

Windows Driver Installation Guide

Do not connect the printer to your computer's USB port until step #10

Please contact your software provider to confirm if the use of our driver is required for their ticketing software. We recommend that the print driver is installed by either your system administrator or IT support staff. If you previously connected the printer or tried to install the print driver, take a screenshot of the "printers and drivers" dialog and attach it to the support form located at www.bocasystems.com/onlinesupportform.html.

Click on one of the two links below. <u>Please contact your software provider to confirm which driver is required for their system.</u>

Standard Drivers (released 2010)

<u>New Drivers</u> With print monitor (Beta released June-2014). *If this driver does not work properly with your software application then please see page 14 for driver adjustment.*

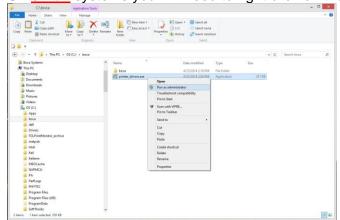
2. Windows will ask if you want to run or save the program. You will need to save the file using "Save as". Please save the file into an easy to locate directory.



Above image is from Windows 7 your menu box may vary

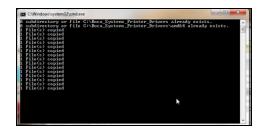
- 3. If you have a Windows 8 system then go to page 8 for install guide, otherwise continue following the steps.
- On <u>32-bit</u> systems go to the directory where you saved the <u>printer_drivers.exe</u> file for Legacy Driver or <u>printer_drivers bidi.exe</u> for New Driver, and double left click on the file.

On 64-bit systems you will need to right click on the file and then click on Run as administrator.



The directory where you saved your file will differ than what is shown in above Windows 7 64-bit image

- 5. You may get a security warning asking "Do you want to run this file?" or something similar. Click on the Run icon.
- 6. You may see the below screen show up and then disappear from your desktop screen. This is normal. If the screen shows "Press any key to continue..." then press any key.



- For 64-bit systems please go to step # 10. For 32-bit system continue the steps below.
- 8. When the following dialog is seen, click on the Next button.



9. When the installer has finished putting the necessary driver files on your system, the below menu box will be displayed. Click on the Finish button.



- 10. Connect the USB cable to the host computer and power on the printer. If you are connecting to the printer via Ethernet or Wi-Fi then skip to step # 13.
- 11. Depending on your system, a notice box similar to the following picture should appear. Click on the **Click** here for status. This will enable to see the status of the driver software installation.

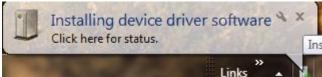
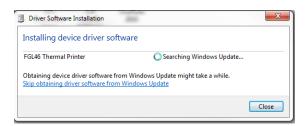


Image is from Windows 7

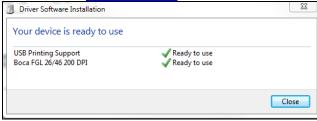
The below Driver Software Installation pop up window will show up on a Windows 7 system. Click on the Skip obtaining driver software from Windows Update to help speed up the install process.



When the below window shows up just click on the Yes button



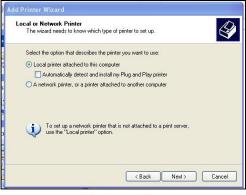
12. The correct USB Printing Support and drivers will automatically install. The image below is of a 200dpi driver being installed on a Windows 7 system. The driver name may vary due to the printer's DPI and logic board level. Go to Page 6.



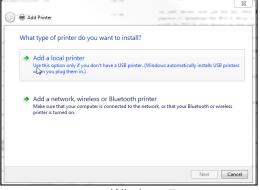
Above image will vary based on DPI and software level of printer

Steps 13 through 24 are for Ethernet or Wi-Fi connection only.

