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TOPIC -----

Why do the ImageWriter I and ImageWriter II sometimes produce differing results, even though both are working from the same document?

DISCUSSION -----

The following are some possible reasons this could happen:

- Screen fonts print differently with different system versions. Use the font and ImageWriter driver that best suits your needs.
- MacDraw or MacPaint documents that print perfectly on ImageWriter I may show a horizontal white line when printed on ImageWriter II. This is because ImageWriter II has smaller print head wires, which allow the ImageWriter II to produce a finer text quality. The white line is caused by the finer dots failing to overlap. This can be fixed by printing in BEST mode.

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