

Quark**XPress**[®] 3.11

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Release Notes

The QuarkXPress® 3.11 Updater has been released by Quark to correct problems found in QuarkXPress 3.1. Please read the following information carefully to ensure a successful update of your QuarkXPress 3.1 program. We apologize for any inconvenience these problems may have caused you.

The QuarkFreebies collection contains 11 XTensions that provide an array of enhancements for your QuarkXPress program. For a complete list of the QuarkFreebies XTensions and a brief description of what they do, please refer to page five of this document.

If you are using Adobe Type Manager™, it is imperative that you install version 2.0 or greater (2.0.3 for 68040-based Macs, 2.0.2 for other Macs with 32-bit addressing on) before you update your QuarkXPress 3.1 program. When you launch QuarkXPress 3.11 the program will warn you if you are running an incompatible version of ATM. *Please do not ignore this warning! Incompatible versions of ATM will cause QuarkXPress to crash!* Contact Adobe for version 2.0 or above. When updating your copy of ATM, be sure to update both the init file (~ATM 68020/030) and the control panel (~ATM). Check your ATM control panel for font cache size. You should allow 50K for each font you expect to be on the screen at the same time. Bold, italic, and bold-italic versions count toward the total. The font cache should always be 256k or more.

When opening documents with QuarkXPress 3.11, some users may get the message, "This document requires minor repairs"; the only option is to go ahead and repair the file.

This message has just been introduced in QuarkXPress 3.11, and is a valid message. Please be assured, clicking "Repair" is a good thing; using the file in its current state could be detrimental to that file's health. The damage that is being repaired is not something that is caused by any particular document construction techniques of the user. In short, the "repairs" are done for minor corruptions in the documents internal file structure, which a typical user can neither foresee nor prevent.

The following errors are among those which can cause the message to occur:

- Invalid color in a document: the item will be set to black
- Text format specification (style, size, font, etc.) is bad: a valid style will be substituted
- Paragraph format specifications (indent, margins, etc.) are bad: a valid format will be substituted
- Two differing versions of the length of a story exist in the document: the longest one will be used
- The standard QuarkXPress colors (Black, Cyan, Magenta and Yellow) do not appear in the color list: the color list will be recreated from scratch
- The H&J list is bad: recreates it from scratch
- An invalid H&J set is referenced: the reference will be changed to a valid H&J
- An invalid Style Sheet is referenced: the reference will be changed to a valid style sheet
- The Style Sheet list is bad: the standard style sheet list will be recreated.

There are other fixable errors that may generate this message but do not actually change the document contents. These fixes will therefore be transparent to the user.

If this is happening to many documents, it could be that they were all based on the same "bad" template or document. At this point it would be a good idea to open the template or document in question in QuarkXPress 3.11 to allow for its repair.

Update Instructions

- 1) Start your Macintosh. Check to be sure that you have enough hard disk space to hold your new QuarkXPress program. You will need at least 3 MB of available hard disk space. The Updater deletes the old version icon and replaces it with QuarkXPress 3.11.
- 2) If you are using ATM, locate the “~ATM 68020/030” file in your System Folder. Confirm that you have at least version 2.0 (2.0.3 for 68040-based Macs, 2.0.2 for other Macs with 32-bit addressing on) by highlighting its icon, going under the File menu and choosing **Get Info**. If you do not have an appropriate version of ATM, contact Adobe for an upgrade. Check your ATM control panel under the Apple menu for font cache size and set as appropriate.
- 3) Make a copy of your QuarkXPress 3.1 application and rename it QuarkXPress 3.11.
- 4) Insert the QuarkXPress 3.11 Updater disk into the Macintosh internal diskette drive number one.
- 5) Double-click on the QuarkXPress Updater 3.11 icon to begin the update procedure. The QuarkXPress 3.11 Updater dialog box is displayed. Click **OK** to continue the update procedure; click **Quit** to abort the update procedure.
- 6) If you click **OK**, a directory dialog box is displayed. Use the controls in the dialog box to locate and select your renamed copy of QuarkXPress from the scroll list, click **Open** to continue; click **Cancel** to abort the update procedure.
- 7) If you click **Open**, a status dialog box is displayed that indicates the current operation and the percent of the update procedure that has been completed.
- 8) After the program has been updated, an alert informs you that the update was successful. Click **OK**.
- 9) Drag-copy the new Frame Editor, XPress Tags Filter, and WordPerfect™ Filter from the Updater disk to your QuarkXPress folder.
- 10) After completing the update, launch QuarkXPress 3.11 to confirm that the update was successful.
- 11) Discard your original QuarkXPress 3.1 application.

