

Secure Printing

At some point, everybody needs to print a confidential document. In the past, this has been an excuse to buy and use a local printer as users are reluctant to print sensitive documents to a shared network device. uniFLOW's secure printing functionality allows all users to send their sensitive documents to network printers from their desktops or mobile devices and to have the job printed only when they are physically standing in front of the device.



Mobile and Desktop based Printing

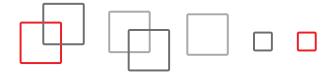
uniFLOW allows users to print securely from wherever they are working. Users can print from their desktop PCs, from a host based system such as SAP or from their mobile phone and, thanks to the uniFLOW multiple identity system, all their jobs will be held securely in their own personal print queue. To release a print job, the user can authenticate at their chosen printer by using their normal company ID proximity card or smart card. Guest users can release their jobs by entering a unique code on the MFD screen.

Release to any Device

All print jobs are stored in a user's personal secure queue until they are ready to release them on the printer of their choice. This printer may be the one closest to them, on another floor or in a different building. The user can select which of their print jobs to release from a list displayed directly on the MFD screen or from the uniFLOW applet running on their smartphone or tablet. The uniFLOW Universal Driver ensures that the print output is correct, regardless of which make or model of printer users have chosen to release their jobs to.

One Platform

uniFLOW is built as a single platform solution, providing administrators with a single interface to configure different areas of functionality through a single administration console with a single set of user accounts. Organizations that start using uniFLOW for secure printing can add other functionality, such as advanced scanning or document routing, just by purchasing an additional license code. The existing configuration of users, groups, card numbers and access rights is shared regardless of which functionality of uniFLOW is being used.







Features & Benefits

One Platform - uniFLOW is administered through a single management console, reducing configuration effort and ensuring that the administrator only has to learn one interface.

Print from Anywhere - Users can submit their print jobs from wherever they are working, either inside or outside the company network, thereby increasing their productivity. Print jobs can be submitted from desktop PCs, laptops, host based servers, mobile phones or tablets, all being held securely in a personal print queue.

Multiple Authentication Methods - Document security is maintained by ensuring the user is physically standing next to the printer before the job is released. Users can authenticate with their normal door proximity card, smart card, magnetic swipe card, username/password or PIN number.

Release to any Printer - uniFLOW secure printing works with any networked printer. Embedded applets are available for all Canon MFDs and selected printers from other manufacturers. For devices without an embedded platform, users can use smartphones or tablets to release their jobs.

Universal Driver - The uniFLOW Universal Driver ensures that no matter which make or model of printer the users have chosen to release their jobs to, the output will be the same. Not only does this reduce user frustration with the printing process, costs are saved through not having to reprint documents multiple times.

Cost Savings and Accounting - Any secure printing jobs that have not been collected in a predefined time will be automatically deleted rather than sitting on a printer output tray. The costs saved by an organization from automatically or manually deleted jobs are stored in the uniFLOW database together with the normal printing costs and user budget information.

