441 IPP clients implement the IPP protocol on the client side and give end users (or programs running on behalf of end  
442 users) the ability to query Printer objects and submit and manage print jobs. An IPP server is just that part of the  
443 Printer object that implements the server-side protocol. The rest of the Printer object implements (or gateways  
444 into) the application semantics of the print service itself. The Printer objects may be embedded in an output device  
445 or may be implemented on a host on the network that communicates with an output device.

446 When a job is submitted to the Printer object and the Printer object validates the attributes in the submission  
447 request, the Printer object creates a new Job object. The end user then interacts with this new Job object to query  
448 its status and monitor the progress of the job. An end user can also cancel their print jobs by using the Job object's  
449 Cancel-Job operation. An end-user can also hold, release, and restart their print jobs using the Job object's  
450 OPTIONAL Hold-Job, Release-Job, and Restart-Job operations, if implemented.

451 A privileged operator or administrator of a Printer object can cancel, hold, release, and restart any user's job using  
452 the REQUIRED Cancel-Job and the OPTIONAL Hold-Job, Release-Job, and Restart-Job operations. In  
453 additional privileged operator or administrator of a Printer object can pause, resume, or purge (jobs from) a Printer  
454 object using the OPTIONAL Pause-Printer, Resume-Printer, and Purge-Jobs operations, if implemented.

455 The notification service is out of scope for this IPP/1.1 document, but using such a notification service, the end user  
456 is able to register for and receive Printer specific and Job specific events. An end user can query the status of  
457 Printer objects and can follow the progress of Job objects by polling using the Get-Printer-Attributes, Get-Jobs,  
458 and Get-Job-Attributes operations.

## 459 2. IPP Objects

460 The IPP/1.1 model introduces objects of type Printer and Job. Each type of object models relevant aspects of a  
461 real-world entity such as a real printer or real print job. Each object type is defined as a set of possible attributes  
462 that may be supported by instances of that object type. For each object (instance), the actual set of supported  
463 attributes and values describe a specific implementation. The object's attributes and values describe its state,  
464 capabilities, realizable features, job processing functions, and default behaviors and characteristics. For example,  
465 the Printer object type is defined as a set of attributes that each Printer object potentially supports. In the same  
466 manner, the Job object type is defined as a set of attributes that are potentially supported by each Job object.

467 Each attribute included in the set of attributes defining an object type is labeled as:

- 468 - "REQUIRED": each object MUST support the attribute.
- 469 - "RECOMMENDED": each object SHOULD support the attribute.
- 470 - "OPTIONAL": each object MAY support the attribute.

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472 Some definitions of attribute values indicate that an object MUST or SHOULD support the value; otherwise,  
473 support of the value is OPTIONAL. However, if an implementation supports an attribute, it MUST support at  
474 least one of the possible values for that attribute.

### 475 2.1 Printer Object

476 The major component of the IPP/1.1 model is the Printer object. A Printer object implements the server-side of  
477 the IPP/1.1 protocol. Using the protocol, end users may query the attributes of the Printer object and submit print  
478 jobs to the Printer object. The actual implementation components behind the Printer abstraction may take on

479 different forms and different configurations. However, the model abstraction allows the details of the configuration  
480 of real components to remain opaque to the end user. Section 3 describes each of the Printer operations in detail.

481 The capabilities and state of a Printer object are described by its attributes. Printer attributes are divided into two  
482 groups:

- 483 - "job-template" attributes: These attributes describe supported job processing capabilities and defaults for the  
484 Printer object. (See section 4.2)
  - 485 - "printer-description" attributes: These attributes describe the Printer object's identification, state, location,  
486 references to other sources of information about the Printer object, etc. (see section 4.4)
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488 Since a Printer object is an abstraction of a generic document output device and print service provider, a Printer  
489 object could be used to represent any real or virtual device with semantics consistent with the Printer object, such  
490 as a fax device, an imager, or even a CD writer.

491 Some examples of configurations supporting a Printer object include:

- 492 1) An output device with no spooling capabilities
  - 493 2) An output device with a built-in spooler
  - 494 3) A print server supporting IPP with one or more associated output devices
    - 495 3a) The associated output devices may or may not be capable of spooling jobs
    - 496 3b) The associated output devices may or may not support IPP
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498 The following figures show some examples of how Printer objects can be realized on top of various distributed  
499 printing configurations. The embedded case below represents configurations 1 and 2. The hosted and fan-out  
500 figures below represent configurations 3a and 3b.

501 In this document the term "client" refers to a software entity that sends IPP operation requests to an IPP Printer  
502 object and accepts IPP operation responses. A client MAY be:

- 503 1. contained within software controlled by an end user, e.g. activated by the "Print" menu item in an  
504 application or
- 505 2. the print server component that sends IPP requests to either an output device or another "downstream"  
506 print server.

507 The term "IPP Printer" is a network entity that accepts IPP operation requests and returns IPP operation  
508 responses. As such, an IPP object MAY be:

- 509 1. an (embedded) device component that accepts IPP requests and controls the device or
  - 510 2. a component of a print server that accepts IPP requests (where the print server controls one or more  
511 networked devices using IPP or other protocols).
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512 Legend:

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514 ##### indicates a Printer object which is  
515 either embedded in an output device or is  
516 hosted in a server. The Printer object  
517 might or might not be capable of queuing/spooling.

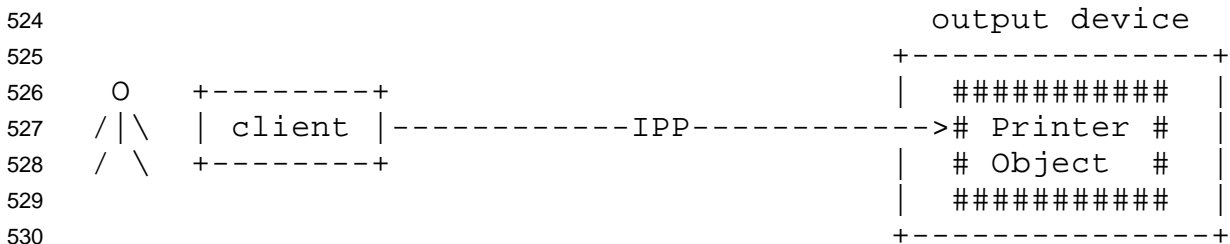
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519 any indicates any network protocol or direct  
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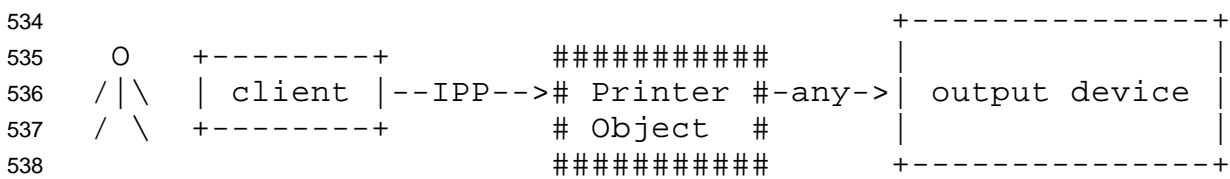
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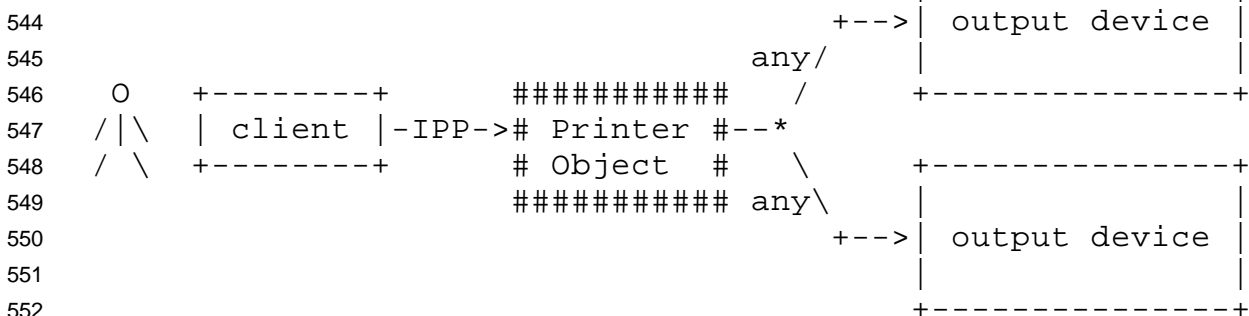
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543 fan out:



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## 555 2.2 Job Object

556 A Job object is used to model a print job. A Job object contains documents. The information required to create a  
557 Job object is sent in a create request from the end user via an IPP Client to the Printer object. The Printer object  
558 validates the create request, and if the Printer object accepts the request, the Printer object creates the new Job  
559 object. Section 3 describes each of the Job operations in detail.

560 The characteristics and state of a Job object are described by its attributes. Job attributes are grouped into two  
561 groups as follows:

- 562 - "job-template" attributes: These attributes can be supplied by the client or end user and include job  
563 processing instructions which are intended to override any Printer object defaults and/or instructions  
564 embedded within the document data. (See section 4.2)
- 565 - "job-description" attributes: These attributes describe the Job object's identification, state, size, etc. The client  
566 supplies some of these attributes, and the Printer object generates others. (See section 4.3)

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568 An implementation **MUST** support at least one document per Job object. An implementation **MAY** support  
569 multiple documents per Job object. A document is either:

- 570 - a stream of document data in a format supported by the Printer object (typically a Page Description  
571 Language - PDL), or
- 572 - a reference to such a stream of document data

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574 In IPP/1.1, a document is not modeled as an IPP object, therefore it has no object identifier or associated  
575 attributes. All job processing instructions are modeled as Job object attributes. These attributes are called Job  
576 Template attributes and they apply equally to all documents within a Job object.

## 577 **2.3 Object Relationships**

578 IPP objects have relationships that are maintained persistently along with the persistent storage of the object  
579 attributes.

580 A Printer object can represent either one or more physical output devices or a logical device which "processes"  
581 jobs but never actually uses a physical output device to put marks on paper. Examples of logical devices include a  
582 Web page publisher or a gateway into an online document archive or repository. A Printer object contains zero or  
583 more Job objects.

584 A Job object is contained by exactly one Printer object, however the identical document data associated with a  
585 Job object could be sent to either the same or a different Printer object. In this case, a second Job object would  
586 be created which would be almost identical to the first Job object, however it would have new (different) Job  
587 object identifiers (see section 2.4).

588 A Job object is either empty (before any documents have been added) or contains one or more documents. If the  
589 contained document is a stream of document data, that stream can be contained in only one document. However,  
590 there can be identical copies of the stream in other documents in the same or different Job objects. If the contained



591 document is just a reference to a stream of document data, other documents (in the same or different Job object(s))  
592 may contain the same reference.

## 593 **2.4 Object Identity**

594 All Printer and Job objects are identified by a Uniform Resource Identifier (URI) [RFC2396] so that they can be  
595 persistently and unambiguously referenced. Since every URL is a specialized form of a URI, even though the more  
596 generic term URI is used throughout the rest of this document, its usage is intended to cover the more specific  
597 notion of URL as well.

598 An administrator configures Printer objects to either support or not support authentication and/or message privacy  
599 using Transport Layer Security (TLS) [RFC2246] (the mechanism for security configuration is outside the scope of  
600 this IPP/1.1 document). In some situations, both types of connections (both authenticated and unauthenticated)  
601 can be established using a single communication channel that has some sort of negotiation mechanism. In other  
602 situations, multiple communication channels are used, one for each type of security configuration. Section 8  
603 provides a full description of all security considerations and configurations.

604 If a Printer object supports more than one communication channel, some or all of those channels might support  
605 and/or require different security mechanisms. In such cases, an administrator could expose the simultaneous  
606 support for these multiple communication channels as multiple URIs for a single Printer object where each URI  
607 represents one of the communication channels to the Printer object. To support this flexibility, the IPP Printer  
608 object type defines a multi-valued identification attribute called the "printer-uri-supported" attribute. It **MUST**  
609 contain at least one URI. It **MAY** contain more than one URI. That is, every Printer object will have at least one  
610 URI that identifies at least one communication channel to the Printer object, but it may have more than one URI  
611 where each URI identifies a different communication channel to the Printer object. The "printer-uri-supported"  
612 attribute has two companion attributes, the "uri-security-supported" attribute and the "uri-authentication-  
613 supported". Both have the same cardinality as "printer-uri-supported". The purpose of the "uri-security-supported"  
614 attribute is to indicate the security mechanisms (if any) used for each URI listed in "printer-uri-supported". The  
615 purpose of the "uri-authentication-supported" attribute is to indicate the authentication mechanisms (if any) used for  
616 each URI listed in "printer-uri-supported". These three attributes are fully described in sections 4.4.1, 4.4.2, and  
617 4.4.3.

618 When a job is submitted to the Printer object via a create request, the client supplies only a single Printer object  
619 URI. The client supplied Printer object URI **MUST** be one of the values in the "printer-uri-supported" Printer  
620 attribute.

621 IPP/1.1 does not specify how the client obtains the client supplied URI, but it is **RECOMMENDED** that a Printer  
622 object be registered as an entry in a directory service. End-users and programs can then interrogate the directory  
623 searching for Printers. Section 16 defines a generic schema for Printer object entries in the directory service and  
624 describes how the entry acts as a bridge to the actual IPP Printer object. The entry in the directory that represents  
625 the IPP Printer object includes the possibly many URIs for that Printer object as values in one its attributes.

626 When a client submits a create request to the Printer object, the Printer object validates the request and creates a  
627 new Job object. The Printer object assigns the new Job object a URI which is stored in the "job-uri" Job attribute.  
628 This URI is then used by clients as the target for subsequent Job operations. The Printer object generates a Job  
629 URI based on its configured security policy and the URI used by the client in the create request.

630 For example, consider a Printer object that supports both a communication channel secured by the use of SSL3  
631 (using HTTP over SSL3 with an "https" schemed URI) and another open communication channel that is not  
632 secured with SSL3 (using a simple "http" schemed URI). If a client were to submit a job using the secure URI, the  
633 Printer object would assign the new Job object a secure URI as well. If a client were to submit a job using the  
634 open-channel URI, the Printer would assign the new Job object an open-channel URI.

635 In addition, the Printer object also populates the Job object's "job-printer-uri" attribute. This is a reference back to  
636 the Printer object that created the Job object. If a client only has access to a Job object's "job-uri" identifier, the  
637 client can query the Job's "job-printer-uri" attribute in order to determine which Printer object created the Job  
638 object. If the Printer object supports more than one URI, the Printer object picks the one URI supplied by the  
639 client when creating the job to build the value for and to populate the Job's "job-printer-uri" attribute.

640 Allowing Job objects to have URIs allows for flexibility and scalability. For example, in some implementations, the  
641 Printer object might create Jobs that are processed in the same local environment as the Printer object itself. In this  
642 case, the Job URI might just be a composition of the Printer's URI and some unique component for the Job object,  
643 such as the unique 32-bit positive integer mentioned later in this paragraph. In other implementations, the Printer  
644 object might be a central clearing-house for validating all Job object creation requests, but the Job object itself  
645 might be created in some environment that is remote from the Printer object. In this case, the Job object's URI  
646 may have no physical-location relationship at all to the Printer object's URI. Again, the fact that Job objects have  
647 URIs allows for flexibility and scalability, however, many existing printing systems have local models or interface  
648 constraints that force print jobs to be identified using only a 32-bit positive integer rather than an independent URI.  
649 This numeric Job ID is only unique within the context of the Printer object to which the create request was originally  
650 submitted. Therefore, in order to allow both types of client access to IPP Job objects (either by Job URI or by  
651 numeric Job ID), when the Printer object successfully processes a create request and creates a new Job object, the  
652 Printer object MUST generate both a Job URI and a Job ID. The Job ID (stored in the "job-id" attribute) only has  
653 meaning in the context of the Printer object to which the create request was originally submitted. This requirement  
654 to support both Job URIs and Job IDs allows all types of clients to access Printer objects and Job objects no  
655 matter the local constraints imposed on the client implementation.

656 In addition to identifiers, Printer objects and Job objects have names ("printer-name" and "job-name"). An object  
657 name NEED NOT be unique across all instances of all objects. A Printer object's name is chosen and set by an  
658 administrator through some mechanism outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document. A Job object's name is  
659 optionally chosen and supplied by the IPP client submitting the job. If the client does not supply a Job object  
660 name, the Printer object generates a name for the new Job object. In all cases, the name only has local meaning.

661 To summarize:

- 662 - Each Printer object is identified with one or more URIs. The Printer's "printer-uri-supported" attribute  
663 contains the URI(s).

- 664 - The Printer object's "uri-security-supported" attribute identifies the communication channel security protocols  
665 that may or may not have been configured for the various Printer object URIs (e.g., 'tls' or 'none').
- 666 - The Printer object's "uri-authentication-supported" attribute identifies the authentication mechanisms that may  
667 or may not have been configured for the various Printer object URIs (e.g., 'digest' or 'none').
- 668 - Each Job object is identified with a Job URI. The Job's "job-uri" attribute contains the URI.
- 669 - Each Job object is also identified with Job ID which is a 32-bit, positive integer. The Job's "job-id" attribute  
670 contains the Job ID. The Job ID is only unique within the context of the Printer object which created the  
671 Job object.
- 672 - Each Job object has a "job-printer-uri" attribute which contains the URI of the Printer object that was used to  
673 create the Job object. This attribute is used to determine the Printer object that created a Job object when  
674 given only the URI for the Job object. This linkage is necessary to determine the languages, charsets, and  
675 operations which are supported on that Job (the basis for such support comes from the creating Printer  
676 object).
- 677 - Each Printer object has a name (which is not necessarily unique). The administrator chooses and sets this  
678 name through some mechanism outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document. The Printer object's "printer-  
679 name" attribute contains the name.
- 680 - Each Job object has a name (which is not necessarily unique). The client optionally supplies this name in the  
681 create request. If the client does not supply this name, the Printer object generates a name for the Job  
682 object. The Job object's "job-name" attribute contains the name.

### 683 3. IPP Operations

684 IPP objects support operations. An operation consists of a request and a response. When a client communicates  
685 with an IPP object, the client issues an operation request to the URI for that object. Operation requests and  
686 responses have parameters that identify the operation. Operations also have attributes that affect the run-time  
687 characteristics of the operation (the intended target, localization information, etc.). These operation-specific  
688 attributes are called operation attributes (as compared to object attributes such as Printer object attributes or Job  
689 object attributes). Each request carries along with it any operation attributes, object attributes, and/or document  
690 data required to perform the operation. Each request requires a response from the object. Each response  
691 indicates success or failure of the operation with a status code as a response parameter. The response contains  
692 any operation attributes, object attributes, and/or status messages generated during the execution of the operation  
693 request.

694 This section describes the semantics of the IPP operations, both requests and responses, in terms of the  
695 parameters, attributes, and other data associated with each operation.

696 The IPP/1.1 Printer operations are:

- 697 Print-Job (section 3.2.1)
- 698 Print-URI (section 3.2.2)
- 699 Validate-Job (section 3.2.3)
- 700 Create-Job (section 3.2.4)

701 Get-Printer-Attributes (section 3.2.5)  
702 Get-Jobs (section 3.2.6)  
703 Pause-Printer (section 3.3.5)  
704 Resume-Printer (section 3.3.6)  
705 Purge-Jobs (section 3.3.7)  
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707 The Job operations are:

708 Send-Document (section 3.3.1)  
709 Send-URI (section 3.3.2)  
710 Cancel-Job (section 3.3.3)  
711 Get-Job-Attributes (section 3.3.4)  
712 Hold-Job (section 3.3.5)  
713 Release-Job (section 3.3.6)  
714 Restart-Job (section 3.3.7)  
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716 The Send-Document and Send-URI Job operations are used to add a new document to an existing multi-  
717 document Job object created using the Create-Job operation.

## 718 **3.1 Common Semantics**

719 All IPP operations require some common parameters and operation attributes. These common elements and their  
720 semantic characteristics are defined and described in more detail in the following sections.

### 721 **3.1.1 Required Parameters**

722 Every operation request contains the following REQUIRED parameters:

- 723 - a "version-number",
  - 724 - an "operation-id",
  - 725 - a "request-id", and
  - 726 - the attributes that are REQUIRED for that type of request.
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728 Every operation response contains the following REQUIRED parameters:

- 729 - a "version-number",
  - 730 - a "status-code",
  - 731 - the "request-id" that was supplied in the corresponding request, and
  - 732 - the attributes that are REQUIRED for that type of response.
- 733

734 The "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910] defines special rules for the encoding of these parameters.  
735 All other operation elements are represented using the more generic encoding rules for attributes and groups of  
736 attributes.

### 737 3.1.2 Operation IDs and Request IDs

738 Each IPP operation request includes an identifying "operation-id" value. Valid values are defined in the  
739 "operations-supported" Printer attribute section (see section 4.4.15). The client specifies which operation is being  
740 requested by supplying the correct "operation-id" value.

741 In addition, every invocation of an operation is identified by a "request-id" value. For each request, the client  
742 chooses the "request-id" which MUST be an integer (possibly unique depending on client requirements) in the  
743 range from 1 to  $2^{*}31 - 1$  (inclusive). This "request-id" allows clients to manage multiple outstanding requests. The  
744 receiving IPP object copies all 32-bits of the client-supplied "request-id" attribute into the response so that the  
745 client can match the response with the correct outstanding request, even if the "request-id" is out of range. If the  
746 request is terminated before the complete "request-id" is received, the IPP object rejects the request and returns a  
747 response with a "request-id" of 0.

748 Note: In some cases, the transport protocol underneath IPP might be a connection oriented protocol that would  
749 make it impossible for a client to receive responses in any order other than the order in which the corresponding  
750 requests were sent. In such cases, the "request-id" attribute would not be essential for correct protocol operation.  
751 However, in other mappings, the operation responses can come back in any order. In these cases, the "request-id"  
752 would be essential.

### 753 3.1.3 Attributes

754 Operation requests and responses are both composed of groups of attributes and/or document data. The  
755 attributes groups are:

- 756 - Operation Attributes: These attributes are passed in the operation and affect the IPP object's behavior while  
757 processing the operation request and may affect other attributes or groups of attributes. Some operation  
758 attributes describe the document data associated with the print job and are associated with new Job  
759 objects, however most operation attributes do not persist beyond the life of the operation. The description  
760 of each operation attribute includes conformance statements indicating which operation attributes are  
761 REQUIRED and which are OPTIONAL for an IPP object to support and which attributes a client MUST  
762 supply in a request and an IPP object MUST supply in a response.
- 763 - Job Template Attributes: These attributes affect the processing of a job. A client OPTIONALLY supplies  
764 Job Template Attributes in a create request, and the receiving object MUST be prepared to receive all  
765 supported attributes. The Job object can later be queried to find out what Job Template attributes were  
766 originally requested in the create request, and such attributes are returned in the response as Job Object  
767 Attributes. The Printer object can be queried about its Job Template attributes to find out what type of job  
768 processing capabilities are supported and/or what the default job processing behaviors are, though such  
769 attributes are returned in the response as Printer Object Attributes. The "ipp-attribute-fidelity" operation  
770 attribute affects processing of all client-supplied Job Template attributes (see sections 3.2.1.2 and 15 for a  
771 full description of "ipp-attribute-fidelity" and its relationship to other attributes).
- 772 - Job Object Attributes: These attributes are returned in response to a query operation directed at a Job  
773 object.

- 774 - Printer Object Attributes: These attributes are returned in response to a query operation directed at a Printer  
775 object.
- 776 - Unsupported Attributes: In a create request, the client supplies a set of Operation and Job Template  
777 attributes. If any of these attributes or their values is unsupported by the Printer object, the Printer object  
778 returns the set of unsupported attributes in the response. Sections 3.1.7, 3.2.1.2, and 15 give a full  
779 description of how Job Template attributes supplied by the client in a create request are processed by the  
780 Printer object and how unsupported attributes are returned to the client. Because of extensibility, any IPP  
781 object might receive a request that contains new or unknown attributes or values for which it has no  
782 support. In such cases, the IPP object processes what it can and returns the unsupported attributes in the  
783 response. The Unsupported Attribute group is defined for all operation responses for returning  
784 unsupported attributes that the client supplied in the request.  
785

786 Later in this section, each operation is formally defined by identifying the allowed and expected groups of attributes  
787 for each request and response. The model identifies a specific order for each group in each request or response,  
788 but the attributes within each group may be in any order, unless specified otherwise.

789 The attributes within a group **MUST** be unique; if an attribute with the same name occurs more than once, the  
790 group is mal-formed. Clients **MUST NOT** submit such malformed requests and Printers **MUST NOT** return such  
791 malformed responses. If such a malformed request is submitted to a Printer, the Printer **MUST** either (1) reject the  
792 request with the 'client-error-bad-request' status code (see section 13.1.4.1) or (2) process the request normally  
793 after selecting only one of the attribute instances, depending on implementation. Which attribute is selected when  
794 there are duplicate attributes depends on implementation. The IPP Printer **MUST NOT** use the values from more  
795 than one such duplicate attribute instance.

796 Each attribute definition includes the attribute's name followed by the name of its attribute syntax(es) in  
797 parentheses. In addition, each 'integer' attribute is followed by the allowed range in parentheses, (m:n), for values  
798 of that attribute. Each 'text' or 'name' attribute is followed by the maximum size in octets in parentheses, (size), for  
799 values of that attribute. For more details on attribute syntax notation, see the descriptions of these attributes  
800 syntaxes in section 4.1.

801 Note: Document data included in the operation is not strictly an attribute, but it is treated as a special attribute  
802 group for ordering purposes. The only operations that support supplying the document data within an operation  
803 request are Print-Job and Send-Document. There are no operation responses that include document data.

804 Some operations are **REQUIRED** for IPP objects to support; the others are **OPTIONAL** (see section 5.2.2).  
805 Therefore, before using an **OPTIONAL** operation, a client **SHOULD** first use the **REQUIRED** Get-Printer-  
806 Attributes operation to query the Printer's "operations-supported" attribute in order to determine which  
807 **OPTIONAL** Printer and Job operations are actually supported. The client **SHOULD NOT** use an **OPTIONAL**  
808 operation that is not supported. When an IPP object receives a request to perform an operation it does not  
809 support, it returns the 'server-error-operation-not-supported' status code (see section 13.1.5.2). An IPP object is  
810 non-conformant if it does not support a **REQUIRED** operation.

### 811 3.1.4 Character Set and Natural Language Operation Attributes

812 Some Job and Printer attributes have values that are text strings and names intended for human understanding  
813 rather than machine understanding (see the 'text' and 'name' attribute syntax descriptions in section 4.1). The  
814 following sections describe two special Operation Attributes called "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-  
815 language". These attributes are always part of the Operation Attributes group. For most attribute groups, the  
816 order of the attributes within the group is not important. However, for these two attributes within the Operation  
817 Attributes group, the order is critical. The "attributes-charset" attribute **MUST** be the first attribute in the group and  
818 the "attributes-natural-language" attribute **MUST** be the second attribute in the group. In other words, these  
819 attributes **MUST** be supplied in every IPP request and response, they **MUST** come first in the group, and **MUST**  
820 come in the specified order. For job creation operations, the IPP Printer implementation saves these two attributes  
821 with the new Job object as Job Description attributes. For the sake of brevity in this document, these operation  
822 attribute descriptions are not repeated with every operation request and response, but have a reference back to this  
823 section instead.

#### 824 3.1.4.1 Request Operation Attributes

825 The client **MUST** supply and the Printer object **MUST** support the following **REQUIRED** operation attributes in  
826 every IPP/1.1 operation request:

827 "attributes-charset" (charset):

828 This operation attribute identifies the charset (coded character set and encoding method) used by any 'text'  
829 and 'name' attributes that the client is supplying in this request. It also identifies the charset that the Printer  
830 object **MUST** use (if supported) for all 'text' and 'name' attributes and status messages that the Printer  
831 object returns in the response to this request. See Sections 4.1.1 and 4.1.2 for the definition of the 'text'  
832 and 'name' attribute syntaxes.

833  
834 All clients and IPP objects **MUST** support the 'utf-8' charset [RFC2279] and **MAY** support additional  
835 charsets provided that they are registered with IANA [IANA-CS]. If the Printer object does not support  
836 the client supplied charset value, the Printer object **MUST** reject the request, set the "attributes-charset" to  
837 'utf-8' in the response, and return the 'client-error-charset-not-supported' status code and any 'text' or  
838 'name' attributes using the 'utf-8' charset. The Printer **NEED NOT** return any attributes in the Unsupported  
839 Attributes Group (See sections 3.1.7 and 3.2.1.2). The Printer object **MUST** indicate the charset(s)  
840 supported as the values of the "charset-supported" Printer attribute (see Section 4.4.18), so that the client  
841 can query to determine which charset(s) are supported.

842  
843 Note to client implementers: Since IPP objects are only required to support the 'utf-8' charset, in order to  
844 maximize interoperability with multiple IPP object implementations, a client may want to supply 'utf-8' in the  
845 "attributes-charset" operation attribute, even though the client is only passing and able to present a simpler  
846 charset, such as US-ASCII [ASCII] or ISO-8859-1 [ISO8859-1]. Then the client will have to filter out  
847 (or charset convert) those characters that are returned in the response that it cannot present to its user. On  
848 the other hand, if both the client and the IPP objects also support a charset in common besides utf-8, the  
849 client may want to use that charset in order to avoid charset conversion or data loss.

850

851 See the 'charset' attribute syntax description in Section 4.1.7 for the syntax and semantic interpretation of  
852 the values of this attribute and for example values.

853

854 "attributes-natural-language" (naturalLanguage):

855 This operation attribute identifies the natural language used by any 'text' and 'name' attributes that the client  
856 is supplying in this request. This attribute also identifies the natural language that the Printer object  
857 SHOULD use for all 'text' and 'name' attributes and status messages that the Printer object returns in the  
858 response to this request. See the 'naturalLanguage' attribute syntax description in section 4.1.8 for the  
859 syntax and semantic interpretation of the values of this attribute and for example values.

860

861 There are no REQUIRED natural languages required for the Printer object to support. However, the  
862 Printer object's "generated-natural-language-supported" attribute identifies the natural languages supported  
863 by the Printer object and any contained Job objects for all text strings generated by the IPP object. A  
864 client MAY query this attribute to determine which natural language(s) are supported for generated  
865 messages.

866

867 For any of the attributes for which the Printer object generates text, i.e., for the "job-state-message",  
868 "printer-state-message", and status messages (see Section 3.1.6), the Printer object MUST be able to  
869 generate these text strings in any of its supported natural languages. If the client requests a natural language  
870 that is not supported, the Printer object MUST return these generated messages in the Printer's configured  
871 natural language as specified by the Printer's "natural-language-configured" attribute" (see Section 4.4.19).

872

873 For other 'text' and 'name' attributes supplied by the client, authentication system, operator, system  
874 administrator, or manufacturer (i.e., for "job-originating-user-name", "printer-name" (name), "printer-  
875 location" (text), "printer-info" (text), and "printer-make-and-model" (text)), the Printer object is only  
876 required to support the configured natural language of the Printer identified by the Printer object's "natural-  
877 language-configured" attribute, though support of additional natural languages for these attributes is  
878 permitted.

879

880 For any 'text' or 'name' attribute in the request that is in a different natural language than the value supplied  
881 in the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute, the client MUST use the Natural Language Override  
882 mechanism (see sections 4.1.1.2 and 4.1.2.2) for each such attribute value supplied. The client MAY use  
883 the Natural Language Override mechanism redundantly, i.e., use it even when the value is in the same  
884 natural language as the value supplied in the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute of the request.

885

886 The IPP object MUST accept any natural language and any Natural Language Override, whether the IPP  
887 object supports that natural language or not (and independent of the value of the "ipp-attribute-fidelity"  
888 Operation attribute). That is the IPP object accepts all client supplied values no matter what the values are  
889 in the Printer object's "generated-natural-language-supported" attribute. That attribute, "generated-natural-  
890 language-supported", only applies to generated messages, not client supplied messages. The IPP object



891 MUST remember that natural language for all client-supplied attributes, and when returning those attributes  
892 in response to a query, the IPP object MUST indicate that natural language.

893

894 Each value whose attribute syntax type is 'text' or 'name' (see sections 4.1.1 and 4.1.2) has an Associated  
895 Natural-Language. This document does not specify how this association is stored in a Printer or Job  
896 object. When such a value is encoded in a request or response, the natural language is either implicit or  
897 explicit:

898

899 – In the implicit case, the value contains only the text/name value, and the language is specified by the  
900 "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute in the request or response (see sections 4.1.1.1  
901 textWithoutLanguage and 4.1.2.1 nameWithoutLanguage).

902

903 – In the explicit case (also known as the Natural-Language Override case), the value contains both  
904 the language and the text/name value (see sections 4.1.1.2 textWithLanguage and 4.1.2.2  
905 nameWithLanguage).

906

907 For example, the "job-name" attribute MAY be supplied by the client in a create request. The text value  
908 for this attribute will be in the natural language identified by the "attribute-natural-language" attribute, or if  
909 different, as identified by the Natural Language Override mechanism. If supplied, the IPP object will use  
910 the value of the "job-name" attribute to populate the Job object's "job-name" attribute. Whenever any  
911 client queries the Job object's "job-name" attribute, the IPP object returns the attribute as stored and uses  
912 the Natural Language Override mechanism to specify the natural language, if it is different from that  
913 reported in the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute of the response. The IPP object MAY use  
914 the Natural Language Override mechanism redundantly, i.e., use it even when the value is in the same  
915 natural language as the value supplied in the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute of the  
916 response.

917

918 An IPP object MUST NOT reject a request based on a supplied natural language in an "attributes-natural-  
919 language" Operation attribute or in any attribute that uses the Natural Language Override.

920

921 Clients SHOULD NOT supply 'text' or 'name' attributes that use an illegal combination of natural language and  
922 charset. For example, suppose a Printer object supports charsets 'utf-8', 'iso-8859-1', and 'iso-8859-7'. Suppose  
923 also, that it supports natural languages 'en' (English), 'fr' (French), and 'el' (Greek). Although the Printer object  
924 supports the charset 'iso-8859-1' and natural language 'el', it probably does not support the combination of Greek  
925 text strings using the 'iso-8859-1' charset. The Printer object handles this apparent incompatibility differently  
926 depending on the context in which it occurs:

927 - In a create request: If the client supplies a text or name attribute (for example, the "job-name" operation  
928 attribute) that uses an apparently incompatible combination, it is a client choice that does not affect the  
929 Printer object or its correct operation. Therefore, the Printer object simply accepts the client supplied  
930 value, stores it with the Job object, and responds back with the same combination whenever the client (or  
931 any client) queries for that attribute.

932 - In a query-type operation, like Get-Printer-Attributes: If the client requests an apparently incompatible  
933 combination, the Printer object responds (as described in section 3.1.4.2) using the Printer's configured  
934 natural language rather than the natural language requested by the client.  
935

936 In either case, the Printer object does not reject the request because of the apparent incompatibility. The potential  
937 incompatible combination of charset and natural language can occur either at the global operation level or at the  
938 Natural Language Override attribute-by-attribute level. In addition, since the response always includes explicit  
939 charset and natural language information, there is never any question or ambiguity in how the client interprets the  
940 response.

### 941 3.1.4.2 Response Operation Attributes

942 The Printer object **MUST** supply and the client **MUST** support the following **REQUIRED** operation attributes in  
943 every IPP/1.1 operation response:

944 "attributes-charset" (charset):

945 This operation attribute identifies the charset used by any 'text' and 'name' attributes that the Printer object  
946 is returning in this response. The value in this response **MUST** be the same value as the "attributes-charset"  
947 operation attribute supplied by the client in the request. If this is not possible (i.e., the charset requested is  
948 not supported), the request would have been rejected. See "attributes-charset" described in Section  
949 3.1.4.1 above.  
950

951 If the Printer object supports more than just the 'utf-8' charset, the Printer object **MUST** be able to code  
952 convert between each of the charsets supported on a highest fidelity possible basis in order to return the  
953 'text' and 'name' attributes in the charset requested by the client. However, some information loss **MAY**  
954 occur during the charset conversion depending on the charsets involved. For example, the Printer object  
955 may convert from a UTF-8 'a' to a US-ASCII 'a' (with no loss of information), from an ISO Latin 1  
956 CAPITAL LETTER A WITH ACUTE ACCENT to US-ASCII 'A' (losing the accent), or from a UTF-8  
957 Japanese Kanji character to some ISO Latin 1 error character indication such as '?', decimal code  
958 equivalent, or to the absence of a character, depending on implementation.  
959

960 Whether an implementation that supports more than one charset stores the data in the charset supplied by  
961 the client or code converts to one of the other supported charsets, depends on implementation. The  
962 strategy should try to minimize loss of information during code conversion. On each response, such an  
963 implementation converts from its internal charset to that requested.  
964

965 "attributes-natural-language" (naturalLanguage):

966 This operation attribute identifies the natural language used by any 'text' and 'name' attributes that the IPP  
967 object is returning in this response. Unlike the "attributes-charset" operation attribute, the IPP object  
968 **NEED NOT** return the same value as that supplied by the client in the request. The IPP object **MAY**  
969 return the natural language of the Job object or the Printer's configured natural language as identified by the  
970 Printer object's "natural-language-configured" attribute, rather than the natural language supplied by the

971 client. For any 'text' or 'name' attribute or status message in the response that is in a different natural  
972 language than the value returned in the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute, the IPP object  
973 MUST use the Natural Language Override mechanism (see sections 4.1.1.2 and 4.1.2.2) on each attribute  
974 value returned. The IPP object MAY use the Natural Language Override mechanism redundantly, i.e., use  
975 it even when the value is in the same natural language as the value supplied in the "attributes-natural-  
976 language" operation attribute of the response.

### 977 3.1.5 Operation Targets

978 All IPP operations are directed at IPP objects. For Printer operations, the operation is always directed at a Printer  
979 object using one of its URIs (i.e., one of the values in the Printer object's "printer-uri-supported" attribute). Even if  
980 the Printer object supports more than one URI, the client supplies only one URI as the target of the operation. The  
981 client identifies the target object by supplying the correct URI in the "printer-uri (uri)" operation attribute.

982 For Job operations, the operation is directed at either:

- 983 - The Job object itself using the Job object's URI. In this case, the client identifies the target object by  
984 supplying the correct URI in the "job-uri (uri)" operation attribute.
- 985 - The Printer object that created the Job object using both the Printer objects URI and the Job object's Job  
986 ID. Since the Printer object that created the Job object generated the Job ID, it MUST be able to  
987 correctly associate the client supplied Job ID with the correct Job object. The client supplies the Printer  
988 object's URI in the "printer-uri (uri)" operation attribute and the Job object's Job ID in the "job-id  
989 (integer(1:MAX))" operation attribute.

990  
991 If the operation is directed at the Job object directly using the Job object's URI, the client MUST NOT include the  
992 redundant "job-id" operation attribute.

993 The operation target attributes are REQUIRED operation attributes that MUST be included in every operation  
994 request. Like the charset and natural language attributes (see section 3.1.4), the operation target attributes are  
995 specially ordered operation attributes. In all cases, the operation target attributes immediately follow the  
996 "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes within the operation attribute group, however the  
997 specific ordering rules are:

- 998 - In the case where there is only one operation target attribute (i.e., either only the "printer-uri" attribute or only  
999 the "job-uri" attribute), that attribute MUST be the third attribute in the operation attributes group.
- 1000 - In the case where Job operations use two operation target attributes (i.e., the "printer-uri" and "job-id"  
1001 attributes), the "printer-uri" attribute MUST be the third attribute and the "job-id" attribute MUST be the  
1002 fourth attribute.

1003

1004 In all cases, the target URIs contained within the body of IPP operation requests and responses must be in absolute  
1005 format rather than relative format (a relative URL identifies a resource with the scope of the HTTP server, but does  
1006 not include scheme, host or port).

1007 The following rules apply to the use of port numbers in URIs that identify IPP objects:

- 1008 1. If the URI scheme allows the port number to be explicitly included in the URI string, and a port number is  
1009 specified within the URI, then that port number **MUST** be used by the client to contact the IPP object.  
1010
- 1011 2. If the URI scheme allows the port number to be explicitly included in the URI string, and a port number is  
1012 not specified within the URI, then default port number implied by that URI scheme **MUST** be used by the  
1013 client to contact the IPP object.  
1014
- 1015 3. If the URI scheme does not allow an explicit port number to be specified within the URI, then the default  
1016 port number implied by that URI **MUST** be used by the client to contact the IPP object.  
1017

1018 Note: The IPP "Encoding and Transport document [RFC2910] shows a mapping of IPP onto HTTP/1.1  
1019 [RFC2616] and defines a new default port number for using IPP over HTTP/1.1.

### 1020 **3.1.6 Operation Response Status Codes and Status Messages**

1021 Every operation response includes a **REQUIRED** "status-code" parameter and an **OPTIONAL** "status-message"  
1022 operation attribute, and an **OPTIONAL** "detailed-status-message" operation attribute. The Print-URI and Send-  
1023 URI response **MAY** include an **OPTIONAL** "document-access-error" operation attribute.

#### 1024 **3.1.6.1 "status-code" (type2 enum)**

1025 The **REQUIRED** "status-code" parameter provides information on the processing of a request.

1026 The status code is intended for use by automata. A client implementation of IPP **SHOULD** convert status code  
1027 values into any localized message that has semantic meaning to the end user.

1028 The "status-code" value is a numeric value that has semantic meaning. The "status-code" syntax is similar to a  
1029 "type2 enum" (see section 4.1 on "Attribute Syntaxes") except that values can range only from 0x0000 to 0x7FFF.  
1030 Section 13 describes the status codes, assigns the numeric values, and suggests a corresponding status message for  
1031 each status code for use by the client when the user's natural language is English.

1032 If the Printer performs an operation with no errors and it encounters no problems, it **MUST** return the status code  
1033 'successful-ok' in the response. See section 13.

1034 If the client supplies unsupported values for the following parameters or Operation attributes, the Printer object  
1035 **MUST** reject the operation, **NEED NOT** return the unsupported attribute value in the Unsupported Attributes  
1036 group, and **MUST** return the indicated status code:

Parameter/Attribute	Status code
version-number	server-error-version-not-supported
operation-id	server-error-operation-not-supported
attributes-charset	client-error-charset-not-supported
compression	client-error-compression-not-supported
document-format	client-error-document-format-not-supported
document-uri	client-error-uri-scheme-not-supported, client-error-document-access-error

1037

1038 If the client supplies unsupported values for other attributes, or unsupported attributes, the Printer returns the status  
1039 code defined in section 3.1.7 on Unsupported Attributes.

### 1040 3.1.6.2 "status-message" (text(255))

1041 The OPTIONAL "status-message" operation attribute provides a short textual description of the status of the  
1042 operation. The "status-message" attribute's syntax is "text(255)", so the maximum length is 255 octets (see section  
1043 4.1.1). The status message is intended for the human end user. If a response does include a "status-message"  
1044 attribute, an IPP client NEED NOT examine or display the messages, however it SHOULD do so in some  
1045 implementation specific manner. The "status-message" is especially useful for a later version of a Printer object to  
1046 return as supplemental information for the human user to accompany a status code that an earlier version of a client  
1047 might not understand.

1048 If the Printer object supports the "status-message" operation attribute, the Printer object MUST be able to  
1049 generate this message in any of the natural languages identified by the Printer object's "generated-natural-language-  
1050 supported" attribute (see the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute specified in section 3.1.4.1. Section  
1051 13 suggests the text for the status message returned by the Printer for use with the English natural language.

1052 As described in section 3.1.4.1 for any returned 'text' attribute, if there is a choice for generating this message, the  
1053 Printer object uses the natural language indicated by the value of the "attributes-natural-language" in the client  
1054 request if supported, otherwise the Printer object uses the value in the Printer object's own "natural-language-  
1055 configured" attribute.

1056 If the Printer object supports the "status-message" operation attribute, it SHOULD use the REQUIRED 'utf-8'  
1057 charset to return a status message for the following error status codes (see section 13): 'client-error-bad-request',  
1058 'client-error-charset-not-supported', 'server-error-internal-error', 'server-error-operation-not-supported', and  
1059 'server-error-version-not-supported'. In this case, it MUST set the value of the "attributes-charset" operation  
1060 attribute to 'utf-8' in the error response.

### 1061 3.1.6.3 "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX))

1062 The OPTIONAL "detailed-status-message" operation attribute provides additional more detailed technical and  
1063 implementation-specific information about the operation. The "detailed-status-message" attribute's syntax is  
1064 "text(MAX)", so the maximum length is 1023 octets (see section 4.1.1). If the Printer objects supports the

1065 "detailed-status-message" operation attribute, the Printer NEED NOT localize the message, since it is intended for  
1066 use by the system administrator or other experienced technical persons. Localization might obscure the technical  
1067 meaning of such messages. Clients MUST NOT attempt to parse the value of this attribute. See the "document-  
1068 access-error" operation attribute (section 3.1.6.4) for additional errors that a program can process.

#### 1069 **3.1.6.4 "document-access-error" (text(MAX))**

1070 This OPTIONAL operation attribute provides additional information about any document access errors  
1071 encountered by the Printer before it returned a response to the Print-URI (section 3.2.2) or Send-URI (section  
1072 3.3.1) operation. For errors in the protocol identified by the URI scheme in the "document-uri" operation attribute,  
1073 such as 'http:' or 'ftp:', the error code is returned in parentheses, followed by the URI. For example:

```
1074     (404) http://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/ipp/new_MOD/ipp-model-v11-990510.pdf  
1075
```

1076 Most Internet protocols use decimal error codes (unlike IPP), so the ASCII error code representation is in  
1077 decimal.

#### 1078 **3.1.7 Unsupported Attributes**

1079 The Unsupported Attributes group contains attributes that are not supported by the operation. This group is  
1080 primarily for the job creation operations, but all operations can return this group.

1081 A Printer object MUST include an Unsupported Attributes group in a response if the status code is one of the  
1082 following: 'successful-ok-ignored-or-substituted-attributes', 'successful-ok-conflicting-attributes', 'client-error-  
1083 attributes-or-values-not-supported' or 'client-error-conflicting-attributes'.

1084 If the status code is one of the four specified in the preceding paragraph, the Unsupported Attributes group MUST  
1085 contain all of those attributes and only those attributes that are:

- 1086 a. an Operation or Job Template attribute supplied in the request, and
- 1087 b. unsupported by the printer. See below for details on the three categories "unsupported" attributes.

1088 If the status code is one of those in the table in section 3.1.6.1, the Unsupported Attributes group NEED NOT  
1089 contain the unsupported parameter or attribute indicated in that table.

1090 If the Printer object is not returning any Unsupported Attributes in the response, the Printer object SHOULD omit  
1091 Group 2 rather than sending an empty group. However, a client MUST be able to accept an empty group.

1092 Unsupported attributes fall into three categories:

- 1093 1. The Printer object does not support the supplied attribute (no matter what the attribute syntax or value).

1094       2. The Printer object does support the attribute, but does not support some or all of the particular attribute  
1095       syntaxes or values supplied by the client (i.e., the Printer object does not have those attribute syntaxes or  
1096       values in its corresponding "xxx-supported" attribute).

1097       3. The Printer object does support the attributes and values supplied, but the particular values are in conflict  
1098       with one another, because they violate a constraint, such as not being able to staple transparencies.

1099       In the case of an unsupported attribute name, the Printer object returns the client-supplied attribute with a  
1100       substituted value of 'unsupported'. This value's syntax type is "out-of-band" and its encoding is defined by special  
1101       rules for "out-of-band" values in the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910]. Its value indicates no  
1102       support for the attribute itself (see the beginning of section 4.1).

1103       In the case of a supported attribute with one or more unsupported attribute syntaxes or values, the Printer object  
1104       simply returns the client-supplied attribute with the unsupported attribute syntaxes or values as supplied by the  
1105       client. This indicates support for the attribute, but no support for that particular attribute syntax or value. If the  
1106       client supplies a multi-valued attribute with more than one value and the Printer object supports the attribute but  
1107       only supports a subset of the client-supplied attribute syntaxes or values, the Printer object **MUST** return only  
1108       those attribute syntaxes or values that are unsupported.

1109       In the case of two (or more) supported attribute values that are in conflict with one another (although each is  
1110       supported independently, the values conflict when requested together within the same job), the Printer object  
1111       **MUST** return all the values that it ignores or substitutes to resolve the conflict, but not any of the values that it is still  
1112       using. The choice for exactly how to resolve the conflict is implementation dependent. See sections 3.2.1.2 and  
1113       15. See The Implementer's Guide [IPP-IIG] for an example.

### 1114       **3.1.8 Versions**

1115       Each operation request and response carries with it a "version-number" parameter. Each value of the "version-  
1116       number" is in the form "X.Y" where X is the major version number and Y is the minor version number. By including  
1117       a version number in the client request, it allows the client to identify which version of IPP it is interested in using,  
1118       i.e., the version whose conformance requirements the client may be depending upon the Printer to meet.

1119       If the IPP object does not support that major version number supplied by the client, i.e., the major version field of  
1120       the "version-number" parameter does not match any of the values of the Printer's "ipp-versions-supported" (see  
1121       section 4.4.14), the object **MUST** respond with a status code of 'server-error-version-not-supported' along with  
1122       the closest version number that is supported (see section 13.1.5.4). If the major version number is supported, but  
1123       the minor version number is not, the IPP object **SHOULD** accept and attempt to perform the request (or reject the  
1124       request if the operation is not supported), else it rejects the request and returns the 'server-error-version-not-  
1125       supported' status code. In all cases, the IPP object **MUST** return the "version-number" that it supports that is  
1126       closest to the version number supplied by the client in the request.

1127       There is no version negotiation per se. However, if after receiving a 'server-error-version-not-supported' status  
1128       code from an IPP object, a client **SHOULD** try again with a different version number. A client **MAY** also

1129 determine the versions supported either from a directory that conforms to Appendix E (see section 16) or by  
1130 querying the Printer object's "ipp-versions-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.14) to determine which versions  
1131 are supported.

1132 An IPP object implementation **MUST** support version '1.1', i.e., meet the conformance requirements for IPP/1.1  
1133 as specified in this document and [RFC2910]. It is recommended that IPP object implementations accept any  
1134 request with the major version '1' (or reject the request if the operation is not supported).

1135 There is only one notion of "version number" that covers both IPP Model and IPP Protocol changes. Thus the  
1136 version number **MUST** change when introducing a new version of the Model and Semantics document (this  
1137 document) or a new version of the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910].