Problems Solved in QuarkXPress 3.11

The following list includes problems that could have occurred while using QuarkXPress 3.1. All of these problems have been fixed in QuarkXPress 3.11.

QuickDraw Printing

- Errors could have occurred when printing pictures to certain QuickDraw printers.
- Text could have been justified incorrectly when printing to certain QuickDraw printers.

PostScript™ Printing

- Objects could have been trapped incorrectly to pictures that are not TIFF or pure bitmaps.
- Process colors could have been overprinted incorrectly on other process colors.
- The PICT version of Illustrator 3.0™ EPS images did not print.
- Color separation patches could have overlaid registration marks.
- Blends could have printed incorrectly to non-Adobe, color PostScript interpreters.
- Images could have been clipped on PostScript printers when Apple-defined paper areas were selected.
- PostScript errors could have occurred when printing certain types of bitmap images to Level 2 printers.

Pictures

- Certain TIFF images from Agfa Compugraphic GS/BIS scanners could not be read.
- Horizontal lines could have appeared when displaying or printing a restricted class of line-art TIFF images.

General

- Justified text following a tab at the end of a line could have been clipped.
- Fonts could have been named incorrectly after using Suitcase or the Kern-Track Editor to modify active fonts.
- Characters in text boxes could have been clipped after scaling to Thumbnails and then back to normal size.
- TrueType fonts could have been lost when a document was moved into a System 7 environment.
- Items close to the right edge of a page could have been moved incorrectly when the page size was changed.
- Characters could suddenly be spaced widely apart when working with a document which had different kern tables from the XPress Preferences file and available memory was small.

Application Unexpectedly Quitting

The message “This application has unexpectedly quit” could have been generated under the following conditions. All of these problems have been fixed.

- If a multiple items were active on a master page when the document was saved.
- If QuarkXPress was launched on a networked Macintosh and no Network Identity had been established via the Sharing Setup Control Panel (System 7).
- When typing at the top of a page with Keep Together or Keep With Next Paragraph checked.
- When deleting pages via the Document Layout palette.
- Occasionally while printing, if background printing was enabled.
- Occasionally when saving a document as a template.
- After selecting Integral Character Widths in Typographic Preferences.

Auxiliary Files

The XPress Tags Filter has been updated to correct problems found in the filter that originally shipped with QuarkXPress 3.1. Some of the problems corrected include:

- Occasionally the ‘\$’ (use the value from the current style) feature not to work.
- Some fractional values were rounded incorrectly when exported.
- Occasional crashes when importing H&J values.

The Frame Editor application has been updated to be 32-bit clean.

The WordPerfect 2.x Filter enables you to import text files created in WordPerfect 2.0 and greater into QuarkXPress. As with other filters, you can also export text to WordPerfect files.

Known Incompatibilities Between QuarkXPress and Other Software/Hardware

Quark is still investigating reports of incompatibilities with third-party software and hardware that can cause QuarkXPress to unexpectedly quit. A list of known incompatibilities between QuarkXPress and other software and hardware follows:

Product	Incompatibility
Adobe Type Reunion/ Bitstream Fonts	Version 1.0.2 of ATR crashes or freezes with certain "old" versions of Bitstream fonts. Bitstream has not told us how to determine whether a font is "old." Bitstream will update users if they report this problem. Call (800) 522-3668.
DayStar	The 64K Fast Cache card is not 32 bit clean. This will cause crashes when 32-bit addressing is turned on.
DiskDoubler	When printing a document that contains graphics which have been compressed with DiskDoubler™, QuarkXPress may display an alert stating that some graphics are missing or modified. In this case clicking List Pictures will display a dialog that will show those compressed graphics to have a status of Wrong Type. Because DiskDoubler does not decompress the files unless a system file selector dialog is displayed, attempting to update those pictures by clicking the Update button will result in a "File not found [-43]" error being displayed. The files must be decompressed before they can be accessed for printing, otherwise QuarkXPress will use the screen preview to print. If AutoDoubler (also available from Fifth Generation Systems) is installed then it will automatically decompress files whenever necessary.
HandOff	An incompatibility between HandOff and QuarkXPress 3.1 exists that will generate an error 1708 or an unexpected quit. Connectix has verified the problem and is working on a fix in version 2.2.2. No release date has been announced.
Non-Apple disk drivers	Apple has told us that some non-Apple disk drivers are not 32-bit clean. If you have formatted your disk with non-Apple software and are experiencing unexpected quits, you should contact your drive manufacturer to determine if you have this problem. If you cannot reach your drive manufacturer, a product called Drive 7 from Casa Blanca Systems may help. Their phone number is (415) 461-2227.
SuperMac and Radius	The accelerator inits for these two display boards have been known to cause problems during initial installation of QuarkXPress. They must be physically removed from the System Folder before installation, because they apparently do not disable themselves when the Shift key is held down during power-up. Quark is attempting to study this problem further.
Suitcase	Early versions of Suitcase (i.e. 1.2.5) are incompatible with QuarkXPress. We suggest that you use at least version 1.2.12. Fifth Generation says that people with Quadras should update to version 2.1.2, which is available from various online services.
Others	Unexpected quits have been reported by users who solved the problem by removing one or more of the following inits: Pathworks, Virex, Responder, Easy Access, Disklight, AppleTalk Remote Access, Macro Maker.

