

ONYX connect

An Open Interface to Connect Business and Production Software

ONYX Connect™ is an open system that provides a simple developer interface to connect a print service provider's current business workflow solutions to ONYX production software, without needing to replace existing business workflows with a proprietary or RIP-specific solution. This is an optional module for ONYX Thrive™.

Information

ONYX Connect enables business owners and production managers to gain greater insight into valuable production information such as estimated ink consumption, media usage and production times with a simple developer interface.



Automation

ONYX Connect includes the ability to automate job submission using JDF (Job Definition Format) technology and ONYX hot folders providing control of critical job settings and reducing errors introduced by manual intervention during the production process. JDF tickets will also enable automated updates to job status.

Remote Access

ONYX Connect extends the capabilities of the browser-based ONYX Thrive Production Manager by adding remote access to the printed job information.



Information

Information available through the developer interface:

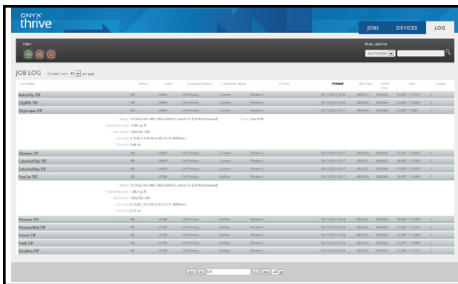
- Job Ticket information
- Status and print success/failure
- Date and time
- Printed job size and area
- Copies
- Printer
- Media
- Resolution
- RIP time
- Estimated ink time
- Job name
- Estimated ink consumption
- Media usage
- Production times



Automation

Job settings that can be controlled via JDF:

- Job Ticket information
 - Job ID
 - Customer information
 - Custom notes
- Quality print mode
 - Media and mode
- Magnification/Scaling
- Sizing rules
- Rotation
- Mirroring
- Centering
- Number of copies



Remote Access

- With ONYX Connect, Production Manager users will now see a job log tab giving a remote view of printed jobs
- Visible information includes:
 - Job information
 - Printer used
 - Area used
 - Estimated ink used
 - Job ticket information

ONYX CONNECT: OPTIONAL MODULE FOR ONYX THRIVE



ONYX Thrive™ software is a full featured, scalable PDF workflow solution based on the Adobe® PDF Print Engine and optimized for superior performance for all sizes of print providers. Combined with a new browser based dashboard, ONYX Thrive software provides the network-based solution you're looking for, to increase predictability and overall productivity.