

# Xerox EX vs EX-i C9200 Series

Version 1.0



## Top reasons to buy the Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server

Because the investment horizon for a new digital press is from three to five years, it's always good to consider both current and future needs of your print environment when deciding on your next digital press.

There are two Fiery® server platforms for the Xerox® PrimeLink® C9200 Series Printer — the external Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server Powered by Fiery and the embedded Xerox EX-i C9200 Series Print Server Powered by Fiery. These platforms vary in the level of PDF processing controls, automation, productivity, workflow integration, and expandability they offer.

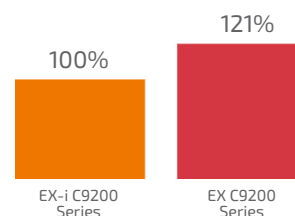
This document helps you understand the benefits of an external Fiery server, how it meets your current needs and how it offers built-in flexibility for future growth.

### Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server only: Exclusive features

The Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server offers exclusive features that add productivity, quality, and new services to your production environment. These features are not available on the Xerox EX-i C9200 Series Print Server.

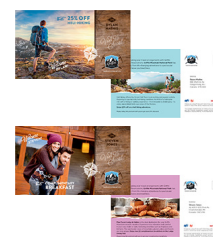
#### 1. FASTER TURNAROUND TIMES

To maximize your engine capacity, you need a high-powered digital front end to process and drive data fast enough to minimize engine idle time. More robust and powerful hardware specifications make the Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server more than 20% faster than the Xerox EX-i C9200 Series Print Server, making it the best choice for production environments.



#### 2. FLEXIBLE VARIABLE DATA PRINTING SERVICES

The robust, open, flexible, and scalable Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server includes out of the box all leading variable data printing (VDP) formats including PDF-VT 2, VPS, PPML, and Xerox VIPP; and works with all leading VDP composition software and formats for seamless workflows. The faster processing speed also makes offering VDP services more profitable.





## Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server: Exclusive features (continued)

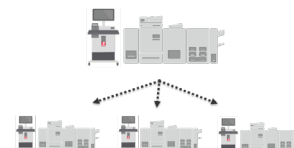
### 3. FIERY QUICKTOUCH SOFTWARE

The Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server features Fiery NX Pro hardware. The NX Pro includes Fiery QuickTouch™ software on the touchscreen display, which gives faster views of job status information and access to server management. With just a tap, the touchscreen display gives operators easy access to intuitive system installation, backup and restore, plus system diagnostics.



### 4. FIERY DEPLOYABLE IMAGE

Service technicians can save time when installing multiple Windows-based Fiery servers in a single organization. The Fiery deployable image captures a distributable image of a fully configured Fiery server, including Fiery patches, Windows security updates, and user configurations.



### 5. MICROSOFT WINDOWS 10 IOT ENTERPRISE 2021 LTSC

The Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server uses Microsoft Windows® 10 IoT Enterprise 2021 LTSC as the operating system. In addition, the Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server offers the option to use a customer hardened Windows OS image to meet security compliance requirements.



### 6. SINGLE SIGN-ON

The Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server can be configured so that users can log in using existing AAD (Azure Active Directory/Microsoft Entra ID) credentials. Multi-factor and two-factor authentication (MFA/2FA) workflows are also supported.



### 7. COMPLIANCE WITH KEY SECURITY REGULATIONS AND FRAMEWORKS

The Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server conforms with key security regulations and frameworks, such as NIST 800-88 data sanitization. With the optional Fiery High Security Kit 1.0, the Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server is in full compliance with the TPM 2.0 specification, FIPS 140-2, and Common Criteria\*. For more information, visit the [Fiery security page](#).



### 8. SECURE STORAGE FOR PRINT FILES

The optional Fiery disk drive security kits allow operators to lock the server drive into the system for normal operation and remove it to a secure location after powering down the server.



\*With proper configuration by end customer or service provider



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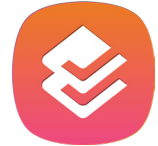
### 9. A CENTRALIZED PRODUCTION WORKSPACE FOR OPERATORS

The optional Fiery NX Station GL is a compact, centralized workstation for Fiery external servers. It features a 22" display, Fiery Ticker, work stand, and a wireless keyboard and mouse.