1138 Changes to the major version number of the Model and Semantics document indicate structural or syntactic  
1139 changes that make it impossible for older version of IPP clients and Printer objects to correctly parse and correctly  
1140 process the new or changed attributes, operations and responses. If the major version number changes, the minor  
1141 version numbers is set to zero. As an example, adding the **REQUIRED** "ipp-attribute-fidelity" attribute to version  
1142 '1.1' (if it had not been part of version '1.0'), would have required a change to the major version number, since an  
1143 IPP/1.0 Printer would not have processed a request with the correct semantics that contained the "ipp-attribute-  
1144 fidelity" attribute that it did not know about. Items that might affect the changing of the major version number  
1145 include any changes to the Model and Semantics document (this document) or the "Encoding and Transport"  
1146 document [RFC2910] itself, such as:

- 1147 - reordering of ordered attributes or attribute sets
- 1148 - changes to the syntax of existing attributes
- 1149 - adding **REQUIRED** (for an IPP object to support) operation attribute groups
- 1150 - adding values to existing **REQUIRED** operation attributes
- 1151 - adding **REQUIRED** operations

1152

1153 Changes to the minor version number indicate the addition of new features, attributes and attribute values that may  
1154 not be understood by all IPP objects, but which can be ignored if not understood. Items that might affect the  
1155 changing of the minor version number include any changes to the model objects and attributes but not the encoding  
1156 and transport rules [RFC2910] (except adding attribute syntaxes). Examples of such changes are:

- 1157 - grouping all extensions not included in a previous version into a new version
- 1158 - adding new attribute values
- 1159 - adding new object attributes
- 1160 - adding **OPTIONAL** (for an IPP object to support) operation attributes (i.e., those attributes that an IPP  
1161 object can ignore without confusing clients)
- 1162 - adding **OPTIONAL** (for an IPP object to support) operation attribute groups (i.e., those attributes that an  
1163 IPP object can ignore without confusing clients)
- 1164 - adding new attribute syntaxes
- 1165 - adding **OPTIONAL** operations
- 1166 - changing Job Description attributes or Printer Description attributes from **OPTIONAL** to **REQUIRED** or  
1167 vice versa.



1168 - adding OPTIONAL attribute syntaxes to an existing attribute.

1169 The encoding of the "version-number" MUST NOT change over any version number (either major or minor). This  
1170 rule guarantees that all future versions will be backwards compatible with all previous versions (at least for checking  
1171 the "version-number"). In addition, any protocol elements (attributes, error codes, tags, etc.) that are not carried  
1172 forward from one version to the next are deprecated so that they can never be reused with new semantics.

1173 Implementations that support a certain version NEED NOT support ALL previous versions. As each new  
1174 version is defined (through the release of a new IPP specification document), that version will specify which  
1175 previous versions MUST and which versions SHOULD be supported in compliant implementations.

### 1176 3.1.9 Job Creation Operations

1177 In order to "submit a print job" and create a new Job object, a client issues a create request. A create request is  
1178 any one of following three operation requests:

1179 - The Print-Job Request: A client that wants to submit a print job with only a single document uses the Print-  
1180 Job operation. The operation allows for the client to "push" the document data to the Printer object by  
1181 including the document data in the request itself.

1182  
1183 - The Print-URI Request: A client that wants to submit a print job with only a single document (where the  
1184 Printer object "pulls" the document data instead of the client "pushing" the data to the Printer object) uses  
1185 the Print-URI operation. In this case, the client includes in the request only a URI reference to the  
1186 document data (not the document data itself).

1187  
1188 - The Create-Job Request: A client that wants to submit a print job with multiple documents uses the Create-  
1189 Job operation. This operation is followed by an arbitrary number (one or more) of Send-Document and/or  
1190 Send-URI operations (each creating another document for the newly create Job object). The Send-  
1191 Document operation includes the document data in the request (the client "pushes" the document data to  
1192 the printer), and the Send-URI operation includes only a URI reference to the document data in the request  
1193 (the Printer "pulls" the document data from the referenced location). The last Send-Document or Send-  
1194 URI request for a given Job object includes a "last-document" operation attribute set to 'true' indicating that  
1195 this is the last request.

1196

1197 Throughout this model document, the term "create request" is used to refer to any of these three operation requests.

1198 A Create-Job operation followed by only one Send-Document operation is semantically equivalent to a Print-Job  
1199 operation, however, for performance reasons, the client SHOULD use the Print-Job operation for all single  
1200 document jobs. Also, Print-Job is a REQUIRED operation (all implementations MUST support it) whereas  
1201 Create-Job is an OPTIONAL operation, hence some implementations might not support it.

1202 Job submission time is the point in time when a client issues a create request. The initial state of every Job object is  
1203 the 'pending', 'pending-held', or 'processing' state (see section 4.3.7). When the Printer object begins processing  
1204 the print job, the Job object's state moves to 'processing'. This is known as job processing time. There are

1205 validation checks that must be done at job submission time and others that must be performed at job processing  
1206 time.

1207 At job submission time and at the time a Validate-Job operation is received, the Printer **MUST** do the following:

- 1208 1. Process the client supplied attributes and either accept or reject the request
- 1209 2. Validate the syntax of and support for the scheme of any client supplied URI

1210

1211 At job submission time the Printer object **MUST** validate whether or not the supplied attributes, attribute syntaxes,  
1212 and values are supported by matching them with the Printer object's corresponding "xxx-supported" attributes.  
1213 See section 3.1.7 for details. [IPP-IIG] presents suggested steps for an IPP object to either accept or reject any  
1214 request and additional steps for processing create requests.

1215 At job submission time the Printer object **NEED NOT** perform the validation checks reserved for job processing  
1216 time such as:

- 1217 1. Validating the document data
- 1218 2. Validating the actual contents of any client supplied URI (resolve the reference and follow the link to the  
1219 document data)

1220

1221 At job submission time, these additional job processing time validation checks are essentially useless, since they  
1222 require actually parsing and interpreting the document data, are not guaranteed to be 100% accurate, and **MUST**  
1223 be done, yet again, at job processing time. Also, in the case of a URI, checking for availability at job submission  
1224 time does not guarantee availability at job processing time. In addition, at job processing time, the Printer object  
1225 might discover any of the following conditions that were not detectable at job submission time:

- 1226 - runtime errors in the document data,
- 1227 - nested document data that is in an unsupported format,
- 1228 - the URI reference is no longer valid (i.e., the server hosting the document might be down), or
- 1229 - any other job processing error

1230

1231 At job submission time, a Printer object, especially a non-spooling Printer, **MAY** accept jobs that it does not have  
1232 enough space for. In such a situation, a Printer object **MAY** stop reading data from a client for an indefinite period  
1233 of time. A client **MUST** be prepared for a write operation to block for an indefinite period of time (see section 5.1  
1234 on client conformance).

1235 When a Printer object has too little space for starting a new job, it **MAY** reject a new create request. In this case,  
1236 a Printer object **MUST** return a response (in reply to the rejected request) with a status-code of 'server-error-  
1237 busy' (see section 14.1.5.8) and it **MAY** close the connection before receiving all bytes of the operation. A Printer  
1238 **SHOULD** indicate that it is temporarily unable to accept jobs by setting the 'spool-space-full' value in its "printer-  
1239 state-reasons" attribute and removing the value when it can accept another job (see section 4.4.12).

1240 When receiving a 'server-error-busy' status-code in an operation response, a client **MUST** be prepared for the  
1241 Printer object to close the connection before the client has sent all of the data (especially for the Print-Job

1242 operation). A client **MUST** be prepared to keep submitting a create request until the IPP Printer object accepts the  
1243 create request.

1244 At job processing time, since the Printer object has already responded with a successful status code in the  
1245 response to the create request, if the Printer object detects an error, the Printer object is unable to inform the end  
1246 user of the error with an operation status code. In this case, the Printer, depending on the error, can set the job  
1247 object's "job-state", "job-state-reasons", or "job-state-message" attributes to the appropriate value(s) so that later  
1248 queries can report the correct job status.

1249 Note: Asynchronous notification of events is outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document.

1250

## 1251 **3.2 Printer Operations**

1252 All Printer operations are directed at Printer objects. A client **MUST** always supply the "printer-uri" operation  
1253 attribute in order to identify the correct target of the operation.

### 1254 **3.2.1 Print-Job Operation**

1255 This **REQUIRED** operation allows a client to submit a print job with only one document and supply the document  
1256 data (rather than just a reference to the data). See Section 15 for the suggested steps for processing create  
1257 operations and their Operation and Job Template attributes.

#### 1258 **3.2.1.1 Print-Job Request**

1259 The following groups of attributes are supplied as part of the Print-Job Request:

##### 1260 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1261 Natural Language and Character Set:

1262 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1. The  
1263 Printer object **MUST** copy these values to the corresponding Job Description attributes described in  
1264 sections 4.3.19 and 4.3.20.

1265

1266 Target:

1267 The "printer-uri" (uri) operation attribute which is the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.

1268

1269 Requesting User Name:

1270 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute **SHOULD** be supplied by the client as described in  
1271 section 8.3.

1272

1273 "job-name" (name(MAX)):

1274 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute. It  
1275 contains the client supplied Job name. If this attribute is supplied by the client, its value is used for the "job-  
1276 name" attribute of the newly created Job object. The client **MAY** automatically include any information  
1277 that will help the end-user distinguish amongst his/her jobs, such as the name of the application program  
1278 along with information from the document, such as the document name, document subject, or source file  
1279 name. If this attribute is not supplied by the client, the Printer generates a name to use in the "job-name"  
1280 attribute of the newly created Job object (see Section 4.3.5).

1281

1282 "ipp-attribute-fidelity" (boolean):

1283 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute. The  
1284 value 'true' indicates that total fidelity to client supplied Job Template attributes and values is required, else  
1285 the Printer object **MUST** reject the Print-Job request. The value 'false' indicates that a reasonable attempt  
1286 to print the Job object is acceptable and the Printer object **MUST** accept the Print-Job request. If not  
1287 supplied, the Printer object assumes the value is 'false'. All Printer objects **MUST** support both types of  
1288 job processing. See section 15 for a full description of "ipp-attribute-fidelity" and its relationship to other  
1289 attributes, especially the Printer object's "pdl-override-supported" attribute.

1290

1291 "document-name" (name(MAX)):

1292 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute. It  
1293 contains the client supplied document name. The document name **MAY** be different than the Job name.  
1294 Typically, the client software automatically supplies the document name on behalf of the end user by using a  
1295 file name or an application generated name. If this attribute is supplied, its value can be used in a manner  
1296 defined by each implementation. Examples include: printed along with the Job (job start sheet, page  
1297 adornments, etc.), used by accounting or resource tracking management tools, or even stored along with  
1298 the document as a document level attribute. IPP/1.1 does not support the concept of document level  
1299 attributes.

1300

1301 "compression" (type3 keyword):

1302 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute and the  
1303 "compression-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.32). The client supplied "compression" operation  
1304 attribute identifies the compression algorithm used on the document data. The following cases exist:

- 1305 a) If the client omits this attribute, the Printer object **MUST** assume that the data is not  
1306 compressed (i.e. the Printer follows the rules below as if the client supplied the "compression"  
1307 attribute with a value of 'none').
- 1308 b) If the client supplies this attribute, but the value is not supported by the Printer object, i.e., the  
1309 value is not one of the values of the Printer object's "compression-supported" attribute, the  
1310 Printer object **MUST** reject the request, and return the 'client-error-compression-not-  
1311 supported' status code. See section 3.1.7 for returning unsupported attributes and values.
- 1312 c) If the client supplies the attribute and the Printer object supports the attribute value, the Printer  
1313 object uses the corresponding decompression algorithm on the document data.

- 1314 d) If the decompression algorithm fails before the Printer returns an operation response, the  
1315 Printer object MUST reject the request and return the 'client-error-compression-error' status  
1316 code.
- 1317 e) If the decompression algorithm fails after the Printer returns an operation response, the Printer  
1318 object MUST abort the job and add the 'compression-error' value to the job's "job-state-  
1319 reasons" attribute.
- 1320 f) If the decompression algorithm succeeds, the document data MUST then have the format  
1321 specified by the job's "document-format" attribute, if supplied (see "document-format"  
1322 operation attribute definition below).
- 1323

1324 "document-format" (mimeMediaType):

1325 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object MUST support this attribute. The  
1326 value of this attribute identifies the format of the supplied document data. The following cases exist:

- 1327 a) If the client does not supply this attribute, the Printer object assumes that the document data is  
1328 in the format defined by the Printer object's "document-format-default" attribute. (i.e. the  
1329 Printer follows the rules below as if the client supplied the "document-format" attribute with a  
1330 value equal to the printer's default value).
- 1331 b) If the client supplies this attribute, but the value is not supported by the Printer object, i.e., the  
1332 value is not one of the values of the Printer object's "document-format-supported" attribute, the  
1333 Printer object MUST reject the request and return the 'client-error-document-format-not-  
1334 supported' status code.
- 1335 c) If the client supplies this attribute and its value is 'application/octet-stream' (i.e. to be auto-  
1336 sensed, see Section 4.1.9.1), and the format is not one of the document-formats that the  
1337 Printer can auto-sense, and this check occurs before the Printer returns an operation response,  
1338 then the Printer MUST reject the request and return the 'client-error-document-format-not-  
1339 supported' status code.
- 1340 d) If the client supplies this attribute, and the value is supported by the Printer object, the Printer is  
1341 capable of interpreting the document data.
- 1342 e) If interpreting of the document data fails before the Printer returns an operation response, the  
1343 Printer object MUST reject the request and return the 'client-error-document-format-error'  
1344 status code.
- 1345 f) If interpreting of the document data fails after the Printer returns an operation response, the  
1346 Printer object MUST abort the job and add the 'document-format-error' value to the job's  
1347 "job-state-reasons" attribute.
- 1348

1349 "document-natural-language" (naturalLanguage):

1350 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object OPTIONALLY supports this  
1351 attribute. This attribute specifies the natural language of the document for those document-formats that  
1352 require a specification of the natural language in order to image the document unambiguously. There are no  
1353 particular values required for the Printer object to support.

1354

1355 "job-k-octets" (integer(0:MAX)):

1356 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **OPTIONALLY** supports this  
1357 attribute and the "job-k-octets-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.33). The client supplied "job-k-  
1358 octets" operation attribute identifies the total size of the document(s) in K octets being submitted (see  
1359 section 4.3.17.1 for the complete semantics). If the client supplies the attribute and the Printer object  
1360 supports the attribute, the value of the attribute is used to populate the Job object's "job-k-octets" Job  
1361 Description attribute.

1362

1363 For this attribute and the following two attributes ("job-impressions", and "job-media-sheets"), if the client  
1364 supplies the attribute, but the Printer object does not support the attribute, the Printer object ignores the  
1365 client-supplied value. If the client supplies the attribute and the Printer supports the attribute, and the value  
1366 is within the range of the corresponding Printer object's "xxx-supported" attribute, the Printer object  
1367 **MUST** use the value to populate the Job object's "xxx" attribute. If the client supplies the attribute and the  
1368 Printer supports the attribute, but the value is outside the range of the corresponding Printer object's "xxx-  
1369 supported" attribute, the Printer object **MUST** copy the attribute and its value to the Unsupported  
1370 Attributes response group, reject the request, and return the 'client-error-attributes-or-values-not-  
1371 supported' status code. If the client does not supply the attribute, the Printer object **MAY** choose to  
1372 populate the corresponding Job object attribute depending on whether the Printer object supports the  
1373 attribute and is able to calculate or discern the correct value.

1374

1375 "job-impressions" (integer(0:MAX)):

1376 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **OPTIONALLY** supports this  
1377 attribute and the "job-impressions-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.34). The client supplied "job-  
1378 impressions" operation attribute identifies the total size in number of impressions of the document(s) being  
1379 submitted (see section 4.3.17.2 for the complete semantics).

1380

1381 See last paragraph under "job-k-octets".

1382

1383 "job-media-sheets" (integer(0:MAX)):

1384 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **OPTIONALLY** supports this  
1385 attribute and the "job-media-sheets-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.35). The client supplied "job-  
1386 media-sheets" operation attribute identifies the total number of media sheets to be produced for this job  
1387 (see section 4.3.17.3 for the complete semantics).

1388

1389 See last paragraph under "job-k-octets".

1390

## 1391 Group 2: Job Template Attributes

1392 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies a set of Job Template attributes as defined in section 4.2. If the client  
1393 is not supplying any Job Template attributes in the request, the client **SHOULD** omit Group 2 rather than  
1394 sending an empty group. However, a Printer object **MUST** be able to accept an empty group.

1395

## 1396 Group 3: Document Content

1397 The client **MUST** supply the document data to be processed.

1398

1399 In addition to the **MANDATORY** parameters required for every operation request, the simplest Print-Job Request  
1400 consists of just the "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" operation attributes; the "printer-uri" target  
1401 operation attribute; the Document Content and nothing else. In this simple case, the Printer object:

- 1402 - creates a new Job object (the Job object contains a single document),
- 
- 1403 - stores a generated Job name in the "job-name" attribute in the natural language and charset requested (see
- 
- 1404 Section 3.1.4.1) (if those are supported, otherwise using the Printer object's default natural language and
- 
- 1405 charset), and
- 
- 1406 - at job processing time, uses its corresponding default value attributes for the supported Job Template
- 
- 1407 attributes that were not supplied by the client as IPP attribute or embedded instructions in the document
- 
- 1408 data.
- 
- 1409

1410 **3.2.1.2 Print-Job Response**1411 The Printer object **MUST** return to the client the following sets of attributes as part of the Print-Job Response:

## 1412 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1413 Status Message:

1414 In addition to the **REQUIRED** status code returned in every response, the response **OPTIONALLY**  
1415 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
1416 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6. If the client supplies unsupported or conflicting Job Template  
1417 attributes or values, the Printer object **MUST** reject or accept the Print-Job request depending on the  
1418 whether the client supplied a 'true' or 'false' value for the "ipp-attribute-fidelity" operation attribute. See the  
1419 Implementer's Guide [IPP-IIG] for a complete description of the suggested steps for processing a create  
1420 request.  
1421

1422 Natural Language and Character Set:

1423 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2.  
1424

## 1425 Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

1426 See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.  
14271428 The value of the "ipp-attribute-fidelity" supplied by the client does not affect what attributes the Printer  
1429 object returns in this group. The value of "ipp-attribute-fidelity" only affects whether the Print-Job  
1430 operation is accepted or rejected. If the job is accepted, the client may query the job using the Get-Job-  
1431 Attributes operation requesting the unsupported attributes that were returned in the create response to see

1432 which attributes were ignored (not stored on the Job object) and which attributes were stored with other  
1433 (substituted) values.  
1434

### 1435 Group 3: Job Object Attributes

1436 "job-uri" (uri):

1437 The Printer object MUST return the Job object's URI by returning the contents of the REQUIRED "job-  
1438 uri" Job object attribute. The client uses the Job object's URI when directing operations at the Job object.  
1439 The Printer object always uses its configured security policy when creating the new URI. However, if the  
1440 Printer object supports more than one URI, the Printer object also uses information about which URI was  
1441 used in the Print-Job Request to generated the new URI so that the new URI references the correct access  
1442 channel. In other words, if the Print-Job Request comes in over a secure channel, the Printer object  
1443 MUST generate a Job URI that uses the secure channel as well.  
1444

1445 "job-id" (integer(1:MAX)):

1446 The Printer object MUST return the Job object's Job ID by returning the REQUIRED "job-id" Job object  
1447 attribute. The client uses this "job-id" attribute in conjunction with the "printer-uri" attribute used in the  
1448 Print-Job Request when directing Job operations at the Printer object.  
1449

1450 "job-state" (type1 enum):

1451 The Printer object MUST return the Job object's REQUIRED "job-state" attribute. The value of this  
1452 attribute (along with the value of the next attribute: "job-state-reasons") is taken from a "snapshot" of the  
1453 new Job object at some meaningful point in time (implementation defined) between when the Printer object  
1454 receives the Print-Job Request and when the Printer object returns the response.  
1455

1456 "job-state-reasons" (1setOf type2 keyword):

1457 The Printer object MUST return the Job object's REQUIRED "job-state-reasons" attribute.  
1458

1459 "job-state-message" (text(MAX)):

1460 The Printer object OPTIONALLY returns the Job object's OPTIONAL "job-state-message" attribute. If  
1461 the Printer object supports this attribute then it MUST be returned in the response. If this attribute is not  
1462 returned in the response, the client can assume that the "job-state-message" attribute is not supported and  
1463 will not be returned in a subsequent Job object query.  
1464

1465 "number-of-intervening-jobs" (integer(0:MAX)):

1466 The Printer object OPTIONALLY returns the Job object's OPTIONAL "number-of-intervening-jobs"  
1467 attribute. If the Printer object supports this attribute then it MUST be returned in the response. If this  
1468 attribute is not returned in the response, the client can assume that the "number-of-intervening-jobs"  
1469 attribute is not supported and will not be returned in a subsequent Job object query.  
1470



1471 Note: Since any printer state information which affects a job's state is reflected in the "job-state" and "job-  
1472 state-reasons" attributes, it is sufficient to return only these attributes and no specific printer status  
1473 attributes.  
1474

1475 Note: In addition to the MANDATORY parameters required for every operation response, the simplest response  
1476 consists of the just the "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" operation attributes and the "job-uri",  
1477 "job-id", and "job-state" Job Object Attributes. In this simplest case, the status code is 'successful-ok' and there is  
1478 no "status-message" or "detailed-status-message" operation attribute.

### 1479 **3.2.2 Print-URI Operation**

1480 This OPTIONAL operation is identical to the Print-Job operation (section 3.2.1) except that a client supplies a  
1481 URI reference to the document data using the "document-uri" (uri) operation attribute (in Group 1) rather than  
1482 including the document data itself. Before returning the response, the Printer MUST validate that the Printer  
1483 supports the retrieval method (e.g., http, ftp, etc.) implied by the URI, and MUST check for valid URI syntax. If  
1484 the client-supplied URI scheme is not supported, i.e. the value is not in the Printer object's "referenced-uri-scheme-  
1485 supported" attribute, the Printer object MUST reject the request and return the 'client-error-uri-scheme-not-  
1486 supported' status code.

1487 The IPP Printer MAY validate the accessibility of the document as part of the operation or subsequently. If the  
1488 Printer determines an accessibility problem before returning an operation response, it rejects the request and  
1489 returns the 'client-error-document-access-error' status code. The Printer MAY also return a specific document  
1490 access error code using the "document-access-error" operation attribute (see section 3.1.6.4).

1491 If the Printer determines this document accessibility problem after accepting the request and returning an operation  
1492 response with one of the successful status codes, the Printer adds the 'document-access-error' value to the job's  
1493 "job-state-reasons" attribute and MAY populate the job's "job-document-access-errors" Job Description attribute  
1494 (see section 4.3.11). See The Implementer's Guide [IPP-IIG] for suggested additional checks.

1495 If the Printer object supports this operation, it MUST support the "reference-uri-schemes-supported" Printer  
1496 attribute (see section 4.4.27).

1497 It is up to the IPP object to interpret the URI and subsequently "pull" the document from the source referenced by  
1498 the URI string.

### 1499 **3.2.3 Validate-Job Operation**

1500 This REQUIRED operation is similar to the Print-Job operation (section 3.2.1) except that a client supplies no  
1501 document data and the Printer allocates no resources (i.e., it does not create a new Job object). This operation is  
1502 used only to verify capabilities of a printer object against whatever attributes are supplied by the client in the  
1503 Validate-Job request. By using the Validate-Job operation a client can validate that an identical Print-Job  
1504 operation (with the document data) would be accepted. The Validate-Job operation also performs the same

1505 security negotiation as the Print-Job operation (see section 8), so that a client can check that the client and Printer  
1506 object security requirements can be met before performing a Print-Job operation.

1507 The Validate-Job operation does not accept a "document-uri" attribute in order to allow a client to check that the  
1508 same Print-URI operation will be accepted, since the client doesn't send the data with the Print-URI operation.  
1509 The client SHOULD just issue the Print-URI request.

1510 The Printer object returns the same status codes, Operation Attributes (Group 1) and Unsupported Attributes  
1511 (Group 2) as the Print-Job operation. However, no Job Object Attributes (Group 3) are returned, since no Job  
1512 object is created.

### 1513 **3.2.4 Create-Job Operation**

1514 This OPTIONAL operation is similar to the Print-Job operation (section 3.2.1) except that in the Create-Job  
1515 request, a client does not supply document data or any reference to document data. Also, the client does not  
1516 supply any of the "document-name", "document-format", "compression", or "document-natural-language" operation  
1517 attributes. This operation is followed by one or more Send-Document or Send-URI operations. In each of those  
1518 operation requests, the client OPTIONALLY supplies the "document-name", "document-format", and "document-  
1519 natural-language" attributes for each document in the multi-document Job object.

1520 If a Printer object supports the Create-Job operation, it MUST also support the Send-Document operation and  
1521 also MAY support the Send-URI operation.

1522 If the Printer object supports this operation, it MUST support the "multiple-operation-time-out" Printer attribute  
1523 (see section 4.4.31).

1524 If the Printer object supports this operation, then it MUST support the "multiple-document-jobs-supported" Printer  
1525 Description attribute (see section 4.4.16) and indicate whether or not it supports multiple-document jobs.

1526 If the Printer object supports this operation and supports multiple documents in a job, then it MUST support the  
1527 "multiple-document-handling" Job Template job attribute with at least one value (see section 4.2.4) and the  
1528 associated "multiple-document-handling-default" and "multiple-document-handling-supported" Job Template  
1529 Printer attributes (see section 4.2).

1530 After the Create-Job operation has completed, the value of the "job-state" attribute is similar to the "job-state" after  
1531 a Print-Job, even though no document-data has arrived. A Printer MAY set the 'job-data-insufficient' value of the  
1532 job's "job-state-reason" attribute to indicate that processing cannot begin until sufficient data has arrived and set the  
1533 "job-state" to either 'pending' or 'pending-held'. A non-spooling printer that doesn't implement the 'pending' job  
1534 state may even set the "job-state" to 'processing', even though there is not yet any data to process. See sections  
1535 4.3.7 and 4.3.8.

### 1536 3.2.5 Get-Printer-Attributes Operation

1537 This REQUIRED operation allows a client to request the values of the attributes of a Printer object. In the  
1538 request, the client supplies the set of Printer attribute names and/or attribute group names in which the requester is  
1539 interested. In the response, the Printer object returns a corresponding attribute set with the appropriate attribute  
1540 values filled in.

1541 For Printer objects, the possible names of attribute groups are:

- 1542 - 'job-template': the subset of the Job Template attributes that apply to a Printer object (the last two columns of  
1543 the table in Section 4.2) that the implementation supports for Printer objects.
- 1544 - 'printer-description': the subset of the attributes specified in Section 4.4 that the implementation supports for  
1545 Printer objects.
- 1546 - 'all': the special group 'all' that includes all attributes that the implementation supports for Printer objects.  
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1548 Since a client MAY request specific attributes or named groups, there is a potential that there is some overlap. For  
1549 example, if a client requests, 'printer-name' and 'all', the client is actually requesting the "printer-name" attribute  
1550 twice: once by naming it explicitly, and once by inclusion in the 'all' group. In such cases, the Printer object NEED  
1551 NOT return each attribute only once in the response even if it is requested multiple times. The client SHOULD  
1552 NOT request the same attribute in multiple ways.

1553 It is NOT REQUIRED that a Printer object support all attributes belonging to a group (since some attributes are  
1554 OPTIONAL). However, it is REQUIRED that each Printer object support all group names.

#### 1555 3.2.5.1 Get-Printer-Attributes Request

1556 The following sets of attributes are part of the Get-Printer-Attributes Request:

1557 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1558 Natural Language and Character Set:

1559 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1.

1561 Target:

1562 The "printer-uri" (uri) operation attribute which is the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.

1564 Requesting User Name:

1565 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute SHOULD be supplied by the client as described in  
1566 section 8.3.

1568 "requested-attributes" (1setOf keyword):

1569 The client OPTIONALLY supplies a set of attribute names and/or attribute group names in whose values  
1570 the requester is interested. The Printer object MUST support this attribute. If the client omits this attribute,  
1571 the Printer MUST respond as if this attribute had been supplied with a value of 'all'.

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1573 "document-format" (mimeMediaType):

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The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object MUST support this attribute. This attribute is useful for a Printer object to determine the set of supported attribute values that relate to the requested document format. The Printer object MUST return the attributes and values that it uses to validate a job on a create or Validate-Job operation in which this document format is supplied. The Printer object SHOULD return only (1) those attributes that are supported for the specified format and (2) the attribute values that are supported for the specified document format. By specifying the document format, the client can get the Printer object to eliminate the attributes and values that are not supported for a specific document format. For example, a Printer object might have multiple interpreters to support both 'application/postscript' (for PostScript) and 'text/plain' (for text) documents. However, for only one of those interpreters might the Printer object be able to support "number-up" with values of '1', '2', and '4'. For the other interpreter it might be able to only support "number-up" with a value of '1'. Thus a client can use the Get-Printer-Attributes operation to obtain the attributes and values that will be used to accept/reject a create job operation.

If the Printer object does not distinguish between different sets of supported values for each different document format when validating jobs in the create and Validate-Job operations, it MUST NOT distinguish between different document formats in the Get-Printer-Attributes operation. If the Printer object does distinguish between different sets of supported values for each different document format specified by the client, this specialization applies only to the following Printer object attributes:

- Printer attributes that are Job Template attributes ("xxx-default" "xxx-supported", and "xxx-ready" in the Table in Section 4.2),
- "pdl-override-supported",
- "compression-supported",
- "job-k-octets-supported",
- "job-impressions-supported",
- "job-media-sheets-supported"
- "printer-driver-installer",
- "color-supported", and
- "reference-uri-schemes-supported"

The values of all other Printer object attributes (including "document-format-supported") remain invariant with respect to the client supplied document format (except for new Printer description attribute as registered according to section 6.2).

If the client omits this "document-format" operation attribute, the Printer object MUST respond as if the attribute had been supplied with the value of the Printer object's "document-format-default" attribute. It is RECOMMENDED that the client always supply a value for "document-format", since the Printer object's "document-format-default" may be 'application/octet-stream', in which case the returned attributes and

1613 values are for the union of the document formats that the Printer can automatically sense. For more details,  
1614 see the description of the 'mimeType' attribute syntax in section 4.1.9.

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1616 If the client supplies a value for the "document-format" Operation attribute that is not supported by the  
1617 Printer, i.e., is not among the values of the Printer object's "document-format-supported" attribute, the  
1618 Printer object MUST reject the operation and return the 'client-error-document-format-not-supported'  
1619 status code.

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### 1621 3.2.5.2 Get-Printer-Attributes Response

1622 The Printer object returns the following sets of attributes as part of the Get-Printer-Attributes Response:

#### 1623 Group 1: Operation Attributes

##### 1624 Status Message:

1625 In addition to the REQUIRED status code returned in every response, the response OPTIONALLY  
1626 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
1627 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6.

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##### 1629 Natural Language and Character Set:

1630 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2.

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#### 1632 Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

1633 See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.

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1635 The response NEED NOT contain the "requested-attributes" operation attribute with any supplied values  
1636 (attribute keywords) that were requested by the client but are not supported by the IPP object. If the  
1637 Printer object does return unsupported attributes referenced in the "requested-attributes" operation  
1638 attribute and that attribute included group names, such as 'all', the unsupported attributes MUST NOT  
1639 include attributes described in the standard but not supported by the implementation.

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#### 1641 Group 3: Printer Object Attributes

1642 This is the set of requested attributes and their current values. The Printer object ignores (does not  
1643 respond with) any requested attribute which is not supported. The Printer object MAY respond with a  
1644 subset of the supported attributes and values, depending on the security policy in force. However, the  
1645 Printer object MUST respond with the 'unknown' value for any supported attribute (including all  
1646 REQUIRED attributes) for which the Printer object does not know the value. Also the Printer object  
1647 MUST respond with the 'no-value' for any supported attribute (including all REQUIRED attributes) for  
1648 which the system administrator has not configured a value. See the description of the "out-of-band" values  
1649 in the beginning of Section 4.1.

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### 1651 3.2.6 Get-Jobs Operation

1652 This REQUIRED operation allows a client to retrieve the list of Job objects belonging to the target Printer object.  
1653 The client may also supply a list of Job attribute names and/or attribute group names. A group of Job object  
1654 attributes will be returned for each Job object that is returned.

1655 This operation is similar to the Get-Job-Attributes operation, except that this Get-Jobs operation returns attributes  
1656 from possibly more than one object.

#### 1657 3.2.6.1 Get-Jobs Request

1658 The client submits the Get-Jobs request to a Printer object.

1659 The following groups of attributes are part of the Get-Jobs Request:

##### 1660 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1661 Natural Language and Character Set:

1662 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1.

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1664 Target:

1665 The "printer-uri" (uri) operation attribute which is the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.

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1667 Requesting User Name:

1668 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute SHOULD be supplied by the client as described in  
1669 section 8.3.

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1671 "limit" (integer(1:MAX)):

1672 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object MUST support this attribute. It is an  
1673 integer value that determines the maximum number of jobs that a client will receive from the Printer even if  
1674 "which-jobs" or "my-jobs" constrain which jobs are returned. The limit is a "stateless limit" in that if the  
1675 value supplied by the client is 'N', then only the first 'N' jobs are returned in the Get-Jobs Response. There  
1676 is no mechanism to allow for the next 'M' jobs after the first 'N' jobs. If the client does not supply this  
1677 attribute, the Printer object responds with all applicable jobs.

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1679 "requested-attributes" (1setOf type2 keyword):

1680 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object MUST support this attribute. It is a  
1681 set of Job attribute names and/or attribute groups names in whose values the requester is interested. This  
1682 set of attributes is returned for each Job object that is returned. The allowed attribute group names are the  
1683 same as those defined in the Get-Job-Attributes operation in section 3.3.4. If the client does not supply  
1684 this attribute, the Printer MUST respond as if the client had supplied this attribute with two values: 'job-uri'  
1685 and 'job-id'.

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1687 "which-jobs" (type2 keyword):

1688 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute. It  
1689 indicates which Job objects **MUST** be returned by the Printer object. The values for this attribute are:

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1691 'completed': This includes any Job object whose state is 'completed', 'canceled', or 'aborted'.

1692 'not-completed': This includes any Job object whose state is 'pending', 'processing', 'processing-  
1693 stopped', or 'pending-held'.

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1695 A Printer object **MUST** support both values. However, if the implementation does not keep jobs in the  
1696 'completed', 'canceled', and 'aborted' states, then it returns no jobs when the 'completed' value is supplied.

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1698 If a client supplies some other value, the Printer object **MUST** copy the attribute and the unsupported value  
1699 to the Unsupported Attributes response group, reject the request, and return the 'client-error-attributes-or-  
1700 values-not-supported' status code.

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1702 If the client does not supply this attribute, the Printer object **MUST** respond as if the client had supplied the  
1703 attribute with a value of 'not-completed'.

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1705 "my-jobs" (boolean):

1706 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute. It  
1707 indicates whether jobs from all users or just the jobs submitted by the requesting user of this request  
1708 **MUST** be considered as candidate jobs to be returned by the Printer object. If the client does not supply  
1709 this attribute, the Printer object **MUST** respond as if the client had supplied the attribute with a value of  
1710 'false', i.e., jobs from all users. The means for authenticating the requesting user and matching the jobs is  
1711 described in section 8.

### 1712 3.2.6.2 Get-Jobs Response

1713 The Printer object returns all of the Job objects up to the number specified by the "limit" attribute that match the  
1714 criteria as defined by the attribute values supplied by the client in the request. It is possible that no Job objects are  
1715 returned since there may literally be no Job objects at the Printer, or there may be no Job objects that match the  
1716 criteria supplied by the client. If the client requests any Job attributes at all, there is a set of Job Object Attributes  
1717 returned for each Job object.

1718 It is not an error for the Printer to return 0 jobs. If the response returns 0 jobs because there are no jobs matching  
1719 the criteria, and the request would have returned 1 or more jobs with a status code of 'successful-ok' if there had  
1720 been jobs matching the criteria, then the status code for 0 jobs **MUST** be 'successful-ok'.

1721 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1722 Status Message:

1723 In addition to the **REQUIRED** status code returned in every response, the response **OPTIONALLY**  
1724 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
1725 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6.

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Natural Language and Character Set:

The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2.

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## Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

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See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.

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The response NEED NOT contain the "requested-attributes" operation attribute with any supplied values (attribute keywords) that were requested by the client but are not supported by the IPP object. If the Printer object does return unsupported attributes referenced in the "requested-attributes" operation attribute and that attribute included group names, such as 'all', the unsupported attributes MUST NOT include attributes described in the standard but not supported by the implementation.

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## Groups 3 to N: Job Object Attributes

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The Printer object responds with one set of Job Object Attributes for each returned Job object. The Printer object ignores (does not respond with) any requested attribute or value which is not supported or which is restricted by the security policy in force, including whether the requesting user is the user that submitted the job (job originating user) or not (see section 8). However, the Printer object MUST respond with the 'unknown' value for any supported attribute (including all REQUIRED attributes) for which the Printer object does not know the value, unless it would violate the security policy. See the description of the "out-of-band" values in the beginning of Section 4.1.

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Jobs are returned in the following order:

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- If the client requests all 'completed' Jobs (Jobs in the 'completed', 'aborted', or 'canceled' states), then the Jobs are returned newest to oldest (with respect to actual completion time)
- If the client requests all 'not-completed' Jobs (Jobs in the 'pending', 'processing', 'pending-held', and 'processing-stopped' states), then Jobs are returned in relative chronological order of expected time to complete (based on whatever scheduling algorithm is configured for the Printer object).

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### 3.2.7 Pause-Printer Operation

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This OPTIONAL operation allows a client to stop the Printer object from scheduling jobs on all its devices. Depending on implementation, the Pause-Printer operation MAY also stop the Printer from processing the current job or jobs. Any job that is currently being printed is either stopped as soon as the implementation permits or is completed, depending on implementation. The Printer object MUST still accept create operations to create new jobs, but MUST prevent any jobs from entering the 'processing' state.

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If the Pause-Printer operation is supported, then the Resume-Printer operation MUST be supported, and vice-versa.



1762 The IPP Printer stops the current job(s) on its device(s) that were in the 'processing' or 'processing-stopped' states  
 1763 as soon as the implementation permits. If the implementation will take appreciable time to stop, the IPP Printer  
 1764 adds the 'moving-to-paused' value to the Printer object's "printer-state-reasons" attribute (see section 4.4.12).  
 1765 When the device(s) have all stopped, the IPP Printer transitions the Printer object to the 'stopped' state, removes  
 1766 the 'moving-to-paused' value, if present, and adds the 'paused' value to the Printer object's "printer-state-reasons"  
 1767 attribute.

1768 When the current job(s) complete that were in the 'processing' state, the IPP Printer transitions them to the  
 1769 'completed' state. When the current job(s) stop in mid processing that were in the 'processing' state, the IPP  
 1770 Printer transitions them to the 'processing-stopped' state and adds the 'printer-stopped' value to the job's "job-  
 1771 state-reasons" attribute.

1772 For any jobs that are 'pending' or 'pending-held', the 'printer-stopped' value of the jobs' "job-state-reasons"  
 1773 attribute also applies. However, the IPP Printer NEED NOT update those jobs' "job-state-reasons" attributes and  
 1774 only need return the 'printer-stopped' value when those jobs are queried (so-called "lazy evaluation").

1775 Whether the Pause-Printer operation affects jobs that were submitted to the device from other sources than the  
 1776 IPP Printer object in the same way that the Pause-Printer operation affects jobs that were submitted to the IPP  
 1777 Printer object using IPP, depends on implementation, i.e., on whether the IPP protocol is being used as a universal  
 1778 management protocol or just to manage IPP jobs, respectively.

1779 The IPP Printer MUST accept the request in any state and transition the Printer to the indicated new "printer-state"  
 1780 before returning as follows:

Current "printer-state"	New "printer-state"	"printer- state- reasons"	IPP Printer's response status code and action:
'idle'	'stopped'	'paused'	'successful-ok'
'processing'	'processing'	'moving-to- paused'	OPTION 1: 'successful-ok'; Later, when all output has stopped, the "printer- state" becomes 'stopped', and the 'paused' value replaces the 'moving-to-paused' value in the "printer-state-reasons" attribute
'processing'	'stopped'	'paused'	OPTION 2: 'successful-ok'; all device output stopped immediately
'stopped'	'stopped'	'paused'	'successful-ok'

1781 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must be an operator or  
 1782 administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP Printer MUST reject the  
 1783 operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-authenticated', or 'client-error-not-authorized' as  
 1784 appropriate.

### 1785 3.2.7.1 Pause-Printer Request

1786 The following groups of attributes are part of the Pause-Printer Request:

## 1787 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1788 Natural Language and Character Set:

1789 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1.

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1791 Target:

1792 The "printer-uri" (uri) operation attribute which is the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.

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1794 Requesting User Name:

1795 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute SHOULD be supplied by the client as described in  
1796 section 8.3.1797 **3.2.7.2 Pause-Printer Response**

1798 The following groups of attributes are part of the Pause-Printer Response:

## 1799 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1800 Status Message:

1801 In addition to the REQUIRED status code returned in every response, the response OPTIONALLY  
1802 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
1803 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6.

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1805 Natural Language and Character Set:

1806 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2.

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## 1808 Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

1809 See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.

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1811 **3.2.8 Resume-Printer Operation**1812 This operation allows a client to resume the Printer object scheduling jobs on all its devices. The Printer object  
1813 MUST remove the 'paused' and 'moving-to-paused' values from the Printer object's "printer-state-reasons"  
1814 attribute, if present. If there are no other reasons to keep a device paused (such as media-jam), the IPP Printer is  
1815 free to transition itself to the 'processing' or 'idle' states, depending on whether there are jobs to be processed or  
1816 not, respectively, and the device(s) resume processing jobs.1817 If the Pause-Printer operation is supported, then the Resume-Printer operation MUST be supported, and vice-  
1818 versa.1819 The IPP Printer removes the 'printer-stopped' value from any job's "job-state-reasons" attributes contained in that  
1820 Printer.

1821 The IPP Printer **MUST** accept the request in any state, transition the Printer object to the indicated new state as  
 1822 follows:

Current "printer-state"	New "printer-state"	IPP Printer's response status code and action:
'idle'	'idle'	'successful-ok'
'processing'	'processing'	'successful-ok'
'stopped'	'processing'	'successful-ok'; when there are jobs to be processed
'stopped'	'idle'	'successful-ok'; when there are no jobs to be processed.

1823 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must be an operator or  
 1824 administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP Printer **MUST** reject the  
 1825 operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-authenticated', or 'client-error-not-authorized' as  
 1826 appropriate.

1827 The Resume-Printer Request and Resume-Printer Response have the same attribute groups and attributes as the  
 1828 Pause-Printer operation (see sections 3.2.7.1 and 3.2.7.2).

### 1829 3.2.9 Purge-Jobs Operation

1830 This **OPTIONAL** operation allows a client to remove all jobs from an IPP Printer object, regardless of their job  
 1831 states, including jobs in the Printer object's Job History (see Section 4.3.7.2). After a Purge-Jobs operation has  
 1832 been performed, a Printer object **MUST** return no jobs in subsequent Get-Job-Attributes and Get-Jobs responses  
 1833 (until new jobs are submitted).

1834 Whether the Purge-Jobs (and Get-Jobs) operation affects jobs that were submitted to the device from other  
 1835 sources than the IPP Printer object in the same way that the Purge-Jobs operation affects jobs that were submitted  
 1836 to the IPP Printer object using IPP, depends on implementation, i.e., on whether the IPP protocol is being used as  
 1837 a universal management protocol or just to manage IPP jobs, respectively.

1838 Note: if an operator wants to cancel all jobs without clearing out the Job History, the operator uses the Cancel-  
 1839 Job operation on each job instead of using the Purge-Jobs operation.

1840 The Printer object **MUST** accept this operation in any state and transition the Printer object to the 'idle' state.

1841 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must be an operator or  
 1842 administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP object **MUST** reject the operation  
 1843 and return: client-error-forbidden, client-error-not-authenticated, and client-error-not-authorized as appropriate.

1844 The Purge-Jobs Request and Purge-Jobs Response have the same attribute groups and attributes as the Pause-  
 1845 Printer operation (see sections 3.2.7.1 and 3.2.7.2).

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### 1847 3.3 Job Operations

1848 All Job operations are directed at Job objects. A client **MUST** always supply some means of identifying the Job  
1849 object in order to identify the correct target of the operation. That job identification **MAY** either be a single Job  
1850 URI or a combination of a Printer URI with a Job ID. The IPP object implementation **MUST** support both forms  
1851 of identification for every job.

#### 1852 3.3.1 Send-Document Operation

1853 This **OPTIONAL** operation allows a client to create a multi-document Job object that is initially "empty" (contains  
1854 no documents). In the Create-Job response, the Printer object returns the Job object's URI (the "job-uri"  
1855 attribute) and the Job object's 32-bit identifier (the "job-id" attribute). For each new document that the client  
1856 desires to add, the client uses a Send-Document operation. Each Send-Document Request contains the entire  
1857 stream of document data for one document.

1858 If the Printer supports this operation but does not support multiple documents per job, the Printer **MUST** reject  
1859 subsequent Send-Document operations supplied with data and return the 'server-error-multiple-document-jobs-  
1860 not-supported'. However, the Printer **MUST** accept the first document with a 'true' or 'false' value for the "last-  
1861 document" operation attribute (see below), so that clients **MAY** always submit one document jobs with a 'false'  
1862 value for "last-document" in the first Send-Document and a 'true' for "last-document" in the second Send-  
1863 Document (with no data).

1864 Since the Create-Job and the send operations (Send-Document or Send-URI operations) that follow could occur  
1865 over an arbitrarily long period of time for a particular job, a client **MUST** send another send operation within an  
1866 IPP Printer defined minimum time interval after the receipt of the previous request for the job. If a Printer object  
1867 supports the Create-Job and Send-Document operations, the Printer object **MUST** support the "multiple-  
1868 operation-time-out" attribute (see section 4.4.31). This attribute indicates the minimum number of seconds the  
1869 Printer object will wait for the next send operation before taking some recovery action.

1870 An IPP object **MUST** recover from an errant client that does not supply a send operation, sometime after the  
1871 minimum time interval specified by the Printer object's "multiple-operation-time-out" attribute. Such recovery  
1872 **MAY** include any of the following or other recovery actions:

- 1873 1. Assume that the Job is an invalid job, start the process of changing the job state to 'aborted', add the  
1874 'aborted-by-system' value to the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute (see section 4.3.8), and clean up all  
1875 resources associated with the Job. In this case, if another send operation is finally received, the Printer  
1876 responds with an "client-error-not-possible" or "client-error-not-found" depending on whether or not the  
1877 Job object is still around when the send operation finally arrives.
- 1878 2. Assume that the last send operation received was in fact the last document (as if the "last-document" flag had  
1879 been set to 'true'), close the Job object, and proceed to process it (i.e., move the Job's state to 'pending').
- 1880 3. Assume that the last send operation received was in fact the last document, close the Job, but move it to the  
1881 'pending-held' and add the 'submission-interrupted' value to the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute (see  
1882 section 4.3.8). This action allows the user or an operator to determine whether to continue processing the

1883 Job by moving it back to the 'pending' state using the Release-Job operation (see section 3.3.6) or to  
1884 cancel the job using the Cancel-Job operation (see section 3.3.3).  
1885

1886 Each implementation is free to decide the "best" action to take depending on local policy, whether any documents  
1887 have been added, whether the implementation spools jobs or not, and/or any other piece of information available  
1888 to it. If the choice is to abort the Job object, it is possible that the Job object may already have been processed to  
1889 the point that some media sheet pages have been printed.

1890 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must either be the job owner (as  
1891 determined in the Create-Job operation) or an operator or administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and  
1892 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP object MUST reject the operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-  
1893 authenticated', or 'client-error-not-authorized' as appropriate.

### 1894 3.3.1.1 Send-Document Request

1895 The following attribute sets are part of the Send-Document Request:

#### 1896 Group 1: Operation Attributes

##### 1897 Natural Language and Character Set:

1898 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1.  
1899

##### 1900 Target:

1901 Either (1) the "printer-uri" (uri) plus "job-id" (integer(1:MAX)) or (2) the "job-uri" (uri) operation attribute(s)  
1902 which define the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.  
1903

##### 1904 Requesting User Name:

1905 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute SHOULD be supplied by the client as described in  
1906 section 8.3.  
1907

##### 1908 "document-name" (name(MAX)):

1909 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object MUST support this attribute. It  
1910 contains the client supplied document name. The document name MAY be different than the Job name. It  
1911 might be helpful, but NEED NOT be unique across multiple documents in the same Job. Typically, the  
1912 client software automatically supplies the document name on behalf of the end user by using a file name or  
1913 an application generated name. See the description of the "document-name" operation attribute in the  
1914 Print-Job Request (section 3.2.1.1) for more information about this attribute.  
1915

##### 1916 "compression" (type3 keyword):

1917 See the description of "compression" for the Print-Job operation in Section 3.2.1.1.  
1918

##### 1919 "document-format" (mimeMediaType):

1920 See the description of "document-format" for the Print-Job operation in Section 3.2.1.1.

1921

1922 "document-natural-language" (naturalLanguage):

1923 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The Printer object **OPTIONALLY** supports this  
1924 attribute. This attribute specifies the natural language of the document for those document-formats that  
1925 require a specification of the natural language in order to image the document unambiguously. There are no  
1926 particular values required for the Printer object to support.

1927

1928 "last-document" (boolean):

1929 The client **MUST** supply this attribute. The Printer object **MUST** support this attribute. It is a boolean flag  
1930 that is set to 'true' if this is the last document for the Job, 'false' otherwise.

1931

## 1932 Group 2: Document Content

1933 The client **MUST** supply the document data if the "last-document" flag is set to 'false'. However, since a  
1934 client might not know that the previous document sent with a Send-Document (or Send-URI) operation  
1935 was the last document (i.e., the "last-document" attribute was set to 'false'), it is legal to send a Send-  
1936 Document request with no document data where the "last-document" flag is set to 'true'. Such a request  
1937 **MUST NOT** increment the value of the Job object's "number-of-documents" attribute, since no real  
1938 document was added to the job. It is not an error for a client to submit a job with no actual document  
1939 data, i.e., only a single Create-Job and Send-Document request with a "last-document" operation attribute  
1940 set to 'true' with no document data.

1941 **3.3.1.2 Send-Document Response**

1942 The following sets of attributes are part of the Send-Document Response:

## 1943 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1944 Status Message:

1945 In addition to the **REQUIRED** status code returned in every response, the response **OPTIONALLY**  
1946 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
1947 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6.

1948

1949 Natural Language and Character Set:

1950 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2.

