

IBS Control Center (Version 6.0 and up)

Install Tool for IBS

Quick Installation Guide



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Pre-requisites

Hardware requirements:

- CPU
 - o 2GHz or higher
- Memory
 - o 1GB or higher
- HDD
 - o 512 MB free space

Operating System (32 or 64 Bit):

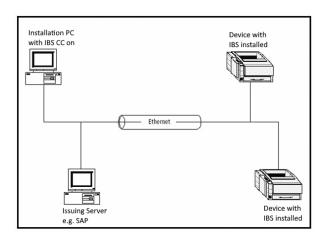
- ClientOS: Windows 7 or higher
- ServerOS: 2008R2 SP1 or higher



Introduction

The IBS Control Center (IBS CC) is a tool which:

- a) Installs the Ricoh Intelligent Barcode & OCR Package (IBS) on the Ricoh devices.
- b) Provides test scenarios for checking the products functionality.
- c) Offers fast and safe licensing of the product.
- Helps to trouble-shoot data stream in the Ricoh devices by providing debugging options.
- e) Provides new functionalities for finding devices on the network.
- f) Customer configurations can be easily installed on Ricoh devices.
- g) A bunch of additional features like Quick set configurations, debugging etc.



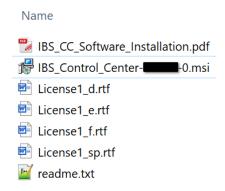
The short diagram shows the connectivity situation between the Managing Station computers, the devices, and the issuing system on the network. The Managing Station runs IBS CC and manages the IBS software installed on all devices. Through IBS CC you are able to configure all devices that are compatible with IBS and running in a network. IBS CC is able to find all compatible devices in this local network or beyond and displays them in one window. In this way you have a complete overview of the devices that can be configured.



Installation

IBS CC can be downloaded from the stethos web site

The download package is compressed (zipped) and contains these files:



In order to start the installation of IBS CC just launch the IBS_Control_Center-x-y-z-0.msi and follow the instructions. The letters x, y and z do reflect major, minor and build version. It's highly recommended to review the readme file prior to the installation.

NOTES:

- a) You need to have local administrator rights.
- b) If you have an earlier version of IBS CC installed, there is no need to remove this version. The automatic IBS CC build-in <u>update checker</u> informs you if an update is present. So just download the new full installer and run it against an existing installation of IBS CC.
- c) The installer installs the IBS CC software, as well as all needed IBS files.

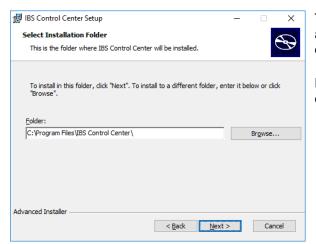
Usually, you will use the <u>Single Click Installer</u> and the installation runs automatically. No WEB Page at the device needs to be launched manually.

Welcome Page





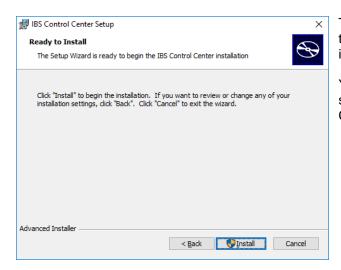
Choosing Destination



The destination folder can be changed according to your preferences by clicking on Browse....

However, we recommend accepting the default folder.

Final Window before installation

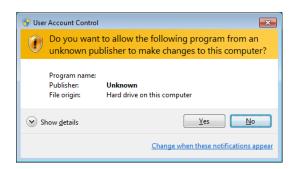


The final installation button indicates, that you need administrative rights for installation to continue.

You also may return to the previous step or cancel the installation.

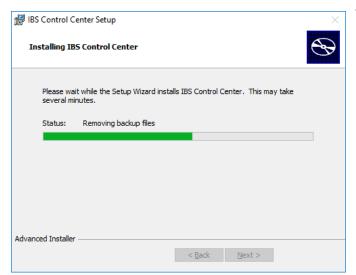
Click on the install button to continue

Please allow changes to the system





Copying in Progress



This may take a few minutes.

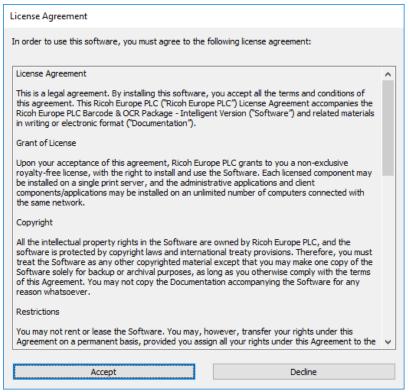
Installation Succeeded



After IBS CC is installed, you can close the installer and by default start IBS CC.

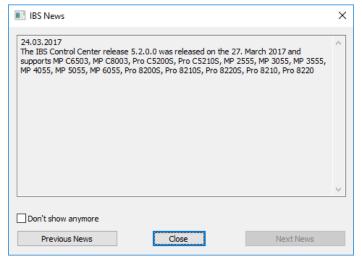
First start

First start of IBS CC - License Agreement



Please read the agreement carefully. If you want to know what IBS CC communicates with the internet, please read: Privacy statement regarding the internet connections of the software which is part of the questions and answers provided usually via WEB interface.

