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Preface

Welcome to *Adobe PageMaker 6 for the Macintosh Illustrated*. This highly visual book offers new users a hands-on introduction to Adobe PageMaker 6 and also serves as an excellent reference for future use.

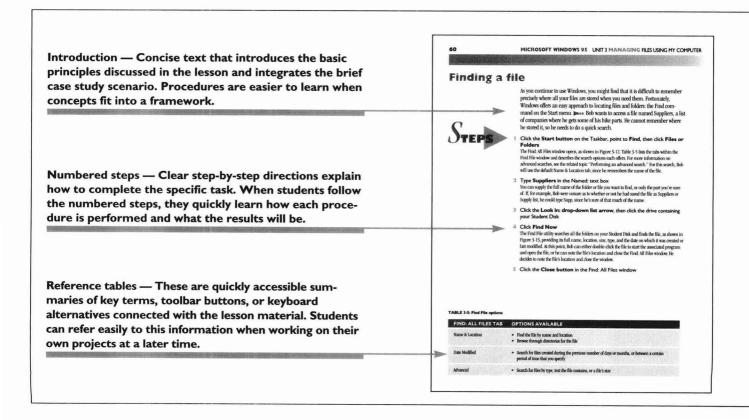
Organization and Coverage

This text contains eleven units that cover basic PageMaker skills. In these units students learn how to design, build, edit, and enhance PageMaker publications. In Unit 12, students apply these skills as they work on additional PageMaker projects.

About this Approach

What makes the Illustrated approach so effective at teaching software skills? It's quite simple. Each skill is presented on two facing pages, with the step-by- step instructions on the left page, and large screen illustrations on the right. Students can focus on a single skill without having to turn the page. This unique design makes information extremely accessible and easy to absorb, and provides a great reference for after the course is over. This hands-on approach also makes it ideal for both self-paced or instructor-led classes. The modular structure of the book also allows for great flexibility; you can cover the units in any order you choose.

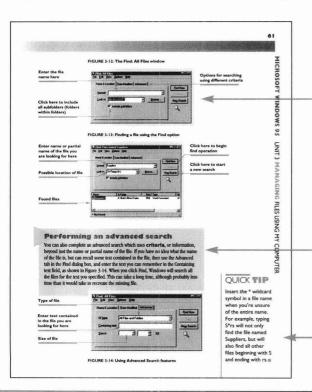
Each lesson, or "information display," contains the following elements:



Other Features

The two-page lesson format featured in this book provides the new user with a powerful learning experience. Additionally, this book contains the following features:

- "Read This Before You Begin Adobe PageMaker 6 for the Macintosh" Page This
 page provides essential information that both students and instructors need to know
 before they begin working through the units.
- Real-World Case The case study used throughout the textbook is designed to be
 "real-world" in nature and representative of the kinds of activities that students will
 encounter when working with PageMaker. With a real-world case, the process of
 solving the problem will be more meaningful to students.
- End of Unit Material Each unit concludes with a Task Reference that summarizes the various methods used to execute each of the skills covered in the unit. The Task Reference is followed by a meaningful Concepts Review that tests students' understanding of what they learned in the unit. The Concepts Review is followed by a Skills Review, which provides students with additional hands-on practice of the skills they learned in the unit. The Skills Review is followed by Independent Challenges, which pose case problems for students to solve. The Independent Challenges allow students to learn by exploring and develop critical thinking skills. The Visual Workshops that follow the Independent Challenges in Units 2—11 also help students to develop critical thinking skills. Students are shown completed publications and are asked to recreate them from scratch. Additional projects are featured in Unit 12, where students can apply the PageMaker skills they've learned.



Screen shots — Large-size, full-color representations of what the students' screen should look like after completing the numbered steps.

Related topics — Concise information that either expands on one component of the major lesson skill or describes an independent task that is in some way related to the major lesson skill. These often include both text and screen shots.

Quick Tips and Trouble? — Shortcuts and hints for using PageMaker 6 more effectively as well as troubleshooting advice to fix common problems that might occur.



CourseTools

Course Tools are Course Technology's way of putting the resources and information needed to teach and learn effectively into your hands. With an integrated array of teaching and learning tools that offer you and your students a broad range of technology-based instructional options, we believe that Course Tools represents the highest quality and most cutting-edge resources available to instructors today.

Student Disks

To use this book students must have 12 Student Disks. See the inside front or inside back cover for more information on the Student Disks. Adopters of this text are granted the right to post the Student Disks on any stand-alone computer or network used by students who have purchased a copy of *Adobe PageMaker 6 for the Macintosh Illustrated*.

Course Online Faculty Companion

This new World Wide Web site offers Course Technology customers a password-protected Faculty Lounge where you can find everything you need to prepare for class. These periodically updated items include lesson plans, graphic files for the figures in the text, additional problems, updates and revisions to the text, links to other Web Sites, and access to Student Disk files. This new site is an ongoing project and will continue to evolve throughout the semester.

Course Online Student Companion

Our second Web site is a place where students can access challenging, engaging, and relevant exercises. They can find a graphical glossary of terms found in the text, an archive of meaningful templates, software, hot tips, and Web links to other sites as well as sites for specific titles. Student sites can be found at http://coursetools.com. These new sites are also ongoing projects and will continue to evolve throughout the semester.

Instructor's Manual

This is quality assurance tested and includes:

- Solutions to all lessons and end-of-unit material
- Unit notes which contain teaching tips from the author
- Extra Independent Challenges
- Transparency Masters of key concepts

Solutions Disks

These disks have been quality assurance tested and contain solutions to all End-of Unit material and Extra Independent Challenges.

Course Test Manager

Designed by Course Technology, this cutting-edge Windows-based testing software helps instructors design and administer tests and pre-tests. This full-featured program also has an online testing component that allows students to take tests at the computer and have their exams automatically graded.

Photography Credits

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