# INSTALLING AN HP PRINT DRIVER USING ADD PRINTER WIZARD

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## OVERVIEW

HP recommends the following steps when installing an HP print driver using Add Printer Wizard.

## DESCRIPTION

Use the following steps to install an HP print driver using Add Printer Wizard.

1. Open the Devices and Printers dialog
2. Click Add a printer at the top of the dialog
3. Click "The printer that I want isn't listed"

NOTE:  If you select your device from this list, the printer may be installed using a different print driver and using WSD.

4. Click "Add a printer using a TCP/IP address or hostname"
5. Select TCP/IP Device in the drop down for Device type:
6. Uncheck "Query the printer and automatically select the driver to use"

NOTE: Failing to uncheck this setting may load a different print driver instead of the HP print driver.

7. Enter the Hostname or IP Address
8. Enter the Port name or use the default

NOTE: For the v3 UPD, the list of reserved characters that cannot be used to start a port name include "\\\\", "USB", "DOT4_", "LPT", "HST_", "IP_", "IPX_", "COM", "FILE:", ":raw", "TS", ":", "\\", "WSD-", "/.ipp", "/ipp", "ipp://", and "Secure".

9. Click Have Disk
10. Browse to the location of the print driver
11. Click Open
12. Click the inf file or use the default inf file
13. Click Open
14. Click OK
15. Select the print driver and click Next
16. If asked, click "Replace the current driver" and click Next
17. Enter a Printer Name and click Next
18. After the installation complete, configure Printer Sharing and click Next

19. Click "Print a test page

NOTE: If this is the v3 UPD, a popup "Validating the selected printer" will appear to configure the print driver through bidi.

20. Click Close
21. Click Finish

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information on configuring the HP UPD see the HP System Administrator's Guide which provides information about the HP Universal Print Driver (HP UPD) and the available HP UPD tools.  The System Administrator's Guide can be downloaded from www.hp.com/go/upd.

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