1951

## 1952 Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

1953 See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.

## 1954 Group 3: Job Object Attributes

1955 This is the same set of attributes as described in the Print-Job response (see section 3.2.1.2).

1956

### 1957 3.3.2 Send-URI Operation

1958 This OPTIONAL operation is identical to the Send-Document operation (see section 3.3.1) except that a client  
 1959 MUST supply a URI reference ("document-uri" operation attribute) rather than the document data itself. If a  
 1960 Printer object supports this operation, clients can use both Send-URI or Send-Document operations to add new  
 1961 documents to an existing multi-document Job object. However, if a client needs to indicate that the previous Send-  
 1962 URI or Send-Document was the last document, the client MUST use the Send-Document operation with no  
 1963 document data and the "last-document" flag set to 'true' (rather than using a Send-URI operation with no  
 1964 "document-uri" operation attribute).

1965 If a Printer object supports this operation, it MUST also support the Print-URI operation (see section 3.2.2).

1966 The Printer object MUST validate the syntax and URI scheme of the supplied URI before returning a response,  
 1967 just as in the Print-URI operation. The IPP Printer MAY validate the accessibility of the document as part of the  
 1968 operation or subsequently (see section 3.2.2).

### 1969 3.3.3 Cancel-Job Operation

1970 This REQUIRED operation allows a client to cancel a Print Job from the time the job is created up to the time it is  
 1971 completed, canceled, or aborted. Since a Job might already be printing by the time a Cancel-Job is received,  
 1972 some media sheet pages might be printed before the job is actually terminated.

1973 The IPP object MUST accept or reject the request based on the job's current state and transition the job to the  
 1974 indicated new state as follows:

Current "job-state"	New "job-state"	IPP object's response status code and action:
'pending'	'canceled'	'successful-ok'
'pending-held'	'canceled'	'successful-ok'
'processing'	'canceled'	'successful-ok'
'processing'	'processing'	'successful-ok' See Rule 1
'processing'	'processing'	'client-error-not-possible' See Rule 2
'processing-stopped'	'canceled'	'successful-ok'
'processing-stopped'	'processing-stopped'	'successful-ok' See Rule 1
'processing-stopped'	'processing-stopped'	'client-error-not-possible' See Rule 2
'completed'	'completed'	'client-error-not-possible'
'canceled'	'canceled'	'client-error-not-possible'
'aborted'	'aborted'	'client-error-not-possible'

1975 Rule 1: If the implementation requires some measurable time to cancel the job in the 'processing' or 'processing-  
 1976 stopped' job states, the IPP object MUST add the 'processing-to-stop-point' value to the job's "job-state-reasons"  
 1977 attribute and then transition the job to the 'canceled' state when the processing ceases (see section 4.3.8).

1978 Rule 2: If the Job object already has the 'processing-to-stop-point' value in its "job-state-reasons" attribute, then  
1979 the Printer object MUST reject a Cancel-Job operation.

1980 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must either be the job owner or  
1981 an operator or administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP object MUST  
1982 reject the operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-authenticated', or 'client-error-not-  
1983 authorized' as appropriate.

### 1984 3.3.3.1 Cancel-Job Request

1985 The following groups of attributes are part of the Cancel-Job Request:

#### 1986 Group 1: Operation Attributes

1987 Natural Language and Character Set:

1988 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1.

1989

1990 Target:

1991 Either (1) the "printer-uri" (uri) plus "job-id" (integer(1:MAX)) or (2) the "job-uri" (uri) operation  
1992 attribute(s) which define the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.

1993

1994 Requesting User Name:

1995 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute SHOULD be supplied by the client as described in  
1996 section 8.3.

1997

1998 "message" (text(127)):

1999 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The Printer object OPTIONALLY supports this  
2000 attribute. It is a message to the operator. This "message" attribute is not the same as the "job-message-  
2001 from-operator" attribute. That attribute is used to report a message from the operator to the end user that  
2002 queries that attribute. This "message" operation attribute is used to send a message from the client to the  
2003 operator along with the operation request. It is an implementation decision of how or where to display this  
2004 message to the operator (if at all).

2005

### 2006 3.3.3.2 Cancel-Job Response

2007 The following sets of attributes are part of the Cancel-Job Response:

#### 2008 Group 1: Operation Attributes

2009 Status Message:

2010 In addition to the REQUIRED status code returned in every response, the response OPTIONALLY  
2011 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
2012 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6.



2013

2014 Natural Language and Character Set:

2015 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2.

2016

2017 Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

2018 See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.

2019

2020 Once a successful response has been sent, the implementation guarantees that the Job will eventually end up in the  
2021 'canceled' state. Between the time of the Cancel-Job operation is accepted and when the job enters the 'canceled'  
2022 job-state (see section 4.3.7), the "job-state-reasons" attribute SHOULD contain the 'processing-to-stop-point'  
2023 value which indicates to later queries that although the Job might still be 'processing', it will eventually end up in the  
2024 'canceled' state, not the 'completed' state.

2025 **3.3.4 Get-Job-Attributes Operation**

2026 This REQUIRED operation allows a client to request the values of attributes of a Job object and it is almost  
2027 identical to the Get-Printer-Attributes operation (see section 3.2.5). The only differences are that the operation is  
2028 directed at a Job object rather than a Printer object, there is no "document-format" operation attribute used when  
2029 querying a Job object, and the returned attribute group is a set of Job object attributes rather than a set of Printer  
2030 object attributes.

2031 For Jobs, the possible names of attribute groups are:

- 2032 - 'job-template': the subset of the Job Template attributes that apply to a Job object (the first column of the  
2033 table in Section 4.2) that the implementation supports for Job objects.
- 2034 - 'job-description': the subset of the Job Description attributes specified in Section 4.3 that the implementation  
2035 supports for Job objects.
- 2036 - 'all': the special group 'all' that includes all attributes that the implementation supports for Job objects.

2037

2038 Since a client MAY request specific attributes or named groups, there is a potential that there is some overlap. For  
2039 example, if a client requests, 'job-name' and 'job-description', the client is actually requesting the "job-name"  
2040 attribute once by naming it explicitly, and once by inclusion in the 'job-description' group. In such cases, the Printer  
2041 object NEED NOT return the attribute only once in the response even if it is requested multiple times. The client  
2042 SHOULD NOT request the same attribute in multiple ways.

2043 It is NOT REQUIRED that a Job object support all attributes belonging to a group (since some attributes are  
2044 OPTIONAL). However it is REQUIRED that each Job object support all these group names.

#### 2045 **3.3.4.1 Get-Job-Attributes Request**

2046 The following groups of attributes are part of the Get-Job-Attributes Request when the request is directed at a Job  
2047 object:

##### 2048 Group 1: Operation Attributes

2049 Natural Language and Character Set:

2050 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.1.

2051

2052 Target:

2053 Either (1) the "printer-uri" (uri) plus "job-id" (integer(1:MAX)) or (2) the "job-uri" (uri) operation  
2054 attribute(s) which define the target for this operation as described in section 3.1.5.

2055

2056 Requesting User Name:

2057 The "requesting-user-name" (name(MAX)) attribute SHOULD be supplied by the client as described in  
2058 section 8.3.

2059

2060 "requested-attributes" (1setOf keyword):

2061 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this attribute. The IPP object MUST support this attribute. It is a set  
2062 of attribute names and/or attribute group names in whose values the requester is interested. If the client  
2063 omits this attribute, the IPP object MUST respond as if this attribute had been supplied with a value of 'all'.  
2064

#### 2065 **3.3.4.2 Get-Job-Attributes Response**

2066 The Printer object returns the following sets of attributes as part of the Get-Job-Attributes Response:

##### 2067 Group 1: Operation Attributes

2068 Status Message:

2069 In addition to the REQUIRED status code returned in every response, the response OPTIONALLY  
2070 includes a "status-message" (text(255)) and/or a "detailed-status-message" (text(MAX)) operation attribute  
2071 as described in sections 13 and 3.1.6.

2072

2073 Natural Language and Character Set:

2074 The "attributes-charset" and "attributes-natural-language" attributes as described in section 3.1.4.2. The  
2075 "attributes-natural-language" MAY be the natural language of the Job object, rather than the one requested.  
2076

##### 2077 Group 2: Unsupported Attributes

2078 See section 3.1.7 for details on returning Unsupported Attributes.  
2079

2080 The response NEED NOT contain the "requested-attributes" operation attribute with any supplied values  
 2081 (attribute keywords) that were requested by the client but are not supported by the IPP object. If the  
 2082 Printer object does return unsupported attributes referenced in the "requested-attributes" operation  
 2083 attribute and that attribute included group names, such as 'all', the unsupported attributes MUST NOT  
 2084 include attributes described in the standard but not supported by the implementation.  
 2085

### 2086 Group 3: Job Object Attributes

2087 This is the set of requested attributes and their current values. The IPP object ignores (does not respond  
 2088 with) any requested attribute or value which is not supported or which is restricted by the security policy in  
 2089 force, including whether the requesting user is the user that submitted the job (job originating user) or not  
 2090 (see section 8). However, the IPP object MUST respond with the 'unknown' value for any supported  
 2091 attribute (including all REQUIRED attributes) for which the IPP object does not know the value, unless it  
 2092 would violate the security policy. See the description of the "out-of-band" values in the beginning of  
 2093 Section 4.1.

### 2094 3.3.5 Hold-Job Operation

2095 This OPTIONAL operation allows a client to hold a pending job in the queue so that it is not eligible for  
 2096 scheduling. If the Hold-Job operation is supported, then the Release-Job operation MUST be supported, and  
 2097 vice-versa. The OPTIONAL "job-hold-until" operation attribute allows a client to specify whether to hold the job  
 2098 indefinitely or until a specified time period, if supported.

2099 The IPP object MUST accept or reject the request based on the job's current state and transition the job to the  
 2100 indicated new state as follows:

Current "job-state"	New "job-state"	IPP object's response status code and action:
'pending'	'pending-held'	'successful-ok' See Rule 1
'pending'	'pending'	'successful-ok' See Rule 2
'pending-held'	'pending-held'	'successful-ok' See Rule 1
'pending-held'	'pending'	'successful-ok' See Rule 2
'processing'	'processing'	'client-error-not-possible'
'processing-stopped'	'processing-stopped'	'client-error-not-possible'
'completed'	'completed'	'client-error-not-possible'
'canceled'	'canceled'	'client-error-not-possible'
'aborted'	'aborted'	'client-error-not-possible'

2101 Rule 1: If the implementation supports multiple reasons for a job to be in the 'pending-held' state, the IPP object  
 2102 MUST add the 'job-hold-until-specified' value to the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute.

2103 Rule 2: If the IPP object supports the "job-hold-until" operation attribute, but the specified time period has already  
 2104 started (or is the 'no-hold' value) and there are no other reasons to hold the job, the IPP object MUST make the  
 2105 job be a candidate for processing immediately (see Section 4.2.2) by putting the job in the 'pending' state.

2106 Note: In order to keep the Hold-Job operation simple, such a request is rejected when the job is in the  
2107 'processing' or 'processing-stopped' states. If an operation is needed to hold jobs while in these states, it will be  
2108 added as an additional operation, rather than overloading the Hold-Job operation. Then it is clear to clients by  
2109 querying the Printer object's "operations-supported" (see Section 4.4.15) and the Job object's "job-state" (see  
2110 Section 4.3.7) attributes which operations are possible.

2111 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must either be the job owner or  
2112 an operator or administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP object MUST  
2113 reject the operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-authenticated', or 'client-error-not-  
2114 authorized' as appropriate.

### 2115 3.3.5.1 Hold-Job Request

2116 The groups and operation attributes are the same as for a Cancel-Job request (see section 3.3.3.1), with the  
2117 addition of the following Group 1 Operation attribute:

2118 "job-hold-until" (type3 keyword | name(MAX)):

2119 The client OPTIONALLY supplies this Operation attribute. The IPP object MUST support this operation  
2120 attribute in a Hold-Job request, if it supports the "job-hold-until" Job template attribute in create  
2121 operations. See section 4.2.2. The IPP object SHOULD support the "job-hold-until" Job Template  
2122 attribute for use in job create operations with at least the 'indefinite' value, if it supports the Hold-Job  
2123 operation. Otherwise, a client cannot create a job and hold it immediately (without picking some  
2124 supported time period in the future).

2125 If supplied and supported as specified in the Printer's "job-hold-until-supported" attribute, the IPP object  
2126 copies the supplied operation attribute to the Job object, replacing the job's previous "job-hold-until"  
2127 attribute, if present, and makes the job a candidate for scheduling during the supplied named time period.

2128 If supplied, but either the "job-hold-until" Operation attribute itself or the value supplied is not supported,  
2129 the IPP object accepts the request, returns the unsupported attribute or value in the Unsupported  
2130 Attributes Group according to section 3.1.7, returns the 'successful-ok-ignored-or-substituted-attributes',  
2131 and holds the job indefinitely until a client performs a subsequent Release-Job operation.

2132 If the client (1) supplies a value that specifies a time period that has already started or the 'no-hold' value  
2133 (meaning don't hold the job) and (2) the IPP object supports the "job-hold-until" operation attribute and  
2134 there are no other reasons to hold the job, the IPP object MUST accept the operation and make the job  
2135 be a candidate for processing immediately (see Section 4.2.2).

2136 If the client does not supply a "job-hold-until" Operation attribute in the request, the IPP object MUST  
2137 populate the job object with a "job-hold-until" attribute with the 'indefinite' value (if IPP object supports the  
2138 "job-hold-until" attribute) and hold the job indefinitely, until a client performs a Release-Job operation.

2139 **3.3.5.2 Hold-Job Response**

2140 The groups and attributes are the same as for a Cancel-Job response (see section 3.3.3.2).

2141 **3.3.6 Release-Job Operation**2142 This OPTIONAL operation allows a client to release a previously held job so that it is again eligible for scheduling.  
2143 If the Hold-Job operation is supported, then the Release-Job operation MUST be supported, and vice-versa.2144 This operation removes the "job-hold-until" job attribute, if present, from the job object that had been supplied in  
2145 the create or most recent Hold-Job or Restart-Job operation and removes its effect on the job. The IPP object  
2146 MUST remove the 'job-hold-until-specified' value from the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute, if present. See  
2147 section 4.3.8.2148 The IPP object MUST accept or reject the request based on the job's current state and transition the job to the  
2149 indicated new state as follows:

Current "job-state"	New "job-state"	IPP object's response status code and action:
'pending'	'pending'	'successful-ok' No effect on the job.
'pending-held'	'pending-held'	'successful-ok' See Rule 1
'pending-held'	'pending'	'successful-ok'
'processing'	'processing'	'successful-ok' No effect on the job.
'processing-stopped'	'processing-stopped'	'successful-ok' No effect on the job.
'completed'	'completed'	'client-error-not-possible'
'canceled'	'canceled'	'client-error-not-possible'
'aborted'	'aborted'	'client-error-not-possible'

2150 Rule 1: If there are other reasons to keep the job in the 'pending-held' state, such as 'resources-are-not-ready', the  
2151 job remains in the 'pending-held' state. Thus the 'pending-held' state is not just for jobs that have the 'job-hold-  
2152 until' applied to them, but are for any reason to keep the job from being a candidate for scheduling and processing,  
2153 such as 'resources-are-not-ready'. See the "job-hold-until" attribute (section 4.2.2).2154 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must either be the job owner or  
2155 an operator or administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP object MUST  
2156 reject the operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-authenticated', or 'client-error-not-  
2157 authorized' as appropriate.2158 The Release-Job Request and Release-Job Response have the same attribute groups and attributes as the Cancel-  
2159 Job operation (see section 3.3.3.1 and 3.3.3.2).

2160 **3.3.7 Restart-Job Operation**

2161 This OPTIONAL operation allows a client to restart a job that is retained in the queue after processing has  
2162 completed (see section 4.3.7.2).

2163 The job is moved to the 'pending' or 'pending-held' job state and restarts at the beginning on the same IPP Printer  
2164 object with the same attribute values. If any of the documents in the job were passed by reference (Print-URI or  
2165 Send-URI), the Printer MUST re-fetch the data, since the semantics of Restart-Job are to repeat all Job  
2166 processing. The Job Description attributes that accumulate job progress, such as "job-impressions-completed",  
2167 "job-media-sheets-completed", and "job-k-octets-processed", MUST be reset to 0 so that they give an accurate  
2168 record of the job from its restart point. The job object MUST continue to use the same "job-uri" and "job-id"  
2169 attribute values.

2170 Note: If in the future an operation is needed that does not reset the job progress attributes, then a new operation  
2171 will be defined which makes a copy of the job, assigns a new "job-uri" and "job-id" to the copy and resets the job  
2172 progress attributes in the new copy only.

2173 The IPP object MUST accept or reject the request based on the job's current state, transition the job to the  
2174 indicated new state as follows:

Current "job-state"	New "job-state"	IPP object's response status code and action:
'pending'	'pending'	'client-error-not-possible'
'pending-held'	'pending-held'	'client-error-not-possible'
'processing'	'processing'	'client-error-not-possible'
'processing-stopped'	'processing-stopped'	'client-error-not-possible'
'completed'	'pending' or 'pending-held'	'successful-ok' - job is started over.
'completed'	'completed'	'client-error-not-possible' - see Rule 1
'canceled'	'pending' or 'pending-held'	'successful-ok' - job is started over.
'canceled'	'canceled'	'client-error-not-possible' - see Rule 1
'aborted'	'pending' or 'pending-held'	'successful-ok' - job is started over.
'aborted'	'aborted'	'client-error-not-possible' - see Rule 1

2175

2176 Rule 1: If the Job Retention Period has expired for the job in this state, then the IPP object rejects the operation.  
2177 See section 4.3.7.2.

2178 Note: In order to prevent a user from inadvertently restarting a job in the middle, the Restart-Job request is  
2179 rejected when the job is in the 'processing' or 'processing-stopped' states. If in the future an operation is needed to  
2180 hold or restart jobs while in these states, it will be added as an additional operation, rather than overloading the  
2181 Restart-Job operation, so that it is clear that the user intended that the current job not be completed.

2182 *Access Rights:* The authenticated user (see section 8.3) performing this operation must either be the job owner or  
2183 an operator or administrator of the Printer object (see Sections 1 and 8.5). Otherwise, the IPP object MUST

2184 reject the operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-authenticated', or 'client-error-not-  
2185 authorized' as appropriate.

### 2186 **3.3.7.1 Restart-Job Request**

2187 The groups and attributes are the same as for a Cancel-Job request (see section 3.3.3.1), with the addition of the  
2188 following Group 1 Operation attribute:

2189 "job-hold-until" (type3 keyword | name(MAX)):

2190 The client **OPTIONALLY** supplies this attribute. The IPP object **MUST** support this Operation attribute  
2191 in a Restart-Job request, if it supports the "job-hold-until" Job Template attribute in create operations. See  
2192 section 4.2.2. Otherwise, the IPP object **NEED NOT** support the "job-hold-until" Operation attribute in a  
2193 Restart-Job request.

2194 If supplied and supported as specified in the Printer's "job-hold-until-supported" attribute, the IPP object  
2195 copies the supplied Operation attribute to the Job object, replacing the job's previous "job-hold-until"  
2196 attribute, if present, and makes the job a candidate for scheduling during the supplied named time period.  
2197 See section 4.2.2.

2198 If supplied, but the value is not supported, the IPP object accepts the request, returns the unsupported  
2199 attribute or value in the Unsupported Attributes Group according to section 3.1.7, returns the 'successful-  
2200 ok-ignored-or-substituted-attributes' status code, and holds the job indefinitely until a client performs a  
2201 subsequent Release-Job operation.

2202 If supplied, but the "job-hold-until" Operation attribute itself is not supported, the IPP object accepts the  
2203 request, returns the unsupported attribute with the out-of-band 'unsupported' value in the Unsupported  
2204 Attributes Group according to section 3.1.7, returns the 'successful-ok-ignored-or-substituted-attributes'  
2205 status code, and restarts the job, i.e., ignores the "job-hold-until" attribute.

2206 If the client (1) supplies a value that specifies a time period that has already started or the 'no-hold' value  
2207 (meaning don't hold the job) and (2) the IPP object supports the "job-hold-until" operation attribute and  
2208 there are no other reasons to hold the job, the IPP object makes the job a candidate for processing  
2209 immediately (see Section 4.2.2).

2210 If the client does not supply a "job-hold-until" operation attribute in the request, the IPP object removes the  
2211 "job-hold-until" attribute, if present, from the job. If there are no other reasons to hold the job, the Restart-  
2212 Job operation makes the job a candidate for processing immediately (see Section 4.2.2).

### 2213 **3.3.7.2 Restart-Job Response**

2214 The groups and attributes are the same as for a Cancel-Job response (see section 3.3.3.2).

2215 Note: In the future an **OPTIONAL** Modify-Job or Set-Job-Attributes operation may be specified that allows the  
2216 client to modify other attributes before releasing the restarted job.

## 2217 4. Object Attributes

2218 This section describes the attributes with their corresponding attribute syntaxes and values that are part of the IPP  
2219 model. The sections below show the objects and their associated attributes which are included within the scope of  
2220 this protocol. Many of these attributes are derived from other relevant documents:

- 2221 - Document Printing Application (DPA) [ISO10175]
- 2222 - RFC 1759 Printer MIB [RFC1759]

2223 Each attribute is uniquely identified in this document using a "keyword" (see section 12.2.1) which is the name of  
2224 the attribute. The keyword is included in the section header describing that attribute.

2225 Note: Not only are keywords used to identify attributes, but one of the attribute syntaxes described below is  
2226 "keyword" so that some attributes have keyword values. Therefore, these attributes are defined as having an  
2227 attribute syntax that is a set of keywords.

### 2228 4.1 Attribute Syntaxes

2229 This section defines the basic attribute syntax types that all clients and IPP objects **MUST** be able to accept in  
2230 responses and accept in requests, respectively. Each attribute description in sections 3 and 4 includes the name of  
2231 attribute syntax(es) in the heading (in parentheses). A conforming implementation of an attribute **MUST** include the  
2232 semantics of the attribute syntax(es) so identified. Section 6.3 describes how the protocol can be extended with  
2233 new attribute syntaxes.

2234 The attribute syntaxes are specified in the following sub-sections, where the sub-section heading is the keyword  
2235 name of the attribute syntax inside the single quotes. In operation requests and responses each attribute value  
2236 **MUST** be represented as one of the attribute syntaxes specified in the sub-section heading for the attribute. In  
2237 addition, the value of an attribute in a response (but not in a request) **MAY** be one of the "out-of-band" values  
2238 whose special encoding rules are defined in the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910]. Standard "out-  
2239 of-band" values are:

- 2240 'unknown': The attribute is supported by the IPP object, but the value is unknown to the IPP object for some  
2241 reason.
- 2242 'unsupported': The attribute is unsupported by the IPP object. This value **MUST** be returned only as the value  
2243 of an attribute in the Unsupported Attributes Group.
- 2244 'no-value': The attribute is supported by the Printer object, but the administrator has not yet configured a value.

2245

2246 All attributes in a request **MUST** have one or more values as defined in Sections 4.2 to 4.4. Thus clients **MUST**  
2247 **NOT** supply attributes with "out-of-band" values for operations defined in this document. All attributes in a  
2248 response **MUST** have one or more values as defined in Sections 4.2 to 4.4 or a single "out-of-band" value.



2249 Most attributes are defined to have a single attribute syntax. However, a few attributes (e.g., "job-sheet", "media",  
2250 "job-hold-until") are defined to have several attribute syntaxes, depending on the value. These multiple attribute  
2251 syntaxes are separated by the "|" character in the sub-section heading to indicate the choice. Since each value  
2252 MUST be tagged as to its attribute syntax in the protocol, a single-valued attribute instance may have any one of its  
2253 attribute syntaxes and a multi-valued attribute instance may have a mixture of its defined attribute syntaxes.

#### 2254 4.1.1 'text'

2255 A text attribute is an attribute whose value is a sequence of zero or more characters encoded in a maximum of  
2256 1023 (MAX) octets. MAX is the maximum length for each value of any text attribute. However, if an attribute  
2257 will always contain values whose maximum length is much less than MAX, the definition of that attribute will include  
2258 a qualifier that defines the maximum length for values of that attribute. For example: the "printer-location" attribute  
2259 is specified as "printer-location (text(127))". In this case, text values for "printer-location" MUST NOT exceed  
2260 127 octets; if supplied with a longer text string via some external interface (other than the protocol),  
2261 implementations are free to truncate to this shorter length limitation.

2262 In this document, all text attributes are defined using the 'text' syntax. However, 'text' is used only for brevity; the  
2263 formal interpretation of 'text' is: 'textWithoutLanguage | textWithLanguage'. That is, for any attribute defined in this  
2264 document using the 'text' attribute syntax, all IPP objects and clients MUST support both the  
2265 'textWithoutLanguage' and 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntaxes. However, in actual usage and protocol  
2266 execution, objects and clients accept and return only one of the two syntax per attribute. The syntax 'text' never  
2267 appears "on-the-wire".

2268 Both 'textWithoutLanguage' and 'textWithLanguage' are needed to support the real world needs of interoperability  
2269 between sites and systems that use different natural languages as the basis for human communication. Generally,  
2270 one natural language applies to all text attributes in a given request or response. The language is indicated by the  
2271 "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute defined in section 3.1.4 or "attributes-natural-language" job  
2272 attribute defined in section 4.3.20, and there is no need to identify the natural language for each text string on a  
2273 value-by-value basis. In these cases, the attribute syntax 'textWithoutLanguage' is used for text attributes. In other  
2274 cases, the client needs to supply or the Printer object needs to return a text value in a natural language that is  
2275 different from the rest of the text values in the request or response. In these cases, the client or Printer object uses  
2276 the attribute syntax 'textWithLanguage' for text attributes (this is the Natural Language Override mechanism  
2277 described in section 3.1.4).

2278 The 'textWithoutLanguage' and 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntaxes are described in more detail in the following  
2279 sections.

##### 2280 4.1.1.1 'textWithoutLanguage'

2281 The 'textWithoutLanguage' syntax indicates a value that is sequence of zero or more characters encoded in a  
2282 maximum of 1023 (MAX) octets. Text strings are encoded using the rules of some charset. The Printer object  
2283 MUST support the UTF-8 charset [RFC2279] and MAY support additional charsets to represent 'text' values,

2284 provided that the charsets are registered with IANA [IANA-CS]. See Section 4.1.7 for the definition of the  
2285 'charset' attribute syntax, including restricted semantics and examples of charsets.

#### 2286 **4.1.1.2 'textWithLanguage'**

2287 The 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntax is a compound attribute syntax consisting of two parts: a  
2288 'textWithoutLanguage' part encoded in a maximum of 1023 (MAX) octets plus an additional 'naturalLanguage' (see  
2289 section 4.1.8) part that overrides the natural language in force. The 'naturalLanguage' part explicitly identifies the  
2290 natural language that applies to the text part of that value and that value alone. For any give text attribute, the  
2291 'textWithoutLanguage' part is limited to the maximum length defined for that 'text' attribute, and the  
2292 'naturalLanguage' part is always limited to 63 (additional) octets. Using the 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntax  
2293 rather than the normal 'textWithoutLanguage' syntax is the so-called Natural Language Override mechanism and  
2294 MUST be supported by all IPP objects and clients.

2295 If the attribute is multi-valued (1setOf text), then the 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntax MUST be used to  
2296 explicitly specify each attribute value whose natural language needs to be overridden. Other values in a multi-  
2297 valued 'text' attribute in a request or a response revert to the natural language of the operation attribute.

2298 In a create request, the Printer object MUST accept and store with the Job object any natural language in the  
2299 "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute, whether the Printer object supports that natural language or not.  
2300 Furthermore, the Printer object MUST accept and store any 'textWithLanguage' attribute value, whether the  
2301 Printer object supports that natural language or not. These requirements are independent of the value of the "ipp-  
2302 attribute-fidelity" operation attribute that the client MAY supply.

2303 Example: If the client supplies the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute with the value: 'en' indicating  
2304 English, but the value of the "job-name" attribute is in French, the client MUST use the 'textWithLanguage' attribute  
2305 syntax with the following two values:

2306 'fr': Natural Language Override indicating French

2307 'Rapport Mensuel': the job name in French

2308

2309 See the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910] section 3.9 for the encoding of the two parts and  
2310 Appendix A for a detailed example of the 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntax.

#### 2311 **4.1.2 'name'**

2312 This syntax type is used for user-friendly strings, such as a Printer name, that, for humans, are more meaningful than  
2313 identifiers. Names are never translated from one natural language to another. The 'name' attribute syntax is  
2314 essentially the same as 'text', including the REQUIRED support of UTF-8 except that the sequence of characters is  
2315 limited so that its encoded form MUST NOT exceed 255 (MAX) octets.

2316 Also like 'text', 'name' is really an abbreviated notation for either 'nameWithoutLanguage' or 'nameWithLanguage'.  
2317 That is, all IPP objects and clients MUST support both the 'nameWithoutLanguage' and 'nameWithLanguage'

2318 attribute syntaxes. However, in actual usage and protocol execution, objects and clients accept and return only  
2319 one of the two syntax per attribute. The syntax 'name' never appears "on-the-wire".

2320 Only the 'text' and 'name' attribute syntaxes permit the Natural Language Override mechanism.

2321 Some attributes are defined as 'type3 keyword | name'. These attributes support values that are either type3  
2322 keywords or names. This dual-syntax mechanism enables a site administrator to extend these attributes to legally  
2323 include values that are locally defined by the site administrator. Such names are not registered with IANA.

#### 2324 **4.1.2.1 'nameWithoutLanguage'**

2325 The nameWithoutLanguage' syntax indicates a value that is sequence of zero or more characters encoded in a  
2326 maximum of 255 (MAX) octets.

#### 2327 **4.1.2.2 'nameWithLanguage'**

2328 The 'nameWithLanguage' attribute syntax is a compound attribute syntax consisting of two parts: a  
2329 'nameWithoutLanguage' part encoded in a maximum of 1023 (MAX) octets plus an additional 'naturalLanguage'  
2330 (see section 4.1.8) part that overrides the natural language in force. The 'naturalLanguage' part explicitly identifies  
2331 the natural language that applies to that name value and that name value alone. For any give text attribute, the  
2332 'textWithoutLanguage' part is limited to the maximum length defined for that 'text' attribute, and the  
2333 'naturalLanguage' part is always limited to 63 (additional) octets. Using the 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntax  
2334 rather than the normal 'textWithoutLanguage' syntax is the so-called Natural Language Override mechanism and  
2335 MUST be supported by all IPP objects and clients.

2336 The 'nameWithLanguage' attribute syntax behaves the same as the 'textWithLanguage' syntax. Using the  
2337 'textWithLanguage' attribute syntax rather than the normal 'textWithoutLanguage' syntax is the so-called Natural  
2338 Language Override mechanism and MUST be supported by all IPP objects and clients. If a name is in a language  
2339 that is different than the rest of the object or operation, then this 'nameWithLanguage' syntax is used rather than the  
2340 generic 'nameWithoutLanguage' syntax.

2341 If the attribute is multi-valued (1setOf text), then the 'nameWithLanguage' attribute syntax MUST be used to  
2342 explicitly specify each attribute value whose natural language needs to be overridden. Other values in a multi-  
2343 valued 'name' attribute in a request or a response revert to the natural language of the operation attribute.

2344 In a create request, the Printer object MUST accept and store with the Job object any natural language in the  
2345 "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute, whether the Printer object supports that natural language or not.  
2346 Furthermore, the Printer object MUST accept and store any 'nameWithLanguage' attribute value, whether the  
2347 Printer object supports that natural language or not. These requirements are independent of the value of the "ipp-  
2348 attribute-fidelity" operation attribute that the client MAY supply.

2349 Example: If the client supplies the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute with the value: 'en' indicating  
2350 English, but the "printer-name" attribute is in German, the client MUST use the 'nameWithLanguage' attribute  
2351 syntax as follows:

2352 'de': Natural Language Override indicating German

2353 'Farbdrucker': the Printer name in German

2354

2355 See the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910] section 3.9 for the encoding of the two parts and  
2356 Appendix A for a detailed example of the 'nameWithLanguage' attribute syntax.

#### 2357 4.1.2.3 Matching 'name' attribute values

2358 For purposes of matching two 'name' attribute values for equality, such as in job validation (where a client-supplied  
2359 value for attribute "xxx" is checked to see if the value is among the values of the Printer object's corresponding  
2360 "xxx-supported" attribute), the following match rules apply:

2361 1. 'keyword' values never match 'name' values.

2362 2. 'name' (nameWithoutLanguage and nameWithLanguage) values match if (1) the name parts match and  
2363 (2) the Associated Natural-Language parts (see section 3.1.4.1) match. The matching rules are:

2364 a. the name parts match if the two names are identical character by character, except it is  
2365 RECOMMENDED that case be ignored. For example: 'Ajax-letter-head-white' MUST match  
2366 'Ajax-letter-head-white' and SHOULD match 'ajax-letter-head-white' and 'AJAX-LETTER-  
2367 HEAD-WHITE'.

2368 b. the Associated Natural-Language parts match if the shorter of the two meets the syntactic  
2369 requirements of RFC 1766 [RFC1766] and matches byte for byte with the longer. For example,  
2370 'en' matches 'en', 'en-us' and 'en-gb', but matches neither 'fr' nor 'e'.

#### 2371 4.1.3 'keyword'

2372 The 'keyword' attribute syntax is a sequence of characters, length: 1 to 255, containing only the US-ASCII  
2373 [ASCII] encoded values for lowercase letters ("a" - "z"), digits ("0" - "9"), hyphen ("-"), dot ("."), and underscore  
2374 ("\_"). The first character MUST be a lowercase letter. Furthermore, keywords MUST be in U.S. English.

2375 This syntax type is used for enumerating semantic identifiers of entities in the abstract protocol, i.e., entities  
2376 identified in this document. Keywords are used as attribute names or values of attributes. Unlike 'text' and 'name'  
2377 attribute values, 'keyword' values MUST NOT use the Natural Language Override mechanism, since they MUST  
2378 always be US-ASCII and U.S. English.

2379 Keywords are for use in the protocol. A user interface will likely provide a mapping between protocol keywords  
2380 and displayable user-friendly words and phrases which are localized to the natural language of the user. While the  
2381 keywords specified in this document MAY be displayed to users whose natural language is U.S. English, they

2382 MAY be mapped to other U.S. English words for U.S. English users, since the user interface is outside the scope  
2383 of this document.

2384 In the definition for each attribute of this syntax type, the full set of defined keyword values for that attribute are  
2385 listed.

2386 When a keyword is used to represent an attribute (its name), it MUST be unique within the full scope of all IPP  
2387 objects and attributes. When a keyword is used to represent a value of an attribute, it MUST be unique just within  
2388 the scope of that attribute. That is, the same keyword MUST NOT be used for two different values within the  
2389 same attribute to mean two different semantic ideas. However, the same keyword MAY be used across two or  
2390 more attributes, representing different semantic ideas for each attribute. Section 6.1 describes how the protocol  
2391 can be extended with new keyword values. Examples of attribute name keywords:

2392 "job-name"  
2393 "attributes-charset"  
2394

2395 Note: This document uses "type1", "type2", and "type3" prefixes to the "keyword" basic syntax to indicate different  
2396 levels of review for extensions (see section 6.1).

#### 2397 4.1.4 'enum'

2398 The 'enum' attribute syntax is an enumerated integer value that is in the range from 1 to 2\*\*31 - 1 (MAX). Each  
2399 value has an associated 'keyword' name. In the definition for each attribute of this syntax type, the full set of  
2400 possible values for that attribute are listed. This syntax type is used for attributes for which there are enum values  
2401 assigned by other standards, such as SNMP MIBs. A number of attribute enum values in this document are also  
2402 used for corresponding attributes in other standards [RFC1759]. This syntax type is not used for attributes to  
2403 which the administrator may assign values. Section 6.1 describes how the protocol can be extended with new  
2404 enum values.

2405 Enum values are for use in the protocol. A user interface will provide a mapping between protocol enum values  
2406 and displayable user-friendly words and phrases which are localized to the natural language of the user. While the  
2407 enum symbols specified in this document MAY be displayed to users whose natural language is U.S. English, they  
2408 MAY be mapped to other U.S. English words for U.S. English users, since the user interface is outside the scope  
2409 of this document.

2410 Note: SNMP MIBs use '2' for 'unknown' which corresponds to the IPP "out-of-band" value 'unknown'. See the  
2411 description of the "out-of-band" values at the beginning of Section 4.1. Therefore, attributes of type 'enum' start at  
2412 '3'.

2413 Note: This document uses "type1", "type2", and "type3" prefixes to the "enum" basic syntax to indicate different  
2414 levels of review for extensions (see section 6.1).

#### 2415 4.1.5 'uri'

2416 The 'uri' attribute syntax is any valid Uniform Resource Identifier or URI [RFC2396]. Most often, URIs are simply  
2417 Uniform Resource Locators or URLs. The maximum length of URIs used as values of IPP attributes is 1023  
2418 octets. Although most other IPP attribute syntax types allow for only lower-cased values, this attribute syntax type  
2419 conforms to the case-sensitive and case-insensitive rules specified in [RFC2396]. See also [IPP-IIG] for a  
2420 discussion of case in URIs.

#### 2421 4.1.6 'uriScheme'

2422 The 'uriScheme' attribute syntax is a sequence of characters representing a URI scheme according to RFC 2396  
2423 [RFC2396]. Though RFC 2396 requires that the values be case-insensitive, IPP requires all lower case values in  
2424 IPP attributes to simplify comparing by IPP clients and Printer objects.

2425 Standard values for this syntax type are the following keywords:

- 2426 'ipp': for IPP schemed URIs (e.g., "ipp:...")
- 2427 'http': for HTTP schemed URIs (e.g., "http:...")
- 2428 'https': for use with HTTPS schemed URIs (e.g., "https:...") (not on IETF standards track)
- 2429 'ftp': for FTP schemed URIs (e.g., "ftp:...")
- 2430 'mailto': for SMTP schemed URIs (e.g., "mailto:...")
- 2431 'file': for file schemed URIs (e.g., "file:...")

2432  
2433 A Printer object MAY support any URI 'scheme' that has been registered with IANA [IANA-MT]. The maximum  
2434 length of URI 'scheme' values used to represent IPP attribute values is 63 octets.

#### 2435 4.1.7 'charset'

2436 The 'charset' attribute syntax is a standard identifier for a charset. A charset is a coded character set and encoding  
2437 scheme. Charsets are used for labeling certain document contents and 'text' and 'name' attribute values. The  
2438 syntax and semantics of this attribute syntax are specified in RFC 2046 [RFC2046] and contained in the IANA  
2439 character-set Registry [IANA-CS] according to the IANA procedures [RFC2278]. Though RFC 2046 requires  
2440 that the values be case-insensitive US-ASCII [ASCII], IPP requires all lower case values in IPP attributes to  
2441 simplify comparing by IPP clients and Printer objects. When a character-set in the IANA registry has more than  
2442 one name (alias), the name labeled as "(preferred MIME name)", if present, MUST be used.

2443 The maximum length of 'charset' values used to represent IPP attribute values is 63 octets.

2444 Some examples are:

- 2445 'utf-8': ISO 10646 Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set (UCS) represented as the UTF-8  
2446 [RFC2279] transfer encoding scheme in which US-ASCII [ASCII] is a subset charset.

2447 'us-ascii': 7-bit American Standard Code for Information Interchange (ASCII), ANSI X3.4-1986 [ASCII].  
2448 That standard defines US-ASCII, but RFC 2045 [RFC2045] eliminates most of the control characters  
2449 from conformant usage in MIME and IPP.

2450 'iso-8859-1': 8-bit One-Byte Coded Character Set, Latin Alphabet Nr 1 [ISO8859-1]. That standard  
2451 defines a coded character set that is used by Latin languages in the Western Hemisphere and Western  
2452 Europe. US-ASCII is a subset charset.  
2453

2454 Some attribute descriptions MAY place additional requirements on charset values that may be used, such as  
2455 REQUIRED values that MUST be supported or additional restrictions, such as requiring that the charset have US-  
2456 ASCII as a subset charset.

#### 2457 **4.1.8 'naturalLanguage'**

2458 The 'naturalLanguage' attribute syntax is a standard identifier for a natural language and optionally a country. The  
2459 values for this syntax type are defined by RFC 1766 [RFC1766]. Though RFC 1766 requires that the values be  
2460 case-insensitive US-ASCII, IPP requires all lower case to simplify comparing by IPP clients and Printer objects.  
2461 Examples include:

2462 'en': for English  
2463 'en-us': for US English  
2464 'fr': for French  
2465 'de': for German  
2466

2467 The maximum length of 'naturalLanguage' values used to represent IPP attribute values is 63 octets.

#### 2468 **4.1.9 'mimeMediaType'**

2469 The 'mimeMediaType' attribute syntax is the Internet Media Type (sometimes called MIME type) as defined by  
2470 RFC 2046 [RFC2046] and registered according to the procedures of RFC 2048 [RFC2048] for identifying a  
2471 document format. The value MAY include a charset, or other, parameter, depending on the specification of the  
2472 Media Type in the IANA Registry [IANA-MT]. Although most other IPP syntax types allow for only lower-  
2473 cased values, this syntax type allows for mixed-case values which are case-insensitive.

2474 Examples are:

2475 'text/html': An HTML document  
2476 'text/plain': A plain text document in US-ASCII (RFC 2046 indicates that in the absence of the charset  
2477 parameter MUST mean US-ASCII rather than simply unspecified) [RFC2046].  
2478 'text/plain; charset=US-ASCII': A plain text document in US-ASCII [52, 56].  
2479 'text/plain; charset=ISO-8859-1': A plain text document in ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1) [ISO8859-1].  
2480 'text/plain; charset=utf-8': A plain text document in ISO 10646 represented as UTF-8 [RFC2279]  
2481 'application/postscript': A PostScript document [RFC2046]

2482 'application/vnd.hp-PCL': A PCL document [IANA-MT] (charset escape sequence embedded in the  
2483 document data)  
2484 'application/pdf': Portable Document Format - see IANA MIME Media Type registry  
2485 'application/octet-stream': Auto-sense - see section 4.1.9.1

2486 The maximum length of a 'mimeType' value to represent IPP attribute values is 255 octets.

#### 2487 **4.1.9.1 Application/octet-stream -- Auto-Sensing the document format**

2488 One special type is 'application/octet-stream'. If the Printer object supports this value, the Printer object MUST be  
2489 capable of auto-sensing the format of the document data using an implementation-dependent method that examines  
2490 some number of octets of the document data, either as part of the create operation and/or at document processing  
2491 time. During auto-sensing, a Printer may determine that the document-data has a format that the Printer doesn't  
2492 recognize. If the Printer determines this problem before returning an operation response, it rejects the request and  
2493 returns the 'client-error-document-format-not-supported' status code. If the Printer determines this problem after  
2494 accepting the request and returning an operation response with one of the successful status codes, the Printer adds  
2495 the 'unsupported-document-format' value to the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute.

2496 If the Printer object's default value attribute "document-format-default" is set to 'application/octet-stream', the  
2497 Printer object not only supports auto-sensing of the document format, but will depend on the result of applying its  
2498 auto-sensing when the client does not supply the "document-format" attribute. If the client supplies a document  
2499 format value, the Printer MUST rely on the supplied attribute, rather than trust its auto-sensing algorithm. To  
2500 summarize:

- 2501 1. If the client does not supply a document format value, the Printer MUST rely on its default value setting  
2502 (which may be 'application/octet-stream' indicating an auto-sensing mechanism).
- 2503 2. If the client supplies a value other than 'application/octet-stream', the client is supplying valid information  
2504 about the format of the document data and the Printer object MUST trust the client supplied value more  
2505 than the outcome of applying an automatic format detection mechanism. For example, the client may be  
2506 requesting the printing of a PostScript file as a 'text/plain' document. The Printer object MUST print a text  
2507 representation of the PostScript commands rather than interpret the stream of PostScript commands and  
2508 print the result.
- 2509 3. If the client supplies a value of 'application/octet-stream', the client is indicating that the Printer object MUST  
2510 use its auto-sensing mechanism on the client supplied document data whether auto-sensing is the Printer  
2511 object's default or not.

2512  
2513 Note: Since the auto-sensing algorithm is probabilistic, if the client requests both auto-sensing ("document-format"  
2514 set to 'application/octet-stream') and true fidelity ("ipp-attribute-fidelity" set to 'true'), the Printer object might not  
2515 be able to guarantee exactly what the end user intended (the auto-sensing algorithm might mistake one document  
2516 format for another), but it is able to guarantee that its auto-sensing mechanism be used.



2517 When a Printer performs auto-sensing of a document in a submitted job, it is RECOMMENDED that the Printer  
2518 indicate to the user that such auto-sensing has occurred and which document-format was auto-sensed by printing  
2519 that information on the job's job-start-sheet.

#### 2520 **4.1.10 'octetString'**

2521 The 'octetString' attribute syntax is a sequence of octets encoded in a maximum of 1023 octets which is indicated in  
2522 sub-section headers using the notation: octetString(MAX). This syntax type is used for opaque data.

#### 2523 **4.1.11 'boolean'**

2524 The 'boolean' attribute syntax has only two values: 'true' and 'false'.

#### 2525 **4.1.12 'integer'**

2526 The 'integer' attribute syntax is an integer value that is in the range from  $-2^{31}$  (MIN) to  $2^{31} - 1$  (MAX). Each  
2527 individual attribute may specify the range constraint explicitly in sub-section headers if the range is different from the  
2528 full range of possible integer values. For example: job-priority (integer(1:100)) for the "job-priority" attribute.  
2529 However, the enforcement of that additional constraint is up to the IPP objects, not the protocol.

#### 2530 **4.1.13 'rangeOfInteger'**

2531 The 'rangeOfInteger' attribute syntax is an ordered pair of integers that defines an inclusive range of integer values.  
2532 The first integer specifies the lower bound and the second specifies the upper bound. If a range constraint is  
2533 specified in the header description for an attribute in this document whose attribute syntax is 'rangeOfInteger' (i.e.,  
2534 'X:Y' indicating X as a minimum value and Y as a maximum value), then the constraint applies to both integers.

#### 2535 **4.1.14 'dateTime'**

2536 The 'dateTime' attribute syntax is a standard, fixed length, 11 octet representation of the "DateAndTime" syntax as  
2537 defined in RFC 2579 [RFC2579]. RFC 2579 also identifies an 8 octet representation of a "DateAndTime" value,  
2538 but IPP objects MUST use the 11 octet representation. A user interface will provide a mapping between protocol  
2539 dateTime values and displayable user-friendly words or presentation values and phrases which are localized to the  
2540 natural language and date format of the user, including time zone.

#### 2541 **4.1.15 'resolution'**

2542 The 'resolution' attribute syntax specifies a two-dimensional resolution in the indicated units. It consists of 3 values:  
2543 a cross feed direction resolution (positive integer value), a feed direction resolution (positive integer value), and a  
2544 units value. The semantics of these three components are taken from the Printer MIB [RFC1759] suggested  
2545 values. That is, the cross feed direction component resolution component is the same as the  
2546 prtMarkerAddressabilityXFeedDir object in the Printer MIB, the feed direction component resolution component

2547 is the same as the prtMarkerAddressabilityFeedDir in the Printer MIB, and the units component is the same as the  
2548 prtMarkerAddressabilityUnit object in the Printer MIB (namely, '3' indicates dots per inch and '4' indicates dots  
2549 per centimeter). All three values MUST be present even if the first two values are the same. Example: '300',  
2550 '600', '3' indicates a 300 dpi cross-feed direction resolution, a 600 dpi feed direction resolution, since a '3'  
2551 indicates dots per inch (dpi).

#### 2552 **4.1.16 '1setOf X'**

2553 The '1setOf X' attribute syntax is 1 or more values of attribute syntax type X. This syntax type is used for multi-  
2554 valued attributes. The syntax type is called '1setOf' rather than just 'setOf' as a reminder that the set of values  
2555 MUST NOT be empty (i.e., a set of size 0). Sets are normally unordered. However each attribute description of  
2556 this type may specify that the values MUST be in a certain order for that attribute.

## 2557 **4.2 Job Template Attributes**

2558 Job Template attributes describe job processing behavior. Support for Job Template attributes by a Printer object  
2559 is OPTIONAL (see section 12.2.3 for a description of support for OPTIONAL attributes). Also, clients  
2560 OPTIONALLY supply Job Template attributes in create requests.

2561 Job Template attributes conform to the following rules. For each Job Template attribute called "xxx":

2562 1. If the Printer object supports "xxx" then it MUST support both a "xxx-default" attribute (unless there is a  
2563 "No" in the table below) and a "xxx-supported" attribute. If the Printer object doesn't support "xxx", then it  
2564 MUST support neither an "xxx-default" attribute nor an "xxx-supported" attribute, and it MUST treat an  
2565 attribute "xxx" supplied by a client as unsupported. An attribute "xxx" may be supported for some  
2566 document formats and not supported for other document formats. For example, it is expected that a  
2567 Printer object would only support "orientation-requested" for some document formats (such as 'text/plain'  
2568 or 'text/html') but not others (such as 'application/postscript').

2569 2. "xxx" is OPTIONALLY supplied by the client in a create request. If "xxx" is supplied, the client is indicating  
2570 a desired job processing behavior for this Job. When "xxx" is not supplied, the client is indicating that the  
2571 Printer object apply its default job processing behavior at job processing time if the document content does  
2572 not contain an embedded instruction indicating an xxx-related behavior.

2573 3. Since an administrator MAY change the default value attribute after a Job object has been submitted but  
2574 before it has been processed, the default value used by the Printer object at job processing time may be  
2575 different than the default value in effect at job submission time.

2576 4. The "xxx-supported" attribute is a Printer object attribute that describes which job processing behaviors are  
2577 supported by that Printer object. A client can query the Printer object to find out what xxx-related  
2578 behaviors are supported by inspecting the returned values of the "xxx-supported" attribute.

2582

2583 Note: The "xxx" in each "xxx-supported" attribute name is singular, even though an "xxx-supported"  
2584 attribute usually has more than one value, such as "job-sheet-supported", unless the "xxx" Job Template  
2585 attribute is plural, such as "finishings" or "sides". In such cases the "xxx-supported" attribute names are:  
2586 "finishings-supported" and "sides-supported".  
2587

2588 4. The "xxx-default" default value attribute describes what will be done at job processing time when no other  
2589 job processing information is supplied by the client (either explicitly as an IPP attribute in the create request  
2590 or implicitly as an embedded instruction within the document data).  
2591

2592 If an application wishes to present an end user with a list of supported values from which to choose, the application  
2593 SHOULD query the Printer object for its supported value attributes. The application SHOULD also query the  
2594 default value attributes. If the application then limits selectable values to only those value that are supported, the  
2595 application can guarantee that the values supplied by the client in the create request all fall within the set of  
2596 supported values at the Printer. When querying the Printer, the client MAY enumerate each attribute by name in  
2597 the Get-Printer-Attributes Request, or the client MAY just name the "job-template" group in order to get the  
2598 complete set of supported attributes (both supported and default attributes).

