

DOC1 Version 4 Designer Essentials



Course Overview

This practical and intensive three day course introduces technical users to the essential tools and techniques needed to create a variety of documents.

Target Audience

Any technical user who will be using DOC1 Designer as the tool for creating documents and publications.

Course Prerequisites

Anyone planning to attend this course will have the following skills:

- Working knowledge of Windows XP
- Basic word processing skills
- An understanding of basic programming concepts, such as conditions and variables

Course Objectives

By the end of the course you will be able to:

- Understand supported data structures and applying attributes to data.
- Understand migrate, sort and verify functions.
- Understand the use of fonts, images, overlays, lines and boxes.
- Build logic to control the composition of documents.
- Use DOC1 Generate to create output datastreams.

Course Availability

You can check for scheduled course dates on our website: www.pbsoftware.co.uk

Scheduled courses are carried out in our Watford offices.

To book a place on a scheduled course, please contact us via email: UKEducation@PB.com

Or via telephone:

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If you require a non scheduled course either run at your company site or using our training facilities please contact us. We will be happy to discuss your training needs.

Course Cost

Scheduled courses cost £1500 + VAT per delegate for the three day course.

Non scheduled courses cost £6000 + VAT for up to six delegates, plus additional set up, travel and subsistence costs if carried out on customer site.



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Course Focus

- Understand the DOC1 architecture defining the major components of DOC1 Designer and DOC1
 Generate.
- Distinguish between the DOC1 Designer development modules encompassing the Data Format Editor (DFE), Document Library Manager (DLM), and Application Layout Editor (ALE).
- Identify resources required within the DOC1 Designer environment and differentiate between native formats and the DOC1 Designer internal format, Larmeta.
- Appraise data structures as required by DOC1 Designer and assign appropriate attributes using the DFE.
- Write Sort rules and verify data structures.
- Create document objects (printable elements) using the Data Object Editor (DOE) and manage these elements in the DLM.
- Utilise the filters with DOC1 Designer to convert from native format to Larmeta.
- Construct applications to bring together the data and printable elements and create logic to govern
 the behaviour of an application using the ALE.
- Appreciate logic functions within the ALE.
- Employ the Build Wizard to create Production Rules file and a Resource Pack.
- Structure the initialisation file (INI) required to locate the resources required for DOC1 Generate.
- Generate supported output streams.
- Understand the need for further manipulation of output streams and the tools provided with DOC1 to facilitate these requirements.