

AccurioPro VDP Documentation

Introduction

This document provides a description of the documentation that is available for the AccurioPro VDP software package. AccurioPro VDP documentation includes tutorials and manuals that describe in detail the operation of the AccurioPro VDP software, including all standard (required) modules and optional modules.

All documentation for AccurioPro VDP software can be downloaded from the web site by visiting the following page:

<http://www.accurioprovd.com/documentation>

Topics covered in this document:

- ✓ AccurioPro VDP Tutorials
- ✓ Additional Documentation
- ✓ Technical Support

AccurioPro
Variable Data

AccurioPro VDP Tutorials

The AccurioPro VDP tutorials are individual documents, each designed to provide a concise overview of a particular AccurioPro VDP feature set. Collectively, the tutorials cover every major feature of AccurioPro VDP.

The tutorial documents are available inside the **AccurioPro VDP Tutorials** folder. Additionally, the AccurioPro VDP Tutorials folder includes sample files to support these tutorials. These sample files are inside the “**AccurioPro VDP Tutorial Files**” folder.

Each of the tutorials is described briefly below:

1) Form Letter (three parts)

Tutorial #1a (The Basics), the first part of Tutorial #1, covers the basic merge and output capabilities of AccurioPro VDP. This first tutorial shows you the steps required to set up and run a “typical” variable data job. with variable text and pictures. Output will be to an optimized PDF/VT file. Be sure to complete this tutorial first before continuing with any of the other tutorials, which provide information on more advanced features of AccurioPro VDP.

Tutorial #1b (Using Rules), the second part of Tutorial #1, covers the Rules Module, which provides conditional logic features to control the merge process. Read this tutorial to learn how to set up and apply rules to links while merging.

Tutorial #1c (Premium Features), the third part of Tutorial #1, covers setting up and applying rules to text, frames and pages while merging. Additionally this tutorial covers setting up and using AccurioPro VDP Article Variable Links.

2) Postcard

Tutorial #2 covers using the AccurioPro VDP Longest Line Test and the CopyFit module (a standard component of the AccurioPro VDP software package) to repair overset text frames in merged output. This tutorial also demonstrates how to use the AccurioPro VDP USPS Intelligent Mail Bar Code Keyword Link.

3) ID Badges

Tutorial #3 shows you how to set up and run a multiple-up variable data job. You will see how to merge variable data in a “Step & Repeat” sequence order, in a “Step-by-Step” sequence order, and in a “Cut & Stack” sequence order. Please note that this tutorial is designed to show the “manual” method of creating multi-up output. For details on using the built-in Multi-up Imposition feature of AccurioPro VDP, please see the “Automated Multi-up Imposition” documentation.

Additional Documentation

In addition to the tutorial files, AccurioPro VDP documentation includes manuals that provide detailed information about various AccurioPro VDP features and modules. These manuals are available in PDF format inside the “Additional AccurioPro VDP Documentation” folder. For example, you will find manuals for the following features and modules:

- 2D Bar Code Module
- Linear Bar Code Module
- CopyFit Module
- Database Files
- Data Source Definitions (DDF)
- GroupPicture Tutorial
- Keyword Links
- Preferences
- Price Style Module
- Print Drivers
- Rules
- Utilities

Cross-Platform Content

The documentation has been designed for use with all versions of AccurioPro VDP software. Since for the most part, the software operates the same regardless of the operating system, screen shots from the Macintosh platform are used throughout the documentation. In the few cases where a particular window or functionality differs significantly from one version of AccurioPro VDP to another, platform-specific screen shots and settings are fully identified.

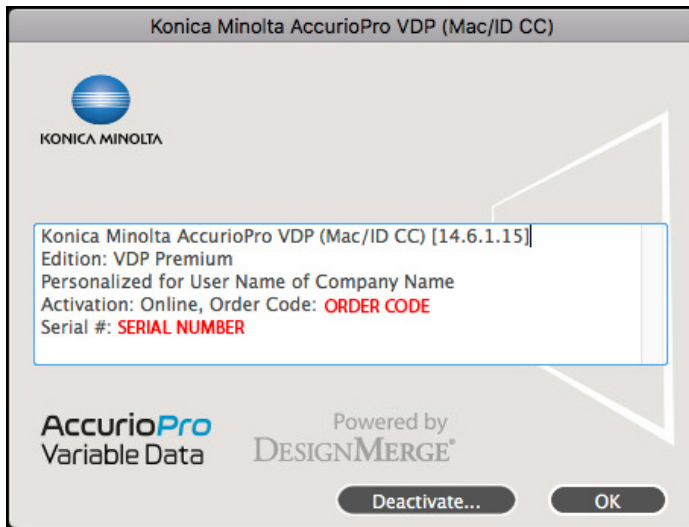
Coming Up

Now that you have installed the AccurioPro VDP software and downloaded the AccurioPro VDP Documentation, you’re ready to see how AccurioPro VDP allows you to produce variable data output. Be sure to complete the first part of Tutorial #1 before continuing with any of the other tutorials, which provide information on more advanced features of AccurioPro VDP.

Technical Support

For information about AccurioPro VDP Support and to submit a Support Ticket, go to www.accurioprovd.com/support. You can also go to this web page by opening the **AccurioPro VDP** menu and selecting **Help** ⇒ **Online Support Center**.

When requesting support, please provide your **AccurioPro VDP Order Code**. The Order Code was originally provided in an email message. You can also see which Order Code has been used to activate your installation of AccurioPro VDP by opening the **AccurioPro VDP** menu and selecting **Help** ⇒ **About AccurioPro**. An example of the About AccurioPro window is shown below:



Software Deactivation

AccurioPro VDP software can be installed and activated on a single computer at a time. If you would like to transfer your license to a different computer, you must first deactivate the software on the computer where it is currently installed. To deactivate your software, select **Help** ⇒ **About AccurioPro**. to open the About window, then click the **Deactivate** button and follow the prompts.

Software Removal

Note that deactivating the software does not uninstall or remove it from your system. To completely uninstall the software, quit InDesign. Then open your InDesign application's "Plug-Ins folder". You will see a "Meadows" folder inside the "Plug-Ins" folder. Delete this "Meadows" folder. This uninstalls (removes) the software from your InDesign application.

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