2599 The "finishings" attribute is an example of a Job Template attribute. It can take on a set of values such as 'staple',  
2600 'punch', and/or 'cover'. A client can query the Printer object for the "finishings-supported" attribute and the  
2601 "finishings-default" attribute. The supported attribute contains a set of supported values. The default value attribute  
2602 contains the finishing value(s) that will be used for a new Job if the client does not supply a "finishings" attribute in  
2603 the create request and the document data does not contain any corresponding finishing instructions. If the client  
2604 does supply the "finishings" attribute in the create request, the IPP object validates the value or values to make sure  
2605 that they are a subset of the supported values identified in the Printer object's "finishings-supported" attribute. See  
2606 section 3.1.7.

2607 The table below summarizes the names and relationships for all Job Template attributes. The first column of the  
2608 table (labeled "Job Attribute") shows the name and syntax for each Job Template attribute in the Job object. These  
2609 are the attributes that can optionally be supplied by the client in a create request. The last two columns (labeled  
2610 "Printer: Default Value Attribute" and "Printer: Supported Values Attribute") show the name and syntax for each  
2611 Job Template attribute in the Printer object (the default value attribute and the supported values attribute). A "No"  
2612 in the table means the Printer MUST NOT support the attribute (that is, the attribute is simply not applicable). For  
2613 brevity in the table, the 'text' and 'name' entries do not show the maximum length for each attribute.

2614	+=====+		
2615	Job Attribute	Printer: Default Value	Printer: Supported
2616		Attribute	Values Attribute
2617	+-----+		
2618	job-priority	job-priority-default	job-priority-supported
2619	(integer 1:100)	(integer 1:100)	(integer 1:100)
2620	+-----+		
2621	job-hold-until	job-hold-until-	job-hold-until-
2622	(type3 keyword	default	supported
2623	name)	(type3 keyword	(1setOf (
2624		name)	type3 keyword   name))
2625	+-----+		
2626	job-sheets	job-sheets-default	job-sheets-supported
2627	(type3 keyword	(type3 keyword	(1setOf (
2628	name)	name)	type3 keyword   name))
2629	+-----+		
2630	multiple-document-	multiple-document-	multiple-document-
2631	handling	handling-default	handling-supported
2632	(type2 keyword)	(type2 keyword)	(1setOf type2 keyword)
2633	+-----+		
2634	copies	copies-default	copies-supported
2635	(integer (1:MAX))	(integer (1:MAX))	(rangeOfInteger
2636			(1:MAX))
2637	+-----+		
2638	finishings	finishings-default	finishings-supported
2639	(1setOf type2 enum)	(1setOf type2 enum)	(1setOf type2 enum)
2640	+-----+		
2641	page-ranges	No	page-ranges-
2642	(1setOf		supported (boolean)
2643	rangeOfInteger		
2644	(1:MAX))		
2645	+-----+		
2646	sides	sides-default	sides-supported
2647	(type2 keyword)	(type2 keyword)	(1setOf type2 keyword)
2648	+-----+		
2649	number-up	number-up-default	number-up-supported
2650	(integer (1:MAX))	(integer (1:MAX))	(1setOf (integer
2651			(1:MAX)
2652			rangeOfInteger
2653			(1:MAX))
2654	+-----+		
2655	orientation-	orientation-requested-	orientation-requested-
2656	requested	default	supported
2657	(type2 enum)	(type2 enum)	(1setOf type2 enum)
2658	+-----+		
2659	media	media-default	media-supported
2660	(type3 keyword	(type3 keyword	(1setOf (

2661	name )	name )	type3 keyword   name))
2662			
2663			media-ready
2664			(1setOf (
2665			type3 keyword   name))
2666	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
2667	printer-resolution	printer-resolution-	printer-resolution-
2668	(resolution)	default	supported
2669		(resolution)	(1setOf resolution)
2670	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
2671	print-quality	print-quality-default	print-quality-
2672	(type2 enum)	(type2 enum)	supported
2673			(1setOf type2 enum)
2674	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
2675			
2676			

#### 2677 4.2.1 job-priority (integer(1:100))

2678 This attribute specifies a priority for scheduling the Job. A higher value specifies a higher priority. The value 1  
 2679 indicates the lowest possible priority. The value 100 indicates the highest possible priority. Among those jobs that  
 2680 are ready to print, a Printer MUST print all jobs with a priority value of n before printing those with a priority value  
 2681 of n-1 for all n.

2682 If the Printer object supports this attribute, it MUST always support the full range from 1 to 100. No  
 2683 administrative restrictions are permitted. This way an end-user can always make full use of the entire range with  
 2684 any Printer object. If privileged jobs are implemented outside IPP/1.1, they MUST have priorities higher than 100,  
 2685 rather than restricting the range available to end-users.

2686 If the client does not supply this attribute and this attribute is supported by the Printer object, the Printer object  
 2687 MUST use the value of the Printer object's "job-priority-default" at job submission time (unlike most Job Template  
 2688 attributes that are used if necessary at job processing time).

2689 The syntax for the "job-priority-supported" is also integer(1:100). This single integer value indicates the number of  
 2690 priority levels supported. The Printer object MUST take the value supplied by the client and map it to the closest  
 2691 integer in a sequence of n integers values that are evenly distributed over the range from 1 to 100 using the formula:

$$2692 \quad \text{roundToNearestInt}((100x+50)/n)$$

2693 where n is the value of "job-priority-supported" and x ranges from 0 through n-1.

2694 For example, if n=1 the sequence of values is 50; if n=2, the sequence of values is: 25 and 75; if n = 3, the  
 2695 sequence of values is: 17, 50 and 83; if n = 10, the sequence of values is: 5, 15, 25, 35, 45, 55, 65, 75, 85, and  
 2696 95; if n = 100, the sequence of values is: 1, 2, 3, ... 100.

2697 If the value of the Printer object's "job-priority-supported" is 10 and the client supplies values in the range 1 to 10,  
2698 the Printer object maps them to 5, in the range 11 to 20, the Printer object maps them to 15, etc.

#### 2699 **4.2.2 job-hold-until (type3 keyword | name (MAX))**

2700 This attribute specifies the named time period during which the Job **MUST** become a candidate for printing.

2701 Standard keyword values for named time periods are:

2702 'no-hold': immediately, if there are not other reasons to hold the job

2703 'indefinite': - the job is held indefinitely, until a client performs a Release-Job (section 3.3.6)

2704 'day-time': during the day

2705 'evening': evening

2706 'night': night

2707 'weekend': weekend

2708 'second-shift': second-shift (after close of business)

2709 'third-shift': third-shift (after midnight)

2710

2711 An administrator **MUST** associate allowable print times with a named time period (by means outside the scope of  
2712 this IPP/1.1 document). An administrator is encouraged to pick names that suggest the type of time period. An  
2713 administrator **MAY** define additional values using the 'name' or 'keyword' attribute syntax, depending on  
2714 implementation.

2715 If the value of this attribute specifies a time period that is in the future, the Printer **SHOULD** add the 'job-hold-until-  
2716 specified' value to the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute, **MUST** move the job to the 'pending-held' state, and  
2717 **MUST NOT** schedule the job for printing until the specified time-period arrives.

2718 When the specified time period arrives, the Printer **MUST** remove the 'job-hold-until-specified' value from the  
2719 job's "job-state-reason" attribute, if present. If there are no other job state reasons that keep the job in the  
2720 'pending-held' state, the Printer **MUST** consider the job as a candidate for processing by moving the job to the  
2721 'pending' state.

2722 If this job attribute value is the named value 'no-hold', or the specified time period has already started, the job  
2723 **MUST** be a candidate for processing immediately.

2724 If the client does not supply this attribute and this attribute is supported by the Printer object, the Printer object  
2725 **MUST** use the value of the Printer object's "job-hold-until-default" at job submission time (unlike most Job  
2726 Template attributes that are used if necessary at job processing time).

#### 2727 **4.2.3 job-sheets (type3 keyword | name(MAX))**

2728 This attribute determines which job start/end sheet(s), if any, **MUST** be printed with a job.

2729 Standard keyword values are:

2730 'none': no job sheet is printed

2731 'standard': one or more site specific standard job sheets are printed, e.g. a single start sheet or both start and  
2732 end sheet is printed

2733

2734 An administrator MAY define additional values using the 'name' or 'keyword' attribute syntax, depending on  
2735 implementation.

2736 The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents MAY be affected by the "multiple-document-handling"  
2737 job attribute (section 4.2.4), depending on the job sheet semantics.

#### 2738 **4.2.4 multiple-document-handling (type2 keyword)**

2739 This attribute is relevant only if a job consists of two or more documents. This attribute MUST be supported with  
2740 at least one value if the Printer supports multiple documents per job (see sections 3.2.4 and 3.3.1). The attribute  
2741 controls finishing operations and the placement of one or more print-stream pages into impressions and onto media  
2742 sheets. When the value of the "copies" attribute exceeds 1, it also controls the order in which the copies that result  
2743 from processing the documents are produced. For the purposes of this explanations, if "a" represents an instance of  
2744 document data, then the result of processing the data in document "a" is a sequence of media sheets represented by  
2745 "a(\*)".

2746 Standard keyword values are:

2747 'single-document': If a Job object has multiple documents, say, the document data is called a and b, then the  
2748 result of processing all the document data (a and then b) MUST be treated as a single sequence of media  
2749 sheets for finishing operations; that is, finishing would be performed on the concatenation of the sequences  
2750 a(\*),b(\*). The Printer object MUST NOT force the data in each document instance to be formatted onto  
2751 a new print-stream page, nor to start a new impression on a new media sheet. If more than one copy is  
2752 made, the ordering of the sets of media sheets resulting from processing the document data MUST be a(\*),  
2753 b(\*), a(\*), b(\*), ..., and the Printer object MUST force each copy (a(\*),b(\*)) to start on a new media  
2754 sheet.

2755 'separate-documents-uncollated-copies': If a Job object has multiple documents, say, the document data is  
2756 called a and b, then the result of processing the data in each document instance MUST be treated as a  
2757 single sequence of media sheets for finishing operations; that is, the sets a(\*) and b(\*) would each be  
2758 finished separately. The Printer object MUST force each copy of the result of processing the data in a  
2759 single document to start on a new media sheet. If more than one copy is made, the ordering of the sets of  
2760 media sheets resulting from processing the document data MUST be a(\*), a(\*), ..., b(\*), b(\*) ... .

2761 'separate-documents-collated-copies': If a Job object has multiple documents, say, the document data is called  
2762 a and b, then the result of processing the data in each document instance MUST be treated as a single  
2763 sequence of media sheets for finishing operations; that is, the sets a(\*) and b(\*) would each be finished  
2764 separately. The Printer object MUST force each copy of the result of processing the data in a single

2765 document to start on a new media sheet. If more than one copy is made, the ordering of the sets of media  
 2766 sheets resulting from processing the document data MUST be a(\*), b(\*), a(\*), b(\*), ... .  
 2767 'single-document-new-sheet': Same as 'single-document', except that the Printer object MUST ensure that the  
 2768 first impression of each document instance in the job is placed on a new media sheet. This value allows  
 2769 multiple documents to be stapled together with a single staple where each document starts on a new sheet.  
 2770

2771 The 'single-document' value is the same as 'separate-documents-collated-copies' with respect to ordering of print-  
 2772 stream pages, but not media sheet generation, since 'single-document' will put the first page of the next document  
 2773 on the back side of a sheet if an odd number of pages have been produced so far for the job, while 'separate-  
 2774 documents-collated-copies' always forces the next document or document copy on to a new sheet. In addition, if  
 2775 the "finishings" attribute specifies 'staple', then with 'single-document', documents a and b are stapled together as a  
 2776 single document with no regard to new sheets, with 'single-document-new-sheet', documents a and b are stapled  
 2777 together as a single document, but document b starts on a new sheet, but with 'separate-documents-uncollated-  
 2778 copies' and 'separate-documents-collated-copies', documents a and b are stapled separately.

2779 Note: None of these values provide means to produce uncollated sheets within a document, i.e., where multiple  
 2780 copies of sheet n are produced before sheet n+1 of the same document.

2781 The relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document processing is described in section  
 2782 15.3.

#### 2783 **4.2.5 copies (integer(1:MAX))**

2784 This attribute specifies the number of copies to be printed.

2785 On many devices the supported number of collated copies will be limited by the number of physical output bins on  
 2786 the device, and may be different from the number of uncollated copies which can be supported.

2787 Note: The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents is controlled by the "multiple-document-handling"  
 2788 job attribute (section 4.2.4) and the relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document  
 2789 processing is described in section 15.3.

#### 2790 **4.2.6 finishings (1setOf type2 enum)**

2791 This attribute identifies the finishing operations that the Printer uses for each copy of each printed document in the  
 2792 Job. For Jobs with multiple documents, the "multiple-document-handling" attribute determines what constitutes a  
 2793 "copy" for purposes of finishing.

2794 Standard enum values are:

2795	Value	Symbolic Name and Description
2796		
2797	'3'	'none': Perform no finishing



- 2798 '4' 'staple': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples. The exact number and placement of the  
 2799 staples is site-defined.
- 2800 '5' 'punch': This value indicates that holes are required in the finished document. The exact number  
 2801 and placement of the holes is site-defined. The punch specification MAY be satisfied (in a  
 2802 site- and implementation-specific manner) either by drilling/punching, or by substituting pre-  
 2803 drilled media.
- 2804 '6' 'cover': This value is specified when it is desired to select a non-printed (or pre-printed) cover for  
 2805 the document. This does not supplant the specification of a printed cover (on cover stock  
 2806 medium) by the document itself.
- 2807 '7' 'bind': This value indicates that a binding is to be applied to the document; the type and placement  
 2808 of the binding is site-defined.
- 2809
- 2810 '8' 'saddle-stitch': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples (wire stitches) along the middle fold.  
 2811 The exact number and placement of the staples and the middle fold is implementation  
 2812 and/or site-defined.
- 2813 '9' 'edge-stitch': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples (wire stitches) along one edge. The  
 2814 exact number and placement of the staples is implementation and/or site-defined.
- 2815 '10'-'19' reserved for future generic finishing enum values.

2816 The following values are more specific; they indicate a corner or an edge as if the document were a portrait  
 2817 document (see below):

- 2818 '20' 'staple-top-left': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples in the top left corner.
- 2819 '21' 'staple-bottom-left': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples in the bottom left corner.
- 2820 '22' 'staple-top-right': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples in the top right corner.
- 2821 '23' 'staple-bottom-right': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples in the bottom right corner.
- 2822 '24' 'edge-stitch-left': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples (wire stitches) along the left edge.  
 2823 The exact number and placement of the staples is implementation and/or site-defined.
- 2824 '25' 'edge-stitch-top': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples (wire stitches) along the top  
 2825 edge. The exact number and placement of the staples is implementation and/or site-  
 2826 defined.
- 2827 '26' 'edge-stitch-right': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples (wire stitches) along the right  
 2828 edge. The exact number and placement of the staples is implementation and/or site-  
 2829 defined.
- 2830 '27' 'edge-stitch-bottom': Bind the document(s) with one or more staples (wire stitches) along the  
 2831 bottom edge. The exact number and placement of the staples is implementation and/or  
 2832 site-defined.
- 2833 '28' 'staple-dual-left': Bind the document(s) with two staples (wire stitches) along the left edge  
 2834 assuming a portrait document (see above).
- 2835 '29' 'staple-dual-top': Bind the document(s) with two staples (wire stitches) along the top edge  
 2836 assuming a portrait document (see above).
- 2837 '30' 'staple-dual-right': Bind the document(s) with two staples (wire stitches) along the right edge  
 2838 assuming a portrait document (see above).

2839 '31' 'staple-dual-bottom': Bind the document(s) with two staples (wire stitches) along the bottom edge  
2840 assuming a portrait document (see above).

2841 The 'staple-xxx' values are specified with respect to the document as if the document were a portrait document. If  
2842 the document is actually a landscape or a reverse-landscape document, the client supplies the appropriate  
2843 transformed value. For example, to position a staple in the upper left hand corner of a landscape document when  
2844 held for reading, the client supplies the 'staple-bottom-left' value (since landscape is defined as a +90 degree  
2845 rotation of the image with respect to the media from portrait, i.e., anti-clockwise). On the other hand, to position a  
2846 staple in the upper left hand corner of a reverse-landscape document when held for reading, the client supplies the  
2847 'staple-top-right' value (since reverse-landscape is defined as a -90 degree rotation of the image with respect to the  
2848 media from portrait, i.e., clockwise).

2849 The angle (vertical, horizontal, angled) of each staple with respect to the document depends on the implementation  
2850 which may in turn depend on the value of the attribute.

2851 Note: The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents is controlled by the "multiple-document-handling"  
2852 job attribute (section 4.2.4) and the relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document  
2853 processing is described in section 15.3.

2854 If the client supplies a value of 'none' along with any other combination of values, it is the same as if only that other  
2855 combination of values had been supplied (that is the 'none' value has no effect).

#### 2856 **4.2.7 page-ranges (1setOf rangeOfInteger (1:MAX))**

2857 This attribute identifies the range(s) of print-stream pages that the Printer object uses for each copy of each  
2858 document which are to be printed. Nothing is printed for any pages identified that do not exist in the document(s).  
2859 Ranges **MUST** be in ascending order, for example: 1-3, 5-7, 15-19 and **MUST NOT** overlap, so that a non-  
2860 spooling Printer object can process the job in a single pass. If the ranges are not ascending or are overlapping, the  
2861 IPP object **MUST** reject the request and return the 'client-error-bad-request' status code. The attribute is  
2862 associated with print-stream pages not application-numbered pages (for example, the page numbers found in the  
2863 headers and or footers for certain word processing applications).

2864 For Jobs with multiple documents, the "multiple-document-handling" attribute determines what constitutes a "copy"  
2865 for purposes of the specified page range(s). When "multiple-document-handling" is 'single-document', the Printer  
2866 object **MUST** apply each supplied page range once to the concatenation of the print-stream pages. For example,  
2867 if there are 8 documents of 10 pages each, the page-range '41:60' prints the pages in the 5th and 6th documents as  
2868 a single document and none of the pages of the other documents are printed. When "multiple-document-handling"  
2869 is 'separate-documents-uncollated-copies' or 'separate-documents-collated-copies', the Printer object **MUST**  
2870 apply each supplied page range repeatedly to each document copy. For the same job, the page-range '1:3, 10:10'  
2871 would print the first 3 pages and the 10th page of each of the 8 documents in the Job, as 8 separate documents.

2872 In most cases, the exact pages to be printed will be generated by a device driver and this attribute would not be  
2873 required. However, when printing an archived document which has already been formatted, the end user may elect  
2874 to print just a subset of the pages contained in the document. In this case, if page-range = n.m is specified, the first

2875 page to be printed will be page n. All subsequent pages of the document will be printed through and including page  
2876 m.

2877 "page-ranges-supported" is a boolean value indicating whether or not the printer is capable of supporting the  
2878 printing of page ranges. This capability may differ from one PDL to another. There is no "page-ranges-default"  
2879 attribute. If the "page-ranges" attribute is not supplied by the client, all pages of the document will be printed.

2880 Note: The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents is controlled by the "multiple-document-handling"  
2881 job attribute (section 4.2.4) and the relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document  
2882 processing is described in section 15.3.

#### 2883 **4.2.8 sides (type2 keyword)**

2884 This attribute specifies how print-stream pages are to be imposed upon the sides of an instance of a selected  
2885 medium, i.e., an impression.

2886 The standard keyword values are:

2887 'one-sided': imposes each consecutive print-stream page upon the same side of consecutive media sheets.

2888 'two-sided-long-edge': imposes each consecutive pair of print-stream pages upon front and back sides of  
2889 consecutive media sheets, such that the orientation of each pair of print-stream pages on the medium would  
2890 be correct for the reader as if for binding on the long edge. This imposition is sometimes called 'duplex' or  
2891 'head-to-head'.

2892 'two-sided-short-edge': imposes each consecutive pair of print-stream pages upon front and back sides of  
2893 consecutive media sheets, such that the orientation of each pair of print-stream pages on the medium would  
2894 be correct for the reader as if for binding on the short edge. This imposition is sometimes called 'tumble' or  
2895 'head-to-toe'.

2896

2897 'two-sided-long-edge', 'two-sided-short-edge', 'tumble', and 'duplex' all work the same for portrait or landscape.  
2898 However 'head-to-toe' is 'tumble' in portrait but 'duplex' in landscape. 'head-to-head' also switches between  
2899 'duplex' and 'tumble' when using portrait and landscape modes.

2900 Note: The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents is controlled by the "multiple-document-handling"  
2901 job attribute (section 4.2.4) and the relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document  
2902 processing is described in section 15.3.

#### 2903 **4.2.9 number-up (integer(1:MAX))**

2904 This attribute specifies the number of print-stream pages to impose upon a single side of an instance of a selected  
2905 medium. For example, if the value is:

2906	Value	Description
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2907

- 2908 '1' the Printer MUST place one print-stream page on a single side of an instance of the selected  
 2909 medium (MAY add some sort of translation, scaling, or rotation).  
 2910 '2' the Printer MUST place two print-stream pages on a single side of an instance of the selected  
 2911 medium (MAY add some sort of translation, scaling, or rotation).  
 2912 '4' the Printer MUST place four print-stream pages on a single side of an instance of the selected  
 2913 medium (MAY add some sort of translation, scaling, or rotation).  
 2914

2915 This attribute primarily controls the translation, scaling and rotation of print-stream pages.

2916 Note: The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents is controlled by the "multiple-document-handling"  
 2917 job attribute (section 4.2.4) and the relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document  
 2918 processing is described in section 15.3.

#### 2919 **4.2.10 orientation-requested (type2 enum)**

2920 This attribute indicates the desired orientation for printed print-stream pages; it does not describe the orientation of  
 2921 the client-supplied print-stream pages.

2922 For some document formats (such as 'application/postscript'), the desired orientation of the print-stream pages is  
 2923 specified within the document data. This information is generated by a device driver prior to the submission of the  
 2924 print job. Other document formats (such as 'text/plain') do not include the notion of desired orientation within the  
 2925 document data. In the latter case it is possible for the Printer object to bind the desired orientation to the document  
 2926 data after it has been submitted. It is expected that a Printer object would only support "orientations-requested"  
 2927 for some document formats (e.g., 'text/plain' or 'text/html') but not others (e.g., 'application/postscript'). This is no  
 2928 different than any other Job Template attribute since section 4.2, item 1, points out that a Printer object may  
 2929 support or not support any Job Template attribute based on the document format supplied by the client. However,  
 2930 a special mention is made here since it is very likely that a Printer object will support "orientation-requested" for  
 2931 only a subset of the supported document formats.

2932 Standard enum values are:

2933	Value	Symbolic Name and Description
2934		
2935	'3'	'portrait': The content will be imaged across the short edge of the medium.
2936	'4'	'landscape': The content will be imaged across the long edge of the medium. Landscape is defined
2937		to be a rotation of the print-stream page to be imaged by +90 degrees with respect to the
2938		medium (i.e. anti-clockwise) from the portrait orientation. Note: The +90 direction was
2939		chosen because simple finishing on the long edge is the same edge whether portrait or
2940		landscape
2941	'5'	'reverse-landscape': The content will be imaged across the long edge of the medium. Reverse-
2942		landscape is defined to be a rotation of the print-stream page to be imaged by -90 degrees
2943		with respect to the medium (i.e. clockwise) from the portrait orientation. Note: The

2944 'reverse-landscape' value was added because some applications rotate landscape -90  
2945 degrees from portrait, rather than +90 degrees.  
2946 '6' 'reverse-portrait': The content will be imaged across the short edge of the medium. Reverse-  
2947 portrait is defined to be a rotation of the print-stream page to be imaged by 180 degrees  
2948 with respect to the medium from the portrait orientation. Note: The 'reverse-portrait' value  
2949 was added for use with the "finishings" attribute in cases where the opposite edge is desired  
2950 for finishing a portrait document on simple finishing devices that have only one finishing  
2951 position. Thus a 'text/plain' portrait document can be stapled "on the right" by a simple  
2952 finishing device as is common use with some middle eastern languages such as Hebrew.  
2953

2954 Note: The effect of this attribute on jobs with multiple documents is controlled by the "multiple-document-handling"  
2955 job attribute (section 4.2.4) and the relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document  
2956 processing is described in section 15.3.

#### 2957 **4.2.11 media (type3 keyword | name(MAX))**

2958 This attribute identifies the medium that the Printer uses for all impressions of the Job.

2959 The values for "media" include medium-names, medium-sizes, input-trays and electronic forms so that one attribute  
2960 specifies the media. If a Printer object supports a medium name as a value of this attribute, such a medium name  
2961 implicitly selects an input-tray that contains the specified medium. If a Printer object supports a medium size as a  
2962 value of this attribute, such a medium size implicitly selects a medium name that in turn implicitly selects an input-  
2963 tray that contains the medium with the specified size. If a Printer object supports an input-tray as the value of this  
2964 attribute, such an input-tray implicitly selects the medium that is in that input-tray at the time the job prints. This  
2965 case includes manual-feed input-trays. If a Printer object supports an electronic form as the value of this attribute,  
2966 such an electronic form implicitly selects a medium-name that in turn implicitly selects an input-tray that contains the  
2967 medium specified by the electronic form. The electronic form also implicitly selects an image that the Printer MUST  
2968 merge with the document data as its prints each page.

2969 Standard keyword values are taken from ISO DPA [ISO10175], the Printer MIB [RFC1759], and ASME-  
2970 Y14.1M [ASME-Y14.1M] and are listed in section 14. An administrator MAY define additional values using the  
2971 'name' or 'keyword' attribute syntax, depending on implementation.

2972 There is also an additional Printer attribute named "media-ready" which differs from "media-supported" in that legal  
2973 values only include the subset of "media-supported" values that are physically loaded and ready for printing with no  
2974 operator intervention required. If an IPP object supports "media-supported", it NEED NOT support "media-  
2975 ready".

2976 The relationship of this attribute and the other attributes that control document processing is described in section  
2977 15.3.

2978 **4.2.12 printer-resolution (resolution)**

2979 This attribute identifies the resolution that Printer uses for the Job.

2980 **4.2.13 print-quality (type2 enum)**

2981 This attribute specifies the print quality that the Printer uses for the Job.

2982 The standard enum values are:

2983	Value	Symbolic Name and Description
2984		
2985	'3'	'draft': lowest quality available on the printer
2986	'4'	'normal': normal or intermediate quality on the printer
2987	'5'	'high': highest quality available on the printer
2988		

2989 **4.3 Job Description Attributes**

2990 The attributes in this section form the attribute group called "job-description". The following table summarizes these  
 2991 attributes. The third column indicates whether the attribute is a REQUIRED attribute that MUST be supported by  
 2992 Printer objects. If it is not indicated as REQUIRED, then it is OPTIONAL. The maximum size in octets for 'text'  
 2993 and 'name' attributes is indicated in parentheses.

2994	Attribute	Syntax	REQUIRED?
2995	job-uri	uri	REQUIRED
2996	job-id	integer(1:MAX)	REQUIRED
2997	job-printer-uri	uri	REQUIRED
2998	job-more-info	uri	
2999	job-name	name (MAX)	REQUIRED
3000	job-originating-user-name	name (MAX)	REQUIRED
3001	job-state	type1 enum	REQUIRED
3002	job-state-reasons	1setOf type2 keyword	REQUIRED
3003	job-state-message	text (MAX)	
3004			

3015	job-detailed-status-	1setOf text (MAX)		
3016	messages			
3017	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3018	job-document-access-errors	1setOf text (MAX)		
3019	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3020	number-of-documents	integer (0:MAX)		
3021	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3022	output-device-assigned	name (127)		
3023	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3024	time-at-creation	integer (MIN:MAX)		REQUIRED
3025	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3026	time-at-processing	integer (MIN:MAX)		REQUIRED
3027	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3028	time-at-completed	integer (MIN:MAX)		REQUIRED
3029	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3030	job-printer-up-time	integer (1:MAX)		REQUIRED
3031	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3032	date-time-at-creation	dateTime		
3033	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3034	date-time-at-processing	dateTime		
3035	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3036	date-time-at-completed	dateTime		
3037	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3038	number-of-intervening-jobs	integer (0:MAX)		
3039	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3040	job-message-from-operator	text (127)		
3041	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3042	job-k-octets	integer (0:MAX)		
3043	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3044	job-impressions	integer (0:MAX)		
3045	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3046	job-media-sheets	integer (0:MAX)		
3047	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3048	job-k-octets-processed	integer (0:MAX)		
3049	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3050	job-impressions-completed	integer (0:MAX)		
3051	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3052	job-media-sheets-completed	integer (0:MAX)		
3053	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3054	attributes-charset	charset		REQUIRED
3055	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3056	attributes-natural-language	naturalLanguage		REQUIRED
3057	+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+			
3058				

3059

3060 **4.3.1 job-uri (uri)**

3061 This REQUIRED attribute contains the URI for the job. The Printer object, on receipt of a new job, generates a  
3062 URI which identifies the new Job. The Printer object returns the value of the "job-uri" attribute as part of the  
3063 response to a create request. The precise format of a Job URI is implementation dependent. If the Printer object  
3064 supports more than one URI and there is some relationship between the newly formed Job URI and the Printer  
3065 object's URI, the Printer object uses the Printer URI supplied by the client in the create request. For example, if  
3066 the create request comes in over a secure channel, the new Job URI MUST use the same secure channel. This can  
3067 be guaranteed because the Printer object is responsible for generating the Job URI and the Printer object is aware  
3068 of its security configuration and policy as well as the Printer URI used in the create request.

3069 For a description of this attribute and its relationship to "job-id" and "job-printer-uri" attribute, see the discussion in  
3070 section 2.4 on "Object Identity".

3071 **4.3.2 job-id (integer(1:MAX))**

3072 This REQUIRED attribute contains the ID of the job. The Printer, on receipt of a new job, generates an ID which  
3073 identifies the new Job on that Printer. The Printer returns the value of the "job-id" attribute as part of the response  
3074 to a create request. The 0 value is not included to allow for compatibility with SNMP index values which also  
3075 cannot be 0.

3076 For a description of this attribute and its relationship to "job-uri" and "job-printer-uri" attribute, see the discussion in  
3077 section 2.4 on "Object Identity".

3078 **4.3.3 job-printer-uri (uri)**

3079 This REQUIRED attribute identifies the Printer object that created this Job object. When a Printer object creates  
3080 a Job object, it populates this attribute with the Printer object URI that was used in the create request. This  
3081 attribute permits a client to identify the Printer object that created this Job object when only the Job object's URI is  
3082 available to the client. The client queries the creating Printer object to determine which languages, charsets,  
3083 operations, are supported for this Job.

3084 For a description of this attribute and its relationship to "job-uri" and "job-id" attribute, see the discussion in section  
3085 2.4 on "Object Identity".

3086 **4.3.4 job-more-info (uri)**

3087 Similar to "printer-more-info", this attribute contains the URI referencing some resource with more information  
3088 about this Job object, perhaps an HTML page containing information about the Job.



### 3089 4.3.5 job-name (name(MAX))

3090 This REQUIRED attribute is the name of the job. It is a name that is more user friendly than the "job-uri" attribute  
 3091 value. It does not need to be unique between Jobs. The Job's "job-name" attribute is set to the value supplied by  
 3092 the client in the "job-name" operation attribute in the create request (see Section 3.2.1.1). If, however, the "job-  
 3093 name" operation attribute is not supplied by the client in the create request, the Printer object, on creation of the  
 3094 Job, MUST generate a name. The printer SHOULD generate the value of the Job's "job-name" attribute from the  
 3095 first of the following sources that produces a value: 1) the "document-name" operation attribute of the first (or only)  
 3096 document, 2) the "document-URI" attribute of the first (or only) document, or 3) any other piece of Job specific  
 3097 and/or Document Content information.

### 3098 4.3.6 job-originating-user-name (name(MAX))

3099 This REQUIRED attribute contains the name of the end user that submitted the print job. The Printer object sets  
 3100 this attribute to the most authenticated printable name that it can obtain from the authentication service over which  
 3101 the IPP operation was received. Only if such is not available, does the Printer object use the value supplied by the  
 3102 client in the "requesting-user-name" operation attribute of the create operation (see Sections 4.4.2, 4.4.3, and 8).

3103 Note: The Printer object needs to keep an internal originating user id of some form, typically as a credential of a  
 3104 principal, with the Job object. Since such an internal attribute is implementation-dependent and not of interest to  
 3105 clients, it is not specified as a Job Description attribute. This originating user id is used for authorization checks (if  
 3106 any) on all subsequent operations.

### 3107 4.3.7 job-state (type1 enum)

3108 This REQUIRED attribute identifies the current state of the job. Even though the IPP protocol defines seven  
 3109 values for job states (plus the out-of-band 'unknown' value - see Section 4.1), implementations only need to  
 3110 support those states which are appropriate for the particular implementation. In other words, a Printer supports  
 3111 only those job states implemented by the output device and available to the Printer object implementation.

3112 Standard enum values are:

3113	Values	Symbolic Name and Description
3114		
3115	'3'	'pending': The job is a candidate to start processing, but is not yet processing.
3116		
3117	'4'	'pending-held': The job is not a candidate for processing for any number of reasons but will return
3118		to the 'pending' state as soon as the reasons are no longer present. The job's "job-state-
3119		reason" attribute MUST indicate why the job is no longer a candidate for processing.
3120		
3121	'5'	'processing': One or more of:
3122		

- 3123 1. the job is using, or is attempting to use, one or more purely software processes that are  
 3124 analyzing, creating, or interpreting a PDL, etc.,  
 3125 2. the job is using, or is attempting to use, one or more hardware devices that are  
 3126 interpreting a PDL, making marks on a medium, and/or performing finishing, such as  
 3127 stapling, etc.,  
 3128 3. the Printer object has made the job ready for printing, but the output device is not yet  
 3129 printing it, either because the job hasn't reached the output device or because the job is  
 3130 queued in the output device or some other spooler, awaiting the output device to print it.  
 3131

3132 When the job is in the 'processing' state, the entire job state includes the detailed status  
 3133 represented in the Printer object's "printer-state", "printer-state-reasons", and "printer-  
 3134 state-message" attributes.

3135 Implementations MAY, though they NEED NOT, include additional values in the job's  
 3136 "job-state-reasons" attribute to indicate the progress of the job, such as adding the 'job-  
 3137 printing' value to indicate when the output device is actually making marks on paper and/or  
 3138 the 'processing-to-stop-point' value to indicate that the IPP object is in the process of  
 3139 canceling or aborting the job. Most implementations won't bother with this nuance.  
 3140

3141 '6' 'processing-stopped': The job has stopped while processing for any number of reasons and will  
 3142 return to the 'processing' state as soon as the reasons are no longer present.  
 3143

3144 The job's "job-state-reason" attribute MAY indicate why the job has stopped processing.  
 3145 For example, if the output device is stopped, the 'printer-stopped' value MAY be included  
 3146 in the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute.  
 3147

3148 Note: When an output device is stopped, the device usually indicates its condition in  
 3149 human readable form locally at the device. A client can obtain more complete device  
 3150 status remotely by querying the Printer object's "printer-state", "printer-state-reasons" and  
 3151 "printer-state-message" attributes.  
 3152

3153 '7' 'canceled': The job has been canceled by a Cancel-Job operation and the Printer object has  
 3154 completed canceling the job and all job status attributes have reached their final values for  
 3155 the job. While the Printer object is canceling the job, the job remains in its current state,  
 3156 but the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute SHOULD contain the 'processing-to-stop-point'  
 3157 value and one of the 'canceled-by-user', 'canceled-by-operator', or 'canceled-at-device'  
 3158 value. When the job moves to the 'canceled' state, the 'processing-to-stop-point' value, if  
 3159 present, MUST be removed, but the 'canceled-by-xxx', if present, MUST remain.  
 3160

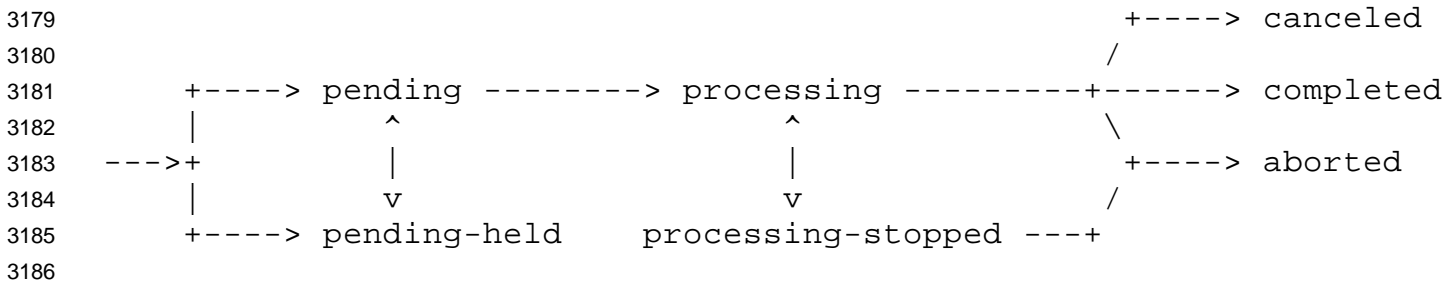
3161 '8' 'aborted': The job has been aborted by the system, usually while the job was in the 'processing' or  
 3162 'processing-stopped' state and the Printer has completed aborting the job and all job status

3163 attributes have reached their final values for the job. While the Printer object is aborting  
 3164 the job, the job remains in its current state, but the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute  
 3165 SHOULD contain the 'processing-to-stop-point' and 'aborted-by-system' values. When  
 3166 the job moves to the 'aborted' state, the 'processing-to-stop-point' value, if present,  
 3167 MUST be removed, but the 'aborted-by-system' value, if present, MUST remain.  
 3168

3169 '9' 'completed': The job has completed successfully or with warnings or errors after processing and all  
 3170 of the job media sheets have been successfully stacked in the appropriate output bin(s) and  
 3171 all job status attributes have reached their final values for the job. The job's "job-state-  
 3172 reasons" attribute SHOULD contain one of: 'completed-successfully', 'completed-with-  
 3173 warnings', or 'completed-with-errors' values.  
 3174

3175 The final value for this attribute MUST be one of: 'completed', 'canceled', or 'aborted' before the Printer removes  
 3176 the job altogether. The length of time that jobs remain in the 'canceled', 'aborted', and 'completed' states depends  
 3177 on implementation. See section 4.3.7.2.

3178 The following figure shows the normal job state transitions.



3187 Normally a job progresses from left to right. Other state transitions are unlikely, but are not forbidden. Not shown  
 3188 are the transitions to the 'canceled' state from the 'pending', 'pending-held', and 'processing-stopped' states.

3189 Jobs reach one of the three terminal states: 'completed', 'canceled', or 'aborted', after the jobs have completed all  
 3190 activity, including stacking output media, after the jobs have completed all activity, and all job status attributes have  
 3191 reached their final values for the job.

#### 3192 4.3.7.1 Forwarding Servers

3193 As with all other IPP attributes, if the implementation cannot determine the correct value for this attribute, it  
 3194 SHOULD respond with the out-of-band value 'unknown' (see section 4.1) rather than try to guess at some  
 3195 possibly incorrect value and give the end user the wrong impression about the state of the Job object. For  
 3196 example, if the implementation is just a gateway into some printing system from which it can normally get status, but  
 3197 temporarily is unable, then the implementation should return the 'unknown' value. However, if the implementation is  
 3198 a gateway to a printing system that never provides detailed status about the print job, the implementation MAY set  
 3199 the IPP Job object's state to 'completed', provided that it also sets the 'queued-in-device' value in the job's "job-  
 3200 state-reasons" attribute (see section 4.3.8).

#### 3201 **4.3.7.2 Partitioning of Job States**

3202 This section partitions the 7 job states into phases: Job Not Completed, Job Retention, Job History, and Job  
3203 Removal. This section also explains the 'job-restartable' value of the "job-state-reasons" Job Description attribute  
3204 for use with the Restart-Job operation.

3205 Job Not Completed: When a job is in the 'pending', 'pending-held', 'processing', or 'processing-stopped' states,  
3206 the job is not completed.

3207 Job Retention: When a job enters one of the three terminal job states: 'completed', 'canceled', or 'aborted', the  
3208 IPP Printer object MAY "retain" the job in a restartable condition for an implementation-defined time period. This  
3209 time period MAY be zero seconds and MAY depend on the terminal job state. This phase is called Job  
3210 Retention. While in the Job Retention phase, the job's document data is retained and a client may restart the job  
3211 using the Restart-Job operation. If the IPP object supports the Restart-Job operation, then it SHOULD indicate  
3212 that the job is restartable by adding the 'job-restartable' value to the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute (see Section  
3213 4.3.8) during the Job Retention phase.

3214 Job History: After the Job Retention phase expires for a job, the Printer object deletes the document data for the  
3215 job and the job becomes part of the Job History. The Printer object MAY also delete any number of the job  
3216 attributes. Since the job is no longer restartable, the Printer object MUST remove the 'job-restartable' value from  
3217 the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute, if present.

3218 Job Removal: After the job has remained in the Job History for an implementation-defined time, such as when the  
3219 number of jobs exceeds a fixed number or after a fixed time period (which MAY be zero seconds), the IPP Printer  
3220 removes the job from the system.

3221 Using the Get-Jobs operation and supplying the 'not-completed' value for the "which-jobs" operation attribute, a  
3222 client is requesting jobs in the Job Not Completed phase. Using the Get-Jobs operation and supplying the  
3223 'completed' value for the "which-jobs" operation attribute, a client is requesting jobs in the Job Retention and Job  
3224 History phases. Using the Get-Job-Attributes operation, a client is requesting a job in any phase except Job  
3225 Removal. After Job Removal, the Get-Job-Attributes and Get-Jobs operations no longer are capable of returning  
3226 any information about a job.

#### 3227 **4.3.8 job-state-reasons (1setOf type2 keyword)**

3228 This REQUIRED attribute provides additional information about the job's current state, i.e., information that  
3229 augments the value of the job's "job-state" attribute.

3230 These values MAY be used with any job state or states for which the reason makes sense. Some of these value  
3231 definitions indicate conformance requirements; the rest are OPTIONAL. Furthermore, when implemented, the  
3232 Printer MUST return these values when the reason applies and MUST NOT return them when the reason no  
3233 longer applies whether the value of the Job's "job-state" attribute changed or not. When the Job does not have any  
3234 reasons for being in its current state, the value of the Job's "job-state-reasons" attribute MUST be 'none'.

3235 Note: While values cannot be added to the 'job-state' attribute without impacting deployed clients that take actions  
3236 upon receiving "job-state" values, it is the intent that additional "job-state-reasons" values can be defined and  
3237 registered without impacting such deployed clients. In other words, the "job-state-reasons" attribute is intended to  
3238 be extensible.

3239 The following standard keyword values are defined. For ease of understanding, the values are presented in the  
3240 order in which the reasons are likely to occur (if implemented), starting with the 'job-incoming' value:

- 3241 'none': There are no reasons for the job's current state. This state reason is semantically equivalent to "job-  
3242 state-reasons" without any value and MUST be used when there is no other value, since the 1setOf  
3243 attribute syntax requires at least one value.
- 3244 'job-incoming': Either (1) the Printer has accepted the Create-Job operation and is expecting additional Send-  
3245 Document and/or Send-URI operations, or (2) the Printer is retrieving/accepting document data as a result  
3246 of a Print-Job, Print-URI, Send-Document or Send-URI operation.
- 3247 'job-data-insufficient': The Create-Job operation has been accepted by the Printer, but the Printer is expecting  
3248 additional document data before it can move the job into the 'processing' state. If a Printer starts  
3249 processing before it has received all data, the Printer removes the 'job-data-insufficient' reason, but the  
3250 'job-incoming' remains. If a Printer starts processing after it has received all data, the Printer removes the  
3251 'job-data-insufficient' reason and the 'job-incoming' at the same time.
- 3252 'document-access-error': After accepting a Print-URI or Send-URI request, the Printer could not access one  
3253 or more documents passed by reference. This reason is intended to cover any file access problem,  
3254 including file does not exist and access denied because of an access control problem. The Printer MAY  
3255 also indicate the document access error using the "job-document-access-errors" Job Description attribute  
3256 (see section 4.3.11). Whether the Printer aborts the job and moves the job to the 'aborted' job state or  
3257 prints all documents that are accessible and moves the job to the 'completed' job state and adds the  
3258 'completed-with-errors' value in the job's "job-state-reasons" attribute depends on implementation and/or  
3259 site policy. This value SHOULD be supported if the Print-URI or Send-URI operations are supported.
- 3260 'submission-interrupted': The job was not completely submitted for some unforeseen reason, such as: (1) the  
3261 Printer has crashed before the job was closed by the client, (2) the Printer or the document transfer method  
3262 has crashed in some non-recoverable way before the document data was entirely transferred to the Printer,  
3263 (3) the client crashed or failed to close the job before the time-out period. See section 4.4.31.
- 3264 'job-outgoing': The Printer is transmitting the job to the output device.
- 3265 'job-hold-until-specified': The value of the job's "job-hold-until" attribute was specified with a time period that  
3266 is still in the future. The job MUST NOT be a candidate for processing until this reason is removed and  
3267 there are no other reasons to hold the job. This value SHOULD be supported if the "job-hold-until" Job  
3268 Template attribute is supported.
- 3269 'resources-are-not-ready': At least one of the resources needed by the job, such as media, fonts, resource  
3270 objects, etc., is not ready on any of the physical printer's for which the job is a candidate. This condition  
3271 MAY be detected when the job is accepted, or subsequently while the job is pending or processing,  
3272 depending on implementation. The job may remain in its current state or be moved to the 'pending-held'  
3273 state, depending on implementation and/or job scheduling policy.
- 3274 'printer-stopped-partly': The value of the Printer's "printer-state-reasons" attribute contains the value 'stopped-  
3275 partly'.

- 3276 'printer-stopped': The value of the Printer's "printer-state" attribute is 'stopped'.
- 3277 'job-interpreting': Job is in the 'processing' state, but more specifically, the Printer is interpreting the document  
3278 data.
- 3279 'job-queued': Job is in the 'processing' state, but more specifically, the Printer has queued the document data.
- 3280 'job-transforming': Job is in the 'processing' state, but more specifically, the Printer is interpreting document  
3281 data and producing another electronic representation.
- 3282 'job-queued-for-marker': Job is in any of the 'pending-held', 'pending', or 'processing' states, but more  
3283 specifically, the Printer has completed enough processing of the document to be able to start marking and  
3284 the job is waiting for the marker. Systems that require human intervention to release jobs using the  
3285 Release-Job operation, put the job into the 'pending-held' job state. Systems that automatically select a  
3286 job to use the marker put the job into the 'pending' job state or keep the job in the 'processing' job state  
3287 while waiting for the marker, depending on implementation. All implementations put the job into (or back  
3288 into) the 'processing' state when marking does begin.
- 3289 'job-printing': The output device is marking media. This value is useful for Printers which spend a great deal of  
3290 time processing (1) when no marking is happening and then want to show that marking is now happening or  
3291 (2) when the job is in the process of being canceled or aborted while the job remains in the 'processing'  
3292 state, but the marking has not yet stopped so that impression or sheet counts are still increasing for the job.
- 3293 'job-canceled-by-user': The job was canceled by the owner of the job using the Cancel-Job request, i.e., by a  
3294 user whose authenticated identity is the same as the value of the originating user that created the Job object,  
3295 or by some other authorized end-user, such as a member of the job owner's security group. This value  
3296 SHOULD be supported.
- 3297 'job-canceled-by-operator': The job was canceled by the operator using the Cancel-Job request, i.e., by a  
3298 user who has been authenticated as having operator privileges (whether local or remote). If the security  
3299 policy is to allow anyone to cancel anyone's job, then this value may be used when the job is canceled by  
3300 other than the owner of the job. For such a security policy, in effect, everyone is an operator as far as  
3301 canceling jobs with IPP is concerned. This value SHOULD be supported if the implementation permits  
3302 canceling by other than the owner of the job.
- 3303 'job-canceled-at-device': The job was canceled by an unidentified local user, i.e., a user at a console at the  
3304 device. This value SHOULD be supported if the implementation supports canceling jobs at the console.
- 3305 'aborted-by-system': The job (1) is in the process of being aborted, (2) has been aborted by the system and  
3306 placed in the 'aborted' state, or (3) has been aborted by the system and placed in the 'pending-held' state,  
3307 so that a user or operator can manually try the job again. This value SHOULD be supported.
- 3308 'unsupported-compression': The job was aborted by the system because the Printer determined while  
3309 attempting to decompress the document-data's that the compression is actually not among those supported  
3310 by the Printer. This value MUST be supported, since "compressions is a REQUIRED operation attribute.
- 3311 'compression-error': The job was aborted by the system because the Printer encountered an error in the  
3312 document-data while decompressing it. If the Printer posts this reason, the document-data has already  
3313 passed any tests that would have led to the 'unsupported-compression' job-state-reason.
- 3314 'unsupported-document-format': The job was aborted by the system because the document-data's document-  
3315 format is not among those supported by the Printer. If the client specifies the document-format as  
3316 'application/octet-stream', the printer MAY abort the job and post this reason even though the format is a

3317 member of the "document-format-supported" printer attribute, but not among the auto-sensed document-  
3318 formats. This value MUST be supported, since "document-format" is a REQUIRED operation attribute.  
3319 'document-format-error': The job was aborted by the system because the Printer encountered an error in the  
3320 document-data while processing it. If the Printer posts this reason, the document-data has already passed  
3321 any tests that would have led to the 'unsupported-document-format' job-state-reason.  
3322 'processing-to-stop-point': The requester has issued a Cancel-Job operation or the Printer object has aborted  
3323 the job, but is still performing some actions on the job until a specified stop point occurs or job  
3324 termination/cleanup is completed.  
3325 If the implementation requires some measurable time to cancel the job in the 'processing' or 'processing-  
3326 stopped' job states, the IPP object MUST use this value to indicate that the Printer object is still  
3327 performing some actions on the job while the job remains in the 'processing' or 'processing-stopped' state.  
3328 After all the job's job description attributes have stopped incrementing, the Printer object moves the job  
3329 from the 'processing' state to the 'canceled' or 'aborted' job states.  
3330 'service-off-line': The Printer is off-line and accepting no jobs. All 'pending' jobs are put into the 'pending-held'  
3331 state. This situation could be true if the service's or document transform's input is impaired or broken.  
3332 'job-completed-successfully': The job completed successfully. This value SHOULD be supported.  
3333 'job-completed-with-warnings': The job completed with warnings. This value SHOULD be supported if the  
3334 implementation detects warnings.  
3335 'job-completed-with-errors': The job completed with errors (and possibly warnings too). This value  
3336 SHOULD be supported if the implementation detects errors.  
3337 'job-restartable' - This job is retained (see section 4.3.7.2) and is currently able to be restarted using the  
3338 Restart-Job operation (see section 3.3.7). If 'job-restartable' is a value of the job's 'job-state-reasons'  
3339 attribute, then the IPP object MUST accept a Restart-Job operation for that job. This value SHOULD be  
3340 supported if the Restart-Job operation is supported.  
3341 'queued-in-device': The job has been forwarded to a device or print system that is unable to send back status.  
3342 The Printer sets the job's "job-state" attribute to 'completed' and adds the 'queued-in-device' value to the  
3343 job's "job-state-reasons" attribute to indicate that the Printer has no additional information about the job  
3344 and never will have any better information. See section 4.3.7.1.