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QuarkFreebies™ 3.1

The following is a complete list of the QuarkFreebies XTensions included on the Updater disk. Please see the Read Me files included with each XTension for more detailed information.

Bob™ XTension

The Bob XTension includes Color Drag, which enables you to apply a color to box backgrounds or frames by dragging a swatch from the Colors palette and releasing it over the item. Bob also contains a Go-to-page feature that provides a pop-up display of icons that represent the pages of a document. The Line Check feature searches for widows, orphans, loose justification, hyphenated lines, and text box overflows.

Cool Blends™

The Cool Blends XTension enhances QuarkXPress 3.1's ability to create blends as backgrounds for picture and text boxes. The Cool Blends XTension adds five new blends to the Color palette's Blends pop-up menu: Mid-Linear Blend, Rectangular Blend, Diamond Blend, Circular Blend, and Full Circular Blend.

FeaturesPlus

FeaturesPlus adds eight new features to QuarkXPress. Included are the ability to create typographer's prices and fractions automatically. There is also a Value Converter palette that will convert values among any of the six measurement systems. The Windows feature provides a submenu that lists all open QuarkXPress documents. Choosing a name from the list brings the document to the front.

Multiple Master Utilities™

The Multiple Masters Utilities (MMU) XTension enables QuarkXPress to support Multiple Master fonts in three ways. The MMU will automatically create Multiple Master instances when you open a QuarkXPress document. The MMU also enables QuarkXPress to create font instances found in EPS files when printing. The MMU XTension also provides for the Multiple Master Font Creator. Under the Utilities menu, you'll find an item called Font Creator. Selecting it will open up the Font Creator dialog box, which enables you to create and delete Multiple Master instances from within QuarkXPress.

Network Connection

Network Connection provides users with the ability to send text, picture files, and messages to other QuarkXPress users over a network.

PANTONE® Colors

The PANTONE Colors file adds three PANTONE color matching systems to QuarkXPress: PANTONE Process Colors, PANTONE ProSim, and PANTONE Uncoated.

Photoshop® Plug-In XTension™

Photoshop Plug-In allows you to take advantage of many Adobe Photoshop plug-in modules from within QuarkXPress, making it easy to import pictures from scanners, video recorders, compressed files, and other sources.

PM Import B2

The Aldus PageMaker® Import XTension was created by Quark so that documents created in PageMaker version 4.0 and 4.2 can be opened in QuarkXPress 3.1. This beta copy of the Aldus PageMaker XTension is provided for testing purposes only. No guarantee of any kind is made regarding its fitness for any purpose other than testing.

Prepare for Service Bureau

The prepare for Service Bureau XTension was designed to eliminate common errors that occur when taking QuarkXPress documents to service bureaus. Prepare for Service Bureau includes a Document Statistics file that provides the service bureau with all the information necessary to output your document successfully.

Professional Color Toolkit

The Professional Color Toolkit for full PANTONE® Color support is a Control Panel device which fully manages PANTONE Color information both for RGB color monitors as well as CMYK output.

Son of Bob™ XTension

Son of Bob provides a menu entry that lets you turn on "smart quotes," which automatically change inch marks to typographer's curly quotes. Son of Bob also provides a way to change document view size with the keyboard, send ASCII PostScript to printers, eliminate unwanted halftoning in TIFF-file output, and multiply or divide values in any numeric entry box.