

Getting Started

SpotOn!™ v1.0

**All you need to know to get started,
every step of the way.**

- How to **install** your new software
- How to **activate** your new dongle
- How to get **updates**
- How to get **trained** on SpotOn!
- How to get **professional support**

Languages

SpotOn! is written in English. If we receive demand for other languages, we will certainly consider publishing localized versions of SpotOn!

Platform requirements

Windows minimum

Windows XP Pro SP2 or higher
Pentium 4 or higher
80GB Hard Drive
512MB RAM
1024x768 16-bit Color
2 USB ports

Macintosh minimum

OS 10.4.8 or higher
G4 or higher
80GB Hard Drive
512MB RAM
1024x768 16-bit Color
2 USB ports

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BEFORE YOU DO ANYTHING...

Follow the Installation Steps, then the Activation Steps, as explained.

Do you have a Demo version?

If you downloaded or were given a **Demo version**, the product will run in demo mode until a full version is purchased with a dongle. The Demo version has limited functionality. Creating a new job, and job editing features have been deactivated. A sample database is active in the Demo version and will be deactivated when a dongle is attached and activated. Please contact sales@spotonpress.com or your dealer to purchase the full version.

Measurement Instrument

An X-Rite i1 Pro scanning spectrophotometer is necessary to take readings with SpotOn! For compliance with GRACoL® and SWOP® specifications the i1 must not have a UV-Cut filter.

INSTALLATION STEPS FOR WINDOWS

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Please note that if an i1 has never been used on the computer intended for SpotOn! the i1 drive will need to be installed. If an i1 has been used on the computer prior to installing SpotOn!, the driver is already installed and it is not necessary to reinstall it.

WINDOWS

- Step 1: Insert the CD-ROM into the Windows computer and locate the CD-ROM drive in Windows Explorer.
- Step 2: Copy the folder named *SpotOn! v1.x (WIN)* to *C:\Program Files*.
- Step 3: Open the *SpotOn! v1.x Win* folder and make a shortcut of the file *SpotOn!.exe* onto the desktop, and/or in the *Start* menu.
- Step 4: If an i1 has never been connected to this computer, plug in the i1 and follow the Windows *Found New Hardware* wizard to install the driver. The i1 driver is located in *Resources* folder in the *SpotOn!* folder.
- Step 5: Connect the USB protection key (dongle) to any USB port on the computer. SpotOn! is ready to use.

INSTALLATION STEPS FOR MAC

MAC OS X



- Step 1: Insert the CD-ROM into the Macintosh computer and locate the CD-ROM drive on the desktop.
- Step 2: Copy the folder named *SpotOn! v1.x (MAC)* to the *Applications* folder on the Macintosh hard drive.
- Step 3: Open the *SpotOn! v1.x Mac* folder and drag the *SpotOn!* file to the Dock.
- Step 4: Connect the USB protection key (dongle) to any USB port on the computer and the i1 to another USB port. SpotOn! is ready to use.

ACTIVATION STEPS

For Windows and Mac



In order to activate SpotOn!, you need to send your USB dongle information to SpotOn! Press.

- Connect the dongle to a USB port of the computer on which you have installed SpotOn!
- Launch SpotOn!
- In SpotOn!, select *Update Dongle* in the *Edit* menu (Win) or *SpotOn!* menu (Mac).
- Write down the *Dongle ID* number.
- In a web browser go to the SpotOn! Web site at www.spotonpress.com and select *Register* from the menu choices on the left. Fill out the form completely including the *Dongle ID* number written down in the previous step and click *Submit* once.

Upon receipt of your activation request, SpotOn! Press will e-mail you an activation license code. Follow these steps to activate the dongle.

- Open the e-mail you received with the license code. Copy the license code that was attached in the e-mail to the *SpotOn!* folder on the SpotOn! computer and unzip it.
- On the computer that has SpotOn! installed, ensure the dongle is connected and select *Update Dongle* in the *Edit* menu (Win) or *SpotOn!* menu (Mac).
- Click on the *Load License File...* button.
- Browse to the *.lic* file that was copied to this computer and click *Open*.
- Click the *Update* button.
- Close the *Update Dongle* window by clicking *Cancel*.
- Quit SpotOn! and relaunch it. The dongle is now activated and SpotOn! is ready to use.

To see your license and dongle status, open the *Update Dongle* in the *Edit* menu (Win) or *SpotOn!* menu (Mac).

Note: Once your dongle has been activated with the new *.lic* file, it will work on any computer where SpotOn! is installed.

Start On the Right Foot

To start your training on SpotOn! software, see the PDF documents on the SpotOn! application CD.

- The Getting Started document is what you are reading now. It helps with installing the software, support options and training options.
- The User's Guide contains details about each feature of SpotOn! It's primary purpose is to familiarize the user with the interface and explain the functionality of the charts.

Maintenance Updates

After SpotOn! is installed, please visit our Web site for the latest maintenance updates for the current version. Free maintenance updates for SpotOn! v1.x are available at www.spotonpress.com

Select *Support* and then *Downloads* from the menu on the left. A *User Name* and *Password* are needed to gain access to the *Downloads* section of the Web site.

- User Name: spoton
- Password: support4users

Select the update for your platform and download it. Repeat the installation procedure for your platform.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Before using this updated version of SpotOn!, your database and preferences need to be moved to the new version. Copy the *SpotOn.db* and *SpotOn.prf* files from the old version to the new version. These files can be found in the *Resources* folder of the old version of SpotOn! They must be placed in the *Resources* folder of the new version of SpotOn!

Advanced Training

HOW TO MASTER YOUR PRINTING PROCESS CONTROL

What's better than getting the most advanced printing process control tool?

Learning to master every one of its features.

For personalized in-depth training on SpotOn!, you can have a professional trainer come to your workplace and train you. For more information, contact your dealer today or write to sales@spotonpress.com to learn more about training options.

Support

SpotOn! Press offers you convenient support packages to boost the way you use your process control tool. For more information, contact your dealer today or write to sales@spotonpress.com to learn more about support options.

Annual Service Agreement (US & Canada only)

- All SpotOn! updates for 12 months (does not include modules not already licensed to the end user)
- Technical support by e-mail, telephone and WebEx™. SpotOn! Technical Support department is open from Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 5:30pm (Pacific Time).
- Includes all maintenance updates to the current version as they become available.

International Service Agreement

- Please contact your local dealer.

If you require technical support, please e-mail us at: support@spotonpress.com

US & Canada

Tel.: 503-226-7598

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E-mail: support@spotonpress.com

Other Countries

Contact your local dealer

Product Warranty

Software Warranty

Please read the enclosed Software License Agreement for complete details.

Dongle Warranty

SpotOn! Press offers a free 90-day dongle guarantee from the date of purchase. Contact support@spotonpress.com if a dongle does not seem to work properly.

Stolen or broken dongle

Once a product is activated, it is under the customer's responsibility. If a dongle is lost, stolen or destroyed, SpotOn! Press will not replace the product for free. Customers must declare the loss to their insurance company and purchase a new copy of the latest version.

Any questions?

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