#### 3345 **4.3.9 job-state-message (text(MAX))**

3346 This attribute specifies information about the "job-state" and "job-state-reasons" attributes in human readable text.  
3347 If the Printer object supports this attribute, the Printer object MUST be able to generate this message in any of the  
3348 natural languages identified by the Printer's "generated-natural-language-supported" attribute (see the "attributes-  
3349 natural-language" operation attribute specified in Section 3.1.4.1).

3350 The value SHOULD NOT contain additional information not contained in the values of the "job-state" and "job-  
3351 states-reasons" attributes, such as interpreter error information. Otherwise, application programs might attempt to  
3352 parse the (localized text). For such additional information such as interpreter errors for application program  
3353 consumption or specific document access errors, new attributes with keyword values, needs to be developed and  
3354 registered.

**3355 4.3.10 job-detailed-status-messages (1setOf text(MAX))**

3356 This attribute specifies additional detailed and technical information about the job. The Printer NEED NOT  
3357 localize the message(s), since they are intended for use by the system administrator or other experienced technical  
3358 persons. Localization might obscure the technical meaning of such messages. Clients MUST NOT attempt to  
3359 parse the value of this attribute. See "job-document-access-errors" (section 4.3.11) for additional errors that a  
3360 program can process.

**3361 4.3.11 job-document-access-errors (1setOf text(MAX))**

3362 This attribute provides additional information about each document access error for this job encountered by the  
3363 Printer after it returned a response to the Print-URI or Send-URI operation and subsequently attempted to access  
3364 document(s) supplied in the Print-URI or Send-URI operation. For errors in the protocol that is identified by the  
3365 URI scheme in the "document-uri" operation attribute, such as 'http:' or 'ftp:', the error code is returned in  
3366 parentheses, followed by the URI. For example:

3367 (404) http://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/ipp/new\_MOD/ipp-model-v11-990510.pdf  
3368

3369 Most Internet protocols use decimal error codes (unlike IPP), so the ASCII error code representation is in  
3370 decimal.

**3371 4.3.12 number-of-documents (integer(0:MAX))**

3372 This attribute indicates the number of documents in the job, i.e., the number of Send-Document, Send-URI, Print-  
3373 Job, or Print-URI operations that the Printer has accepted for this job, regardless of whether the document data  
3374 has reached the Printer object or not.

3375 Implementations supporting the OPTIONAL Create-Job/Send-Document/Send-URI operations SHOULD  
3376 support this attribute so that clients can query the number of documents in each job.

**3377 4.3.13 output-device-assigned (name(127))**

3378 This attribute identifies the output device to which the Printer object has assigned this job. If an output device  
3379 implements an embedded Printer object, the Printer object NEED NOT set this attribute. If a print server  
3380 implements a Printer object, the value MAY be empty (zero-length string) or not returned until the Printer object  
3381 assigns an output device to the job. This attribute is particularly useful when a single Printer object supports  
3382 multiple devices (so called "fan-out" - see section 2.1).

**3383 4.3.14 Event Time Job Description Attributes**

3384 This section defines the Job Description attributes that indicate the time at which certain events occur for a job. If  
3385 the job event has not yet occurred, then the IPP object MUST return the 'no-value' out-of-band value (see the  
3386 beginning of Section 4.1). The "time-at-xxx(integer)" attributes represent time as an 'integer' representing the



3387 number of seconds since the device was powered up (informally called "time ticks"). The "date-time-at-  
3388 xxx(dateTime)" attributes represent time as 'dateTime' representing date and time (including an offset from UTC).

3389 In order to populate these attributes, the Printer object copies the value(s) of the following Printer Description  
3390 attributes at the time the event occurs:

- 3391 1. the value in the Printer's "printer-up-time" attribute for the "time-at-xxx(integer)" attributes
- 3392 2. the value in the Printer's "printer-current-time" attribute for the "date-time-at-xxx(dateTime)" attributes.

3393 If the Printer resets its "printer-up-time" attribute to 1 on power-up (see section 4.4.29) and has persistent jobs,  
3394 then it MUST change all of jobs' "time-at-xxx(integer)" (time tick) job attributes whose events have occurred either  
3395 to:

- 3396 1. 0 to indicate that the event happened before the most recent power up OR
- 3397 2. the negative of the number of seconds before the most recent power-up that the event took place, though  
3398 the negative number NEED NOT reflect the exact number of seconds.

3399 If a client queries a "time-at-xxx(integer)" time tick Job attribute and finds the value to be 0 or negative, the client  
3400 MUST assume that the event occurred in some life other than the Printer's current life.

3401 Note: A Printer does not change the values of any "date-time-at-xxx(dateTime)" job attributes on power-up.

#### 3402 **4.3.14.1 time-at-creation (integer(MIN:MAX))**

3403 This REQUIRED attribute indicates the time at which the Job object was created.

#### 3404 **4.3.14.2 time-at-processing (integer(MIN:MAX))**

3405 This REQUIRED attribute indicates the time at which the Job object first began processing after the create  
3406 operation or the most recent Restart-Job operation. The out-of-band 'no-value' value is returned if the job has not  
3407 yet been in the 'processing' state (see the beginning of Section 4.1).

#### 3408 **4.3.14.3 time-at-completed (integer(MIN:MAX))**

3409 This REQUIRED attribute indicates the time at which the Job object completed (or was canceled or aborted).  
3410 The out-of-band 'no-value' value is returned if the job has not yet completed, been canceled, or aborted (see the  
3411 beginning of Section 4.1).

3412 **4.3.14.4 job-printer-up-time (integer(1:MAX))**

3413 This REQUIRED Job Description attribute indicates the amount of time (in seconds) that the Printer  
3414 implementation has been up and running. This attribute is an alias for the "printer-up-time" Printer Description  
3415 attribute (see Section 4.4.29).

3416 A client MAY request this attribute in a Get-Job-Attributes or Get-Jobs request and use the value returned in  
3417 combination with other requested Event Time Job Description Attributes in order to display time attributes to a  
3418 user. The difference between this attribute and the 'integer' value of a "time-at-xxx" attribute is the number of  
3419 seconds ago that the "time-at-xxx" event occurred. A client can compute the wall-clock time at which the "time-at-  
3420 xxx" event occurred by subtracting this difference from the client's wall-clock time.

3421 **4.3.14.5 date-time-at-creation (dateTime)**

3422 This attribute indicates the date and time at which the Job object was created.

3423 **4.3.14.6 date-time-at-processing (dateTime)**

3424 This attribute indicates the date and time at which the Job object first began processing after the create operation or  
3425 the most recent Restart-Job operation.

3426 **4.3.14.7 date-time-at-completed (dateTime)**

3427 This attribute indicates the date and time at which the Job object completed (or was canceled or aborted).

3428

3429 **4.3.15 number-of-intervening-jobs (integer(0:MAX))**

3430 This attribute indicates the number of jobs that are "ahead" of this job in the relative chronological order of  
3431 expected time to complete (i.e., the current scheduled order). For efficiency, it is only necessary to calculate this  
3432 value when an operation is performed that requests this attribute.

3433 **4.3.16 job-message-from-operator (text(127))**

3434 This attribute provides a message from an operator, system administrator or "intelligent" process to indicate to the  
3435 end user the reasons for modification or other management action taken on a job.

3436 **4.3.17 Job Size Attributes**

3437 This sub-section defines job attributes that describe the size of the job. These attributes are not intended to be  
3438 counters; they are intended to be useful routing and scheduling information if known. For these attributes, the  
3439 Printer object may try to compute the value if it is not supplied in the create request. Even if the client does supply

3440 a value for these three attributes in the create request, the Printer object MAY choose to change the value if the  
3441 Printer object is able to compute a value which is more accurate than the client supplied value. The Printer object  
3442 may be able to determine the correct value for these attributes either right at job submission time or at any later  
3443 point in time.

#### 3444 **4.3.17.1 job-k-octets (integer(0:MAX))**

3445 This attribute specifies the total size of the document(s) in K octets, i.e., in units of 1024 octets requested to be  
3446 processed in the job. The value MUST be rounded up, so that a job between 1 and 1024 octets MUST be  
3447 indicated as being 1, 1025 to 2048 MUST be 2, etc.

3448 This value MUST NOT include the multiplicative factors contributed by the number of copies specified by the  
3449 "copies" attribute, independent of whether the device can process multiple copies without making multiple passes  
3450 over the job or document data and independent of whether the output is collated or not. Thus the value is  
3451 independent of the implementation and indicates the size of the document(s) measured in K octets independent of  
3452 the number of copies.

3453 This value MUST also not include the multiplicative factor due to a copies instruction embedded in the document  
3454 data. If the document data actually includes replications of the document data, this value will include such  
3455 replication. In other words, this value is always the size of the source document data, rather than a measure of the  
3456 hardcopy output to be produced.

#### 3457 **4.3.17.2 job-impressions (integer(0:MAX))**

3458 This attribute specifies the total size in number of impressions of the document(s) being submitted (see the definition  
3459 of impression in section 12.2.5).

3460 As with "job-k-octets", this value MUST NOT include the multiplicative factors contributed by the number of  
3461 copies specified by the "copies" attribute, independent of whether the device can process multiple copies without  
3462 making multiple passes over the job or document data and independent of whether the output is collated or not.  
3463 Thus the value is independent of the implementation and reflects the size of the document(s) measured in  
3464 impressions independent of the number of copies.

3465 As with "job-k-octets", this value MUST also not include the multiplicative factor due to a copies instruction  
3466 embedded in the document data. If the document data actually includes replications of the document data, this  
3467 value will include such replication. In other words, this value is always the number of impressions in the source  
3468 document data, rather than a measure of the number of impressions to be produced by the job.

#### 3469 **4.3.17.3 job-media-sheets (integer(0:MAX))**

3470 This attribute specifies the total number of media sheets to be produced for this job.

3471 Unlike the "job-k-octets" and the "job-impressions" attributes, this value MUST include the multiplicative factors  
3472 contributed by the number of copies specified by the "copies" attribute and a 'number of copies' instruction  
3473 embedded in the document data, if any. This difference allows the system administrator to control the lower and  
3474 upper bounds of both (1) the size of the document(s) with "job-k-octets-supported" and "job-impressions-  
3475 supported" and (2) the size of the job with "job-media-sheets-supported".

#### 3476 **4.3.18 Job Progress Attributes**

3477 This sub-section defines job attributes that describe the progress of the job. These attributes are intended to be  
3478 counters. That is, the value for a job that has not started processing MUST be 0. When the job's "job-state" is  
3479 'processing' or 'processing-stopped', this value is intended to contain the amount of the job that has been processed  
3480 to the time at which the attributes are requested. When the job enters the 'completed', 'canceled', or 'aborted'  
3481 states, these values are the final values for the job.

##### 3482 **4.3.18.1 job-k-octets-processed (integer(0:MAX))**

3483 This attribute specifies the total number of octets processed in K octets, i.e., in units of 1024 octets so far. The  
3484 value MUST be rounded up, so that a job between 1 and 1024 octets inclusive MUST be indicated as being 1,  
3485 1025 to 2048 inclusive MUST be 2, etc.

3486 For implementations where multiple copies are produced by the interpreter with only a single pass over the data,  
3487 the final value MUST be equal to the value of the "job-k-octets" attribute. For implementations where multiple  
3488 copies are produced by the interpreter by processing the data for each copy, the final value MUST be a multiple of  
3489 the value of the "job-k-octets" attribute.

##### 3490 **4.3.18.2 job-impressions-completed (integer(0:MAX))**

3491 This job attribute specifies the number of impressions completed for the job so far. For printing devices, the  
3492 impressions completed includes interpreting, marking, and stacking the output.

##### 3493 **4.3.18.3 job-media-sheets-completed (integer(0:MAX))**

3494 This job attribute specifies the media-sheets completed marking and stacking for the entire job so far whether those  
3495 sheets have been processed on one side or on both.

#### 3496 **4.3.19 attributes-charset (charset)**

3497 This REQUIRED attribute is populated using the value in the client supplied "attributes-charset" attribute in the  
3498 create request. It identifies the charset (coded character set and encoding method) used by any Job attributes with  
3499 attribute syntax 'text' and 'name' that were supplied by the client in the create request. See Section 3.1.4 for a  
3500 complete description of the "attributes-charset" operation attribute.

3501 This attribute does not indicate the charset in which the 'text' and 'name' values are stored internally in the Job  
3502 object. The internal charset is implementation-defined. The IPP object **MUST** convert from whatever the internal  
3503 charset is to that being requested in an operation as specified in Section 3.1.4.

#### 3504 **4.3.20 attributes-natural-language (naturalLanguage)**

3505 This **REQUIRED** attribute is populated using the value in the client supplied "attributes-natural-language" attribute  
3506 in the create request. It identifies the natural language used for any Job attributes with attribute syntax 'text' and  
3507 'name' that were supplied by the client in the create request. See Section 3.1.4 for a complete description of the  
3508 "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute. See Sections 4.1.1.2 and 4.1.2.2 for how a Natural Language  
3509 Override may be supplied explicitly for each 'text' and 'name' attribute value that differs from the value identified by  
3510 the "attributes-natural-language" attribute.

### 3511 **4.4 Printer Description Attributes**

3512 These attributes form the attribute group called "printer-description". The following table summarizes these  
3513 attributes, their syntax, and whether or not they are **REQUIRED** for a Printer object to support. If they are not  
3514 indicated as **REQUIRED**, they are **OPTIONAL**. The maximum size in octets for 'text' and 'name' attributes is  
3515 indicated in parentheses.

3516 Note: How these attributes are set by an Administrator is outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document.

3517	+-----+-----+-----+
3518	Attribute   Syntax   REQUIRED?
3519	+-----+-----+-----+
3520	printer-uri-supported   1setOf uri   REQUIRED
3521	+-----+-----+-----+
3522	uri-security-supported   1setOf type2 keyword   REQUIRED
3523	+-----+-----+-----+
3524	uri-authentication-   1setOf type2 keyword   REQUIRED
3525	supported
3526	+-----+-----+-----+
3527	printer-name   name (127)   REQUIRED
3528	+-----+-----+-----+
3529	printer-location   text (127)
3530	+-----+-----+-----+
3531	printer-info   text (127)
3532	+-----+-----+-----+
3533	printer-more-info   uri
3534	+-----+-----+-----+
3535	printer-driver-installer   uri
3536	+-----+-----+-----+
3537	printer-make-and-model   text (127)
3538	+-----+-----+-----+
3539	printer-more-info-   uri
3540	manufacturer
3541	+-----+-----+-----+
3542	printer-state   type1 enum   REQUIRED
3543	+-----+-----+-----+
3544	printer-state-reasons   1setOf type2 keyword   REQUIRED
3545	+-----+-----+-----+
3546	printer-state-message   text (MAX)
3547	+-----+-----+-----+
3548	ipp-versions-supported   1setOf type2 keyword   REQUIRED
3549	+-----+-----+-----+
3550	operations-supported   1setOf type2 enum   REQUIRED
3551	+-----+-----+-----+
3552	multiple-document-jobs-   boolean
3553	supported
3554	+-----+-----+-----+
3555	charset-configured   charset   REQUIRED
3556	+-----+-----+-----+
3557	charset-supported   1setOf charset   REQUIRED
3558	+-----+-----+-----+
3559	natural-language-configured   naturalLanguage   REQUIRED
3560	+-----+-----+-----+
3561	generated-natural-language-   1setOf naturalLanguage   REQUIRED
3562	supported
3563	+-----+-----+-----+

3564	document-format-default	mimeType	REQUIRED	
3565	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3566	document-format-supported	1setOf mimeType	REQUIRED	
3567	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3568	printer-is-accepting-jobs	boolean	REQUIRED	
3569	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3570	queued-job-count	integer (0:MAX)	REQUIRED	
3571	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3572	printer-message-from-	text (127)		
3573	operator			
3574	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3575	color-supported	boolean		
3576	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3577	reference-uri-schemes-	1setOf uriScheme		
3578	supported			
3579	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3580	pdl-override-supported	type2 keyword	REQUIRED	
3581	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3582	printer-up-time	integer (1:MAX)	REQUIRED	
3583	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3584	printer-current-time	dateTime		
3585	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3586	multiple-operation-time-out	integer (1:MAX)		
3587	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3588	compression-supported	1setOf type3 keyword	REQUIRED	
3589	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3590	job-k-octets-supported	rangeOfInteger (0:MAX)		
3591	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3592	job-impressions-supported	rangeOfInteger (0:MAX)		
3593	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3594	job-media-sheets-supported	rangeOfInteger (0:MAX)		
3595	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3596	pages-per-minute	integer(0:MAX)		
3597	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3598	pages-per-minute-color	integer(0:MAX)		
3599	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
3600				

#### 3601 4.4.1 printer-uri-supported (1setOf uri)

3602 This REQUIRED Printer attribute contains at least one URI for the Printer object. It OPTIONALLY contains  
 3603 more than one URI for the Printer object. An administrator determines a Printer object's URI(s) and configures  
 3604 this attribute to contain those URIs by some means outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document. The precise  
 3605 format of this URI is implementation dependent and depends on the protocol. See the next two sections for a  
 3606 description of the "uri-security-supported" and "uri-authentication-supported" attributes, both of which are the

3607 REQUIRED companion attributes to this "printer-uri-supported" attribute. See section 2.4 on Printer object  
3608 identity and section 8.2 on security and URIs for more information.

#### 3609 **4.4.2 uri-authentication-supported (1setOf type2 keyword)**

3610 This REQUIRED Printer attribute MUST have the same cardinality (contain the same number of values) as the  
3611 "printer-uri-supported" attribute. This attribute identifies the Client Authentication mechanism associated with each  
3612 URI listed in the "printer-uri-supported" attribute. The Printer object uses the specified mechanism to identify the  
3613 authenticated user (see section 8.3). The "i th" value in "uri-authentication-supported" corresponds to the "i th"  
3614 value in "printer-uri-supported" and it describes the authentication mechanisms used by the Printer when accessed  
3615 via that URI. See [RFC2910] for more details on Client Authentication.

3616 The following standard keyword values are defined:

3617 'none': There is no authentication mechanism associated with the URI. The Printer object assumes that the  
3618 authenticated user is "anonymous".

3619 'requesting-user-name': When a client performs an operation whose target is the associated URI, the Printer  
3620 object assumes that the authenticated user is specified by the "requesting-user-name" Operation attribute  
3621 (see section 8.3). If the "requesting-user-name" attribute is absent in a request, the Printer object assumes  
3622 that the authenticated user is "anonymous".

3623 'basic': When a client performs an operation whose target is the associated URI, the Printer object challenges  
3624 the client with HTTP basic authentication [RFC2617]. The Printer object assumes that the authenticated  
3625 user is the name received via the basic authentication mechanism.

3626 'digest': When a client performs an operation whose target is the associated URI, the Printer object challenges  
3627 the client with HTTP digest authentication [RFC2617]. The Printer object assumes that the authenticated  
3628 user is the name received via the digest authentication mechanism.

3629 'certificate': When a client performs an operation whose target is the associated URI, the Printer object expects  
3630 the client to provide a certificate. The Printer object assumes that the authenticated user is the textual name  
3631 contained within the certificate.

#### 3632 **4.4.3 uri-security-supported (1setOf type2 keyword)**

3633 This REQUIRED Printer attribute MUST have the same cardinality (contain the same number of values) as the  
3634 "printer-uri-supported" attribute. This attribute identifies the security mechanisms used for each URI listed in the  
3635 "printer-uri-supported" attribute. The "i th" value in "uri-security-supported" corresponds to the "i th" value in  
3636 "printer-uri-supported" and it describes the security mechanisms used for accessing the Printer object via that URI.  
3637 See [RFC2910] for more details on security mechanisms.

3638 The following standard keyword values are defined:

3639 'none': There are no secure communication channel protocols in use for the given URI.

3640 'ssl3': SSL3 [SSL] is the secure communications channel protocol in use for the given URI.

3641 'tls': TLS [RFC2246] is the secure communications channel protocol in use for the given URI.

3642



3643 This attribute is orthogonal to the definition of a Client Authentication mechanism. Specifically, 'none' does not  
3644 exclude Client Authentication. See section 4.4.2.

3645 Consider the following example. For a single Printer object, an administrator configures the "printer-uri-  
3646 supported", "uri-authentication-supported" and "uri-security-supported" attributes as follows:

```
3647 "printer-uri-supported": 'xxx://acme.com/open-use-printer', 'xxx://acme.com/restricted-use-printer',  
3648 'xxx://acme.com/private-printer'  
3649 "uri-authentication-supported": 'none', 'digest', 'basic'  
3650 "uri-security-supported": 'none', 'none', 'tls'  
3651
```

3652 Note: 'xxx' is not a valid scheme. See the IPP/1.1 "Transport and Encoding" document [RFC2910] for the actual  
3653 URI schemes to be used in object target attributes.

3654 In this case, one Printer object has three URIs.

- 3655 - For the first URI, 'xxx://acme.com/open-use-printer', the value 'none' in "uri-security-supported" indicates that  
3656 there is no secure channel protocol configured to run under HTTP. The value of 'none' in "uri-  
3657 authentication-supported" indicates that all users are 'anonymous'. There will be no challenge and the  
3658 Printer will ignore "requesting-user-name".
- 3659 - For the second URI, 'xxx://acme.com/restricted-use-printer', the value 'none' in "uri-security-supported"  
3660 indicates that there is no secure channel protocol configured to run under HTTP. The value of 'digest' in  
3661 "uri-authentication-supported" indicates that the Printer will issue a challenge and that the Printer will use the  
3662 name supplied by the digest mechanism to determine the authenticated user (see section 8.3).
- 3663 - For the third URI, 'xxx://acme.com/private-printer', the value 'tls' in "uri-security-supported" indicates that  
3664 TLS is being used to secure the channel. The client SHOULD be prepared to use TLS framing to  
3665 negotiate an acceptable ciphersuite to use while communicating with the Printer object. In this case, the  
3666 name implies the use of a secure communications channel, but the fact is made explicit by the presence of  
3667 the 'tls' value in "uri-security-supported". The client does not need to resort to understanding which  
3668 security it must use by following naming conventions or by parsing the URI to determine which security  
3669 mechanisms are implied. The value of 'basic' in "uri-authentication-supported" indicates that the Printer will  
3670 issue a challenge and that the Printer will use the name supplied by the digest mechanism to determine the  
3671 authenticated user (see section 8.3). Because this challenge occurs in a tls session, the channel is secure.  
3672

3673 It is expected that many IPP Printer objects will be configured to support only one channel (either configured to use  
3674 TLS access or not) and only one authentication mechanism. Such Printer objects only have one URI listed in the  
3675 "printer-uri-supported" attribute. No matter the configuration of the Printer object (whether it has only one URI or  
3676 more than one URI), a client MUST supply only one URI in the target "printer-uri" operation attribute.

#### 3677 4.4.4 printer-name (name(127))

3678 This REQUIRED Printer attribute contains the name of the Printer object. It is a name that is more end-user  
3679 friendly than a URI. An administrator determines a printer's name and sets this attribute to that name. This name

3680 may be the last part of the printer's URI or it may be unrelated. In non-US-English locales, a name may contain  
3681 characters that are not allowed in a URI.

#### 3682 **4.4.5 printer-location (text(127))**

3683 This Printer attribute identifies the location of the device. This could include things like: "in Room 123A, second  
3684 floor of building XYZ".

#### 3685 **4.4.6 printer-info (text(127))**

3686 This Printer attribute identifies the descriptive information about this Printer object. This could include things like:  
3687 "This printer can be used for printing color transparencies for HR presentations", or "Out of courtesy for others,  
3688 please print only small (1-5 page) jobs at this printer", or even "This printer is going away on July 1, 1997, please  
3689 find a new printer".

#### 3690 **4.4.7 printer-more-info (uri)**

3691 This Printer attribute contains a URI used to obtain more information about this specific Printer object. For  
3692 example, this could be an HTTP type URI referencing an HTML page accessible to a Web Browser. The  
3693 information obtained from this URI is intended for end user consumption. Features outside the scope of IPP can be  
3694 accessed from this URI. The information is intended to be specific to this printer instance and site specific services  
3695 (e.g. job pricing, services offered, end user assistance). The device manufacturer may initially populate this  
3696 attribute.

#### 3697 **4.4.8 printer-driver-installer (uri)**

3698 This Printer attribute contains a URI to use to locate the driver installer for this Printer object. This attribute is  
3699 intended for consumption by automata. The mechanics of print driver installation is outside the scope of this  
3700 IPP/1.1 document. The device manufacturer may initially populate this attribute.

#### 3701 **4.4.9 printer-make-and-model (text(127))**

3702 This Printer attribute identifies the make and model of the device. The device manufacturer may initially populate  
3703 this attribute.

#### 3704 **4.4.10 printer-more-info-manufacturer (uri)**

3705 This Printer attribute contains a URI used to obtain more information about this type of device. The information  
3706 obtained from this URI is intended for end user consumption. Features outside the scope of IPP can be accessed  
3707 from this URI (e.g., latest firmware, upgrades, print drivers, optional features available, details on color support).  
3708 The information is intended to be germane to this printer without regard to site specific modifications or services.  
3709 The device manufacturer may initially populate this attribute.

3710 **4.4.11 printer-state (type1 enum)**

3711 This REQUIRED Printer attribute identifies the current state of the device. The "printer-state reasons" attribute  
3712 augments the "printer-state" attribute to give more detailed information about the Printer in the given printer state.

3713 A Printer object need only update this attribute before responding to an operation which requests the attribute; the  
3714 Printer object NEED NOT update this attribute continually, since asynchronous event notification is not part of  
3715 IPP/1.1. A Printer NEED NOT implement all values if they are not applicable to a given implementation.

3716 The following standard enum values are defined:

3717	Value	Symbolic Name and Description
3718		
3719	'3'	'idle': Indicates that new jobs can start processing without waiting.
3720	'4'	'processing': Indicates that jobs are processing; new jobs will wait before processing.
3721	'5'	'stopped': Indicates that no jobs can be processed and intervention is required.

3722 Values of "printer-state-reasons", such as 'spool-area-full' and 'stopped-partly', MAY be used to provide further  
3723 information.

3724 **4.4.12 printer-state-reasons (1setOf type2 keyword)**

3725 This REQUIRED Printer attribute supplies additional detail about the device's state. Some of the these value  
3726 definitions indicate conformance requirements; the rest are OPTIONAL.

3727 Each keyword value MAY have a suffix to indicate its level of severity. The three levels are: report (least severe),  
3728 warning, and error (most severe).

- 3729 - '-report': This suffix indicates that the reason is a "report". An implementation may choose to omit some or all  
3730 reports. Some reports specify finer granularity about the printer state; others serve as a precursor to a  
3731 warning. A report MUST contain nothing that could affect the printed output.

- 3732 - '-warning': This suffix indicates that the reason is a "warning". An implementation may choose to omit some or  
3733 all warnings. Warnings serve as a precursor to an error. A warning MUST contain nothing that prevents a  
3734 job from completing, though in some cases the output may be of lower quality.

- 3735 - '-error': This suffix indicates that the reason is an "error". An implementation MUST include all errors. If this  
3736 attribute contains one or more errors, printer MUST be in the stopped state.

3737

3738 If the implementation does not add any one of the three suffixes, all parties MUST assume that the reason is an  
3739 "error".

3740 If a Printer object controls more than one output device, each value of this attribute MAY apply to one or more of  
3741 the output devices. An error on one output device that does not stop the Printer object as a whole MAY appear  
3742 as a warning in the Printer's "printer-state-reasons attribute". If the "printer-state" for such a Printer has a value of  
3743 'stopped', then there MUST be an error reason among the values in the "printer-state-reasons" attribute.

3744 The following standard keyword values are defined:

3745 'other': The device has detected an error other than one listed in this document.

3746 'none': There are not reasons. This state reason is semantically equivalent to "printer-state-reasons" without any  
3747 value and MUST be used, since the 1setOf attribute syntax requires at least one value.

3748 'media-needed': A tray has run out of media.

3749 'media-jam': The device has a media jam.

3750 'moving-to-paused': Someone has paused the Printer object using the Pause-Printer operation (see section  
3751 3.2.7) or other means, but the device(s) are taking an appreciable time to stop. Later, when all output has  
3752 stopped, the "printer-state" becomes 'stopped', and the 'paused' value replaces the 'moving-to-paused'  
3753 value in the "printer-state-reasons" attribute. This value MUST be supported, if the Pause-Printer  
3754 operation is supported and the implementation takes significant time to pause a device in certain  
3755 circumstances.

3756 'paused': Someone has paused the Printer object using the Pause-Printer operation (see section 3.2.7) or other  
3757 means and the Printer object's "printer-state" is 'stopped'. In this state, a Printer MUST NOT produce  
3758 printed output, but it MUST perform other operations requested by a client. If a Printer had been printing  
3759 a job when the Printer was paused, the Printer MUST resume printing that job when the Printer is no  
3760 longer paused and leave no evidence in the printed output of such a pause. This value MUST be  
3761 supported, if the Pause-Printer operation is supported.

3762 'shutdown': Someone has removed a Printer object from service, and the device may be powered down or  
3763 physically removed. In this state, a Printer object MUST NOT produce printed output, and unless the  
3764 Printer object is realized by a print server that is still active, the Printer object MUST perform no other  
3765 operations requested by a client, including returning this value. If a Printer object had been printing a job  
3766 when it was shutdown, the Printer NEED NOT resume printing that job when the Printer is no longer  
3767 shutdown. If the Printer resumes printing such a job, it may leave evidence in the printed output of such a  
3768 shutdown, e.g. the part printed before the shutdown may be printed a second time after the shutdown.

3769 'connecting-to-device': The Printer object has scheduled a job on the output device and is in the process of  
3770 connecting to a shared network output device (and might not be able to actually start printing the job for an  
3771 arbitrarily long time depending on the usage of the output device by other servers on the network).

3772 'timed-out': The server was able to connect to the output device (or is always connected), but was unable to  
3773 get a response from the output device.

3774 'stopping': The Printer object is in the process of stopping the device and will be stopped in a while. When the  
3775 device is stopped, the Printer object will change the Printer object's state to 'stopped'. The 'stopping-  
3776 warning' reason is never an error, even for a Printer with a single output device. When an output-device  
3777 ceases accepting jobs, the Printer will have this reason while the output device completes printing.

3778 'stopped-partly': When a Printer object controls more than one output device, this reason indicates that one or  
3779 more output devices are stopped. If the reason is a report, fewer than half of the output devices are  
3780 stopped. If the reason is a warning, fewer than all of the output devices are stopped.

3781 'toner-low': The device is low on toner.

3782 'toner-empty': The device is out of toner.

3783 'spool-area-full': The limit of persistent storage allocated for spooling has been reached. The Printer is  
3784 temporarily unable to accept more jobs. The Printer will remove this value when it is able to accept more

3785           jobs. This value SHOULD be used by a non-spooling Printer that only accepts one or a small number  
3786           jobs at a time or a spooling Printer that has filled the spool space.  
3787           'cover-open': One or more covers on the device are open.  
3788           'interlock-open': One or more interlock devices on the printer are unlocked.  
3789           'door-open': One or more doors on the device are open.  
3790           'input-tray-missing': One or more input trays are not in the device.  
3791           'media-low': At least one input tray is low on media.  
3792           'media-empty': At least one input tray is empty.  
3793           'output-tray-missing': One or more output trays are not in the device  
3794           'output-area-almost-full': One or more output area is almost full (e.g. tray, stacker, collator).  
3795           'output-area-full': One or more output area is full. (e.g. tray, stacker, collator)  
3796           'marker-supply-low': The device is low on at least one marker supply. (e.g. toner, ink, ribbon)  
3797           'marker-supply-empty': The device is out of at least one marker supply. (e.g. toner, ink, ribbon)  
3798           'marker-waste-almost-full': The device marker supply waste receptacle is almost full.  
3799           'marker-waste-full': The device marker supply waste receptacle is full.  
3800           'fuser-over-temp': The fuser temperature is above normal.  
3801           'fuser-under-temp': The fuser temperature is below normal.  
3802           'opc-near-eol': The optical photo conductor is near end of life.  
3803           'opc-life-over': The optical photo conductor is no longer functioning.  
3804           'developer-low': The device is low on developer.  
3805           'developer-empty': The device is out of developer.  
3806           'interpreter-resource-unavailable': An interpreter resource is unavailable (i.e. font, form)  
3807

#### 3808 **4.4.13 printer-state-message (text(MAX))**

3809           This Printer attribute specifies information about the "printer-state" and "printer-state-reasons" attributes in human  
3810           readable text. If the Printer object supports this attribute, the Printer object MUST be able to generate this  
3811           message in any of the natural languages identified by the Printer's "generated-natural-language-supported" attribute  
3812           (see the "attributes-natural-language" operation attribute specified in Section 3.1.4.1).

#### 3813 **4.4.14 ipp-versions-supported (1setOf type2 keyword)**

3814           This REQUIRED attribute identifies the IPP protocol version(s) that this Printer supports, including major and  
3815           minor versions, i.e., the version numbers for which this Printer implementation meets the conformance requirements.  
3816           For version number validation, the Printer matches the (two-octet binary) "version-number" parameter supplied by  
3817           the client in each request (see sections 3.1.1 and 3.1.8) with the (US-ASCII) keyword values of this attribute.

3818           The following standard keyword values are defined:

3819           '1.0': Meets the conformance requirement of IPP version 1.0 as specified in RFC 2566 [RFC2566] and RFC  
3820           2565 [RFC2565] including any extensions registered according to Section 6 and any extension defined in  
3821           this version or any future version of the IPP "Model and Semantics" document or the IPP "Encoding and  
3822           Transport" document following the rules, if any, when the "version-number" parameter is '1.0'.

3823 '1.1': Meets the conformance requirement of IPP version 1.1 as specified in this document and [RFC2910]  
 3824 including any extensions registered according to Section 6 and any extension defined in any future versions  
 3825 of the IPP "Model and Semantics" document or the IPP Encoding and Transport document following the  
 3826 rules, if any, when the "version-number" parameter is '1.1'.

#### 3827 4.4.15 operations-supported (1setOf type2 enum)

3828 This REQUIRED Printer attribute specifies the set of supported operations for this Printer object and contained  
 3829 Job objects.

3830 This attribute is encoded as any other enum attribute syntax according to [RFC2910] as 32-bits. However, all 32-  
 3831 bit enum values for this attribute MUST NOT exceed 0x00008FFF, since these same values are also passed in  
 3832 two octets in the "operation-id" parameter (see section 3.1.1) in each Protocol request with the two high order  
 3833 octets omitted in order to indicate the operation being performed [RFC2910].

3834 The following standard enum and "operation-id" (see section 3.1.2) values are defined:

3835	Value	Operation Name
3836	-----	-----
3837		
3838	0x0000	reserved, not used
3839	0x0001	reserved, not used
3840	0x0002	Print-Job
3841	0x0003	Print-URI
3842	0x0004	Validate-Job
3843	0x0005	Create-Job
3844	0x0006	Send-Document
3845	0x0007	Send-URI
3846	0x0008	Cancel-Job
3847	0x0009	Get-Job-Attributes
3848	0x000A	Get-Jobs
3849	0x000B	Get-Printer-Attributes
3850	0x000C	Hold-Job
3851	0x000D	Release-Job
3852	0x000E	Restart-Job
3853	0x000F	reserved for a future operation
3854	0x0010	Pause-Printer
3855	0x0011	Resume-Printer
3856	0x0012	Purge-Jobs
3857	0x0013-0x3FFF	reserved for future IETF standards track operations (see section 6.4)
3858	0x4000-0x8FFF	reserved for vendor extensions (see section 6.4)
3859		

**3860 4.4.16 multiple-document-jobs-supported (boolean)**

3861 This Printer attribute indicates whether or not the Printer supports more than one document per job, i.e., more than  
3862 one Send-Document or Send-Data operation with document data. If the Printer supports the Create-Job and  
3863 Send-Document operations (see section 3.2.4 and 3.3.1), it **MUST** support this attribute.

**3864 4.4.17 charset-configured (charset)**

3865 This **REQUIRED** Printer attribute identifies the charset that the Printer object has been configured to represent  
3866 'text' and 'name' Printer attributes that are set by the operator, system administrator, or manufacturer, i.e., for  
3867 "printer-name" (name), "printer-location" (text), "printer-info" (text), and "printer-make-and-model" (text).  
3868 Therefore, the value of the Printer object's "charset-configured" attribute **MUST** also be among the values of the  
3869 Printer object's "charset-supported" attribute.

**3870 4.4.18 charset-supported (1setOf charset)**

3871 This **REQUIRED** Printer attribute identifies the set of charsets that the Printer and contained Job objects support in  
3872 attributes with attribute syntax 'text' and 'name'. At least the value 'utf-8' **MUST** be present, since IPP objects  
3873 **MUST** support the UTF-8 [RFC2279] charset. If a Printer object supports a charset, it means that for all  
3874 attributes of syntax 'text' and 'name' the IPP object **MUST** (1) accept the charset in requests and return the charset  
3875 in responses as needed.

3876 If more charsets than UTF-8 are supported, the IPP object **MUST** perform charset conversion between the  
3877 charsets as described in Section 3.1.4.2.

**3878 4.4.19 natural-language-configured (naturalLanguage)**

3879 This **REQUIRED** Printer attribute identifies the natural language that the Printer object has been configured to  
3880 represent 'text' and 'name' Printer attributes that are set by the operator, system administrator, or manufacturer, i.e.,  
3881 for "printer-name" (name), "printer-location" (text), "printer-info" (text), and "printer-make-and-model" (text).  
3882 When returning these Printer attributes, the Printer object **MAY** return them in the configured natural language  
3883 specified by this attribute, instead of the natural language requested by the client in the "attributes-natural-language"  
3884 operation attribute. See Section 3.1.4.1 for the specification of the **OPTIONAL** multiple natural language support.  
3885 Therefore, the value of the Printer object's "natural-language-configured" attribute **MUST** also be among the values  
3886 of the Printer object's "generated-natural-language-supported" attribute.

**3887 4.4.20 generated-natural-language-supported (1setOf naturalLanguage)**

3888 This **REQUIRED** Printer attribute identifies the natural language(s) that the Printer object and contained Job  
3889 objects support in attributes with attribute syntax 'text' and 'name'. The natural language(s) supported depends on  
3890 implementation and/or configuration. Unlike charsets, IPP objects **MUST** accept requests with any natural  
3891 language or any Natural Language Override whether the natural language is supported or not.

3892 If a Printer object supports a natural language, it means that for any of the attributes for which the Printer or Job  
3893 object generates messages, i.e., for the "job-state-message" and "printer-state-message" attributes and Operation  
3894 Messages (see Section 3.1.5) in operation responses, the Printer and Job objects MUST be able to generate  
3895 messages in any of the Printer's supported natural languages. See section 3.1.4 for the definition of 'text' and  
3896 'name' attributes in operation requests and responses.

3897 Note: A Printer object that supports multiple natural languages, often has separate catalogs of messages, one for  
3898 each natural language supported.

#### 3899 **4.4.21 document-format-default (mimeMediaType)**

3900 This REQUIRED Printer attribute identifies the document format that the Printer object has been configured to  
3901 assume if the client does not supply a "document-format" operation attribute in any of the operation requests that  
3902 supply document data. The standard values for this attribute are Internet Media types (sometimes called MIME  
3903 types). For further details see the description of the 'mimeMediaType' attribute syntax in Section 4.1.9.

#### 3904 **4.4.22 document-format-supported (1setOf mimeMediaType)**

3905 This REQUIRED Printer attribute identifies the set of document formats that the Printer object and contained Job  
3906 objects can support. For further details see the description of the 'mimeMediaType' attribute syntax in Section  
3907 4.1.9.

#### 3908 **4.4.23 printer-is-accepting-jobs (boolean)**

3909 This REQUIRED Printer attribute indicates whether the printer is currently able to accept jobs, i.e., is accepting  
3910 Print-Job, Print-URI, and Create-Job requests. If the value is 'true', the printer is accepting jobs. If the value is  
3911 'false', the Printer object is currently rejecting any jobs submitted to it. In this case, the Printer object returns the  
3912 'server-error-not-accepting-jobs' status code.

3913 This value is independent of the "printer-state" and "printer-state-reasons" attributes because its value does not  
3914 affect the current job; rather it affects future jobs. This attribute, when 'false', causes the Printer to reject jobs even  
3915 when the "printer-state" is 'idle' or, when 'true', causes the Printer object to accept jobs even when the "printer-  
3916 state" is 'stopped'.

#### 3917 **4.4.24 queued-job-count (integer(0:MAX))**

3918 This REQUIRED Printer attribute contains a count of the number of jobs that are either 'pending', 'processing',  
3919 'pending-held', or 'processing-stopped' and is set by the Printer object.



3920 **4.4.25 printer-message-from-operator (text(127))**

3921 This Printer attribute provides a message from an operator, system administrator or "intelligent" process to indicate  
3922 to the end user information or status of the printer, such as why it is unavailable or when it is expected to be  
3923 available.

3924 **4.4.26 color-supported (boolean)**

3925 This Printer attribute identifies whether the device is capable of any type of color printing at all, including highlight  
3926 color. All document instructions having to do with color are embedded within the document PDL (none are  
3927 external IPP attributes in IPP/1.1).

3928 Note: end-users are able to determine the nature and details of the color support by querying the "printer-more-  
3929 info-manufacturer" Printer attribute.

3930 **4.4.27 reference-uri-schemes-supported (1setOf uriScheme)**

3931 This Printer attribute specifies which URI schemes are supported for use in the "document-uri" operation attribute  
3932 of the Print-URI or Send-URI operation. If a Printer object supports these optional operations, it MUST support  
3933 the "reference-uri-schemes-supported" Printer attribute with at least the following schemed URI value:

3934 'ftp': The Printer object will use an FTP 'get' operation as defined in RFC 2228 [RFC2228] using FTP URLs  
3935 as defined by [RFC2396] and[RFC2316].  
3936

3937 The Printer object MAY OPTIONALLY support other URI schemes (see section 4.1.6).

3938 **4.4.28 pdl-override-supported (type2 keyword)**

3939 This REQUIRED Printer attribute expresses the ability for a particular Printer implementation to either attempt to  
3940 override document data instructions with IPP attributes or not.

3941 This attribute takes on the following keyword values:

- 3942 - 'attempted': This value indicates that the Printer object attempts to make the IPP attribute values take  
3943 precedence over embedded instructions in the document data, however there is no guarantee.
- 3944 - 'not-attempted': This value indicates that the Printer object makes no attempt to make the IPP attribute values  
3945 take precedence over embedded instructions in the document data.  
3946

3947 Section 15 contains a full description of how this attribute interacts with and affects other IPP attributes, especially  
3948 the "ipp-attribute-fidelity" attribute.

#### 3949 **4.4.29 printer-up-time (integer(1:MAX))**

3950 This REQUIRED Printer attribute indicates the amount of time (in seconds) that this Printer instance has been up  
3951 and running. The value is a monotonically increasing value starting from 1 when the Printer object is started-up  
3952 (initialized, booted, etc.). This value is used to populate the Event Time Job Description Job attributes "time-at-  
3953 creation", "time-at-processing", and "time-at-completed" (see section 4.3.14).

3954 If the Printer object goes down at some value 'n', and comes back up, the implementation MAY:

- 3955 1. Know how long it has been down, and resume at some value greater than 'n', or
- 3956 2. Restart from 1.

3957 In other words, if the device or devices that the Printer object is representing are restarted or power cycled, the  
3958 Printer object MAY continue counting this value or MAY reset this value to 1 depending on implementation.  
3959 However, if the Printer object software ceases running, and restarts without knowing the last value for "printer-up-  
3960 time", the implementation MUST reset this value to 1. If this value is reset and the Printer has persistent jobs, the  
3961 Printer MUST reset the "time-at-xxx(integer) Event Time Job Description attributes according to Section 4.3.14.  
3962 An implementation MAY use both implementation alternatives, depending on warm versus cold start, respectively.

#### 3963 **4.4.30 printer-current-time (dateTime)**

3964 This Printer attribute indicates the current date and time. This value is used to populate the Event Time Job  
3965 Description attributes: "date-time-at-creation", "date-time-at-processing", and "date-time-at-completed" (see  
3966 Section 4.3.14).

3967 The date and time is obtained on a "best efforts basis" and does not have to be that precise in order to work in  
3968 practice. A Printer implementation sets the value of this attribute by obtaining the date and time via some  
3969 implementation-dependent means, such as getting the value from a network time server, initialization at time of  
3970 manufacture, or setting by an administrator. See [IPP-IIG] for examples. If an implementation supports this  
3971 attribute and the implementation knows that it has not yet been set, then the implementation MUST return the value  
3972 of this attribute using the out-of-band 'no-value' meaning not configured. See the beginning of section 4.1.

3973 The time zone of this attribute NEED NOT be the time zone used by people located near the Printer object or  
3974 device. The client MUST NOT expect that the time zone of any received 'dateTime' value to be in the time zone of  
3975 the client or in the time zone of the people located near the printer.

3976 The client SHOULD display any dateTime attributes to the user in client local time by converting the 'dateTime'  
3977 value returned by the server to the time zone of the client, rather than using the time zone returned by the Printer in  
3978 attributes that use the 'dateTime' attribute syntax.

#### 3979 **4.4.31 multiple-operation-time-out (integer(1:MAX))**

3980 This Printer attributes identifies the minimum time (in seconds) that the Printer object waits for additional Send-  
3981 Document or Send-URI operations to follow a still-open Job object before taking any recovery actions, such as

3982 the ones indicated in section 3.3.1. If the Printer object supports the Create-Job and Send-Document operations  
3983 (see section 3.2.4 and 3.3.1), it **MUST** support this attribute.

3984 It is **RECOMMENDED** that vendors supply a value for this attribute that is between 60 and 240 seconds. An  
3985 implementation **MAY** allow a system administrator to set this attribute (by means outside this IPP/1.1 document).  
3986 If so, the system administrator **MAY** be able to set values outside this range.

#### 3987 **4.4.32 compression-supported (1setOf type3 keyword)**

3988 This **REQUIRED** Printer attribute identifies the set of supported compression algorithms for document data.  
3989 Compression only applies to the document data; compression does not apply to the encoding of the IPP operation  
3990 itself. The supported values are used to validate the client supplied "compression" operation attributes in Print-Job,  
3991 Send-Document, and Send-URI requests.

3992 Standard keyword values are :

3993 'none': no compression is used.

3994 'deflate': ZIP public domain inflate/deflate) compression technology in RFC 1951 [RFC1951]

3995 'gzip' GNU zip compression technology described in RFC 1952 [RFC1952].

3996 'compress': UNIX compression technology in RFC 1977 [RFC1977]

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#### 3998 **4.4.33 job-k-octets-supported (rangeOfInteger(0:MAX))**

3999 This Printer attribute specifies the upper and lower bounds of total sizes of jobs in K octets, i.e., in units of 1024  
4000 octets. The supported values are used to validate the client supplied "job-k-octets" operation attributes in create  
4001 requests. The corresponding job description attribute "job-k-octets" is defined in section 4.3.17.1.

#### 4002 **4.4.34 job-impressions-supported (rangeOfInteger(0:MAX))**

4003 This Printer attribute specifies the upper and lower bounds for the number of impressions per job. The supported  
4004 values are used to validate the client supplied "job-impressions" operation attributes in create requests. The  
4005 corresponding job description attribute "job-impressions" is defined in section 4.3.17.2.

#### 4006 **4.4.35 job-media-sheets-supported (rangeOfInteger(0:MAX))**

4007 This Printer attribute specifies the upper and lower bounds for the number of media sheets per job. The supported  
4008 values are used to validate the client supplied "job-media-sheets" operation attributes in create requests. The  
4009 corresponding Job attribute "job-media-sheets" is defined in section 4.3.17.3.

#### 4010 **4.4.36 pages-per-minute (integer(0:MAX))**

4011 This Printer attributes specifies the nominal number of pages per minute to the nearest whole number which may be  
4012 generated by this printer (e.g., simplex, black-and-white). This attribute is informative, not a service guarantee.  
4013 Generally, it is the value used in the marketing literature to describe the device.

4014 A value of 0 indicates a device that takes more than two minutes to process a page.

#### 4015 **4.4.37 pages-per-minute-color (integer(0:MAX))**

4016 This Printer attributes specifies the nominal number of pages per minute to the nearest whole number which may be  
4017 generated by this printer when printing color (e.g., simplex, color). For purposes of this attribute, "color" means the  
4018 same as for the "color-supported" attribute, namely, the device is capable of any type of color printing at all,  
4019 including highlight color. This attribute is informative, not a service guarantee. Generally, it is the value used in the  
4020 marketing literature to describe the color capabilities of this device.

4021 A value of 0 indicates a device that takes more than two minutes to process a page.

4022 If a color device has several color modes, it MAY use the pages-per-minute value for this attribute that  
4023 corresponds to the mode that produces the highest number.

4024 Black and white only printers MUST NOT support this attribute. If this attribute is present, then the "color-  
4025 supported" Printer description attribute MUST be present and have a 'true' value.

4026 The values of these two attributes returned by the Get-Printer-Attributes operation MAY be affected by the  
4027 "document-format" attribute supplied by the client in the Get-Printer-Attributes request. In other words, the  
4028 implementation MAY have different speeds depending on the document format being processed. See section  
4029 3.2.5.1 Get-Printer-Attributes.

## 4030 **5. Conformance**

4031 This section describes conformance issues and requirements. This document introduces model entities such as  
4032 objects, operations, attributes, attribute syntaxes, and attribute values. These conformance sections describe the  
4033 conformance requirements which apply to these model entities.