- 13. The self-test ticket that is printed when the TEST button will show the IP address that the printer has.
- 14. Open up the "Printer and Faxes" (XP) or "Devices and Printer" (Widows 7) Menu.
- 15. Click on "Add a Printer". In XP the Add Printer Wizard show up, click on the Next button.
 - a. XP Click on "Local printer attached to this computer".
 - b. Windows 7 Click on "Add a local printer"

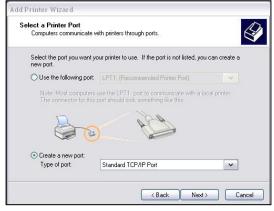


Windows XP

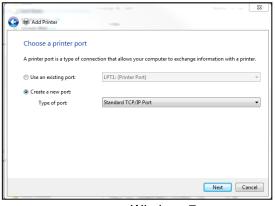


Windows 7

16. When the printer port menu comes up. Click on "Create a new port:" choose "Standard TCP/IP Port. Click on the Next button. XP – When the TCP/IP Port Wizard menu comes up, click on the Next button

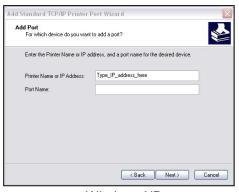


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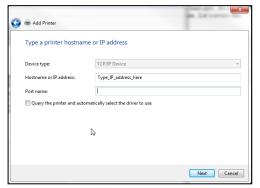


Windows 7

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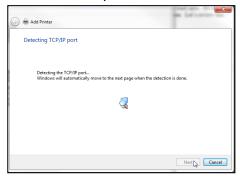






Windows 7

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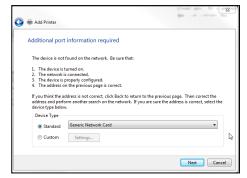


Windows 7

17. When the Additional Port information menu comes up click on the Next button. XP – When the Wizard menu comes up click on Finish.



Windows XP



Windows 7

18. When the Install print driver menu comes up: Under Manufacturer select "Boca". Under Printers select the driver that matches your printer's protocol (FGL or PCL) and DPI. Click on the Next button.



Windows XP



Windows 7

19. When the version driver menu comes up click on the Next button.





Windows XP

Your driver name will vary from what is shown in above images

Windows 7

20. When the printer name menu comes up you may keep the default name or type in a different name. Click on the Next button.





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21. When the Printer Sharing menu comes up you may choose to share this printer or not. Click on the Next button.



Windows XP

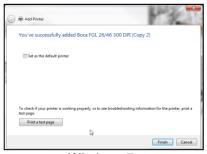


Windows 7

- 22. On the last menu you have the option to choice if you want to make the BOCA your default printer.
 - a. XP Click on the Next button.
 - b. Windows 7 **Do not click on Print a test page.** Click on the Finish button.



Windows XP



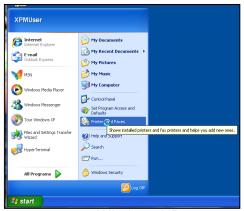
Windows 7

23. XP - When the completing Add Printer Wizard menu comes up click on Finish button.

Windows Test Page

The following will guide you through doing a Windows test page to confirm the driver is communicating with the printer. You will want to make sure the printer has stock loaded and is able to print a self-test ticket when the TEST button is pressed. The printing of this ticket confirms that the printer is working properly mechanically. If the printer is not able to print a self-test ticket, then consult the "4.0 Installation section of the user manual (www.bocasystems.com/documents/lemur_manual.pdf).

1. On a Windows XP system, go to the **Printer and Faxes** page and on a Windows 7 system go to the **Devices and Printers** page.







Windows 7

2. When the Printer and Faxes or Devices and Printers page comes up, right-click on the BOCA driver that is being used. When the drop down window pops up, left click on **Properties** (XP) or **Printer properties** (Windows 7). Your selection of driver may vary from what is shown in the below images.

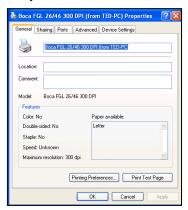


Windows XP

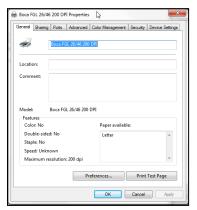


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3. Once the driver's properties menu comes up click on the **Print Test Page** button. Your drive properties may vary from what is shown in the bel



