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TOPIC -----

How can I send Macintosh data to a non-PostScript typesetting device?

DISCUSSION -----

Many typesetters, such as the Autologic APS-5, are not PostScript devices. However, if the typesetter is an ASCII serial input device, data can be sent to it by either printing in draft mode or using a terminal package (e.g., MacTerminal). The drawback is that you can't use graphics or custom characters.

An alternate solution is to have a custom driver written for the typesetter.

For more information on having a custom driver written, search on "GDT SOFTWORKS".

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