



What's New

There's always something new and exciting happening at Onyx Graphics. Here's the latest...

Spectral ICC Profile Generation Added to Media Manager

Media Manager in Version 6.0 now supports spectral data readings and building of ICC profiles. This exciting new feature gives those with Profile Generator improved color quality and spot color matching – even on media with optical brighteners. It also gives you the ability to build ICC profiles for specific viewing lighting conditions.

This new feature is available now via the free Auto Update System. If you don't have the free AutoUpdate application yet, you can download it by clicking [here](#).

PANTONE® Spot Color Matching Now Available for Onyx® 6.0!

Following in the tradition of providing you the best value software RIP products, Onyx Graphics is pleased to announce the release of PANTONE® color libraries for standard Onyx® 6.0 Workflow products. The update for PANTONE® Color capability is available now at no cost to registered users of Onyx Graphics standard workflow products including Onyx RIPCenter™, Onyx PosterShop®, and Onyx ProductionHouse™ Version 6.0. (The PANTONE® Color Libraries are not available for any OEM or co-branded versions.)

Pantone, Inc. is the global authority on color and provider of professional color standards for the design and print industries. With PANTONE Color definitions incorporated into your Onyx 6.0 RIP, you can easily process PostScript or PDF print jobs containing named PANTONE spot colors. The Onyx RIP will automatically match output to the PANTONE Colors as closely as is possible on each profiled media. The PANTONE Color capability extends to all printers supported by standard Onyx 6.0 with profiled media.

In addition to PANTONE spot color matching, the Onyx Media Manager application shows you how accurately PANTONE Colors can be matched on each profiled printer, ink and media combination, enabling you to see how accurately the RIP color engine can match PANTONE Colors before printing. Onyx Media Analyzer, a tool that helps you qualify new media, also incorporates the PANTONE Color Library, giving you the ability to see which PANTONE Colors are within the gamut of a media even before the media has been calibrated or profiled.

If you already have the AutoUpdate application installed on your 6.0 RIP system, simply run it and it will automatically install the PANTONE Color Libraries and all

necessary software updates. The update also includes new PANTONE color charts that you can print and compare with your PANTONE swatchbooks from Pantone.

If you don't have the free AutoUpdate application yet, you can download it by clicking [here](#).

New Onyx® CADPrint™ Module Turns Any Large-Format Printer into an HPGL Printer

Onyx® CADPrint™ takes the world's most popular large-format print software and adds the ability to output HPGL, HPGL/2 and HPRTL drawings on any printer supported by an Onyx workflow product. CADPrint is ideal in locations where there is a need to output technical drawings as well as sophisticated graphic renderings. Architects, engineers, cartographers and the like can now take current and legacy drawings originally designed for output to traditional pen plotters and use contemporary inkjet printers to produce jobs. For more information [read the PDF specification sheet here](#), or contact your Onyx Reseller.

New AutoUpdate Keeps Your Onyx Workflow 6.0 System Running Its Best

Onyx AutoUpdate is fast and easy! Just double-click and it checks your RIP installation and then downloads only the software updates you need.

Onyx AutoUpdate:

- Is a separate application
- Has an easy to use interface
- Shows details about the update including what updates are available
- Can roll-back updates if you don't want them
- Can update itself
- Can work online or offline
- Updates fast because it only downloads the updates needed by your installation
- Is available to download now and at no cost!

Download the Onyx AutoUpdate application now from the Onyx Graphics Website:

<http://www.onyxgfx.com/autoupdate.html>

No matter what product or build of Version 6.0 you have, the AutoUpdate system will keep you updated with the latest 6.0 product features and drivers.

So get Onyx AutoUpdate now and enjoy the free updates!

Test Drive of Version 6.0!

Onyx ProductionHouse Version 6.0 was recently taken for a test drive in the December 2003 issue of "Digital Graphics" Magazine. For the full article, click [here](#)!