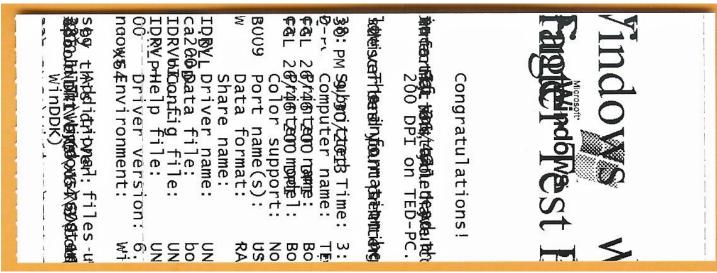
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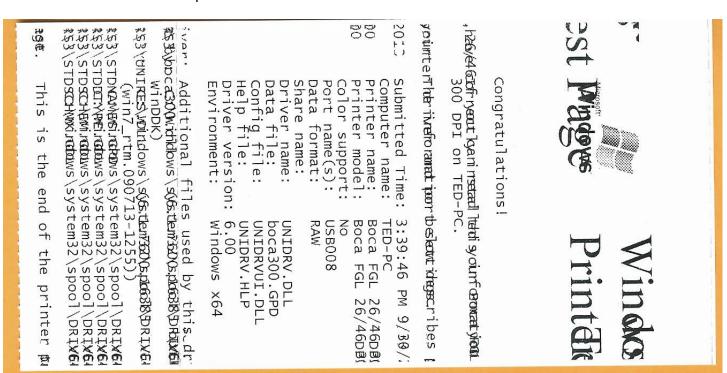
Windows 7

4. The printer should proceed with printing out a Windows Test page. The printing of this ticket confirms the print driver is communicating with the printer.

Below are some samples printouts for reference only and your test page may look different.



Above is from a 200DPI FGL printer with 2" x 5.5" stock

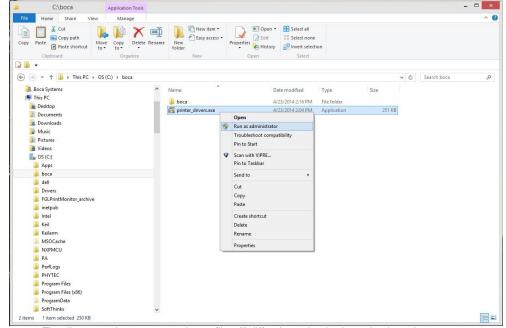


Above is from a 300DPI FGL printer with 3.25" x 6.5" stock

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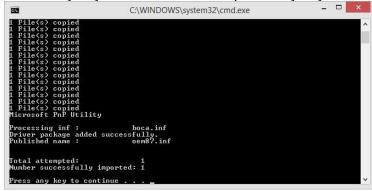
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1. Go to the directory where you saved the **printer_drivers.exe** file for Legacy Driver or **printer_drivers bidi.exe** for New Driver and right click on the file. Click on Run as administrator.



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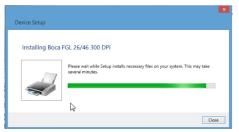
2. You may see the below screen show up your desktop screen. This is normal. If the screen shows "Press any key to continue..." then press any key.



- 3. Connect the USB cable to the host computer and power on the printer. If you are connecting to the printer via Ethernet or Wi-Fi then skip to step # 7.
- 4. Click on the device icon that shows up on your desktop task bar.



5. The correct USB Printing Support and drivers will automatically install. The image below is of a 300dpi driver being installed. The driver name may vary due to the printer's DPI and logic board level.





6. The above screens will disappear once the driver is installed. Go to page 12.

Steps 7 through 18 are for Ethernet or Wi-Fi connection only

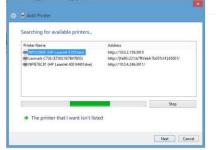
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- 8. 1- Right-click the bottom corner of the Start screen. 2- Click All apps icon. 3 Click Control Panel.



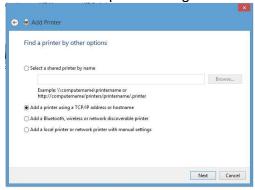
9. When the Control Panel menu comes up, click on **View devices and printers** located under Hardware and Sound.



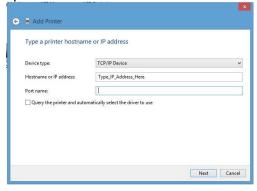
10. When the Devices and Printers page comes up click on "Add Printer". When the below menu comes up click on "The printer that I want isn't listed".