### 4034 **5.1 Client Conformance Requirements**

4035 This section describes the conformance requirements for a client (see section 2.1), whether it be:

- 4036 1. contained within software controlled by an end user, e.g. activated by the "Print" menu item in an  
4037 application that sends IPP requests or

4038       2. the print server component that sends IPP requests to either an output device or another "downstream"  
4039       print server.

4040 A conforming client **MUST** support all **REQUIRED** operations as defined in this document. For each attribute  
4041 included in an operation request, a conforming client **MUST** supply a value whose type and value syntax conforms  
4042 to the requirements of the Model document as specified in Sections 3 and 4. A conforming client **MAY** supply any  
4043 IETF standards track extensions and/or vendor extensions in an operation request, as long as the extensions meet  
4044 the requirements in Section 6.

4045 Otherwise, there are no conformance requirements placed on the user interfaces provided by IPP clients or their  
4046 applications. For example, one application might not allow an end user to submit multiple documents per job, while  
4047 another does. One application might first query a Printer object in order to supply a graphical user interface (GUI)  
4048 dialogue box with supported and default values whereas a different implementation might not.

4049 When sending a request, an IPP client **NEED NOT** supply any attributes that are indicated as **OPTIONALLY**  
4050 supplied by the client.

4051 A client **MUST** be able to accept any of the attribute syntaxes defined in Section 4.1, including their full range, that  
4052 may be returned to it in a response from a Printer object. In particular for each attribute that the client supports  
4053 whose attribute syntax is 'text', the client **MUST** accept and process both the 'textWithoutLanguage' and  
4054 'textWithLanguage' forms. Similarly, for each attribute that the client supports whose attribute syntax is 'name', the  
4055 client **MUST** accept and process both the 'nameWithoutLanguage' and 'nameWithLanguage' forms. For  
4056 presentation purposes, truncation of long attribute values is not recommended. A recommended approach would  
4057 be for the client implementation to allow the user to scroll through long attribute values.

4058 A response **MAY** contain attribute groups, attributes, attribute syntaxes, values, and status codes that the client  
4059 does not expect. Therefore, a client implementation **MUST** gracefully handle such responses and not refuse to  
4060 inter-operate with a conforming Printer that is returning IETF standards track extension or vendor extensions,  
4061 including attribute groups, attributes, attribute syntaxes, attribute values, status codes, and out-of-band attribute  
4062 values that conform to Section 6. Clients may choose to ignore any parameters, attribute groups, attributes,  
4063 attribute syntaxes, or values that they do not understand.

4064 While a client is sending data to a printer, it **SHOULD** do its best to prevent a channel from being closed by a  
4065 lower layer when the channel is blocked (i.e. flow-controlled off) for whatever reason, e.g. 'out of paper' or 'job  
4066 ahead hasn't freed up enough memory'. However, the layer that launched the print submission (e.g. an end user)  
4067 **MAY** close the channel in order to cancel the job. When a client closes a channel, a Printer **MAY** print all or part  
4068 of the received portion of the document. See the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910] for more details.

4069 A client **MUST** support Client Authentication as defined in the IPP/1.1 Encoding and Transport document  
4070 [RFC2910]. A client **SHOULD** support Operation Privacy and Server Authentication as defined in the IPP/1.1  
4071 Encoding and Transport document [RFC2910]. See also section 8 of this document.

## 4072 5.2 IPP Object Conformance Requirements

4073 This section specifies the conformance requirements for conforming implementations of IPP objects (see section 2).  
 4074 These requirements apply to an IPP object whether it is:

- 4075 (1) an (embedded) device component that accepts IPP requests and controls the device or  
 4076 (2) a component of a print server that accepts IPP requests (where the print server control one or more  
 4077 networked devices using IPP or other protocols).

### 4078 5.2.1 Objects

4079 Conforming implementations MUST implement all of the model objects as defined in this document in the indicated  
 4080 sections:

4081 Section 2.1 - Printer Object

4082 Section 2.2 - Job Object

### 4083 5.2.2 Operations

4084 Conforming IPP object implementations MUST implement all of the REQUIRED model operations, including  
 4085 REQUIRED responses, as defined in this document in the indicated sections:

4086 For a Printer object:

4087	Print-Job (section 3.2.1)	REQUIRED
4088	Print-URI (section 3.2.2)	OPTIONAL
4089	Validate-Job (section 3.2.3)	REQUIRED
4090	Create-Job (section 3.2.4)	OPTIONAL
4091	Get-Printer-Attributes (section 3.2.5)	REQUIRED
4092	Get-Jobs (section 3.2.6)	REQUIRED
4093	Pause-Printer (section 3.2.7)	OPTIONAL
4094	Resume-Printer (section 3.2.8)	OPTIONAL
4095	Purge-Jobs (section 3.2.9)	OPTIONAL

4096

4097 For a Job object:

4098	Send-Document (section 3.3.1)	OPTIONAL
4099	Send-URI (section 3.3.2)	OPTIONAL
4100	Cancel-Job (section 3.3.3)	REQUIRED
4101	Get-Job-Attributes (section 3.3.4)	REQUIRED
4102	Hold-Job (section 3.3.5)	OPTIONAL
4103	Release-Job (section 3.3.6)	OPTIONAL
4104	Restart-Job (section 3.3.7)	OPTIONAL

4105

4106 Conforming IPP objects **MUST** support all **REQUIRED** operation attributes and all values of such attributes if so  
4107 indicated in the description. Conforming IPP objects **MUST** ignore all unsupported or unknown operation  
4108 attributes or operation attribute groups received in a request, but **MUST** reject a request that contains a supported  
4109 operation attribute that contains an unsupported value.

4110 Conforming IPP objects **MAY** return operation responses that contain attributes groups, attributes names,  
4111 attribute syntaxes, attribute values, and status codes that are extensions to this standard. The additional attribute  
4112 groups **MAY** occur in any order.

4113 The following section on object attributes specifies the support required for object attributes.

### 4114 **5.2.3 IPP Object Attributes**

4115 Conforming IPP objects **MUST** support all of the **REQUIRED** object attributes, as defined in this document in the  
4116 indicated sections.

4117 If an object supports an attribute, it **MUST** support only those values specified in this document or through the  
4118 extension mechanism described in section 5.2.4. It **MAY** support any non-empty subset of these values. That is, it  
4119 **MUST** support at least one of the specified values and at most all of them.

### 4120 **5.2.4 Versions**

4121 IPP/1.1 clients **MUST** meet the conformance requirements for clients specified in this document and [RFC2910].  
4122 IPP/1.1 clients **MUST** send requests containing a "version-number" parameter with a '1.1' value.

4123 IPP/1.1 Printer and Job objects **MUST** meet the conformance requirements for IPP objects specified in this  
4124 document and [RFC2910]. IPP/1.1 objects **MUST** accept requests containing a "version-number" parameter  
4125 with a '1.1' value (or reject the request if the operation is not supported).

4126 It is beyond the scope of this specification to mandate conformance with previous versions. IPP/1.1 was  
4127 deliberately designed, however, to make supporting previous versions easy. It is worth noting that, at the time of  
4128 composing this specification (1999), we would expect IPP/1.1 Printer implementations to:

4129       understand any valid request in the format of IPP/1.0, or 1.1;

4130       respond appropriately with a response containing the same "version-number" parameter value used by the  
4131       client in the request.

4132 And we would expect IPP/1.1 clients to:

4133       understand any valid response in the format of IPP/1.0, or 1.1.

4134 It is recommended that IPP/1.1 clients try supplying alternate version numbers if they receive a 'server-error-  
4135 version-not-supported' error return in a response.

### 4136 **5.2.5 Extensions**

4137 A conforming IPP object MAY support IETF standards track extensions and vendor extensions, as long as the  
4138 extensions meet the requirements specified in Section 6.

4139 For each attribute included in an operation response, a conforming IPP object MUST return a value whose type  
4140 and value syntax conforms to the requirement of the Model document as specified in Sections 3 and 4.

### 4141 **5.2.6 Attribute Syntaxes**

4142 An IPP object MUST be able to accept any of the attribute syntaxes defined in Section 4.1, including their full  
4143 range, in any operation in which a client may supply attributes or the system administrator may configure attributes  
4144 (by means outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document). In particular for each attribute that the IPP object  
4145 supports whose attribute syntax is 'text', the IPP object MUST accept and process both the 'textWithoutLanguage'  
4146 and 'textWithLanguage' forms. Similarly, for each attribute that the IPP object supports whose attribute syntax is  
4147 'name', the IPP object MUST accept and process both the 'nameWithoutLanguage' and 'nameWithLanguage'  
4148 forms. Furthermore, an IPP object MUST return attributes to the client in operation responses that conform to the  
4149 syntax specified in Section 4.1, including their full range if supplied previously by a client.

### 4150 **5.2.7 Security**

4151 An IPP Printer implementation SHOULD contain support for Client Authentication as defined in the IPP/1.1  
4152 Encoding and Transport document [RFC2910]. A Printer implementation MAY allow an administrator to  
4153 configure the Printer so that all, some, or none of the users are authenticated. See also section 8 of this document.

4154 An IPP Printer implementation SHOULD contain support for Operation Privacy and Server Authentication as  
4155 defined in the IPP/1.1 Encoding and Transport document [RFC2910]. A Printer implementation MAY allow an  
4156 administrator to configure the degree of support for Operation Privacy and Server Authentication. See also section  
4157 8 of this document.

4158 Security MUST NOT be compromised when a client supplies a lower "version-number" parameter in a request.  
4159 For example, if an IPP/1.1 conforming Printer object accepts version '1.0' requests and is configured to enforce  
4160 Digest Authentication, it MUST do the same for a version '1.0' request.

## 4161 **5.3 Charset and Natural Language Requirements**

4162 All clients and IPP objects MUST support the 'utf-8' charset as defined in section 4.1.7.

4163 IPP objects MUST be able to accept any client request which correctly uses the "attributes-natural-language"  
4164 operation attribute or the Natural Language Override mechanism on any individual attribute whether or not the  
4165 natural language is supported by the IPP object. If an IPP object supports a natural language, then it MUST be  
4166 able to translate (perhaps by table lookup) all generated 'text' or 'name' attribute values into one of the supported  
4167 languages (see section 3.1.4). That is, the IPP object that supports a natural language NEED NOT be a general



4168 purpose translator of any arbitrary 'text' or 'name' value supplied by the client into that natural language. However,  
4169 the object **MUST** be able to translate (automatically generate) any of its own attribute values and messages into  
4170 that natural language.

## 4171 **6. IANA Considerations**

4172 This section describes the procedures for defining semantics for the following IETF standards track extensions and  
4173 vendor extensions to the IPP/1.1 Model and Semantics document:

- 4174 1. keyword attribute values
- 4175 2. enum attribute values
- 4176 3. attributes
- 4177 4. attribute syntaxes
- 4178 5. operations
- 4179 6. attribute groups
- 4180 7. status codes
- 4181 8. out-of-band attribute values

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4183 Extensions registered for use with IPP/1.1 are **OPTIONAL** for client and IPP object conformance to the IPP/1.1  
4184 "Model and Semantics" document (this document).

4185 These extension procedures are aligned with the guidelines as set forth by the IESG [IANA-CON]. Section 11  
4186 describes how to propose new registrations for consideration. IANA will reject registration proposals that leave  
4187 out required information or do not follow the appropriate format described in Section 11. The IPP/1.1 Model and  
4188 Semantics document may also be extended by an appropriate RFC that specifies any of the above extensions.

### 4189 **6.1 Typed 'keyword' and 'enum' Extensions**

4190 IPP allows for 'keyword' and 'enum' extensions (see sections 4.1.2.3 and 4.1.4). This document uses prefixes to  
4191 the 'keyword' and 'enum' basic attribute syntax type in order to communicate extra information to the reader  
4192 through its name. This extra information is not represented in the protocol because it is unimportant to a client or  
4193 Printer object. The list below describes the prefixes and their meaning.

4194 "type1": This IPP specification document must be revised (or another IETF standards track document which  
4195 augments this document) to add a new keyword or a new enum. No vendor defined keywords or enums  
4196 are allowed.

4197

4198 "type2": Implementers can, at any time, add new keyword or enum values by proposing the complete  
4199 specification to IANA:

4200

4201 iana@iana.org

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4203 IANA will forward the registration proposal to the IPP Designated Expert who will review the proposal  
4204 with a mailing list that the Designated Expert keeps for this purpose. Initially, that list will be the mailing list  
4205 used by the IPP WG:

4206

4207 ippp@pwg.org

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4209 even after the IPP WG is disbanded as permitted by [IANA-CON]. The IPP Designated Expert is  
4210 appointed by the IESG Area Director responsible for IPP, according to [IANA-CON].

4211

4212 When a type2 keyword or enum is approved, the IPP Designated Expert becomes the point of contact for  
4213 any future maintenance that might be required for that registration.

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4215 "type3": Implementers can, at any time, add new keyword and enum values by submitting the complete  
4216 specification to IANA as for type2 who will forward the proposal to the IPP Designated Expert. While no  
4217 additional technical review is required, the IPP Designated Expert may, at his/her discretion, forward the  
4218 proposal to the same mailing list as for type2 registrations for advice and comment.

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4220 When a type3 keyword or enum is approved by the IPP Designated Expert, the original proposer  
4221 becomes the point of contact for any future maintenance that might be required for that registration.

4222

4223 For type2 and type3 keywords, the proposer includes the name of the keyword in the registration proposal and the  
4224 name is part of the technical review.

4225 After type2 and type3 enums specifications are approved, the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA  
4226 assigns the next available enum number for each enum value.

4227 IANA will publish approved type2 and type3 keyword and enum attributes value registration specifications in:

4228 ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/attribute-values/xxx/yyy.txt

4229 where xxx is the attribute name that specifies the initial values and yyy.txt is a descriptive file name that contains one  
4230 or more enums or keywords approved at the same time. For example, if several additional enums for stapling are  
4231 approved for use with the "finishings" attribute (and "finishings-default" and "finishings-supported" attributes), IANA  
4232 will publish the additional values in the file:

4233 ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/attribute-values/finishings/stapling.txt

4234 Note: Some attributes are defined to be: 'type3 keywords' | 'name' which allows for attribute values to be extended  
4235 by a site administrator with administrator defined names. Such names are not registered with IANA.

4236 By definition, each of the three types above assert some sort of registry or review process in order for extensions  
4237 to be considered valid. Each higher numbered level (1, 2, 3) tends to be decreasingly less stringent than the  
4238 previous level. Therefore, any typeN value MAY be registered using a process for some typeM where M is less  
4239 than N, however such registration is NOT REQUIRED. For example, a type3 value MAY be registered in a type  
4240 1 manner (by being included in a future version of an IPP specification), however, it is NOT REQUIRED.

4241 This document defines keyword and enum values for all of the above types, including type3 keywords.

4242 For vendor keyword extensions, implementers SHOULD use keywords with a suitable distinguishing prefix, such  
4243 as "xxx-" where xxx follows the syntax rules for keywords (see section 4.1.3) and is the (lowercase) fully qualified  
4244 company name registered with IANA for use in domain names [RFC1035]. For example, if the company XYZ  
4245 Corp. had obtained the domain name "XYZ.com", then a vendor keyword 'abc' would be: 'xyz.com-abc'.

4246 Note: RFC 1035 [RFC1035] indicates that while upper and lower case letters are allowed in domain names, no  
4247 significance is attached to the case. That is, two names with the same spelling but different case are to be treated  
4248 as if identical. Also, the labels in a domain name must follow the rules for ARPANET host names: They must start  
4249 with a letter, end with a letter or digit, and have as interior characters only letters, digits, and hyphen. Labels must  
4250 be 63 characters or less. Labels are separated by the "." character.

4251 For vendor enum extensions, implementers MUST use values in the reserved integer range which is 2\*\*30 to  
4252 2\*\*31-1.

## 4253 **6.2 Attribute Extensibility**

4254 Attribute names (see section 4.1.3) are type2 keywords. Therefore, new attributes may be registered and have the  
4255 same status as attributes in this document by following the type2 extension rules. For vendor attribute extensions,  
4256 implementers SHOULD use keywords with a suitable distinguishing prefix as described in Section 6.1.

4257 IANA will publish approved attribute registration specifications as separate files:

4258 `ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/attributes/xxx-yyy.txt`

4259 where "xxx-yyy" is the new attribute name.

4260 If a new Printer object attribute is defined and its values can be affected by a specific document format, its  
4261 specification needs to contain the following sentence:

4262 "The value of this attribute returned in a Get-Printer-Attributes response MAY depend on the  
4263 "document-format" attribute supplied (see Section 3.2.5.1)."

4264 If the specification does not, then its value in the Get-Printer-Attributes response MUST NOT depend on the  
4265 "document-format" supplied in the request. When a new Job Template attribute is registered, the value of the  
4266 Printer attributes MAY vary with "document-format" supplied in the request without the specification having to  
4267 indicate so.

### 4268 **6.3 Attribute Syntax Extensibility**

4269 Attribute syntaxes (see section 4.1) are like type2 enums. Therefore, new attribute syntaxes may be registered and  
4270 have the same status as attribute syntaxes in this document by following the type2 extension rules described in  
4271 Section 6.1. The initial set of value codes that identify each of the attribute syntaxes have been assigned in the  
4272 "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910], including a designated range for vendor extension.

4273 For attribute syntaxes, the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA assigns the next attribute syntax code  
4274 in the appropriate range as specified in [RFC2910]. IANA will publish approved attribute syntax registration  
4275 specifications as separate files:

4276 `ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/attribute-syntaxes/xxx-yyy.txt`

4277 where 'xxx-yyy' is the new attribute syntax name.

### 4278 **6.4 Operation Extensibility**

4279 Operations (see section 3) may also be registered following the type2 procedures described in Section 6.1, though  
4280 major new operations will usually be done by a new standards track RFC that augments this document. For  
4281 vendor operation extensions, implementers MUST use the range for the "operation-id" in requests specified in  
4282 Section 4.4.15 "operations-supported" Printer attribute.

4283 For operations, the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA assigns the next operation-id code as  
4284 specified in Section 4.4.15. IANA will publish approved operation registration specifications as separate files:

4285 `ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/operations/Xxx-Yyy.txt`

4286 where "Xxx-Yyy" is the new operation name.

### 4287 **6.5 Attribute Group Extensibility**

4288 Attribute groups (see section 3.1.3) passed in requests and responses may be registered following the type2  
4289 procedures described in Section 6.1. The initial set of attribute group tags have been assigned in the "Encoding and  
4290 Transport" document [RFC2910], including a designated range for vendor extension.

4291 For attribute groups, the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA assigns the next attribute group tag  
4292 code in the appropriate range as specified in [RFC2910]. IANA will publish approved attribute group registration  
4293 specifications as separate files:

4294 `ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/attribute-group-tags/xxx-yyy-tag.txt`

4295 where 'xxx-yyy-tag' is the new attribute group tag name.

## 4296 **6.6 Status Code Extensibility**

4297 Operation status codes (see section 3.1.6.1) may also be registered following the type2 procedures described in  
4298 Section 6.1. The values for status codes are allocated in ranges as specified in Section 14 for each status code  
4299 class:

- 4300 "informational" - Request received, continuing process
- 4301 "successful" - The action was successfully received, understood, and accepted
- 4302 "redirection" - Further action must be taken in order to complete the request
- 4303 "client-error" - The request contains bad syntax or cannot be fulfilled
- 4304 "server-error" - The IPP object failed to fulfill an apparently valid request

4305  
4306 For vendor operation status code extensions, implementers **MUST** use the top of each range as specified in  
4307 Section 13.

4308 For operation status codes, the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA assigns the next status code in  
4309 the appropriate class range as specified in Section 13. IANA will publish approved status code registration  
4310 specifications as separate files:

4311 `ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/status-codes/xxx-yyy.txt`

4312 where "xxx-yyy" is the new operation status code keyword.

## 4313 **6.7 Out-of-band Attribute Value Extensibility**

4314 Out-of-band attribute values (see the beginning of section 4.1) passed in requests and responses may be registered  
4315 following the type2 procedures described in Section 6.1. The initial set of out-of-band attribute value tags have  
4316 been assigned in the "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910].

4317 For out-of-band attribute value tags, the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA assigns the next out-of-  
4318 band attribute value tag code in the appropriate range as specified in [RFC2910]. IANA will publish approved  
4319 out-of-band attribute value tags registration specifications as separate files:

4320 `ftp.isi.edu/iana/assignments/ipp/out-of-band-attribute-value-tags/xxx-yyy-tag.txt`

4321 where 'xxx-yyy-tag' is the new out-of-band attribute value tag name.

## 4322 **6.8 Registration of MIME types/sub-types for document-formats**

4323 The "document-format" attribute's syntax is 'mimeMediaType'. This means that valid values are Internet Media  
4324 Types (see Section 4.1.9). RFC 2045 [RFC2045] defines the syntax for valid Internet media types. IANA is the  
4325 registry for all Internet media types.

## 4326 **6.9 Registration of charsets for use in 'charset' attribute values**

4327 The "attributes-charset" attribute's syntax is 'charset'. This means that valid values are charsets names. When a  
4328 charset in the IANA registry has more than one name (alias), the name labeled as "(preferred MIME name)", if  
4329 present, **MUST** be used (see Section 4.1.7). IANA is the registry for charsets following the procedures of  
4330 [RFC2278].

## 4331 **7. Internationalization Considerations**

4332 Some of the attributes have values that are text strings and names which are intended for human understanding  
4333 rather than machine understanding (see the 'text' and 'name' attribute syntaxes in Sections 4.1.1 and 4.1.2).

4334 In each operation request, the client

- 4335 - identifies the charset and natural language of the request which affects each supplied 'text' and 'name' attribute  
4336 value, and
- 4337 - requests the charset and natural language for attributes returned by the IPP object in operation responses (as  
4338 described in Section 3.1.4.1).

4339

4340 In addition, the client **MAY** separately and individually identify the Natural Language Override of a supplied 'text'  
4341 or 'name' attribute using the 'textWithLanguage' and 'nameWithLanguage' technique described section 4.1.1.2 and  
4342 4.1.2.2 respectively.

4343 All IPP objects **MUST** support the UTF-8 [RFC2279] charset in all 'text' and 'name' attributes supported. If an  
4344 IPP object supports more than the UTF-8 charset, the object **MUST** convert between them in order to return the  
4345 requested charset to the client according to Section 3.1.4.2. If an IPP object supports more than one natural  
4346 language, the object **SHOULD** return 'text' and 'name' values in the natural language requested where those values  
4347 are generated by the Printer (see Section 3.1.4.1).

4348 For Printers that support multiple charsets and/or multiple natural languages in 'text' and 'name' attributes, different  
4349 jobs may have been submitted in differing charsets and/or natural languages. All responses **MUST** be returned in  
4350 the charset requested by the client. However, the Get-Jobs operation uses the 'textWithLanguage' and  
4351 'nameWithLanguage' mechanism to identify the differing natural languages with each job attribute returned.

4352 The Printer object also has configured charset and natural language attributes. The client can query the Printer  
4353 object to determine the list of charsets and natural languages supported by the Printer object and what the Printer  
4354 object's configured values are. See the "charset-configured", "charset-supported", "natural-language-configured",  
4355 and "generated-natural-language-supported" Printer description attributes for more details.

4356 The "charset-supported" attributed identifies the supported charsets. If a charset is supported, the IPP object  
4357 **MUST** be capable of converting to and from that charset into any other supported charset. In many cases, an IPP  
4358 object will support only one charset and it **MUST** be the UTF-8 charset.

4359 The "charset-configured" attribute identifies the one supported charset which is the native charset given the current  
4360 configuration of the IPP object (administrator defined).

4361 The "generated-natural-language-supported" attribute identifies the set of supported natural languages for generated  
4362 messages; it is not related to the set of natural languages that must be accepted for client supplied 'text' and 'name'  
4363 attributes. For client supplied 'text' and 'name' attributes, an IPP object MUST accept ALL supplied natural  
4364 languages. Just because a Printer object is currently configured to support 'en-us' natural language does not mean  
4365 that the Printer object should reject a job if the client supplies a job name that is in 'fr-ca'.

4366 The "natural-language-configured" attribute identifies the one supported natural language for generated messages  
4367 which is the native natural language given the current configuration of the IPP object (administrator defined).

4368 Attributes of type 'text' and 'name' are populated from different sources. These attributes can be categorized into  
4369 following groups (depending on the source of the attribute):

- 4370 1. Some attributes are supplied by the client (e.g., the client supplied "job-name", "document-name", and  
4371 "requesting-user-name" operation attributes along with the corresponding Job object's "job-name" and  
4372 "job-originating-user-name" attributes). The IPP object MUST accept these attributes in any natural  
4373 language no matter what the set of supported languages for generated messages
- 4374 2. Some attributes are supplied by the system administrator (e.g., the Printer object's "printer-name" and  
4375 "printer-location" attributes). These too can be in any natural language. If the natural language for these  
4376 attributes is different than what a client requests, then they must be reported using the Natural Language  
4377 Override mechanism.
- 4378 3. Some attributes are supplied by the device manufacturer (e.g., the Printer object's "printer-make-and-  
4379 model" attribute). These too can be in any natural language. If the natural language for these attributes is  
4380 different than what a client requests, then they must be reported using the Natural Language Override  
4381 mechanism.
- 4382 4. Some attributes are supplied by the operator (e.g., the Job object's "job-message-from-operator" attribute).  
4383 These too can be in any natural language. If the natural language for these attributes is different than what a  
4384 client requests, then they must be reported using the Natural Language Override mechanism.
- 4385 5. Some attributes are generated by the IPP object (e.g., the Job object's "job-state-message" attribute, the  
4386 Printer object's "printer-state-message" attribute, and the "status-message" operation attribute). These  
4387 attributes can only be in one of the "generated-natural-language-supported" natural languages. If a client  
4388 requests some natural language for these attributes other than one of the supported values, the IPP object  
4389 SHOULD respond using the value of the "natural-language-configured" attribute (using the Natural  
4390 Language Override mechanism if needed).

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4392 The 'text' and 'name' attributes specified in this version of this document (additional ones will be registered  
4393 according to the procedures in Section 6) are:

Attributes		Source
Operation Attributes:		
job-name (name)		client
document-name (name)		client
requesting-user-name (name)		client
status-message (text)		Job or Printer object
detailed-status-message (text)		Job or Printer object - see rule 1
document-access-error (text)		Job or Printer object - see rule 1
Job Template Attributes:		
job-hold-until (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
job-hold-until-default (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
job-hold-until-supported (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
job-sheets (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
job-sheets-default (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
job-sheets-supported (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
media (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
media-default (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
media-supported (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
media-ready (keyword   name)		client matches administrator-configured
Job Description Attributes:		
job-name (name)		client or Printer object
job-originating-user-name (name)		Printer object
job-state-message (text)		Job or Printer object
output-device-assigned (name(127))		administrator
job-message-from-operator (text(127))		operator
job-detailed-status-messages (1setOf text)		Job or Printer object - see rule 1
job-document-access-errors (1setOf text)		Job or Printer object - see rule 1
Printer Description Attributes:		
printer-name (name(127))		administrator
printer-location (text(127))		administrator
printer-info (text(127))		administrator
printer-make-and-model (text(127))		administrator or manufacturer
printer-state-message (text)		Printer object
printer-message-from-operator (text(127))		operator

4394 Rule 1 - Neither the Printer nor the client localizes these message attributes, since they are intended for use by the  
4395 system administrator or other experienced technical persons.

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## 8. Security Considerations

4398 It is difficult to anticipate the security risks that might exist in any given IPP environment. For example, if IPP is  
4399 used within a given corporation over a private network, the risks of exposing document data may be low enough  
4400 that the corporation will choose not to use encryption on that data. However, if the connection between the client  
4401 and the IPP object is over a public network, the client may wish to protect the content of the information during  
4402 transmission through the network with encryption.

4403 Furthermore, the value of the information being printed may vary from one IPP environment to the next. Printing  
4404 payroll checks, for example, would have a different value than printing public information from a file. There is also  
4405 the possibly of denial-of-service attacks, but denial-of-service attacks against printing resources are not well  
4406 understood and there is no published precedents regarding this scenario.

4407 Once the authenticated identity of the requester has been supplied to the IPP object, the object uses that identity to  
4408 enforce any authorization policy that might be in place. For example, one site's policy might be that only the job  
4409 owner is allowed to cancel a job. The details and mechanisms to set up a particular access control policy are not  
4410 part of IPP/1.1, and must be established via some other type of administrative or access control framework.  
4411 However, there are operation status codes that allow an IPP server to return information back to a client about any  
4412 potential access control violations for an IPP object.

4413 During a create operation, the client's identity is recorded in the Job object in an implementation-defined attribute.  
4414 This information can be used to verify a client's identity for subsequent operations on that Job object in order to  
4415 enforce any access control policy that might be in effect. See section 8.3 below for more details.

4416 Since the security levels or the specific threats that an IPP system administrator may be concerned with cannot be  
4417 anticipated, IPP MUST be capable of operating with different security mechanisms and security policies as  
4418 required by the individual installation. Security policies might vary from very strong, to very weak, to none at all,  
4419 and corresponding security mechanisms will be required.

### 8.1 Security Scenarios

4420  
4421 The following sections describe specific security attacks for IPP environments. Where examples are provided they  
4422 should be considered illustrative of the environment and not an exhaustive set. Not all of these environments will  
4423 necessarily be addressed in initial implementations of IPP.

#### 8.1.1 Client and Server in the Same Security Domain

4424  
4425 This environment is typical of internal networks where traditional office workers print the output of personal  
4426 productivity applications on shared work-group printers, or where batch applications print their output on large  
4427 production printers. Although the identity of the user may be trusted in this environment, a user might want to  
4428 protect the content of a document against such attacks as eavesdropping, replaying or tampering.

### 4429 **8.1.2 Client and Server in Different Security Domains**

4430 Examples of this environment include printing a document created by the client on a publicly available printer, such  
4431 as at a commercial print shop; or printing a document remotely on a business associate's printer. This latter  
4432 operation is functionally equivalent to sending the document to the business associate as a facsimile. Printing  
4433 sensitive information on a Printer in a different security domain requires strong security measures. In this  
4434 environment authentication of the printer is required as well as protection against unauthorized use of print  
4435 resources. Since the document crosses security domains, protection against eavesdropping and document  
4436 tampering are also required. It will also be important in this environment to protect Printers against "spamming" and  
4437 malicious document content.

### 4438 **8.1.3 Print by Reference**

4439 When the document is not stored on the client, printing can be done by reference. That is, the print request can  
4440 contain a reference, or pointer, to the document instead of the actual document itself (see sections 3.2.2 and 3.3.2).  
4441 Standard methods currently do not exist for remote entities to "assume" the credentials of a client for forwarding  
4442 requests to a 3rd party. It is anticipated that Print-By-Reference will be used to access "public" documents and that  
4443 sophisticated methods for authenticating "proxies" is not specified in this document.

## 4444 **8.2 URIs in Operation, Job, and Printer attributes**

4445 The "printer-uri-supported" attribute contains the Printer object's URI(s). Its companion attribute, "uri-security-  
4446 supported", identifies the security mechanism used for each URI listed in the "printer-uri-supported" attribute. For  
4447 each Printer operation request, a client MUST supply only one URI in the "printer-uri" operation attribute. In other  
4448 words, even though the Printer supports more than one URI, the client only interacts with the Printer object using  
4449 one if its URIs. This duality is not needed for Job objects, since the Printer objects is the factory for Job objects,  
4450 and the Printer object will generate the correct URI for new Job objects depending on the Printer object's security  
4451 configuration.

### 4452 **8.3 URIs for each authentication mechanisms**

4453 Each URI has an authentication mechanism associated with it. If the URI is the i'th element of "printer-uri-  
4454 supported", then authentication mechanism is the "i th" element of "uri-authentication-supported". For a list of  
4455 possible authentication mechanisms, see section 4.4.2.

4456 The Printer object uses an authentication mechanism to determine the name of the user performing an operation.  
4457 This user is called the "authenticated user". The credibility of authentication depends on the mechanism that the  
4458 Printer uses to obtain the user's name. When the authentication mechanism is 'none', all authenticated users are  
4459 "anonymous".

4460 During job creation operations, the Printer initializes the value of the "job-originating-user-name" attribute (see  
4461 section 4.3.6) to be the authenticated user. The authenticated user in this case is called the "job owner".

4462 If an implementation can be configured to support more than one authentication mechanism (see section 4.4.2),  
4463 then it **MUST** implement rules for determining equality of authenticated user names which have been authenticated  
4464 via different authentication mechanisms. One possible policy is that identical names that are authenticated via  
4465 different mechanisms are different. For example, a user can cancel his job only if he uses the same authentication  
4466 mechanism for both Cancel-Job and Print-Job. Another policy is that identical names that are authenticated via  
4467 different mechanism are the same if the authentication mechanism for the later operation is not less strong than the  
4468 authentication mechanism for the earlier job creation operation. For example, a user can cancel his job only if he  
4469 uses the same or stronger authentication mechanism for Cancel-Job and Print-Job. With this second policy a job  
4470 submitted via 'requesting-user-name' authentication could be canceled via 'digest' authentication. With the first  
4471 policy, the job could not be canceled in this way.

4472 A client is able to determine the authentication mechanism used to create a job. It is the i'th value of the Printer's  
4473 "uri-authentication-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.2), where i is the index of the element of the Printer's  
4474 "printer-uri-supported" attribute (see section 4.4.1) equal to the job's "job-printer-uri" attribute (see section 4.3.3).

#### 4475 **8.4 Restricted Queries**

4476 In many IPP operations, a client supplies a list of attributes to be returned in the response. For security reasons, an  
4477 IPP object may be configured not to return all attributes (or all values) that a client requests. The job attributes  
4478 returned **MAY** depend on whether the requesting user is the same as the user that submitted the job. The IPP  
4479 object **MAY** even return none of the requested attributes. In such cases, the status returned is the same as if the  
4480 object had returned all requested attributes. The client cannot tell by such a response whether the requested  
4481 attribute was present or absent on the object.

#### 4482 **8.5 Operations performed by operators and system administrators**

4483 For the three printer operations Pause-Printer, Resume-Printer, and Purge-Jobs (see sections 3.2.7, 3.2.8 and  
4484 3.2.9), the requesting user is intended to be an operator or administrator of the Printer object (see section 1).  
4485 Otherwise, the IPP Printer **MUST** reject the operation and return: 'client-error-forbidden', 'client-error-not-  
4486 authenticated', or 'client-error-not-authorized' as appropriate. For operations on jobs, the requesting user is  
4487 intended to be the job owner or may be an operator or administrator of the Printer object. The means for  
4488 authorizing an operator or administrator of the Printer object are not specified in this document.

#### 4489 **8.6 Queries on jobs submitted using non-IPP protocols**

4490 If the device that an IPP Printer is representing is able to accept jobs using other job submission protocols in  
4491 addition to IPP, it is **RECOMMENDED** that such an implementation at least allow such "foreign" jobs to be  
4492 queried using Get-Jobs returning "job-id" and "job-uri" as 'unknown'. Such an implementation **NEED NOT**  
4493 support all of the same IPP job attributes as for IPP jobs. The IPP object returns the 'unknown' out-of-band value  
4494 for any requested attribute of a foreign job that is supported for IPP jobs, but not for foreign jobs.

4495 It is further RECOMMENDED, that the IPP Printer generate "job-id" and "job-uri" values for such "foreign jobs",  
4496 if possible, so that they may be targets of other IPP operations, such as Get-Job-Attributes and Cancel-Job. Such  
4497 an implementation also needs to deal with the problem of authentication of such foreign jobs. One approach would  
4498 be to treat all such foreign jobs as belonging to users other than the user of the IPP client. Another approach  
4499 would be for the foreign job to belong to 'anonymous'. Only if the IPP client has been authenticated as an operator  
4500 or administrator of the IPP Printer object, could the foreign jobs be queried by an IPP request. Alternatively, if the  
4501 security policy is to allow users to query other users' jobs, then the foreign jobs would also be visible to an end-  
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 4668 2) leave the subject line blank  
 4669 3) put the following two lines in the message body:  
 4670 subscribe ipp  
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4673 Implementers of this specification document are encouraged to join IPP Mailing List in order to participate in any  
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## 4678 11. Formats for IPP Registration Proposals

4679 In order to propose an IPP extension for registration, the proposer must submit an application to IANA by email to  
 4680 "iana@iana.org" or by filling out the appropriate form on the IANA web pages (<http://www.iana.org>). This section  
 4681 specifies the required information and the formats for proposing registrations of extensions to IPP as provided in  
 4682 Section 6 for:

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- 4684 1. type2 'keyword' attribute values
- 4685 2. type3 'keyword' attribute values
- 4686 3. type2 'enum' attribute values
- 4687 4. type3 'enum' attribute values
- 4688 5. attributes
- 4689 6. attribute syntaxes
- 4690 7. operations
- 4691 8. status codes
- 4692 9. out-of-band attribute values

### 4693 11.1 Type2 keyword attribute values registration

4694 Type of registration: type2 keyword attribute value

4695 Name of attribute to which this keyword specification is to be added:

4696 Proposed keyword name of this keyword value:

4697 Specification of this keyword value (follow the style of IPP Model Section 4.1.2.3):

4698 Name of proposer:

4699 Address of proposer:

4700 Email address of proposer:

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4702 Note: For type2 keywords, the Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4703 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4704 **11.2 Type3 keyword attribute values registration**

4705 Type of registration: type3 keyword attribute value

4706 Name of attribute to which this keyword specification is to be added:

4707 Proposed keyword name of this keyword value:

4708 Specification of this keyword value (follow the style of IPP Model Section 4.1.2.3):

4709 Name of proposer:

4710 Address of proposer:

4711 Email address of proposer:

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4713 Note: For type3 keywords, the proposer will be the point of contact for the approved registration specification, if  
4714 any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4715 **11.3 Type2 enum attribute values registration**

4716 Type of registration: type2 enum attribute value

4717 Name of attribute to which this enum specification is to be added:

4718 Keyword symbolic name of this enum value:

4719 Numeric value (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA):

4720 Specification of this enum value (follow the style of IPP Model Section 4.1.4):

4721 Name of proposer:

4722 Address of proposer:

4723 Email address of proposer:

4724

4725 Note: For type2 enums, the Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4726 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4727 **11.4 Type3 enum attribute values registration**

4728 Type of registration: type3 enum attribute value

4729 Name of attribute to which this enum specification is to be added:

4730 Keyword symbolic name of this enum value:

4731 Numeric value (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA):

4732 Specification of this enum value (follow the style of IPP Model Section 4.1.4):

4733 Name of proposer:

4734 Address of proposer:

4735 Email address of proposer:

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4737 Note: For type3 enums, the proposer will be the point of contact for the approved registration specification, if any  
4738 maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4739 **11.5 Attribute registration**

4740 Type of registration: attribute

4741 Proposed keyword name of this attribute:

4742 Types of attribute (Operation, Job Template, Job Description, Printer Description):

4743 Operations to be used with if the attribute is an operation attribute:

4744 Object (Job, Printer, etc. if bound to an object):

4745 Attribute syntax(es) (include 1setOf and range as in Section 4.2):

4746 If attribute syntax is 'keyword' or 'enum', is it type2 or type3:

4747 If this is a Printer attribute, MAY the value returned depend on "document-format" (See Section 6.2):

4748 If this is a Job Template attribute, how does its specification depend on the value of the "multiple-document-  
4749 handling" attribute:

4750 Specification of this attribute (follow the style of IPP Model Section 4.2):

4751 Name of proposer:

4752 Address of proposer:

4753 Email address of proposer:

4754

4755 Note: For attributes, the IPP Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4756 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4757 **11.6 Attribute Syntax registration**

4758 Type of registration: attribute syntax

4759 Proposed name of this attribute syntax:

4760 Type of attribute syntax (integer, octetString, character-string, see [RFC2910]):

4761 Numeric tag according to [RFC2910] (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA):

4762 Specification of this attribute (follow the style of IPP Model Section 4.1):

4763 Name of proposer:

4764 Address of proposer:

4765 Email address of proposer:

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4767 Note: For attribute syntaxes, the IPP Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4768 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4769 **11.7 Operation registration**

4770 Type of registration: operation

4771 Proposed name of this operation:  
4772 Numeric operation-id value according to section 4.4.15 (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in  
4773 consultation with IANA):  
4774 Object Target (Job, Printer, etc. that operation is upon):  
4775 Specification of this operation (follow the style of IPP Model Section 3):  
4776 Name of proposer:  
4777 Address of proposer:  
4778 Email address of proposer:  
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4780 Note: For operations, the IPP Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4781 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4782 **11.8 Attribute Group registration**

4783 Type of registration: attribute group  
4784 Proposed name of this attribute group:  
4785 Numeric tag according to [RFC2910] (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA):  
4786 Operation requests and group number for each operation in which the attribute group occurs:  
4787 Operation responses and group number for each operation in which the attribute group occurs:  
4788 Specification of this attribute group (follow the style of IPP Model Section 3):  
4789 Name of proposer:  
4790 Address of proposer:  
4791 Email address of proposer:  
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4793 Note: For attribute groups, the IPP Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4794 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4795 **11.9 Status code registration**

4796 Type of registration: status code  
4797 Keyword symbolic name of this status code value:  
4798 Numeric value (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA):  
4799 Operations that this status code may be used with:  
4800 Specification of this status code (follow the style of IPP Model Section 13 APPENDIX B: Status Codes and  
4801 Suggested Status Code Messages):  
4802 Name of proposer:  
4803 Address of proposer:  
4804 Email address of proposer:  
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4806 Note: For status codes, the Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved registration  
4807 specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4808 **11.10 Out-of-band Attribute Value registration**

4809 Type of registration: out-of-band attribute value

4810 Proposed name of this out-of-band attribute value:

4811 Numeric tag according to [RFC2910] (to be assigned by the IPP Designated Expert in consultation with IANA):

4812 Operations that this out-of-band attribute value may be used with:

4813 Attributes that this out-of-band attribute value may be used with:

4814 Specification of this out-of-band attribute value (follow the style of the beginning of IPP Model Section 4.1):

4815 Name of proposer:

4816 Address of proposer:

4817 Email address of proposer:

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4819 Note: For out-of-band attribute values, the IPP Designated Expert will be the point of contact for the approved  
4820 registration specification, if any maintenance of the registration specification is needed.

## 4821 **12. APPENDIX A: Terminology**

4822 This specification document uses the terminology defined in this section.

### 4823 **12.1 Conformance Terminology**

4824 The key words "MUST", "MUST NOT", "REQUIRED", "SHOULD", "SHOULD NOT", "RECOMMENDED",  
4825 "MAY", and "OPTIONAL" in this document are to be interpreted as described in RFC 2119 [RFC2119].

#### 4826 **12.1.1 NEED NOT**

4827 This term is not included in RFC 2119. The verb "NEED NOT" indicates an action that the subject of the sentence  
4828 does not have to implement in order to claim conformance to the standard. The verb "NEED NOT" is used  
4829 instead of "MAY NOT" since "MAY NOT" sounds like a prohibition.

### 4830 **12.2 Model Terminology**

#### 4831 **12.2.1 Keyword**

4832 Keywords are used within this document as identifiers of semantic entities within the abstract model (see section  
4833 4.1.2.3). Attribute names, some attribute values, attribute syntaxes, and attribute group names are represented as  
4834 keywords.

## 4835 **12.2.2 Attributes**

4836 An attribute is an item of information that is associated with an instance of an IPP object. An attribute consists of  
4837 an attribute name and one or more attribute values. Each attribute has a specific attribute syntax. All object  
4838 attributes are defined in section 4 and all operation attributes are defined in section 3.

4839 Job Template Attributes are described in section 4.2. The client optionally supplies Job Template attributes in a  
4840 create request (operation requests that create Job objects). The Printer object has associated attributes which  
4841 define supported and default values for the Printer.

### 4842 **12.2.2.1 Attribute Name**

4843 Each attribute is uniquely identified in this document by its attribute name. An attribute name is a keyword. The  
4844 keyword attribute name is given in the section header describing that attribute. In running text in this document,  
4845 attribute names are indicated inside double quotation marks (") where the quotation marks are not part of the  
4846 keyword itself.

### 4847 **12.2.2.2 Attribute Group Name**

4848 Related attributes are grouped into named groups. The name of the group is a keyword. The group name may be  
4849 used in place of naming all the attributes in the group explicitly. Attribute groups are defined in section 3.

### 4850 **12.2.2.3 Attribute Value**

4851 Each attribute has one or more values. Attribute values are represented in the syntax type specified for that  
4852 attribute. In running text in this document, attribute values are indicated inside single quotation marks ('), whether  
4853 their attribute syntax is keyword, integer, text, etc. where the quotation marks are not part of the value itself.

### 4854 **12.2.2.4 Attribute Syntax**

4855 Each attribute is defined using an explicit syntax type. In this document, each syntax type is defined as a keyword  
4856 with specific meaning. The "Encoding and Transport" document [RFC2910] indicates the actual "on-the-wire"  
4857 encoding rules for each syntax type. Attribute syntax types are defined in section 4.1.

## 4858 **12.2.3 Supports**

4859 By definition, a Printer object supports an attribute only if that Printer object responds with the corresponding  
4860 attribute populated with some value(s) in a response to a query for that attribute. A Printer object supports an  
4861 attribute value if the value is one of the Printer object's "supported values" attributes. The device behind a Printer  
4862 object may exhibit a behavior that corresponds to some IPP attribute, but if the Printer object, when queried for  
4863 that attribute, doesn't respond with the attribute, then as far as IPP is concerned, that implementation does not  
4864 support that feature. If the Printer object's "xxx-supported" attribute is not populated with a particular value (even if  
4865 that value is a legal value for that attribute), then that Printer object does not support that particular value.

4866 A conforming implementation **MUST** support all **REQUIRED** attributes. However, even for **REQUIRED**  
4867 attributes, conformance to IPP does not mandate that all implementations support all possible values representing  
4868 all possible job processing behaviors and features. For example, if a given instance of a Printer supports only  
4869 certain document formats, then that Printer responds with the "document-format-supported" attribute populated  
4870 with a set of values, possibly only one, taken from the entire set of possible values defined for that attribute. This  
4871 limited set of values represents the Printer's set of supported document formats. Supporting an attribute and some  
4872 set of values for that attribute enables IPP end users to be aware of and make use of those features associated with  
4873 that attribute and those values. If an implementation chooses to not support an attribute or some specific value,  
4874 then IPP end users would have no ability to make use of that feature within the context of IPP itself. However, due  
4875 to existing practice and legacy systems which are not IPP aware, there might be some other mechanism outside the  
4876 scope of IPP to control or request the "unsupported" feature (such as embedded instructions within the document  
4877 data itself).

4878 For example, consider the "finishings-supported" attribute.

- 4879 1) If a Printer object is not physically capable of stapling, the "finishings-supported" attribute **MUST NOT** be  
4880 populated with the value of 'staple'.
- 4881 2) A Printer object is physically capable of stapling, however an implementation chooses not to support  
4882 stapling in the IPP "finishings" attribute. In this case, 'staple' **MUST NOT** be a value in the "finishings-  
4883 supported" Printer object attribute. Without support for the value 'staple', an IPP end user would have no  
4884 means within the protocol itself to request that a Job be stapled. However, an existing document data  
4885 formatter might be able to request that the document be stapled directly with an embedded instruction  
4886 within the document data. In this case, the IPP implementation does not "support" stapling, however the  
4887 end user is still able to have some control over the stapling of the completed job.
- 4888 3) A Printer object is physically capable of stapling, and an implementation chooses to support stapling in the  
4889 IPP "finishings" attribute. In this case, 'staple' **MUST** be a value in the "finishings-supported" Printer object  
4890 attribute. Doing so, would enable end users to be aware of and make use of the stapling feature using IPP  
4891 attributes.

4893 Even though support for Job Template attributes by a Printer object is **OPTIONAL**, it is **RECOMMENDED** that  
4894 if the device behind a Printer object is capable of realizing any feature or function that corresponds to an IPP  
4895 attribute and some associated value, then that implementation **SHOULD** support that IPP attribute and value.

4896 The set of values in any of the supported value attributes is set (populated) by some administrative process or  
4897 automatic sensing mechanism that is outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document. For administrative policy and  
4898 control reasons, an administrator may choose to make only a subset of possible values visible to the end user. In  
4899 this case, the real output device behind the IPP Printer abstraction may be capable of a certain feature, however an  
4900 administrator is specifying that access to that feature not be exposed to the end user through the IPP protocol.  
4901 Also, since a Printer object may represent a logical print device (not just a physical device) the actual process for  
4902 supporting a value is undefined and left up to the implementation. However, if a Printer object supports a value,  
4903 some manual human action may be needed to realize the semantic action associated with the value, but no end user  
4904 action is required.



4905 For example, if one of the values in the "finishings-supported" attribute is 'staple', the actual process might be an  
4906 automatic staple action by a physical device controlled by some command sent to the device. Or, the actual  
4907 process of stapling might be a manual action by an operator at an operator attended Printer object.

4908 For another example of how supported attributes function, consider a system administrator who desires to control  
4909 all print jobs so that no job sheets are printed in order to conserve paper. To force no job sheets, the system  
4910 administrator sets the only supported value for the "job-sheets-supported" attribute to 'none'. In this case, if a client  
4911 requests anything except 'none', the create request is rejected or the "job-sheets" value is ignored (depending on  
4912 the value of "ipp-attribute-fidelity"). To force the use of job start/end sheets on all jobs, the administrator does not  
4913 include the value 'none' in the "job-sheets-supported" attribute. In this case, if a client requests 'none', the create  
4914 request is rejected or the "job-sheets" value is ignored (again depending on the value of "ipp-attribute-fidelity").

#### 4915 **12.2.4 print-stream page**

4916 A "print-stream page" is a page according to the definition of pages in the language used to express the document  
4917 data.

#### 4918 **12.2.5 impression**

4919 An "impression" is the image (possibly many print-stream pages in different configurations) imposed onto a single  
4920 media page.

### 4921 **13. APPENDIX B: Status Codes and Suggested Status Code Messages**

4922 This section defines status code enum keywords and values that are used to provide semantic information on the  
4923 results of an operation request. Each operation response **MUST** include a status code. The response **MAY** also  
4924 contain a status message that provides a short textual description of the status. The status code is intended for use  
4925 by automata, and the status message is intended for the human end user. Since the status message is an  
4926 **OPTIONAL** component of the operation response, an IPP application (i.e., a browser, GUI, print driver or  
4927 gateway) is **NOT REQUIRED** to examine or display the status message, since it **MAY** not be returned to the  
4928 application.