Every start: IBS CC - News



Depending upon the <u>settings</u>, IBS CC will check on each start for product <u>related news</u>. In the past and in the future that news did/do inform about

- a) available updates
- b) major bug fixes
- c) coming up versions

If an update is available, you will be asked if you want to download that update.



Update Check

Every time IBS CC is launched an update check is performed. If a <u>newer version</u> is detected it will tell you accordingly and offer you a link where you can download the latest version. There is no need to uninstall and reinstall. The new version will just update an older version by installation on top and preserves all the settings of the previous one.

First start of IBS CC - Extract local HTML Documentation



The IBS CC build in online help requires a permanent internet access. Sometimes the installation is performed from a service notebook without internet access, as the customer might not grant access to the internet. If IBS CC recognizes that no online access is possible then it uses a build-in copy of the online help which might not

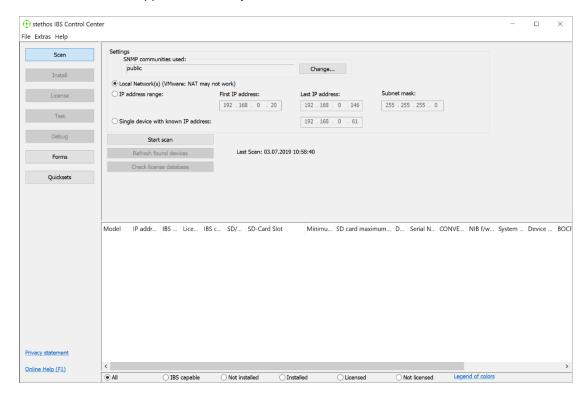
contain the latest information as this help was bundled at compilation date of IBS CC itself.



Usage

The Software starts all the time in the Scan Menu.

You can check the software settings or start with scanning the network for IBS capable devices. If you hit the online help key F1 you will be introduced into the Scan device(s) screen. The same happens from every other screen within IBS CC.



Alternatively, you might just follow the menu bar on the left: Scan, Install, License, Test, Debug. Forms or Quicksets.

First time users should have a look at our how-to video.

On any suggestions or needed support, please check the <u>questions & answers</u> from our web site.

If you need support, please contact support@stethos.com or during Central Europe business hours you can use the Live-Chat from our web site.

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Appendix A: Communication Ports

IBS CC to the Internet (paceline-tools.de and stethos.com):

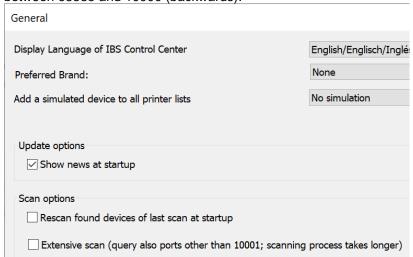
- TCP Port 80
- TCP Port 443

IBS CC to printer/MFP device:

- TCP Port 80 (http)
- TCP Port 443 (https)
- TCP Port 9100 (or 2 alternative ports and/or TCP Port 515 for LPR):

Network Settings
Alternative Diprint ports in addition to 9100:
Use LPR/LPD protocol exclusively to send files/streams
If you enable this, the program will not be able to execute the following functions: - It cannot determine the installation medium automatically, if applicable. - Read back of captured jobs from devices. - Read files from devices. - Read back IBS configuration file before overwriting it. - It cannot determine the volume of the SD Card.

- UPD Port 161 (SNMP)
- TCP Port 23 (diprint conn single set and read)
- TCP Port 10001
- Optional: If the "Extensive scan" in the menu File -> Settings -> General is checked then all open ports will be enumerated via SNMP and then checked one by one in between 65535 and 10000 (backwards):



Note: IBS CC does not use any specific functions which are based upon the SMB v1 protocol. So, disabling SMB v1 is not causing any malfunction of IBS CC.



Appendix B: Supported vs. custom (e.g. domestic) devices

The most recent list of the supported Ricoh devices can be reviewed all the time on the stethos web site.

Future releases of IBS CC will support new devices and are sneaked $\underline{\text{here and the top}}$ of the page.

Event it's not officially supported there is a possibility to add custom devices to IBS CC by adding them to this file:

C:\ProgramData\IBS_CC\models_CUSTOM.ini

It can be edited by any plain editor like Notepad supplied by the Windows OS. Any further information about the syntax is described in the provided sample file which is supplied in the program path of IBS CC named models_CUSTOM_SAMPLE.ini.

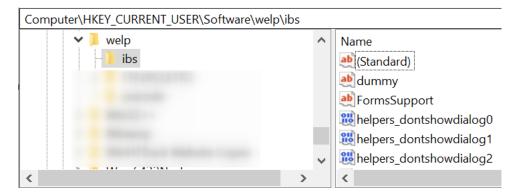
Note: The usage of custom devices is at your own risk.



Appendix C: Uninstall

Please use the Windows uninstall features (e.g. Control Panel) to remove IBS CC from your computer.

Even the software gets uninstalled the program settings are preserved within this Registry HIVE. You have the advantage to re-install IBS CC and start with the same settings before the uninstall:



If you want to fully clean-up your computer you can remove this Registry HIVE once you made sure that you uninstalled IBS CC:

Computer\HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\welp\ibs