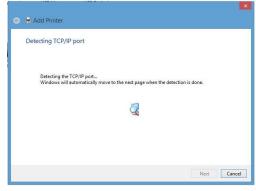
11. Click on "Add a printer using a TCP/IP address or hostname" radio button. Click on the Next button



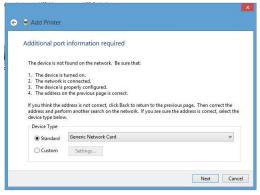
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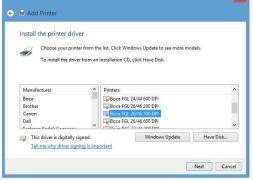
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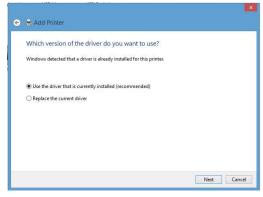


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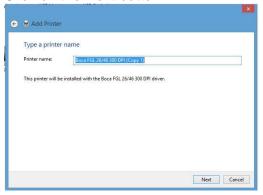


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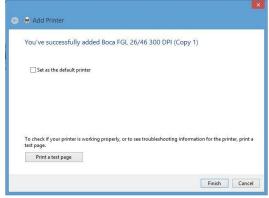


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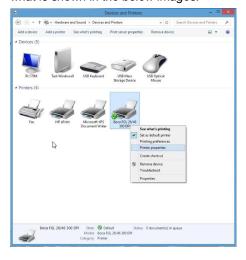
19.1- Right-click the bottom corner of the Start screen. 2- Click All apps icon. 3 – Click Control Panel.



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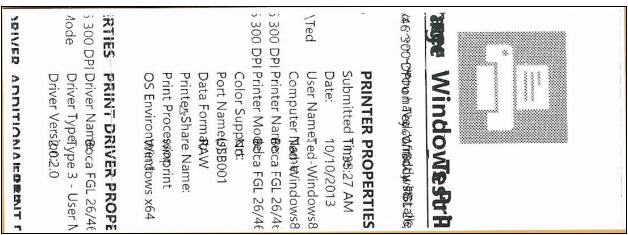


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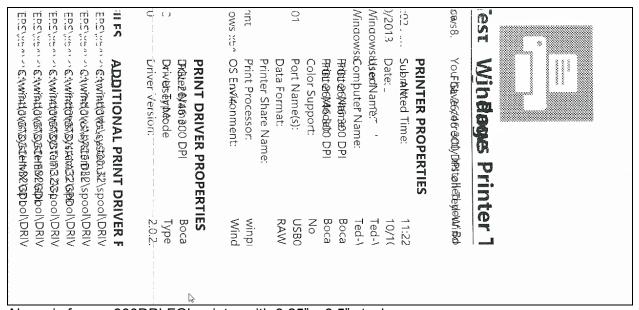


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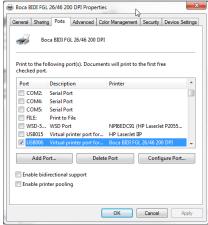
New Driver Adjustments

Our new drivers allow both bidirectional communication and the use of the spooler, while our old drivers were limited to unidirectional, direct communication. These new features place additional overhead on the driver and result in somewhat slower response times. A software application that is not compatible with the new driver may lock up after one ticket.

The following action may be taken:

Disable bidirectional support

- 1. Go to the Devices and Drivers page.
- 2. Right click on the Boca BIDI print driver in question and click on Printer properties.
- 3. Click on the Port tab and uncheck the Enable bidirectional support box (as shown below).



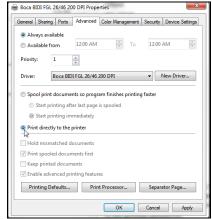
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4. Click on the OK button and try your application again.

Make the below additional change if you are still having an issue.

Print directly to the printer

- Go to the Devices and Drivers page.
- 2. Right click on the Boca BIDI print driver in question and click on Printer properties.
- 3. Click on the Advanced tab and click on the Print directly to the printer radio button (as shown below).



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4. Click on the OK button and try your application again.

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