4929 The prefix of the status keyword defines the class of response as follows:

- 4930 "informational" - Request received, continuing process
- 4931 "successful" - The action was successfully received, understood, and accepted
- 4932 "redirection" - Further action must be taken in order to complete the request
- 4933 "client-error" - The request contains bad syntax or cannot be fulfilled
- 4934 "server-error" - The IPP object failed to fulfill an apparently valid request
- 4935

4936 As with type2 enums, IPP status codes are extensible. IPP clients are NOT REQUIRED to understand the  
4937 meaning of all registered status codes, though such understanding is obviously desirable. However, IPP clients  
4938 MUST understand the class of any status code, as indicated by the prefix, and treat any unrecognized response as  
4939 being equivalent to the first status code of that class, with the exception that an unrecognized response MUST  
4940 NOT be cached. For example, if an unrecognized status code of "client-error-xxx-yyy" is received by the client, it  
4941 can safely assume that there was something wrong with its request and treat the response as if it had received a  
4942 "client-error-bad-request" status code. In such cases, IPP applications SHOULD present the OPTIONAL  
4943 message (if present) to the end user since the message is likely to contain human readable information which will  
4944 help to explain the unusual status. The name of the enum is the suggested status message for US English.

4945 The status code values range from 0x0000 to 0x7FFF. The value ranges for each status code class are as follows:

4946 "successful" - 0x0000 to 0x00FF  
4947 "informational" - 0x0100 to 0x01FF  
4948 "redirection" - 0x0200 to 0x02FF  
4949 "client-error" - 0x0400 to 0x04FF  
4950 "server-error" - 0x0500 to 0x05FF  
4951

4952 The top half (128 values) of each range (0x0n40 to 0x0nFF, for n = 0 to 5) is reserved for vendor use within each  
4953 status code class. Values 0x0600 to 0x7FFF are reserved for future assignment by IETF standards track  
4954 documents and MUST NOT be used.

## 4955 **13.1 Status Codes**

4956 Each status code is described below. Section 13.1.5.9 contains a table that indicates which status codes apply to  
4957 which operations. The Implementer's Guide [IPP-IIG] describe the suggested steps for processing IPP attributes  
4958 for all operations, including returning status codes.

### 4959 **13.1.1 Informational**

4960 This class of status code indicates a provisional response and is to be used for informational purposes only.

4961 There are no status codes defined in IPP/1.1 for this class of status code.

### 4962 **13.1.2 Successful Status Codes**

4963 This class of status code indicates that the client's request was successfully received, understood, and accepted.

#### 4964 **13.1.2.1 successful-ok (0x0000)**

4965 The request has succeeded and no request attributes were substituted or ignored. In the case of a response to a  
4966 create request, the 'successful-ok' status code indicates that the request was successfully received and validated,

4967 and that the Job object has been created; it does not indicate that the job has been processed. The transition of the  
4968 Job object into the 'completed' state is the only indicator that the job has been printed.

#### 4969 **13.1.2.2 successful-ok-ignored-or-substituted-attributes (0x0001)**

4970 The request has succeeded, but some supplied (1) attributes were ignored or (2) unsupported values were  
4971 substituted with supported values or were ignored in order to perform the operation without rejecting it.  
4972 Unsupported attributes, attribute syntaxes, or values **MUST** be returned in the Unsupported Attributes group of the  
4973 response for all operations. There is an exception to this rule for the query operations: Get-Printer-Attributes,  
4974 Get-Jobs, and Get-Job-Attributes for the "requested-attributes" operation attribute only. When the supplied values  
4975 of the "requested-attributes" operation attribute are requesting attributes that are not supported, the IPP object  
4976 **MAY**, but is **NOT REQUIRED** to, return the "requested-attributes" attribute in the Unsupported Attribute  
4977 response group (with the unsupported values only). See sections 3.1.7 and 3.2.1.2.

#### 4978 **13.1.2.3 successful-ok-conflicting-attributes (0x0002)**

4979 The request has succeeded, but some supplied attribute values conflicted with the values of other supplied  
4980 attributes. These conflicting values were either (1) substituted with (supported) values or (2) the attributes were  
4981 removed in order to process the job without rejecting it. Attributes or values which conflict with other attributes  
4982 and have been substituted or ignored **MUST** be returned in the Unsupported Attributes group of the response for  
4983 all operations as supplied by the client. See sections 3.1.7 and 3.2.1.2.

#### 4984 **13.1.3 Redirection Status Codes**

4985 This class of status code indicates that further action needs to be taken to fulfill the request.

4986 There are no status codes defined in IPP/1.1 for this class of status code.

#### 4987 **13.1.4 Client Error Status Codes**

4988 This class of status code is intended for cases in which the client seems to have erred. The IPP object **SHOULD**  
4989 return a message containing an explanation of the error situation and whether it is a temporary or permanent  
4990 condition.

##### 4991 **13.1.4.1 client-error-bad-request (0x0400)**

4992 The request could not be understood by the IPP object due to malformed syntax (such as the value of a fixed  
4993 length attribute whose length does not match the prescribed length for that attribute - see the Implementer's Guide  
4994 [IPP-IIG] ). The IPP application **SHOULD NOT** repeat the request without modifications.

**4995 13.1.4.2 client-error-forbidden (0x0401)**

4996 The IPP object understood the request, but is refusing to fulfill it. Additional authentication information or  
4997 authorization credentials will not help and the request SHOULD NOT be repeated. This status code is commonly  
4998 used when the IPP object does not wish to reveal exactly why the request has been refused or when no other  
4999 response is applicable.

**5000 13.1.4.3 client-error-not-authenticated (0x0402)**

5001 The request requires user authentication. The IPP client may repeat the request with suitable authentication  
5002 information. If the request already included authentication information, then this status code indicates that  
5003 authorization has been refused for those credentials. If this response contains the same challenge as the prior  
5004 response, and the user agent has already attempted authentication at least once, then the response message may  
5005 contain relevant diagnostic information. This status codes reveals more information than "client-error-forbidden".

**5006 13.1.4.4 client-error-not-authorized (0x0403)**

5007 The requester is not authorized to perform the request. Additional authentication information or authorization  
5008 credentials will not help and the request SHOULD NOT be repeated. This status code is used when the IPP  
5009 object wishes to reveal that the authentication information is understandable, however, the requester is explicitly not  
5010 authorized to perform the request. This status codes reveals more information than "client-error-forbidden" and  
5011 "client-error-not-authenticated".

**5012 13.1.4.5 client-error-not-possible (0x0404)**

5013 This status code is used when the request is for something that can not happen. For example, there might be a  
5014 request to cancel a job that has already been canceled or aborted by the system. The IPP client SHOULD NOT  
5015 repeat the request.

**5016 13.1.4.6 client-error-timeout (0x0405)**

5017 The client did not produce a request within the time that the IPP object was prepared to wait. For example, a  
5018 client issued a Create-Job operation and then, after a long period of time, issued a Send-Document operation and  
5019 this error status code was returned in response to the Send-Document request (see section 3.3.1). The IPP  
5020 object might have been forced to clean up resources that had been held for the waiting additional Documents. The  
5021 IPP object was forced to close the Job since the client took too long. The client SHOULD NOT repeat the  
5022 request without modifications.

**5023 13.1.4.7 client-error-not-found (0x0406)**

5024 The IPP object has not found anything matching the request URI. No indication is given of whether the condition is  
5025 temporary or permanent. For example, a client with an old reference to a Job (a URI) tries to cancel the Job,

5026 however in the mean time the Job might have been completed and all record of it at the Printer has been deleted.  
5027 This status code, 'client-error-not-found' is returned indicating that the referenced Job can not be found. This error  
5028 status code is also used when a client supplies a URI as a reference to the document data in either a Print-URI or  
5029 Send-URI operation, but the document can not be found.

5030 In practice, an IPP application should avoid a not found situation by first querying and presenting a list of valid  
5031 Printer URIs and Job URIs to the end-user.

#### 5032 **13.1.4.8 client-error-gone (0x0407)**

5033 The requested object is no longer available and no forwarding address is known. This condition should be  
5034 considered permanent. Clients with link editing capabilities should delete references to the request URI after user  
5035 approval. If the IPP object does not know or has no facility to determine, whether or not the condition is  
5036 permanent, the status code "client-error-not-found" should be used instead.

5037 This response is primarily intended to assist the task of maintenance by notifying the recipient that the resource is  
5038 intentionally unavailable and that the IPP object administrator desires that remote links to that resource be  
5039 removed. It is not necessary to mark all permanently unavailable resources as "gone" or to keep the mark for any  
5040 length of time -- that is left to the discretion of the IPP object administrator and/or Printer implementation.

#### 5041 **13.1.4.9 client-error-request-entity-too-large (0x0408)**

5042 The IPP object is refusing to process a request because the request entity is larger than the IPP object is willing or  
5043 able to process. An IPP Printer returns this status code when it limits the size of print jobs and it receives a print  
5044 job that exceeds that limit or when the attributes are so many that their encoding causes the request entity to exceed  
5045 IPP object capacity.

#### 5046 **13.1.4.10 client-error-request-value-too-long (0x0409)**

5047 The IPP object is refusing to service the request because one or more of the client-supplied attributes has a  
5048 variable length value that is longer than the maximum length specified for that attribute. The IPP object might not  
5049 have sufficient resources (memory, buffers, etc.) to process (even temporarily), interpret, and/or ignore a value  
5050 larger than the maximum length. Another use of this error code is when the IPP object supports the processing of a  
5051 large value that is less than the maximum length, but during the processing of the request as a whole, the object may  
5052 pass the value onto some other system component which is not able to accept the large value. For more details,  
5053 see the Implementer's Guide [IPP-IIG] .

5054 Note: For attribute values that are URIs, this rare condition is only likely to occur when a client has improperly  
5055 submitted a request with long query information (e.g. an IPP application allows an end-user to enter an invalid  
5056 URI), when the client has descended into a URI "black hole" of redirection (e.g., a redirected URI prefix that  
5057 points to a suffix of itself), or when the IPP object is under attack by a client attempting to exploit security holes  
5058 present in some IPP objects using fixed-length buffers for reading or manipulating the Request-URI.

**5059 13.1.4.11 client-error-document-format-not-supported (0x040A)**

5060 The IPP object is refusing to service the request because the document data is in a format, as specified in the  
5061 "document-format" operation attribute, that is not supported by the Printer object. This error is returned  
5062 independent of the client-supplied "ipp-attribute-fidelity". The Printer object MUST return this status code, even if  
5063 there are other Job Template attributes that are not supported as well, since this error is a bigger problem than with  
5064 Job Template attributes. See sections 3.1.6.1, 3.1.7, and 3.2.1.1.

**5065 13.1.4.12 client-error-attributes-or-values-not-supported (0x040B)**

5066 In a create request, if the Printer object does not support one or more attributes, attribute syntaxes, or attribute  
5067 values supplied in the request and the client supplied the "ipp-attribute-fidelity" operation attribute with the 'true'  
5068 value, the Printer object MUST return this status code. The Printer object MUST also return in the Unsupported  
5069 Attributes Group all the attributes and/or values supplied by the client that are not supported. See section 3.1.7.  
5070 For example, if the request indicates 'iso-a4' media, but that media type is not supported by the Printer object. Or,  
5071 if the client supplies a Job Template attribute and the attribute itself is not even supported by the Printer. If the  
5072 "ipp-attribute-fidelity" attribute is 'false', the Printer MUST ignore or substitute values for unsupported Job  
5073 Template attributes and values rather than reject the request and return this status code.

5074 For any operation where a client requests attributes (such as a Get-Jobs, Get-Printer-Attributes, or Get-Job-  
5075 Attributes operation), if the IPP object does not support one or more of the requested attributes, the IPP object  
5076 simply ignores the unsupported requested attributes and processes the request as if they had not been supplied,  
5077 rather than returning this status code. In this case, the IPP object MUST return the 'successful-ok-ignored-or-  
5078 substituted-attributes' status code and MAY return the unsupported attributes as values of the "requested-  
5079 attributes" in the Unsupported Attributes Group (see section 13.1.2.2).

**5080 13.1.4.13 client-error-uri-scheme-not-supported (0x040C)**

5081 The scheme of the client-supplied URI in a Print-URI or a Send-URI operation is not supported. See sections  
5082 3.1.6.1 and 3.1.7.

**5083 13.1.4.14 client-error-charset-not-supported (0x040D)**

5084 For any operation, if the IPP Printer does not support the charset supplied by the client in the "attributes-charset"  
5085 operation attribute, the Printer MUST reject the operation and return this status and any 'text' or 'name' attributes  
5086 using the 'utf-8' charset (see Section 3.1.4.1). See sections 3.1.6.1 and 3.1.7.

**5087 13.1.4.15 client-error-conflicting-attributes (0x040E)**

5088 The request is rejected because some attribute values conflicted with the values of other attributes which this  
5089 document does not permit to be substituted or ignored. The Printer object MUST also return in the Unsupported  
5090 Attributes Group the conflicting attributes supplied by the client. See sections 3.1.7 and 3.2.1.2.

**5091 13.1.4.16 client-error-compression-not-supported (0x040F)**

5092 The IPP object is refusing to service the request because the document data, as specified in the "compression"  
5093 operation attribute, is compressed in a way that is not supported by the Printer object. This error is returned  
5094 independent of the client-supplied "ipp-attribute-fidelity". The Printer object **MUST** return this status code, even if  
5095 there are other Job Template attributes that are not supported as well, since this error is a bigger problem than with  
5096 Job Template attributes. See sections 3.1.6.1, 3.1.7, and 3.2.1.1.

**5097 13.1.4.17 client-error-compression-error (0x0410)**

5098 The IPP object is refusing to service the request because the document data cannot be decompressed when using  
5099 the algorithm specified by the "compression" operation attribute. This error is returned independent of the client-  
5100 supplied "ipp-attribute-fidelity". The Printer object **MUST** return this status code, even if there are Job Template  
5101 attributes that are not supported as well, since this error is a bigger problem than with Job Template attributes. See  
5102 sections 3.1.7 and 3.2.1.1.

**5103 13.1.4.18 client-error-document-format-error (0x0411)**

5104 The IPP object is refusing to service the request because Printer encountered an error in the document data while  
5105 interpreting it. This error is returned independent of the client-supplied "ipp-attribute-fidelity". The Printer object  
5106 **MUST** return this status code, even if there are Job Template attributes that are not supported as well, since this  
5107 error is a bigger problem than with Job Template attributes. See sections 3.1.7 and 3.2.1.1.

**5108 13.1.4.19 client-error-document-access-error (0x0412)**

5109 The IPP object is refusing to service the Print-URI or Send-URI request because Printer encountered an access  
5110 error while attempting to validate the accessibility or access the document data specified in the "document-uri"  
5111 operation attribute. The Printer **MAY** also return a specific document access error code using the "document-  
5112 access-error" operation attribute (see section 3.1.6.4). This error is returned independent of the client-supplied  
5113 "ipp-attribute-fidelity". The Printer object **MUST** return this status code, even if there are Job Template attributes  
5114 that are not supported as well, since this error is a bigger problem than with Job Template attributes. See sections  
5115 3.1.6.1 and 3.1.7.

**5116 13.1.5 Server Error Status Codes**

5117 This class of status codes indicates cases in which the IPP object is aware that it has erred or is incapable of  
5118 performing the request. The IPP object **SHOULD** include a message containing an explanation of the error  
5119 situation, and whether it is a temporary or permanent condition.

**5120 13.1.5.1 server-error-internal-error (0x0500)**

5121 The IPP object encountered an unexpected condition that prevented it from fulfilling the request. This error status  
5122 code differs from "server-error-temporary-error" in that it implies a more permanent type of internal error. It also  
5123 differs from "server-error-device-error" in that it implies an unexpected condition (unlike a paper-jam or out-of-  
5124 toner problem which is undesirable but expected). This error status code indicates that probably some  
5125 knowledgeable human intervention is required.

**5126 13.1.5.2 server-error-operation-not-supported (0x0501)**

5127 The IPP object does not support the functionality required to fulfill the request. This is the appropriate response  
5128 when the IPP object does not recognize an operation or is not capable of supporting it. See sections 3.1.6.1 and  
5129 3.1.7.

**5130 13.1.5.3 server-error-service-unavailable (0x0502)**

5131 The IPP object is currently unable to handle the request due to a temporary overloading or maintenance of the IPP  
5132 object. The implication is that this is a temporary condition which will be alleviated after some delay. If known, the  
5133 length of the delay may be indicated in the message. If no delay is given, the IPP application should handle the  
5134 response as it would for a "server-error-temporary-error" response. If the condition is more permanent, the error  
5135 status codes "client-error-gone" or "client-error-not-found" could be used.

**5136 13.1.5.4 server-error-version-not-supported (0x0503)**

5137 The IPP object does not support, or refuses to support, the IPP protocol version that was supplied as the value of  
5138 the "version-number" operation parameter in the request. The IPP object is indicating that it is unable or unwilling  
5139 to complete the request using the same major and minor version number as supplied in the request other than with  
5140 this error message. The error response SHOULD contain a "status-message" attribute (see section 3.1.6.2)  
5141 describing why that version is not supported and what other versions are supported by that IPP object. See  
5142 sections 3.1.6.1, 3.1.7, and 3.1.8.

5143 The error response MUST identify in the "version-number" operation parameter the closest version number that the  
5144 IPP object does support. For example, if a client supplies version '1.0' and an IPP/1.1 object supports version  
5145 '1.0', then it responds with version '1.0' in all responses to such a request. If the IPP/1.1 object does not support  
5146 version '1.0', then it should accept the request and respond with version '1.1' or may reject the request and  
5147 respond with this error code and version '1.1'. If a client supplies a version '1.2', the IPP/1.1 object should accept  
5148 the request and return version '1.1' or may reject the request and respond with this error code and version '1.1'.  
5149 See sections 3.1.8 and 4.4.14.

**5150 13.1.5.5 server-error-device-error (0x0504)**

5151 A printer error, such as a paper jam, occurs while the IPP object processes a Print or Send operation. The  
5152 response contains the true Job Status (the values of the "job-state" and "job-state-reasons" attributes). Additional



5153 information can be returned in the OPTIONAL "job-state-message" attribute value or in the OPTIONAL status  
5154 message that describes the error in more detail. This error status code is only returned in situations where the  
5155 Printer is unable to accept the create request because of such a device error. For example, if the Printer is unable  
5156 to spool, and can only accept one job at a time, the reason it might reject a create request is that the printer  
5157 currently has a paper jam. In many cases however, where the Printer object can accept the request even though  
5158 the Printer has some error condition, the 'successful-ok' status code will be returned. In such a case, the client  
5159 would look at the returned Job Object Attributes or later query the Printer to determine its state and state reasons.

#### 5160 **13.1.5.6 server-error-temporary-error (0x0505)**

5161 A temporary error such as a buffer full write error, a memory overflow (i.e. the document data exceeds the  
5162 memory of the Printer), or a disk full condition, occurs while the IPP Printer processes an operation. The client  
5163 MAY try the unmodified request again at some later point in time with an expectation that the temporary internal  
5164 error condition may have been cleared. Alternatively, as an implementation option, a Printer object MAY delay  
5165 the response until the temporary condition is cleared so that no error is returned.

#### 5166 **13.1.5.7 server-error-not-accepting-jobs (0x0506)**

5167 A temporary error indicating that the Printer is not currently accepting jobs, because the administrator has set the  
5168 value of the Printer's "printer-is-accepting-jobs" attribute to 'false' (by means outside the scope of this IPP/1.1  
5169 document).

#### 5170 **13.1.5.8 server-error-busy (0x0507)**

5171 A temporary error indicating that the Printer is too busy processing jobs and/or other requests. The client  
5172 SHOULD try the unmodified request again at some later point in time with an expectation that the temporary busy  
5173 condition will have been cleared.

#### 5174 **13.1.5.9 server-error-job-canceled (0x0508)**

5175 An error indicating that the job has been canceled by an operator or the system while the client was transmitting the  
5176 data to the IPP Printer. If a job-id and job-uri had been created, then they are returned in the Print-Job, Send-  
5177 Document, or Send-URI response as usual; otherwise, no job-id and job-uri are returned in the response.

#### 5178 **13.1.5.10 server-error-multiple-document-jobs-not-supported (0x0509)**

5179 The IPP object does not support multiple documents per job and a client attempted to supply document data with  
5180 a second Send-Document or Send-URI operation.

5181 **13.2 Status Codes for IPP Operations**

5182 PJ = Print-Job, PU = Print-URI, CJ = Create-Job, SD = Send-Document  
 5183 SU = Send-URI, V = Validate-Job, GA = Get-Job-Attributes and  
 5184 Get-Printer-Attributes, GJ = Get-Jobs, C = Cancel-Job

5185		IPP Operations								
5186	IPP Status Keyword	PJ	PU	CJ	SD	SU	V	GA	GJ	C
5187	-----	--	--	--	--	--	-	--	--	-
5188	successful-ok	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5189	successful-ok-ignored-or-substituted-	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5190	attributes									
5191	successful-ok-conflicting-attributes	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5192	client-error-bad-request	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5193	client-error-forbidden	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5194	client-error-not-authenticated	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5195	client-error-not-authorized	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5196	client-error-not-possible	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5197	client-error-timeout				x	x				
5198	client-error-not-found	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5199	client-error-gone	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5200	client-error-request-entity-too-large	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5201	client-error-request-value-too-long	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5202	client-error-document-format-not-	x	x		x	x	x	x		
5203	supported									
5204	client-error-attributes-or-values-not-	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5205	supported									
5206	client-error-uri-scheme-not-supported		x			x				
5207	client-error-charset-not-supported	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5208	client-error-conflicting-attributes	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5209	client-error-compression-not-supported	x	x		x	x	x			
5210	client-error-compression-error	x	x		x	x				
5211	client-error-document-format-error	x	x		x	x				
5212	client-error-document-access-error		x			x				
5213	server-error-internal-error	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5214	server-error-operation-not-supported		x	x	x	x				
5215	server-error-service-unavailable	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5216	server-error-version-not-supported	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5217	server-error-device-error	x	x	x	x	x				
5218	server-error-temporary-error	x	x	x	x	x				
5219	server-error-not-accepting-jobs	x	x	x			x			
5220	server-error-busy	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
5221	server-error-job-canceled	x			x	x				
5222	server-error-multiple-document-jobs-				x	x				
5223	not-supported									
5224										
5225										

5225	HJ = Hold-Job, RJ = Release-Job, RS = Restart-Job						
5226	PP = Pause-Printer, RP = Resume-Printer, PJ = Purge-Jobs						
5227							
5228		IPP Operations (cont.)					
5229	IPP Status Keyword	HJ	RJ	RS	PP	RP	PJ
5230	-----	--	--	--	--	--	--
5231	successful-ok	x	x	x	x	x	x
5232	successful-ok-ignored-or-substituted-	x	x	x	x	x	x
5233	attributes						
5234	successful-ok-conflicting-attributes	x	x	x	x	x	x
5235	client-error-bad-request	x	x	x	x	x	x
5236	client-error-forbidden	x	x	x	x	x	x
5237	client-error-not-authenticated	x	x	x	x	x	x
5238	client-error-not-authorized	x	x	x	x	x	x
5239	client-error-not-possible	x	x	x	x	x	x
5240	client-error-timeout						
5241	client-error-not-found	x	x	x	x	x	x
5242	client-error-gone	x	x	x	x	x	x
5243	client-error-request-entity-too-large	x	x	x	x	x	x
5244	client-error-request-value-too-long	x	x	x	x	x	x
5245	client-error-document-format-not-						
5246	supported						
5247	client-error-attributes-or-values-not-	x	x	x	x	x	x
5248	supported						
5249	client-error-uri-scheme-not-supported						
5250	client-error-charset-not-supported	x	x	x	x	x	x
5251	client-error-conflicting-attributes	x	x	x	x	x	x
5252	client-error-compression-not-supported						
5253	client-error-compression-error						
5254	client-error-document-format-error						
5255	client-error-document-access-error						
5256	server-error-internal-error	x	x	x	x	x	x
5257	server-error-operation-not-supported	x	x	x	x	x	x
5258	server-error-service-unavailable	x	x	x	x	x	x
5259	server-error-version-not-supported	x	x	x	x	x	x
5260	server-error-device-error						
5261	server-error-temporary-error	x	x	x	x	x	x
5262	server-error-not-accepting-jobs						
5263	server-error-busy	x	x	x	x	x	x
5264	server-error-job-canceled						
5265	server-error-multiple-document-jobs-						
5266	not-supported						
5267							
5268							

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5269 **14. APPENDIX C: "media" keyword values**5270 **14. APPENDIX C: "media" keyword values**

5271 Standard keyword values are taken from several sources.

5272 Standard values are defined (taken from DPA[ISO10175] and the Printer MIB[RFC1759]):

5273 'default': The default medium for the output device

5274 'iso-a4-white': Specifies the ISO A4 white medium: 210 mm x 297 mm

5275 'iso-a4-colored': Specifies the ISO A4 colored medium: 210 mm x 297 mm

5276 'iso-a4-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4 transparent medium: 210 mm x 297 mm

5277 'iso-a3-white': Specifies the ISO A3 white medium: 297 mm x 420 mm

5278 'iso-a3-colored': Specifies the ISO A3 colored medium: 297 mm x 420 mm

5279 'iso-a5-white': Specifies the ISO A5 white medium: 148 mm x 210 mm

5280 'iso-a5-colored': Specifies the ISO A5 colored medium: 148 mm x 210 mm

5281 'iso-b4-white': Specifies the ISO B4 white medium: 250 mm x 353 mm

5282 'iso-b4-colored': Specifies the ISO B4 colored medium: 250 mm x 353 mm

5283 'iso-b5-white': Specifies the ISO B5 white medium: 176 mm x 250 mm

5284 'iso-b5-colored': Specifies the ISO B5 colored medium: 176 mm x 250 mm

5285 'jis-b4-white': Specifies the JIS B4 white medium: 257 mm x 364 mm

5286 'jis-b4-colored': Specifies the JIS B4 colored medium: 257 mm x 364 mm

5287 'jis-b5-white': Specifies the JIS B5 white medium: 182 mm x 257 mm

5288 'jis-b5-colored': Specifies the JIS B5 colored medium: 182 mm x 257 mm

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5290 The following standard values are defined for North American media:

5291 'na-letter-white': Specifies the North American letter white medium

5292 'na-letter-colored': Specifies the North American letter colored medium

5293 'na-letter-transparent': Specifies the North American letter transparent medium

5294 'na-legal-white': Specifies the North American legal white medium

5295 'na-legal-colored': Specifies the North American legal colored medium

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5297 The following standard values are defined for envelopes:

5298 'iso-b4-envelope': Specifies the ISO B4 envelope medium

5299 'iso-b5-envelope': Specifies the ISO B5 envelope medium

5300 'iso-c3-envelope': Specifies the ISO C3 envelope medium

5301 'iso-c4-envelope': Specifies the ISO C4 envelope medium

5302 'iso-c5-envelope': Specifies the ISO C5 envelope medium

5303 'iso-c6-envelope': Specifies the ISO C6 envelope medium  
5304 'iso-designated-long-envelope': Specifies the ISO Designated Long envelope medium  
5305 'na-10x13-envelope': Specifies the North American 10x13 envelope medium  
5306 'na-9x12-envelope': Specifies the North American 9x12 envelope medium  
5307 'monarch-envelope': Specifies the Monarch envelope  
5308 'na-number-10-envelope': Specifies the North American number 10 business envelope medium  
5309 'na-7x9-envelope': Specifies the North American 7x9 inch envelope  
5310 'na-9x11-envelope': Specifies the North American 9x11 inch envelope  
5311 'na-10x14-envelope': Specifies the North American 10x14 inch envelope  
5312 'na-number-9-envelope': Specifies the North American number 9 business envelope  
5313 'na-6x9-envelope': Specifies the North American 6x9 inch envelope  
5314 'na-10x15-envelope': Specifies the North American 10x15 inch envelope  
5315

5316 The following standard values are defined for the less commonly used media:

5317 'executive-white': Specifies the white executive medium  
5318 'folio-white': Specifies the folio white medium  
5319 'invoice-white': Specifies the white invoice medium  
5320 'ledger-white': Specifies the white ledger medium  
5321 'quarto-white': Specifies the white quarto medium  
5322 'iso-a0-white': Specifies the ISO A0 white medium: 841 mm x 1189 mm  
5323 'iso-a0-transparent': Specifies the ISO A0 transparent medium: 841 mm x 1189 mm  
5324 'iso-a0-translucent': Specifies the ISO A0 translucent medium: 841 mm x 1189 mm  
5325 'iso-a1-white': Specifies the ISO A1 white medium: 594 mm x 841 mm  
5326 'iso-a1-transparent': Specifies the ISO A1 transparent medium: 594 mm x 841 mm  
5327 'iso-a1-translucent': Specifies the ISO A1 translucent medium: 594 mm x 841 mm  
5328 'iso-a2-white': Specifies the ISO A2 white medium: 420 mm x 594 mm  
5329 'iso-a2-transparent': Specifies the ISO A2 transparent medium: 420 mm x 594 mm  
5330 'iso-a2-translucent': Specifies the ISO A2 translucent medium: 420 mm x 594 mm  
5331 'iso-a3-transparent': Specifies the ISO A3 transparent medium: 297 mm x 420 mm  
5332 'iso-a3-translucent': Specifies the ISO A3 translucent medium: 297 mm x 420 mm  
5333 'iso-a4-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4 translucent medium: 210 mm x 297 mm  
5334 'iso-a5-transparent': Specifies the ISO A5 transparent medium: 148 mm x 210 mm  
5335 'iso-a5-translucent': Specifies the ISO A5 translucent medium: 148 mm x 210 mm  
5336 'iso-a6-white': Specifies the ISO A6 white medium: 105 mm x 148 mm  
5337 'iso-a7-white': Specifies the ISO A7 white medium: 74 mm x 105 mm  
5338 'iso-a8-white': Specifies the ISO A8 white medium: 52 mm x 74 mm  
5339 'iso-a9-white': Specifies the ISO A9 white medium: 37 mm x 52 mm  
5340 'iso-a10-white': Specifies the ISO A10 white medium: 26 mm x 37 mm  
5341 'iso-b0-white': Specifies the ISO B0 white medium: 1000 mm x 1414 mm  
5342 'iso-b1-white': Specifies the ISO B1 white medium: 707 mm x 1000 mm  
5343 'iso-b2-white': Specifies the ISO B2 white medium: 500 mm x 707 mm

5344 'iso-b3-white': Specifies the ISO B3 white medium: 353 mm x 500 mm  
 5345 'iso-b6-white': Specifies the ISO B6 white medium: 125 mm x 176 mm  
 5346 'iso-b7-white': Specifies the ISO B7 white medium: 88 mm x 125 mm  
 5347 'iso-b8-white': Specifies the ISO B8 white medium: 62 mm x 88 mm  
 5348 'iso-b9-white': Specifies the ISO B9 white medium: 44 mm x 62 mm  
 5349 'iso-b10-white': Specifies the ISO B10 white medium: 31 mm x 44 mm  
 5350 'jis-b0-white': Specifies the JIS B0 white medium: 1030 mm x 1456 mm  
 5351 'jis-b0-transparent': Specifies the JIS B0 transparent medium: 1030 mm x 1456 mm  
 5352 'jis-b0-translucent': Specifies the JIS B0 translucent medium: 1030 mm x 1456 mm  
 5353 'jis-b1-white': Specifies the JIS B1 white medium: 728 mm x 1030 mm  
 5354 'jis-b1-transparent': Specifies the JIS B1 transparent medium: 728 mm x 1030 mm  
 5355 'jis-b1-translucent': Specifies the JIS B1 translucent medium: 728 mm x 1030 mm  
 5356 'jis-b2-white': Specifies the JIS B2 white medium: 515 mm x 728 mm  
 5357 'jis-b2-transparent': Specifies the JIS B2 transparent medium: 515 mm x 728 mm  
 5358 'jis-b2-translucent': Specifies the JIS B2 translucent medium: 515 mm x 728 mm  
 5359 'jis-b3-white': Specifies the JIS B3 white medium: 364 mm x 515 mm  
 5360 'jis-b3-transparent': Specifies the JIS B3 transparent medium: 364 mm x 515 mm  
 5361 'jis-b3-translucent': Specifies the JIS B3 translucent medium: 364 mm x 515 mm  
 5362 'jis-b4-transparent': Specifies the JIS B4 transparent medium: 257 mm x 364 mm  
 5363 'jis-b4-translucent': Specifies the JIS B4 translucent medium: 257 mm x 364 mm  
 5364 'jis-b5-transparent': Specifies the JIS B5 transparent medium: 182 mm x 257 mm  
 5365 'jis-b5-translucent': Specifies the JIS B5 translucent medium: 182 mm x 257 mm  
 5366 'jis-b6-white': Specifies the JIS B6 white medium: 128 mm x 182 mm  
 5367 'jis-b7-white': Specifies the JIS B7 white medium: 91 mm x 128 mm  
 5368 'jis-b8-white': Specifies the JIS B8 white medium: 64 mm x 91 mm  
 5369 'jis-b9-white': Specifies the JIS B9 white medium: 45 mm x 64 mm  
 5370 'jis-b10-white': Specifies the JIS B10 white medium: 32 mm x 45 mm  
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5372 The following standard values are defined for American Standard (i.e. ANSI) engineering media:

5373 'a-white': Specifies the engineering ANSI A size white medium: 8.5 inches x 11 inches  
 5374 'a-transparent': Specifies the engineering ANSI A size transparent medium: 8.5 inches x 11 inches  
 5375 'a-translucent': Specifies the engineering ANSI A size translucent medium: 8.5 inches x 11 inches  
 5376 'b-white': Specifies the engineering ANSI B size white medium: 11 inches x 17 inches  
 5377 'b-transparent': Specifies the engineering ANSI B size transparent medium: 11 inches x 17 inches)  
 5378 'b-translucent': Specifies the engineering ANSI B size translucent medium: 11 inches x 17 inches  
 5379 'c-white': Specifies the engineering ANSI C size white medium: 17 inches x 22 inches  
 5380 'c-transparent': Specifies the engineering ANSI C size transparent medium: 17 inches x 22 inches  
 5381 'c-translucent': Specifies the engineering ANSI C size translucent medium: 17 inches x 22 inches  
 5382 'd-white': Specifies the engineering ANSI D size white medium: 22 inches x 34 inches  
 5383 'd-transparent': Specifies the engineering ANSI D size transparent medium: 22 inches x 34 inches  
 5384 'd-translucent': Specifies the engineering ANSI D size translucent medium: 22 inches x 34 inches

5385 'e-white': Specifies the engineering ANSI E size white medium: 34 inches x 44 inches  
5386 'e-transparent': Specifies the engineering ANSI E size transparent medium: 34 inches x 44 inches  
5387 'e-translucent': Specifies the engineering ANSI E size translucent medium: 34 inches x 44 inches  
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5389 The following standard values are defined for American Standard (i.e. ANSI) engineering media for devices that  
5390 provide the "synchro-cut" feature (see section 14.1):

5391 'axsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (11 inches) of the engineering  
5392 ANSI A size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5393 'axsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (11 inches) of the  
5394 engineering ANSI A size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5395 'axsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (11 inches) of the  
5396 engineering ANSI A size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5397 'bxsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (17 inches) of the engineering  
5398 ANSI B size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5399 'bxsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (17 inches) of the  
5400 engineering ANSI B size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5401 'bxsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (17 inches) of the  
5402 engineering ANSI B size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5403 'cxsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (22 inches) of the engineering  
5404 ANSI C size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5405 'cxsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (22 inches) of the  
5406 engineering ANSI C size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5407 'cxsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (22 inches) of the  
5408 engineering ANSI C size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5409 'dxsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (34 inches) of the engineering  
5410 ANSI D size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5411 'dxsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (34 inches) of the  
5412 engineering ANSI D size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5413 'dxsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (34 inches) of the  
5414 engineering ANSI D size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5415 'exsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (44 inches) of the engineering  
5416 ANSI E size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5417 'exsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (44 inches) of the  
5418 engineering ANSI E size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5419 'exsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (44 inches) of the  
5420 engineering ANSI E size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
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5422 The following standard values are defined for American Architectural engineering media:

5423 'arch-a-white': Specifies the Architectural A size white medium: 9 inches x 12 inches  
5424 'arch-a-transparent': Specifies the Architectural A size transparent medium: 9 inches x 12 inches  
5425 'arch-a-translucent': Specifies the Architectural A size translucent medium: 9 inches x 12 inches

5426 'arch-b-white': Specifies the Architectural B size white medium: 12 inches x 18 inches  
5427 'arch-b-transparent': Specifies the Architectural B size transparent medium: 12 inches x 18 inches  
5428 'arch-b-translucent': Specifies the Architectural B size translucent medium: 12 inches x 18 inches  
5429 'arch-c-white': Specifies the Architectural C size white medium: 18 inches x 24 inches  
5430 'arch-c-transparent': Specifies the Architectural C size transparent medium: 18 inches x 24 inches  
5431 'arch-c-translucent': Specifies the Architectural C size translucent medium: 18 inches x 24 inches  
5432 'arch-d-white': Specifies the Architectural D size white medium: 24 inches x 36 inches  
5433 'arch-d-transparent': Specifies the Architectural D size transparent medium: 24 inches x 36 inches  
5434 'arch-d-translucent': Specifies the Architectural D size translucent medium: 24 inches x 36 inches  
5435 'arch-e-white': Specifies the Architectural E size white medium: 36 inches x 48 inches  
5436 'arch-e-transparent': Specifies the Architectural E size transparent medium: 36 inches x 48 inches  
5437 'arch-e-translucent': Specifies the Architectural E size translucent medium: 36 inches x 48 inches  
5438

5439 The following standard values are defined for American Architectural engineering media for devices that provide  
5440 the "synchro-cut" feature (see section 14.1):

5441 'arch-axsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (12 inches) of the  
5442 Architectural A size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5443 'arch-axsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (12 inches) of the  
5444 Architectural A size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5445 'arch-axsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (12 inches) of the  
5446 Architectural A size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5447 'arch-bxsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (18 inches) of the  
5448 Architectural B size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5449 'arch-bxsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (18 inches) of the  
5450 Architectural B size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5451 'arch-bxsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (18 inches) of the  
5452 Architectural B size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5453 'arch-cxsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (24 inches) of the  
5454 Architectural C size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5455 'arch-cxsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (24 inches) of the  
5456 Architectural C size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5457 'arch-cxsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (24 inches) of the  
5458 Architectural C size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5459 'arch-dxsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (36 inches) of the  
5460 Architectural D size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5461 'arch-dxsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (36 inches) of the  
5462 Architectural D size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5463 'arch-dxsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (36 inches) of the  
5464 Architectural D size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5465 'arch-exsynchro-white': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (48 inches) of the  
5466 Architectural E size white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.



5467 'arch-exsynchro-transparent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (48 inches) of the  
5468 Architectural E size transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5469 'arch-exsynchro-translucent': Specifies the roll paper having the width of the longer edge (48 inches) of the  
5470 Architectural E size translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
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5472 The following standard values are defined for Japanese and European Standard (i.e. ISO) engineering media,  
5473 which are of a long fixed size [ASME- Y14.1M]:

5474 'iso-a1x3-white': Specifies the ISO A1X3 white medium having the width of the longer edge (841 mm) of the  
5475 ISO A1 medium  
5476 'iso-a1x3-transparent': Specifies the ISO A1X3 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (841  
5477 mm) of the ISO A1 medium  
5478 'iso-a1x3-translucent': Specifies the ISO A1X3 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (841  
5479 mm) of the ISO A1 medium  
5480 'iso-a1x4-white': Specifies the ISO A1X4 white medium having the width of the longer edge (841 mm) of the  
5481 ISO A1 medium  
5482 'iso-a1x4-transparent': Specifies the ISO A1X4 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (841  
5483 mm) of the ISO A1 medium  
5484 'iso-a1x4-translucent': Specifies the ISO A1X4 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (841  
5485 mm) of the ISO A1 medium  
5486 'iso-a2x3-white': Specifies the ISO A2X3 white medium having the width of the longer edge (594 mm) of the  
5487 ISO A2 medium  
5488 'iso-a2x3-transparent': Specifies the ISO A2X3 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (594  
5489 mm) of the ISO A2 medium  
5490 'iso-a2x3-translucent': Specifies the ISO A2X3 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (594  
5491 mm) of the ISO A2 medium  
5492 'iso-a2x4-white': Specifies the ISO A2X4 white medium having the width of the longer edge (594 mm) of the  
5493 ISO A2 medium  
5494 'iso-a2x4-transparent': Specifies the ISO A2X4 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (594  
5495 mm) of the ISO A2 medium  
5496 'iso-a2x4-translucent': Specifies the ISO A2X4 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (594  
5497 mm) of the ISO A2 medium  
5498 'iso-a2x5-white': Specifies the ISO A2X5 white medium having the width of the longer edge (594 mm) of the  
5499 ISO A2 medium  
5500 'iso-a2x5-transparent': Specifies the ISO A2X5 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (594  
5501 mm) of the ISO A2 medium  
5502 'iso-a2x5-translucent': Specifies the ISO A2X5 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (594  
5503 mm) of the ISO A2 medium  
5504 'iso-a3x3-white': Specifies the ISO A3X3 white medium having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the  
5505 ISO A3 medium  
5506 'iso-a3x3-transparent': Specifies the ISO A3X3 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5507 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5508 'iso-a3x3-translucent': Specifies the ISO A3X3 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5509 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5510 'iso-a3x4-white': Specifies the ISO A3X4 white medium having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the  
5511 ISO A3 medium

5512 'iso-a3x4-transparent': Specifies the ISO A3X4 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5513 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5514 'iso-a3x4-translucent': Specifies the ISO A3X4 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5515 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5516 'iso-a3x5-white': Specifies the ISO A3X5 white medium having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the  
5517 ISO A3 medium

5518 'iso-a3x5-transparent': Specifies the ISO A3X5 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5519 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5520 'iso-a3x5-translucent': Specifies the ISO A3X5 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5521 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5522 'iso-a3x6-white': Specifies the ISO A3X6 white medium having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the  
5523 ISO A3 medium

5524 'iso-a3x6-transparent': Specifies the ISO A3X6 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5525 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5526 'iso-a3x6-translucent': Specifies the ISO A3X6 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5527 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5528 'iso-a3x7-white': Specifies the ISO A3X7 white medium having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the  
5529 ISO A3 medium

5530 'iso-a3x7-transparent': Specifies the ISO A3X7 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5531 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5532 'iso-a3x7-translucent': Specifies the ISO A3X7 translucent' medium having the width of the longer edge (420  
5533 mm) of the ISO A3 medium

5534 'iso-a4x3-white': Specifies the ISO A4X3 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5535 ISO A4 medium

5536 'iso-a4x3-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X3 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5537 mm) of the ISO A4 medium

5538 'iso-a4x3-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X3 translucent' medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5539 mm) of the ISO A4 medium

5540 'iso-a4x4-white': Specifies the ISO A4X4 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5541 ISO A4 medium

5542 'iso-a4x4-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X4 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5543 mm) of the ISO A4 medium

5544 'iso-a4x4-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X4 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5545 mm) of the ISO A4 medium

5546 'iso-a4x5-white': Specifies the ISO A4X5 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5547 ISO A4 medium

5548 'iso-a4x5-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X5 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5549 mm) of the ISO A4 medium

- 5550 'iso-a4x5-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X5 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5551 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5552 'iso-a4x6-white': Specifies the ISO A4X6 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5553 ISO A4 medium
- 5554 'iso-a4x6-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X6 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5555 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5556 'iso-a4x6-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X6 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5557 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5558 'iso-a4x7-white': Specifies the ISO A4X7 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5559 ISO A4 medium
- 5560 'iso-a4x7-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X7 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5561 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5562 'iso-a4x7-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X7 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5563 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5564 'iso-a4x8-white': Specifies the ISO A4X8 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5565 ISO A4 medium
- 5566 'iso-a4x8-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X8 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5567 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5568 'iso-a4x8-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X8 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5569 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5570 'iso-a4x9-white': Specifies the ISO A4X9 white medium having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the  
5571 ISO A4 medium
- 5572 'iso-a4x9-transparent': Specifies the ISO A4X9 transparent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5573 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
- 5574 'iso-a4x9-translucent': Specifies the ISO A4X9 translucent medium having the width of the longer edge (297  
5575 mm) of the ISO A4 medium
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- 5577 The following standard values are defined for Japanese and European Standard (i.e. ISO) engineering media,  
5578 which are either a long fixed size [ASME-Y14.1M] or roll feed, for devices that provide the "synchro-cut" feature  
5579 (see section 14.1):
- 5580 'iso-a0synchro-white': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (1189 mm) of the ISO A0  
5581 white medium and cuts synchronizing with data.
- 5582 'iso-a0synchro-transparent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (1189 mm) of the ISO  
5583 A0 transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.
- 5584 'iso-a0synchro-translucent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (1189 mm) of the ISO  
5585 A0 translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.
- 5586 'iso-a1synchro-white': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (841 mm) of the ISO A1 white  
5587 medium and cuts synchronizing with data.
- 5588 'iso-a1synchro-transparent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (841 mm) of the ISO A1  
5589 transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.

5590 'iso-a1xsynchro-translucent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (841 mm) of the ISO A1  
5591 translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5592 'iso-a2xsynchro-white': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (594 mm) of the ISO A2 white  
5593 medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5594 'iso-a2xsynchro-transparent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (594 mm) of the ISO A2  
5595 transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5596 'iso-a2xsynchro-translucent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (594 mm) of the ISO A2  
5597 translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5598 'iso-a3xsynchro-white': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the ISO A3 white  
5599 medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5600 'iso-a3xsynchro-transparent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the ISO A3  
5601 transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5602 'iso-a3xsynchro-translucent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (420 mm) of the ISO A3  
5603 translucent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5604 'iso-a4xsynchro-white': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the ISO A4 white  
5605 medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5606 'iso-a4xsynchro-transparent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the ISO A4  
5607 transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
5608 'iso-a4xsynchro-translucent': Specifies the paper having the width of the longer edge (297 mm) of the ISO A4  
5609 transparent medium and cuts synchronizing with data.  
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5611 The following standard values are defined for American Standard (i.e. ANSI) engineering media, American  
5612 Architectural engineering media, and Japanese and European Standard (i.e. ISO) engineering media, which are  
5613 either a long fixed size [ASME-Y14.1M] or roll feed, for devices that provide the "synchro-cut" feature and/or the  
5614 "auto-select" feature (see section 14.1):

5615 'auto-white': Specifies that the printer selects the white medium with the appropriate fixed size (e.g. a1, a2,  
5616 etc.) or data-synchro size, and the selection is implementation-defined.  
5617 'auto-transparent': Specifies that the printer selects the transparent medium with the appropriate fixed size (e.g.  
5618 a1, a2, etc.) or data-synchro size, and the selection is implementation-defined.  
5619 'auto-translucent': Specifies that the printer selects the translucent medium with the appropriate fixed size (e.g.  
5620 a1, a2, etc.) or data-synchro size, and the selection is implementation-defined.  
5621 'auto-fixed-size-white': Specifies that the printer selects the white medium with the appropriate fixed size (e.g.  
5622 a1, a2, etc.) or the appropriate long fixed size listed above.  
5623 'auto-fixed-size-transparent': Specifies that the printer selects the transparent medium with the appropriate  
5624 fixed size (e.g. a1, a2, etc.) or the appropriate long fixed size listed above.  
5625 'auto-fixed-size-translucent': Specifies that the printer selects the translucent medium with the appropriate fixed  
5626 size (e.g. a1, a2, etc.) or the appropriate long fixed size listed above.  
5627 'auto-synchro-white': Specifies that the printer selects the white paper with the appropriate width and cuts it  
5628 synchronizing with data.  
5629 'auto-synchro-transparent': Specifies that the printer selects the transparent paper with the appropriate width  
5630 and cuts it synchronizing with data.