Onyx Graphics Releases New RIPeXtend Remote Softproofing feature for Version 6.0

Using the space of one active printer within RIP-Queue, RIPeXtend helps you implement an automatic soft proofing workflow and enter the upcoming popular realm of digital signage. Create soft proofs and submit them for review via email or FTP - you'll be able to proof any time, anywhere. Generate and transmit jobs to display on electronic sign systems... all while using the same workflow that you already use for printing.

Onyx RIPeXtend is a standard driver in all new Version 6.0 PosterShop and ProductionHouse, packages starting November 1st, 2003. It is an optional add-on to other Onyx Workflow 6.0 products. For more information about Onyx RIPeXtend, see the [Onyx RIPeXtend PDF Spec Sheet](#).

To get the driver, you'll need to download both the driver from the [Onyx Driver and Media database](#) as well as download the new [December 2003 Version 6.0 update](#).

Onyx Graphics adds Mimaki CG-130FX Cutter support to Contour

Cutting Workflow

Driver support for the Mimaki CG-130FX contour cutter is now available for users with the Version 6.0 Contour Cutting workflow. For more information on the contour cutting workflow, [see the Contour Cutting Workflow spec sheet](#). To download the update, [click here](#).

Onyx Graphics Addresses Real-World Workflow Challenges

The Big Picture Magazine previews the new Version 6.0 Onyx Workflow Products. [Read magazine article here!](#)

Multimedia Workflow Tutorials CD

Onyx Graphics has teamed with the Graphic Intelligence Agency (GIA) to create a multimedia workflow tutorials CD for Version 6.0. This free multimedia CD included in all Onyx Graphics software packages, explains a variety of wide-format working environments and helps you determine which workflow model will best enhance your facility's productivity. [Check out the News Release to learn more.](#)

Onyx Workflow Version 6.0 Products Now Shipping

The Onyx Versions of RIPCenter, PosterShop and ProductionHouse Version 6.0 are now shipping. OEM Versions, such as AGFA, Mutoh, Ilford, Oce etc.. will be released soon. (Check with your OEM vendor for details.)

There are many exciting things in Verison 6.0 that offer you more productivity and profit opportunities. Check out the [list of what's new in Version 6.0](#) and see how you can take your printing to the next level.

Expanded Tech Support in North America

Onyx Graphics now offers in North America full phone and e-mail Technical Support for all Version 6.0 customers. That's right - no more technical support contracts or limited-time phone support periods. As long as you have the current verison of an Onyx Workflow product (currently Version 6.0) then you get full phone technical support. Just call our toll-free number and if you have the latest product version (Version 6.0), then you'll get full support from our team of highly-qualified technical support people.

If you don't yet have Version 6.0, then upgrade now to take advantage of this new Technical Support policy. We will continue to provide support for Version 5.6 and 5.6.1 until October 15th, 2003. After that time, phone support ends for 5.6 and 5.6.1 in North America.

While phone and e-mail support for Versions 5.5 and earlier is no longer available, information about all older versions of software is available on the web in our [Knowledge Base](#).

Encad VinylJet Driver Released for Version 5.6.1

The Encad VinylJet driver for Onyx Workflow 5.6.1 products has been released and is now available for download on our [Driver Download Database](#).

Mimaki JV3-250SP Driver Released for Version 5.6.1

The Mimaki JV3-250SP driver for Onyx Workflow 5.6.1 products has also been released and posted to our [Driver Download Database](#). Besides the profiles available on the Onyx Graphics website, you can also download additional Avery profiles for this printer at the following link: [Avery Graphics](#)

The JV3-250SP driver key bit is included in all PosterShop and ProductionHouse packages purchased after May 1st 2003. A printer spec sheet is available for [download here](#).

Test Drive of Onyx ProductionHouse

Onyx ProductionHouse, Onyx Graphics' flagship product, was recently taken for a test drive in the February, 2003 issue of "Digital Graphics" Magazine. For the full article, click [here!](#)

Driver and Media Configuration Download Database

Need the latest driver? Got a new media you need a profile for? Check out our new [Driver and Media Configuration Download Database](#) where you can download drivers and specific media profiles. Instead of downloading a huge file containing a bunch of profiles you don't really need, select to download only the ones you want.

