

HP Terminal Emulators: Printing on Host Printers

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TOPIC -----

Is there a Macintosh terminal emulator that allows file transfer and printing from an HP3000? I've found some information about Session and Reflection 3 PLUS, but there's no mention of printing.

I've also read that Tymlabs, publishers of the Sessions series of terminal emulators, now supports Ethernet. Will using Ethernet allow better connectivity?

DISCUSSION -----

To our knowledge, no terminal emulation package for HP computers has a specific feature to print directly to an HP3000's printers. You'll have to use the file transfer feature to transfer the text file to the HP3000 and print from there. Walker, Richer & Quinn Inc., the maker of Reflection 3 PLUS, says that you can automate this process using their scripting language. Tymlabs Corporation, the maker of Session, said that version 4.0, has scripts for printing on the host printer.

Ethernet's high transmission speed (10 megabits per second) is particularly useful when there is heavy use of a file server. Examples include multi-user database use, primary storage use for all applications, or for applications development with shared libraries on the file server.

For more information, search on "Walker, Richer & Quinn" or "Tymlabs" Copyright 1991 Apple Computer, Inc.

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