5631 'auto-synchro-translucent': Specifies that the printer selects the translucent paper with the appropriate width  
5632 and cuts it synchronizing with data.  
5633

5634 The following standard values are defined for input-trays (from ISO DPA and the Printer MIB):

5635 'top': The top input tray in the printer.  
5636 'middle': The middle input tray in the printer.  
5637 'bottom': The bottom input tray in the printer.  
5638 'envelope': The envelope input tray in the printer.  
5639 'manual': The manual feed input tray in the printer.  
5640 'large-capacity': The large capacity input tray in the printer.  
5641 'main': The main input tray  
5642 'side': The side input tray  
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5644 The following standard values are defined for media sizes (from ISO DPA):

5645 'iso-a0': Specifies the ISO A0 size: 841 mm by 1189 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5646 'iso-a1': Specifies the ISO A1 size: 594 mm by 841 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5647 'iso-a2': Specifies the ISO A2 size: 420 mm by 594 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5648 'iso-a3': Specifies the ISO A3 size: 297 mm by 420 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5649 'iso-a4': Specifies the ISO A4 size: 210 mm by 297 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5650 'iso-a5': Specifies the ISO A5 size: 148 mm by 210 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5651 'iso-a6': Specifies the ISO A6 size: 105 mm by 148 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5652 'iso-a7': Specifies the ISO A7 size: 74 mm by 105 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5653 'iso-a8': Specifies the ISO A8 size: 52 mm by 74 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5654 'iso-a9': Specifies the ISO A9 size: 37 mm by 52 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5655 'iso-a10': Specifies the ISO A10 size: 26 mm by 37 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5656 'iso-b0': Specifies the ISO B0 size: 1000 mm by 1414 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5657 'iso-b1': Specifies the ISO B1 size: 707 mm by 1000 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5658 'iso-b2': Specifies the ISO B2 size: 500 mm by 707 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5659 'iso-b3': Specifies the ISO B3 size: 353 mm by 500 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5660 'iso-b4': Specifies the ISO B4 size: 250 mm by 353 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5661 'iso-b5': Specifies the ISO B5 size: 176 mm by 250 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5662 'iso-b6': Specifies the ISO B6 size: 125 mm by 176 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5663 'iso-b7': Specifies the ISO B7 size: 88 mm by 125 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5664 'iso-b8': Specifies the ISO B8 size: 62 mm by 88 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5665 'iso-b9': Specifies the ISO B9 size: 44 mm by 62 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5666 'iso-b10': Specifies the ISO B10 size: 31 mm by 44 mm as defined in ISO 216  
5667 'na-letter': Specifies the North American letter size: 8.5 inches by 11 inches  
5668 'na-legal': Specifies the North American legal size: 8.5 inches by 14 inches  
5669 'na-8x10': Specifies the North American 8 inches by 10 inches  
5670 'na-5x7': Specifies the North American 5 inches by 7 inches

5671 'executive': Specifies the executive size (7.25 X 10.5 in)  
5672 'folio': Specifies the folio size (8.5 X 13 in)  
5673 'invoice': Specifies the invoice size (5.5 X 8.5 in)  
5674 'ledger': Specifies the ledger size (11 X 17 in)  
5675 'quarto': Specifies the quarto size (8.5 X 10.83 in)  
5676 'iso-c3': Specifies the ISO C3 size: 324 mm by 458 mm as defined in ISO 269  
5677 'iso-c4': Specifies the ISO C4 size: 229 mm by 324 mm as defined in ISO 269  
5678 'iso-c5': Specifies the ISO C5 size: 162 mm by 229 mm as defined in ISO 269  
5679 'iso-c6': Specifies the ISO C6 size: 114 mm by 162 mm as defined in ISO 269  
5680 'iso-designated-long': Specifies the ISO Designated Long size: 110 mm by 220 mm as defined in ISO 269  
5681 'na-10x13-envelope': Specifies the North American 10x13 size: 10 inches by 13 inches  
5682 'na-9x12-envelope': Specifies the North American 9x12 size: 9 inches by 12 inches  
5683 'na-number-10-envelope': Specifies the North American number 10 business envelope size: 4.125 inches by  
5684 9.5 inches  
5685 'na-7x9-envelope': Specifies the North American 7x9 inch envelope size  
5686 'na-9x11-envelope': Specifies the North American 9x11 inch envelope size  
5687 'na-10x14-envelope': Specifies the North American 10x14 inch envelope size  
5688 'na-number-9-envelope': Specifies the North American number 9 business envelope size  
5689 'na-6x9-envelope': Specifies the North American 6x9 envelope size  
5690 'na-10x15-envelope': Specifies the North American 10x15 envelope size  
5691 'monarch-envelope': Specifies the Monarch envelope size (3.87 x 7.5 in)  
5692 'jis-b0': Specifies the JIS B0 size: 1030mm x 1456mm  
5693 'jis-b1': Specifies the JIS B1 size: 728mm x 1030mm  
5694 'jis-b2': Specifies the JIS B2 size: 515mm x 728mm  
5695 'jis-b3': Specifies the JIS B3 size: 364mm x 515mm  
5696 'jis-b4': Specifies the JIS B4 size: 257mm x 364mm  
5697 'jis-b5': Specifies the JIS B5 size: 182mm x 257mm  
5698 'jis-b6': Specifies the JIS B6 size: 128mm x 182mm  
5699 'jis-b7': Specifies the JIS B7 size: 91mm x 128mm  
5700 'jis-b8': Specifies the JIS B8 size: 64mm x 91mm  
5701 'jis-b9': Specifies the JIS B9 size: 45mm x 64mm  
5702 'jis-b10': Specifies the JIS B10 size: 32mm x 45mm

5703 The following standard values are defined for American Standard (i.e. ANSI) engineering media sizes:

5704 'a': Specifies the engineering ANSI A size medium: 8.5 inches x 11 inches  
5705 'b': Specifies the engineering ANSI B size medium: 11 inches x 17 inches  
5706 'c': Specifies the engineering ANSI C size medium: 17 inches x 22 inches  
5707 'd': Specifies the engineering ANSI D size medium: 22 inches x 34 inches  
5708 'e': Specifies the engineering ANSI E size medium: 34 inches x 44 inches  
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5710 The following standard values are defined for American Architectural engineering media sizes:

5711 'arch-a': Specifies the Architectural A size medium: 9 inches x 12 inches

- 5712 'arch-b': Specifies the Architectural B size medium: 12 inches x 18 inches
- 5713 'arch-c': Specifies the Architectural C size medium: 18 inches x 24 inches
- 5714 'arch-d': Specifies the Architectural D size medium: 24 inches x 36 inches
- 5715 'arch-e': Specifies the Architectural E size medium: 36 inches x 48 inches

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### 14.1. Examples

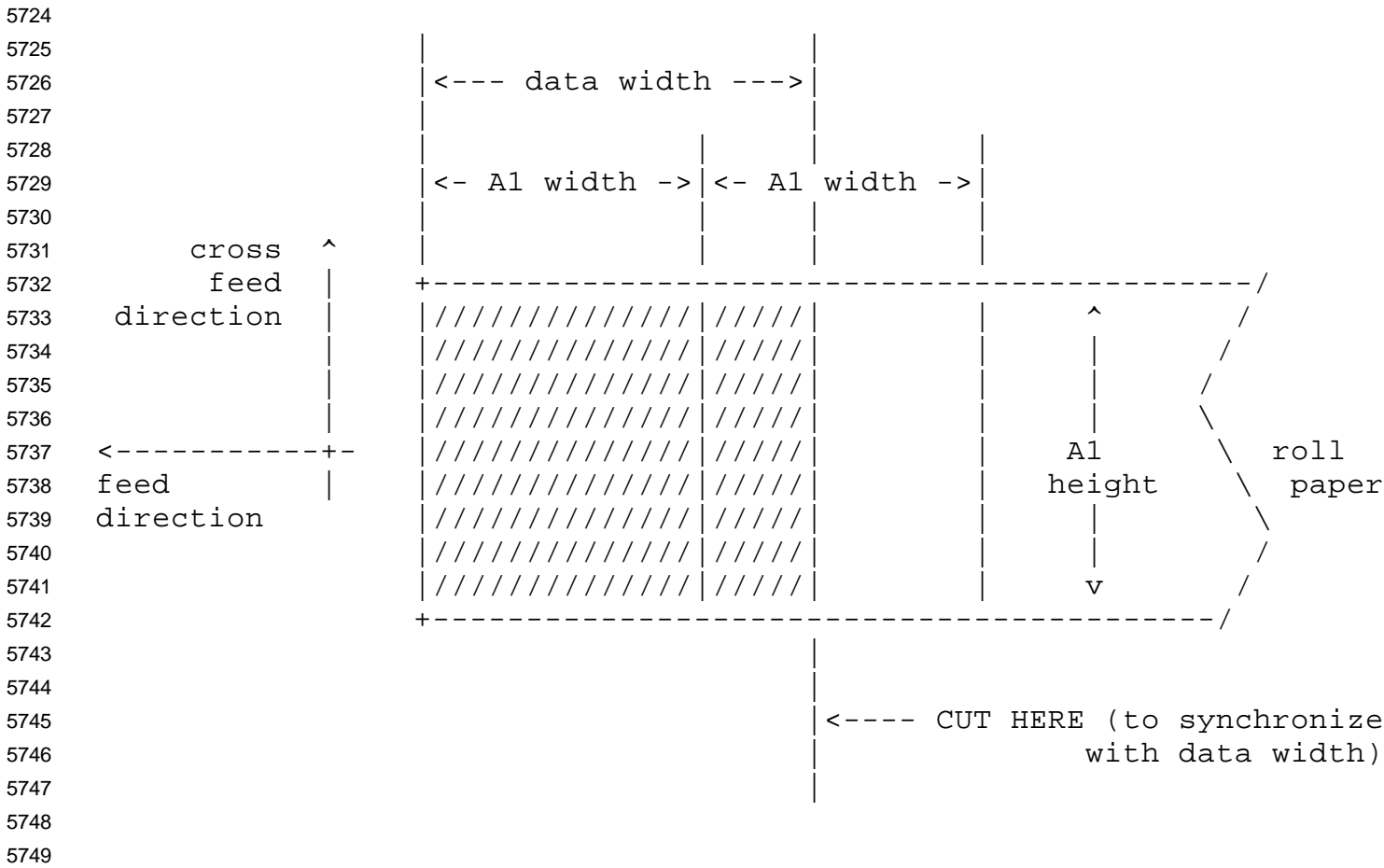
5718 Below are examples to supplement the engineering media value definitions.

5719 Example 1: "Synchro-Cut", a device cutting the roll paper in synchronization with the data

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5720 data height:           A1 height
5721 data width (shaded):  A1 width < data width < (A1 width) x 2
5722 specified value:      'iso-axsynchro-white'
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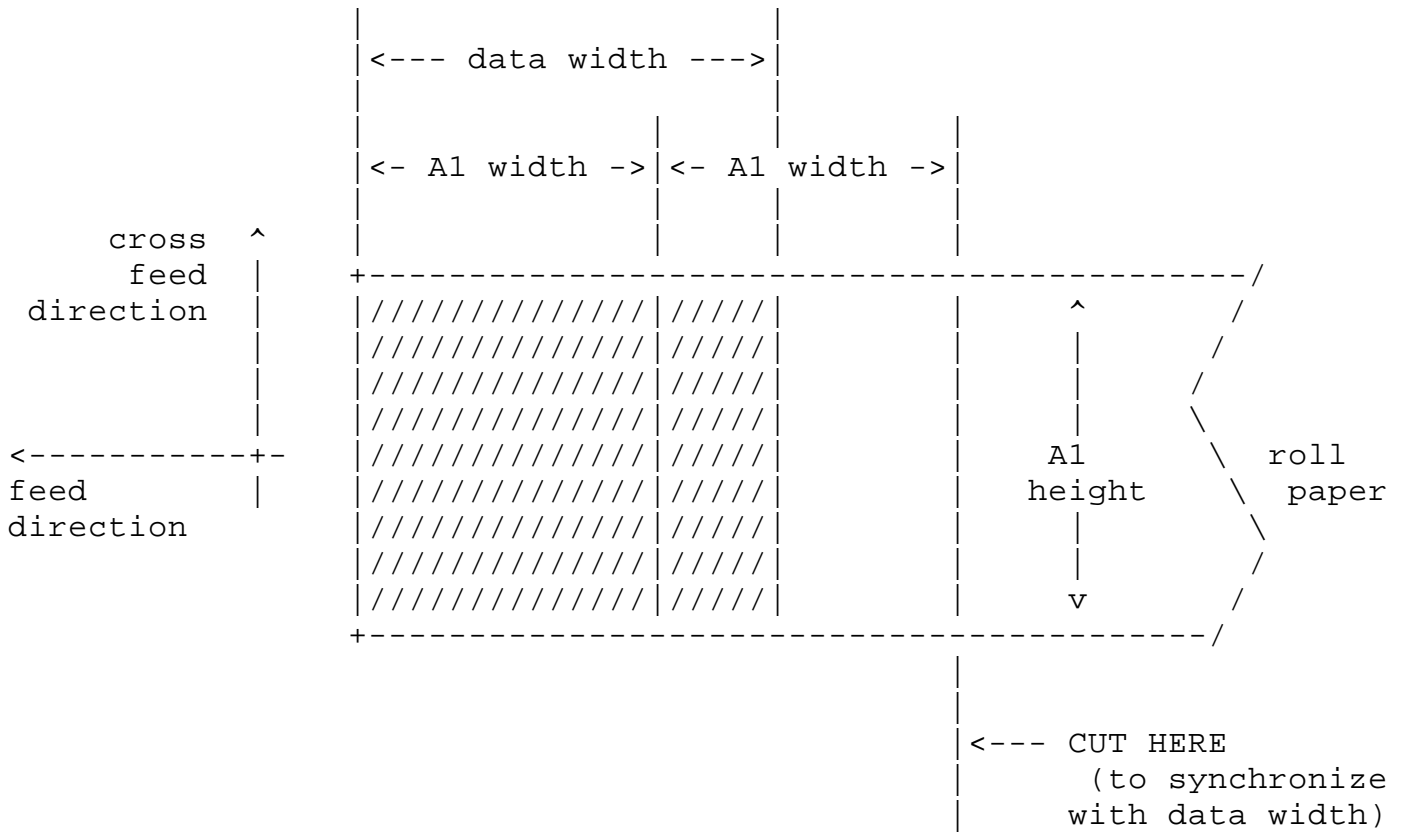
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Example 2: "Auto-Cut", a device cutting the roll paper at multiples of fixed-size media width

data height: A1 height  
data width (shaded): A1 width < data width < (A1 width) x 2  
specified value: 'auto-fixed-size-white'





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5784 Example 3: the 'iso-a4x4-white' fixed size paper

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5785     paper height:           A4 height
5786     paper width:           (A4 width) x 4
5787     specified value:       'iso-a4x4-white'

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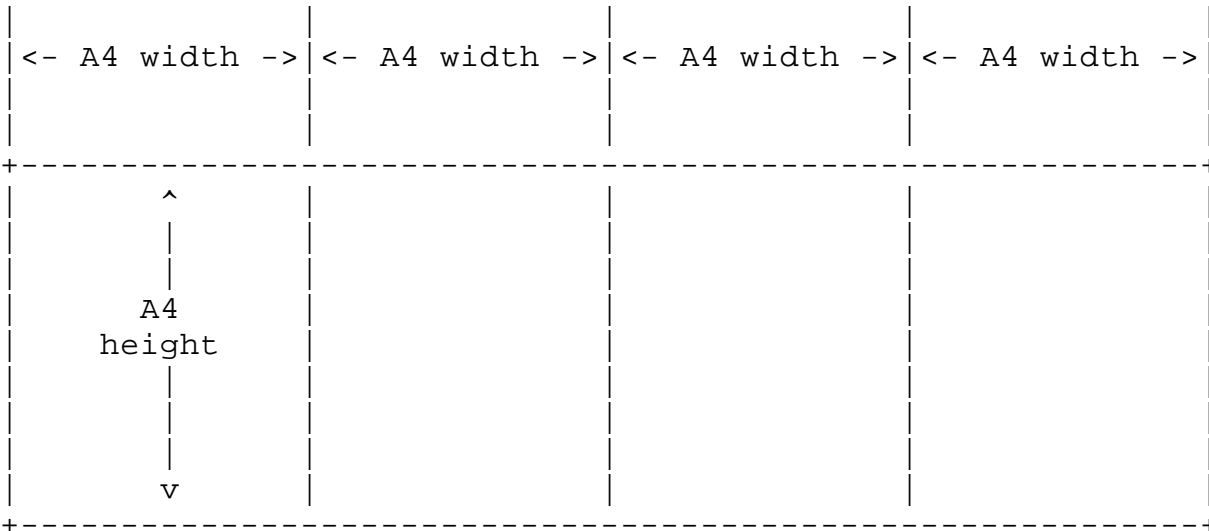
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5808 Example 4: "Synchro-Cut", a device cutting the fixed size paper in synchronization with the data

5809 data height: A4 height  
 5810 data width (shaded): (A4 width) x 2 < data width < (A4 width) x 3  
 5811 specified value: 'iso-a4xsynchro-white'

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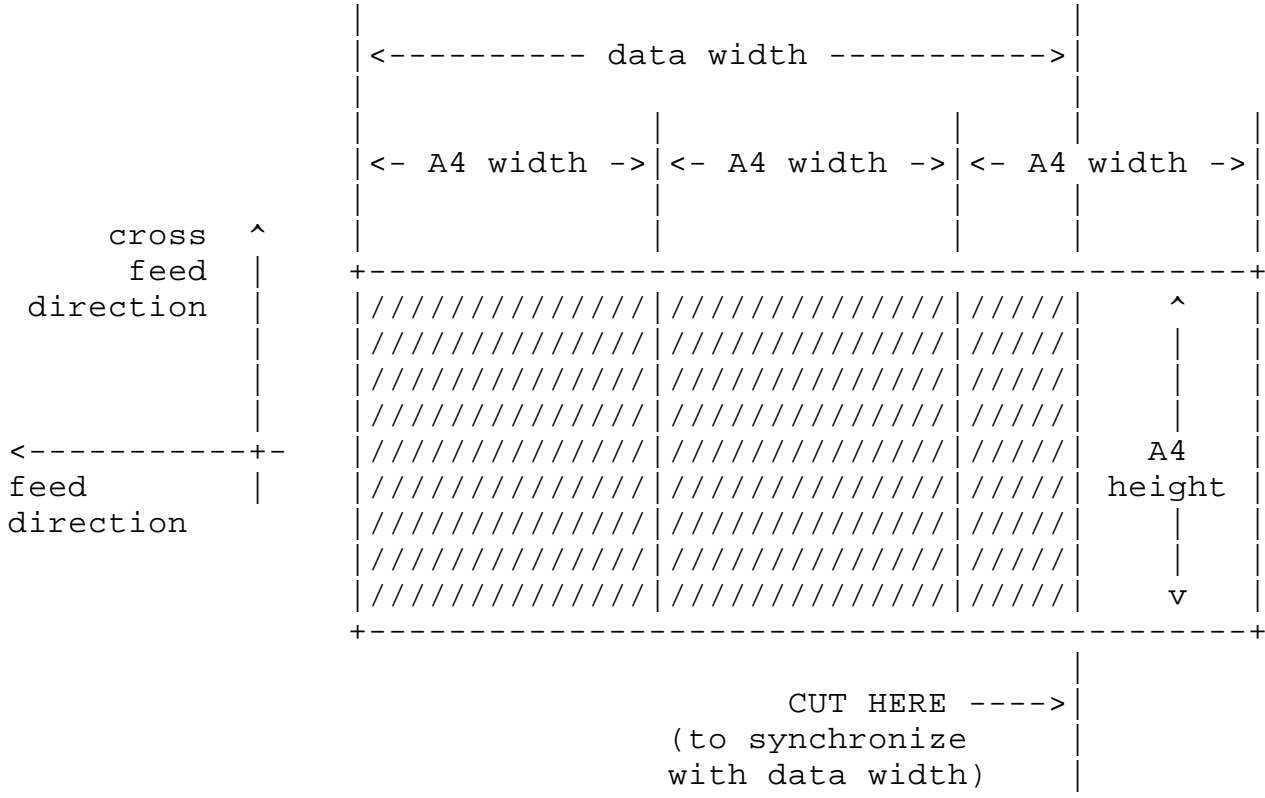
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## 5838 **15. APPENDIX D: Processing IPP Attributes**

5839 When submitting a print job to a Printer object, the IPP model allows a client to supply operation and Job  
5840 Template attributes along with the document data. These Job Template attributes in the create request affect the  
5841 rendering, production and finishing of the documents in the job. Similar types of instructions may also be contained  
5842 in the document to be printed, that is, embedded within the print data itself. In addition, the Printer has a set of  
5843 attributes that describe what rendering and finishing options which are supported by that Printer. This model, which  
5844 allows for flexibility and power, also introduces the potential that at job submission time, these client-supplied  
5845 attributes may conflict with either:

- 5846 - what the implementation is capable of realizing (i.e., what the Printer supports), as well as
- 5847 - the instructions embedded within the print data itself.

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5849 The following sections describe how these two types of conflicts are handled in the IPP model.

### 5850 **15.1 Fidelity**

5851 If there is a conflict between what the client requests and what a Printer object supports, the client may request one  
5852 of two possible conflict handling mechanisms:

- 5853 1) either reject the job since the job can not be processed exactly as specified, or
- 5854 2) allow the Printer to make any changes necessary to proceed with processing the Job the best it can.

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5856 In the first case the client is indicating to the Printer object: "Print the job exactly as specified with no exceptions,  
5857 and if that can't be done, don't even bother printing the job at all." In the second case, the client is indicating to the  
5858 Printer object: "It is more important to make sure the job is printed rather than be processed exactly as specified;  
5859 just make sure the job is printed even if some client-supplied attributes need to be changed or ignored."

5860 The IPP model accounts for this situation by introducing an "ipp-attribute-fidelity" attribute.

5861 In a create request, "ipp-attribute-fidelity" is a boolean operation attribute that is **OPTIONALLY** supplied by the  
5862 client. The value 'true' indicates that total fidelity to client supplied Job Template attributes and values is required.  
5863 The client is requesting that the Job be printed exactly as specified, and if that is not possible then the job **MUST**  
5864 be rejected rather than processed incorrectly. The value 'false' indicates that a reasonable attempt to print the Job  
5865 is acceptable. If a Printer does not support some of the client supplied Job Template attributes or values, the  
5866 Printer **MUST** ignore them or substitute any supported value for unsupported values, respectively. The Printer may  
5867 choose to substitute the default value associated with that attribute, or use some other supported value that is  
5868 similar to the unsupported requested value. For example, if a client supplies a "media" value of 'na-letter', the

5869 Printer may choose to substitute 'iso-a4' rather than a default value of 'envelope'. If the client does not supply the  
5870 "ipp-attribute-fidelity" attribute, the Printer assumes a value of 'false'.

5871 Each Printer implementation MUST support both types of "fidelity" printing (that is whether the client supplies a  
5872 value of 'true' or 'false'):

- 5873 - If the client supplies 'false' or does not supply the attribute, the Printer object MUST always accept the  
5874 request by ignoring unsupported Job Template attributes and by substituting unsupported values of  
5875 supported Job Template attributes with supported values.
- 5876 - If the client supplies 'true', the Printer object MUST reject the request if the client supplies unsupported Job  
5877 Template attributes.

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5879 Since a client can always query a Printer to find out exactly what is and is not supported, "ipp-attribute-fidelity" set  
5880 to 'false' is useful when:

- 5881 1) The End-User uses a command line interface to request attributes that might not be supported.
- 5882 2) In a GUI context, if the End User expects the job might be moved to another printer and prefers a sub-  
5883 optimal result to nothing at all.
- 5884 3) The End User just wants something reasonable in lieu of nothing at all.

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## 5886 **15.2 Page Description Language (PDL) Override**

5887 If there is a conflict between the value of an IPP Job Template attribute and a corresponding instruction in the  
5888 document data, the value of the IPP attribute SHOULD take precedence over the document instruction. Consider  
5889 the case where a previously formatted file of document data is sent to an IPP Printer. In this case, if the client  
5890 supplies any attributes at job submission time, the client desires that those attributes override the embedded  
5891 instructions. Consider the case were a previously formatted document has embedded in it commands to load 'iso-  
5892 a4' media. However, the document is passed to an end user that only has access to a printer with 'na-letter' media  
5893 loaded. That end user most likely wants to submit that document to an IPP Printer with the "media" Job Template  
5894 attribute set to 'na-letter'. The job submission attribute should take precedence over the embedded PDL  
5895 instruction. However, until companies that supply document data interpreters allow a way for external IPP  
5896 attributes to take precedence over embedded job production instructions, a Printer might not be able to support  
5897 the semantics that IPP attributes override the embedded instructions.

5898 The IPP model accounts for this situation by introducing a "pdl-override-supported" attribute that describes the  
5899 Printer objects capabilities to override instructions embedded in the PDL data stream. The value of the "pdl-  
5900 override-supported" attribute is configured by means outside the scope of this IPP/1.1 document.

5901 This REQUIRED Printer attribute takes on the following values:

- 5902 - 'attempted': This value indicates that the Printer object attempts to make the IPP attribute values take  
5903 precedence over embedded instructions in the document data, however there is no guarantee.

5904 - 'not-attempted': This value indicates that the Printer object makes no attempt to make the IPP attribute values  
5905 take precedence over embedded instructions in the document data.  
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5907 At job processing time, an implementation that supports the value of 'attempted' might do one of several different  
5908 actions:

- 5909 1) Generate an output device specific command sequence to realize the feature represented by the IPP  
5910 attribute value.
- 5911 2) Parse the document data itself and replace the conflicting embedded instruction with a new embedded  
5912 instruction that matches the intent of the IPP attribute value.
- 5913 3) Indicate to the Printer that external supplied attributes take precedence over embedded instructions and then  
5914 pass the external IPP attribute values to the document data interpreter.
- 5915 4) Anything else that allows for the semantics that IPP attributes override embedded document data  
5916 instructions.  
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5918 Since 'attempted' does not offer any type of guarantee, even though a given Printer object might not do a very  
5919 "good" job of attempting to ensure that IPP attributes take a higher precedence over instructions embedded in the  
5920 document data, it would still be a conforming implementation.

5921 At job processing time, an implementation that supports the value of 'not-attempted' might do one of the following  
5922 actions:

- 5923 1) Simply pre-pend the document data with the PDL instruction that corresponds to the client-supplied PDL  
5924 attribute, such that if the document data also has the same PDL instruction, it will override what the Printer  
5925 object pre-pended. In other words, this implementation is using the same implementation semantics for the  
5926 client-supplied IPP attributes as for the Printer object defaults.
- 5927 2) Parse the document data and replace the conflicting embedded instruction with a new embedded instruction  
5928 that approximates, but does not match, the semantic intent of the IPP attribute value.  
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5930 Note: The "ipp-attribute-fidelity" attribute applies to the Printer's ability to either accept or reject other  
5931 unsupported Job Template attributes. In other words, if "ipp-attribute-fidelity" is set to 'true', a Job is accepted if  
5932 and only if the client supplied Job Template attributes and values are supported by the Printer. Whether these  
5933 attributes actually affect the processing of the Job when the document data contains embedded instructions  
5934 depends on the ability of the Printer to override the instructions embedded in the document data with the semantics  
5935 of the IPP attributes. If the document data attributes can be overridden ("pdl-override-supported" set to  
5936 'attempted'), the Printer makes an attempt to use the IPP attributes when processing the Job. If the document data  
5937 attributes can not be overridden ("pdl-override-supported" set to 'not-attempted'), the Printer makes no attempt to  
5938 override the embedded document data instructions with the IPP attributes when processing the Job, and hence, the  
5939 IPP attributes may fail to affect the Job processing and output when the corresponding instruction is embedded in  
5940 the document data.

### 5941 **15.3 Using Job Template Attributes During Document Processing.**

5942 The Printer object uses some of the Job object's Job Template attributes during the processing of the document  
5943 data associated with that job. These include, but are not limited to, "orientation-requested", "number-up", "sides",  
5944 "media", and "copies". The processing of each document in a Job Object **MUST** follow the steps below. These  
5945 steps are intended only to identify when and how attributes are to be used in processing document data and any  
5946 alternative steps that accomplishes the same effect can be used to implement this specification document.

- 5947 1. Using the client supplied "document-format" attribute or some form of document format detection algorithm  
5948 (if the value of "document-format" is not specific enough), determine whether or not the document data has  
5949 already been formatted for printing. If the document data has been formatted, then go to step 2. Otherwise,  
5950 the document data **MUST** be formatted. The formatting detection algorithm is implementation defined and  
5951 is not specified by this document. The formatting of the document data uses the "orientation-requested"  
5952 attribute to determine how the formatted print data should be placed on a print-stream page, see section  
5953 4.2.10 for the details.
- 5954 2. The document data is in the form of a print-stream in a known media type. The "page-ranges" attribute is  
5955 used to select, as specified in section 4.2.7, a sub-sequence of the pages in the print-stream that are to be  
5956 processed and images.
- 5957 3. The input to this step is a sequence of print-stream pages. This step is controlled by the "number-up"  
5958 attribute. If the value of "number-up" is N, then during the processing of the print-stream pages, each N  
5959 print-stream pages are positioned, as specified in section 4.2.9, to create a single impression. If a given  
5960 document does not have N more print-stream pages, then the completion of the impression is controlled by  
5961 the "multiple-document-handling" attribute as described in section 4.2.4; when the value of this attribute is  
5962 'single-document' or 'single-document-new-sheet', the print-stream pages of document data from  
5963 subsequent documents is used to complete the impression.

5964 The size(scaling), position(translation) and rotation of the print-stream pages on the impression is  
5965 implementation defined. Note that during this process the print-stream pages may be rendered to a form  
5966 suitable for placing on the impression; this rendering is controlled by the values of the "printer-resolution"  
5967 and "print-quality" attributes as described in sections 4.2.12 and 4.2.13. In the case N=1, the impression is  
5968 nearly the same as the print-stream page; the differences would only be in the size, position and rotation of  
5969 the print-stream page and/or any decoration, such as a frame to the page, that is added by the  
5970 implementation.

- 5971 4. The collection of impressions is placed, in sequence, onto sides of the media sheets. This placement is  
5972 controlled by the "sides" attribute and the orientation of the print-stream page, as described in section  
5973 4.2.8. The orientation of the print-stream pages affects the orientation of the impression; for example, if  
5974 "number-up" equals 2, then, typically, two portrait print-stream pages become one landscape impression.  
5975 Note that the placement of impressions onto media sheets is also controlled by the "multiple-document-  
5976 handling" attribute as described in section 4.2.4.

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5. The "copies" and "multiple-document-handling" attributes are used to determine how many copies of each media instance are created and in what order. See sections 4.2.5 and 4.2.4 for the details.

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6. When the correct number of copies are created, the media instances are finished according to the values of the "finishings" attribute as described in 4.2.6. Note that sometimes finishing operations may require manual intervention to perform the finishing operations on the copies, especially uncollated copies. This document allows any or all of the processing steps to be performed automatically or manually at the discretion of the Printer object.

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## 16. APPENDIX E: Generic Directory Schema

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This section defines a generic schema for an entry in a directory service. A directory service is a means by which service users can locate service providers. In IPP environments, this means that IPP Printers can be registered (either automatically or with the help of an administrator) as entries of type printer in the directory using an implementation specific mechanism such as entry attributes, entry type fields, specific branches, etc. Directory clients can search or browse for entries of type printer. Clients use the directory service to find entries based on naming, organizational contexts, or filtered searches on attribute values of entries. For example, a client can find all printers in the "Local Department" context. Authentication and authorization are also often part of a directory service so that an administrator can place limits on end users so that they are only allowed to find entries to which they have certain access rights. IPP itself does not require any specific directory service protocol or provider.

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Note: Some directory implementations allow for the notion of "aliasing". That is, one directory entry object can appear as multiple directory entry object with different names for each object. In each case, each alias refers to the same directory entry object which refers to a single IPP Printer object.

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The generic schema is a subset of IPP Printer Job Template and Printer Description attributes (sections 4.2 and 4.4). These attributes are identified as either RECOMMENDED or OPTIONAL for the directory entry itself. This conformance labeling is NOT the same conformance labeling applied to the attributes of IPP Printers objects. The conformance labeling in this Appendix is intended to apply to directory templates and to IPP Printer implementations that subscribe by adding one or more entries to a directory. RECOMMENDED attributes SHOULD be associated with each directory entry. OPTIONAL attributes MAY be associated with the directory entry (if known or supported). In addition, all directory entry attributes SHOULD reflect the current attribute values for the corresponding Printer object.

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The names of attributes in directory schema and entries SHOULD be the same as the IPP Printer attribute names as shown, as much as possible.

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In order to bridge between the directory service and the IPP Printer object, one of the RECOMMENDED directory entry attributes is the Printer object's "printer-uri-supported" attribute. The directory client queries the "printer-uri-supported" attribute (or its equivalent) in the directory entry and then the IPP client addresses the IPP

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6016 Printer object using one of its URIs. The "uri-security-supported" attribute identifies the protocol (if any) used to  
 6017 secure a channel.

6018 The following attributes define the generic schema for directory entries of type PRINTER:

6019	printer-uri-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.1
6020	uri-authentication-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.2
6021	uri-security-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.3
6022	printer-name	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.4
6023	printer-location	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.5
6024	printer-info	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.6
6025	printer-more-info	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.7
6026	printer-make-and-model	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.9
6027	ipp-versions-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.14
6028	multiple-document-jobs-supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.16
6029	charset-supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.18
6030	generated-natural-language-		
6031	supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.20
6032	document-format-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.22
6033	color-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.26
6034	compression-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.4.32
6035	pages-per-minute	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.36
6036	pages-per-minute-color	OPTIONAL	Section 4.4.37
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6038	finishings-supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.2.6
6039	number-up-supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.2.7
6040	sides-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.2.8
6041	media-supported	RECOMMENDED	Section 4.2.11
6042	printer-resolution-supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.2.12
6043	print-quality-supported	OPTIONAL	Section 4.2.13
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## 6045 **17. APPENDIX F: Differences between the IPP/1.0 and IPP/1.1 "Model and** 6046 **Semantics" Documents**

6047 This Appendix is divided into two lists that summarize the differences between IPP/1.1 (this document) and  
6048 IPP/1.0 [RFC2566]. The section numbers refer to the numbers in this document which in some cases have  
6049 changed from RFC 2566. When a change affects multiple sections, the item is listed once in the order of the first  
6050 section affected and the remaining affected section numbers are indicated.

6051 The first list contains extensions and clarifications and the second list contains changes in semantics or conformance.  
6052 However, client and IPP object implementations of IPP/1.0 MAY implement any of the extensions and  
6053 clarifications in this document.

6054 The following extensions and clarifications have been incorporated into this document:

- 6055 1. Section 2.1 - clarified that the term "client" can be either contained in software controlled by an end user or  
6056 a part of a print server that controls devices.
- 6057 2. Section 2 - clarified that the term "IPP object" and "Printer object" can either be embedded in a device  
6058 object or part of a print server that accepts IPP requests.
- 6059 3. Section 2.4 - added the description of the new "uri-authentication-supported" Printer Description attribute.
- 6060 4. Section 3.1.3, 3.1.6, 3.2.5.2, and 3.2.6.2 - clarified the error handling for operation attributes that have  
6061 their own status code.
- 6062 5. Section 3.1.3 - clarified that multiple occurrences of the same attribute in an attribute group is mal-formed.  
6063 An IPP Printer MAY reject the request or choose one of the attributes.
- 6064 6. Section 3.1.6 - reorganized this section into sub-sections to separately describe "status-code", "status-  
6065 message", "detailed-status-message", and "document-access-error" attributes.
- 6066 7. Section 3.1.6.1 - clarified the error status codes and their relationship to operation attributes.
- 6067 8. Section 3.1.6.3 - Added the OPTIONAL "detailed-status-message (text(MAX))" operation attribute to  
6068 provide additional more detailed information about a response.
- 6069 9. Section 3.1.6.4 and 3.2.2 - Added the OPTIONAL "document-access-error (text(MAX))" operation  
6070 attribute for use with Print-URI and Send-URI responses.
- 6071 10. Sections 3.1.7 - Added this new section to clarify returning Unsupported Attributes for all operations,  
6072 including only returning attributes that were in the request. Moved the text from section 3.2.1.2  
6073 Unsupported Attributes to this section.
- 6074 11. Sections 3.1.7 and 4.1 - clarified the encoding of the "out-of-band" 'unsupported' and 'unknown' values.
- 6075 12. Section 3.1.8 - clarified that only the version number parameter will be carried forward into future major or  
6076 minor versions of the protocol.
- 6077 13. Section 3.1.8 - relaxed the requirements to increment the major version number in future versions of the  
6078 Model and Semantics document.
- 6079 14. Section 3.1.9, and 3.2.5 - added the 'processing' state to the list of job states that a job can be in after a  
6080 Create-Job operation.

- 6081 15. Section 3.1.9 - clarified that a non-spooling Printer MAY accept zero or more subsequent jobs while  
6082 processing a job and flow control them down. Subsequent create requests are rejected with the 'server-  
6083 error-busy' error status.
- 6084 16. Section 3.2.1.1 - clarified the validation of the "compression" operation attribute and its relationship to the  
6085 validation of the "document-format" attribute and returning Unsupported Attributes.
- 6086 17. Sections 3.2.1.1, 4.3.8, 13.1.4.16, and 13.1.4.17 - added the 'client-error-compression-not-supported',  
6087 'client-error-compression-error' status codes and the 'unsupported-compression' and 'compression-error'  
6088 job-state-reasons.
- 6089 18. Sections 3.2.1.1 and 4.3.8 - added 'unsupported-document-format' and 'document-format-error' job-  
6090 state-reasons.
- 6091 19. Sections 3.2.2, 4.3.8 and 13.1.4.19 - added 'client-error-document-access-error' status code and  
6092 'document-access-error' job state reason.
- 6093 20. Section 3.2.5.2 and 3.2.6.2 - clarified that the Unsupported Attributes group MUST NOT include  
6094 attributes not requested in the Get-Printer-Attributes request.
- 6095 21. Section 3.2.6 - clarified that "limit" takes precedence over "which-jobs" and "my-jobs".
- 6096 22. Section 3.2.6.2 - clarified that Get-Jobs returns 'successful-ok' when no jobs to return.
- 6097 23. Sections 3.2.7, 3.2.8, and 3.2.9 - added the OPTIONAL Pause-Printer, Resume-Printer, and Purge-Jobs  
6098 operations
- 6099 24. Section 3.3.1 - clarified that the authorization required for a Send-Document request MUST be the same  
6100 user as the Create-Job or an operator.
- 6101 25. Section 3.3.1.1 - clarified that a Create-Job Send-Document with "last-document" = 'true' and no data is  
6102 not an error; its a job with no documents.
- 6103 26. Sections 3.3.5, 3.3.6, and 3.3.7 - added the OPTIONAL Hold-Job, Release-Job, and Restart-Job  
6104 operations. Clarified the Restart-Job operation so that the Printer MUST re-fetch any documents passed  
6105 by-reference (Print-URI or Send-URI).
- 6106 27. Section 4.1 - clarified that the encoding of the out-of-band values are specified in the Encoding and  
6107 Transport" document.
- 6108 28. Section 4.1 - Clarified that the requirement that clients MUST NOT send "out-of-band" values in requests  
6109 applies only to operations defined in this document. Other operations are allowed to define "out-of-band"  
6110 values that clients can supply.
- 6111 29. Sections 4.1.1 and 4.1.2 - clarified that the maximum 'text' and 'name' values of 1023 and 255 are for the  
6112 'textWithoutLanguage' portion of the 'textWithLanguage' form, so that the maximum number of octets for  
6113 the actual text and name data is the same for the without and with language forms; the 'naturalLanguage'  
6114 part is in addition.
- 6115 30. Section 4.1.9 - clarified that 'mimeType' values can include any parameters from the IANA Registry,  
6116 not just charset parameters.
- 6117 31. Section 4.1.9.1 - clarified that 'application/octet-stream' auto-sensing can happen at create request time  
6118 and/or job/document processing time.
- 6119 32. Section 4.1.9.1 - clarified that auto-sensing involves the Printer examining some number of octets of  
6120 document data using an implementation-dependent method.
- 6121 33. Section 4.1.14 - clarified that the localization of dateTime by the client includes the time zone.

- 6122 34. Section 4.2 - clarified that xxx-supported have multiple keywords and/or names by adding parentheses to  
6123 the table to give: (1setOf (type3 keyword | name))
- 6124 35. Section 4.2.2 - added the 'indefinite' keyword value to the "job-hold-until" attribute for use with the create  
6125 operations and Hold-Job and Restart-Job operations.
- 6126 36. Section 4.2.6 - added more enum values to the "finishings" Job Template attribute.
- 6127 37. Section 4.2.6 - clarified that the landscape definition is a rotation of the image with respect to the medium.
- 6128 38. Section 4.3.7 - added that a forwarding server that cannot get any job state MAY return the job's state as  
6129 'completed', provided that it also return the new 'queued-in-device' job state reason.
- 6130 39. Section 4.3.7.2 - added the Partitioning of Job States section to clarify the concepts of Job Retention, Job  
6131 History, and Job Removal.
- 6132 40. Section 4.3.8 - added 'job-data-insufficient' job state reason to indicate whether sufficient data has arrived  
6133 for the document to start to be processed.
- 6134 41. Section 4.3.8 - added 'document-access-error' job state reason to indicate an access error of any kind.
- 6135 42. Section 4.3.8 - added 'job-queued-for-marker' job state reason to indicate whether the job has completed  
6136 some processing and is waiting for the marker.
- 6137 43. Section 4.3.8 - added 'unsupported-compression' and 'compression-error' job state reasons to indicate  
6138 compression not supported or compression processing error after the create has been accepted.
- 6139 44. Section 4.3.8 - added 'unsupported-document-format' and 'document-format-error' job state reasons to  
6140 indicate document not supported or document format processing error after the create has been accepted.
- 6141 45. Section 4.3.8 - added 'queued-in-device' job state reason to indicate that a job as been forwarded to a  
6142 print system or device that does not provide any job status.
- 6143 46. Section 4.3.10 - added "job-detailed-status-messages (1setOf text(MAX)) for returning detailed error  
6144 messages.
- 6145 47. Section 4.3.11 - added the "job-document-access-errors (1setOf text(MAX))
- 6146 48. Section 4.3.14.2 - clarified that the time recorded is the first time processing since the create operation or  
6147 the Restart-Job operation.
- 6148 49. Section 4.3.14.2 and 4.3.14.3 - clarified that the out-of-band value 'no-value' is returned if the job has not  
6149 started processing or has not completed, respectively.
- 6150 50. Section 4.3.14 - Added the OPTIONAL "date-time-at-creation", "date-time-at-processing", and "date-  
6151 time-at-completed" Event Time Job Description attributes
- 6152 51. Section 4.4.3 - added the 'tls' value to "uri-security-supported" attribute.
- 6153 52. Section 4.4.3 - clarified "uri-security-supported" is orthogonal to Client Authentication so that 'none' does  
6154 not exclude Client Authentication.
- 6155 53. Section 4.4.11 - simplified the "printer-state" descriptions while generalizing to allow high end devices that  
6156 interpret one or more jobs while marking another. Indicated that 'spool-area-full' and 'stopped-partly'  
6157 "printer-state-reasons" may be used to provide further state information.
- 6158 54. Section 4.4.12 - added the 'moving-to-paused' keyword value to the "printer-state-reasons" attribute for  
6159 use with the Pause-Printer operation.
- 6160 55. Section 4.4.12 - replaced the duplicate 'marker-supply-low' keyword with the missing 'toner-empty'  
6161 keyword for the "printer-state-reasons" attribute. (This correction was also made before RFC 2566 was  
6162 published).

- 6163 56. Section 4.4.12 - clarified 'spool-area-full' "printer-state-reasons" to include non-spooling printers to  
6164 indicate when it can and cannot accept another job.
- 6165 57. Section 4.4.15 - added the enum values to the "operations-supported" attribute for the new operations.  
6166 Clarified that the values of this attribute are encoded as any enum, namely 32-bit values.
- 6167 58. Section 4.4.30 - clarified that the dateTime value of "printer-current-time" is on a "best efforts basis". If a  
6168 proper date-time cannot be obtained, the implementation returns the 'no-value' out-of-band value. Also  
6169 clarified that the time zone NEED NOT be the time zone that the people near the device use and that the  
6170 client SHOULD display the dateTime attributes in the user's local time.
- 6171 59. Sections 4.4.36 and 4.4.37 - added the OPTIONAL "pages-per-minute" and "pages-per-minute-color"  
6172 Printer Description attributes.
- 6173 60. Section 5.1 - clarified that the client conformance requirements apply to clients controlled by an end user  
6174 and clients in servers.
- 6175 61. Section 5.1 - clarified that any response MAY contain additional attribute groups, attributes, attribute  
6176 syntaxes, or attribute values.
- 6177 62. Section 5.1 - clarified that a client SHOULD do its best to prevent a channel from being closed by a lower  
6178 layer when the channel is flow controlled off by the IPP Printer.
- 6179 63. Section 5.2 - clarified that the IPP object requirements apply to objects embedded in devices or that are  
6180 parts of servers.
- 6181 64. Section 5.2.2 - clarified that IPP objects MAY return operation responses that contain attribute groups,  
6182 attribute names, attribute syntaxes, attribute values, and status codes that are extensions to this standard.
- 6183 65. Section 6 - changed the terminology of "private extensions" to "vendor extensions" and indicated that they  
6184 are registered with IANA along with IETF standards track extensions.
- 6185 66. Section 6.7 - inserted this section on registering out-of-band attribute values with IANA as extensions.
- 6186 67. Section 8.3 - clarified the use of URIs for each Client Authentication mechanism.
- 6187 68. Section 8.5 - added the security discussion around the new operator/administrator operations.
- 6188 69. Section 13.1.4.16 - added client-error-compression-not-supported (0x040F)
- 6189 70. Section 13.1.4.17 - added client-error-compression-error (0x0410)
- 6190 71. Section 13.1.4.18 - added client-error-document-format-error (0x0411)
- 6191 72. Section 13.1.4.19 - added client-error-document-access-error (0x0412)
- 6192 73. Section 13.1.5.10 - added server-error-multiple-document-jobs-not-supported (0x0509)
- 6193 74. Section 14 - added 'a-white', 'b-white', 'c-white', 'd-white', and 'e-white' and clarified that the existing 'a',  
6194 'b', 'c', 'd', and 'e' values are size values. Added American, Japanese, and European Engineering sizes,  
6195 filled out -transparent and -translucent media names and drawings for the synchro cut sizes.
- 6196 75. Section 16 - softened the RECOMMENDATION for IPP Printer attributes in a Directory schema so that  
6197 they can have equivalents.
- 6198 76. Section 16 - added the OPTIONAL "pages-per-minute" and "pages-per-minute-color" Printer attributes  
6199 to the Directory schema.
- 6200 77. Section 16 - added OPTIONAL "multiple-document-jobs-supported" to the Directory schema.
- 6201 78. Section 16 - added RECOMMENDED "uri-authentication-supported", "ipp-versions-supported", and  
6202 "compression-supported" to the Directory schema.

6203 The following changes in semantics and/or conformance have been incorporated into this document:

- 6204 1. Section 3.1.6.3 - allowed a Printer to localize the "detailed-status-message" operation response attribute,  
6205 but indicated that such localization might obscure the technical meaning of such messages.
- 6206 2. Section 3.1.8, 5.2.4, and 13.1.5.4 - Clients and IPP objects MUST support version 1.1 conformance  
6207 requirements. It is recommended that they interoperate with 1.0. Also clarified that IPP Printers  
6208 MUST accept '1.1' requests. It is recommended that they also accept '1.x' requests.
- 6209 3. Section 3.2.1.1 and section 4.4.32 - changed the "compression" operation and the "compression-  
6210 supported" Printer Description attribute from OPTIONAL to REQUIRED.
- 6211 4. Sections 3.2.1.2 and 4.3.8 - changed "job-state-reasons" from RECOMMENDED to REQUIRED, so  
6212 that "job-state-reasons" MUST be returned in create operation responses.
- 6213 5. Sections 3.2.4, 3.3.1, 4.4.16, and 16 - changed Create-Job/Send-Document so that they MAY be  
6214 implemented while only supporting one document jobs. Added the "multiple-document-jobs-  
6215 supported" boolean Printer Description attribute to indicate whether Create-Job/Send-Document  
6216 support multiple document jobs or not. Added to the Directory schema.
- 6217 6. Section 4.1.9 - deleted 'text/plain; charset=iso-10646-ucs-2', since binary is not legal with the 'text' type.
- 6218 7. Section 4.1.9.1 - added the RECOMMENDATION that a Printer indicate by printing on the job's job-  
6219 start-sheet that auto-sensing has occurred and what document format was auto-sensed.
- 6220 8. Section 4.2.4 - indicated that the "multiple-document-handling" Job Template attribute MUST be  
6221 supported with at least one value if the Printer supports multiple documents per job
- 6222 9. Section 4.3.7.2 - indicated that the 'job-restartable' job state reason SHOULD be supported if the  
6223 Restart-Job operation is supported.
- 6224 10. Section 4.3.8 - changed "job-state-reasons" from RECOMMENDED to REQUIRED.
- 6225 11. Section 4.3.8 - clarified the conformance of the values of the "job-state-reasons" attribute by copying  
6226 conformance requirements from other sections of the document so that it is clear from reading the  
6227 definition of "job-state-reasons" which values MUST or SHOULD be supported. The 'none',  
6228 'unsupported-compression', and 'unsupported-document-format' values MUST be supported. The  
6229 "job-hold-until-specified" SHOULD be specified if the "job-hold-until" Job Template is supported.  
6230 The following values SHOULD be supported: 'job-canceled-by-user', 'aborted-by-system', and 'job-  
6231 completed-successfully'. The 'job-canceled-by-operator' SHOULD be supported if the  
6232 implementation permits canceling by other than the job owner. The 'job-canceled-at-device'  
6233 SHOULD be supported if the device supports canceling jobs at the console. The 'job-completed-  
6234 with-warnings' SHOULD be supported, if the implementation detects warnings. The 'job-completed-  
6235 with-errors' SHOULD be supported if the implementation detects errors. The 'job-restartable'  
6236 SHOULD be supported if the Restart-Job operation is supported.
- 6237 12. Section 4.3.10 - allowed a Printer to localize the "job-detailed-status-message" Job Description attribute,  
6238 but indicated that such localization might obscure the technical meaning of such messages.
- 6239 13. Section 4.3.14 - changed the "time-at-creation", "time-at-processing", and "time-at-completed" Event  
6240 Time Job Description attributes from OPTIONAL to REQUIRED.
- 6241 14. Section 4.3.14.4 - added the REQUIRED "job-printer-up-time (integer(1:MAX))" Job Description  
6242 attribute as an alias for "printer-up-time" to reduce number of operations to get job times.
- 6243 15. Section 4.4.2 - added the REQUIRED "uri-authentication-supported (1setOf type2 keyword)" Printer  
6244 Description attribute to describe the Client Authentication used by each Printer URI.

- 6245 16. Section 4.4.12 - changed "printer-state-reasons" Printer Description attribute from OPTIONAL to  
6246 REQUIRED.
- 6247 17. Section 4.4.12 - changed 'paused' value of "printer-state-reasons" to MUST if Pause-Printer operation  
6248 is supported.
- 6249 18. Section 4.4.14 - added the REQUIRED "ipp-versions-supported (1setOf keyword)" Printer Description  
6250 attribute, since IPP/1.1 Printers do not have to support version '1.0' conformance requirements.  
6251 Section 4.4.16 - added the "multiple-document-jobs-supported (boolean)" Printer Description  
6252 attribute so that a client can tell whether a Printer that supports Create-Job/Send-Document supports  
6253 multiple document jobs or not. This attribute is REQUIRED if the Create-Job operation is supported.
- 6254 19. Section 4.4.24 - changed the "queued-job-count" Printer Description attribute from RECOMMENDED  
6255 to REQUIRED.
- 6256 20. Section 4.4.32 - changed "compression-supported (1setOf type3 keyword)" Printer Description attribute  
6257 from OPTIONAL to REQUIRED.
- 6258 21. Section 5.1 - changed the client security requirements from RECOMMENDED non-standards track  
6259 SSL3 to MUST support Client Authentication as defined in the IPP/1.1 Encoding and Transport  
6260 document [RFC2910]. A client SHOULD support Operation Privacy and Server Authentication as  
6261 defined in the IPP/1.1 Encoding and Transport document [RFC2910].
- 6262 22. Section 5.2.7 - changed the IPP object security requirements from OPTIONAL non-standards track  
6263 SSL3 to SHOULD contain support for Client Authentication as defined in the IPP/1.1 Encoding and  
6264 Transport document [RFC2910]. A Printer implementation MAY allow an administrator to configure  
6265 the Printer so that all, some, or none of the users are authenticated. An IPP Printer implementation  
6266 SHOULD contain support for Operation Privacy and Server Authentication as defined in the IPP/1.1  
6267 Encoding and Transport document [RFC2910]. A Printer implementation MAY allow an  
6268 administrator to configure the degree of support for Operation Privacy and Server Authentication.  
6269 Security MUST NOT be compromised when the client supplies a lower version-number in a request.
- 6270 23. Section 14 (Appendix C): Corrected typo, changing the keyword 'iso-10-white' to 'iso-a10-white'.
- 6271 See also the "IPP/1.1 Encoding and Transport" [RFC2910] document for differences between IPP/1.0  
6272 [RFC2565] and IPP/1.1 [RFC2910].
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