### 10. FIERY PREFLIGHT PRO

The ultimate set of PDF preflight checks, Fiery Preflight Pro (part of the optional [Fiery Graphic Arts Pro Package](#)) allows users to verify file compliance against industry standards and identify potential errors in files, which can then be viewed in the interactive Preflight Pro Report.



## Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server only: Standard features

The Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server includes these key features in the standard configuration. They are available for the EX-i C9200 Series Print Server by purchasing optional packages. Be sure to compare the cost of the EX-i C9200 Series Print Server with the optional packages added for a more accurate comparison to the EX C9200 Series Print Server.

### 1. FIERY JOBEXPERT

Reduce setup time and cut waste with [Fiery JobExpert](#)™ — a built-in feature in Fiery Command WorkStation® — that automatically analyzes each PDF print job in detail and sets the best Fiery job settings for color management, image quality, VDP settings, and engine specific properties. Plus, Fiery JobExpert includes exclusive presets for the Xerox PrimeLink C9200 Series Printer that automatically configure optimal color & engine properties to deliver more pleasing output.



### 2. PERFECT PDF PRINTING IN A PURE PDF WORKFLOW

[Adobe PDF Print Engine](#) offers the option of a native PDF end-to-end workflow, which improves the consistency and flexibility of the printed output from design to output in digital and offset print solutions.



Adobe PDF Print Engine

### 3. FULLY VISUAL IMPOSITION

[Fiery Impose](#) enables easy booklet creation, provides several gangups, supports cutting and stacking, plus integrates with offline finishers to reduce 70% of job setup time.



### 4. SUPERIOR PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINTS

[Fiery Image Enhance Visual Editor](#), a Command WorkStation plug-in, allows operators to make last-minute edits to a selected image without having to open the image in applications such as Adobe Photoshop®.





## Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server: Standard features (continued)

### 5. REDUCE WASTE BY CATCHING POTENTIAL FILE ERRORS BEFORE PRINTING

Fiery Preflight checks jobs for problems before they are printed. It identifies potential errors like lo-res images or overprint and checks for missing elements, like spot colors, before they result in rejected prints that must be reprinted. Fiery Preflight can be automated through a Fiery Hot Folder workflow or with Fiery JobFlow.





## Both Fiery servers: Optional features

These features are available on both Fiery servers for the Xerox PrimeLink C9200 Series Press by purchasing optional packages.

### 1. SAVE TIME ON COMPLEX DOCUMENT PREPARATION

Add [Fiery JobMaster™](#) to offer advanced PDF makeready capabilities such as insertion of tab pages without the need to design them in the native application, multi-bank and bleed-edge tab setup, page merging, media assignment, finishing, page numbering, plus hard-copy scanning and cleanup. This allows you to produce jobs completely inline and reduce labor costs on manual tab insertion.



### 2. FIERY SPOT PRO

A must for any production environment, [Fiery Spot Pro](#) ensures that brand colors are reproduced correctly, every time. Create a spot color alias, import/export spot color libraries as Adobe Swatch Exchange (.ase files) to share with designers, create more customized swatch books, see at-a-glance if a color is in or out of press gamut, edit spot colors in a specific job, optimize all spot colors in just one step, and get a spot color checkup to ensure spot colors print consistently over time.



### 3. FIERY IMAGEVIEWER

With Fiery ImageViewer, you can make more powerful late-state color edits right at the DFE. Choose to edit colors in a specific area of the page, including replacing specific colors, or adjusting the color curves. Plus, you can generate soft proofs for customers in just a few clicks.



### 4. PROFESSIONAL COLOR MANAGEMENT FOR ALL

With [Fiery Color Profiler Suite](#), you can create ICC profiles with a complete color management solution for more accurate color transformations and corrections. Users can perform color quality assurance and match color across multiple presses, as well as calibrate Fiery Driven™ print systems to G7. The ES-3000 accurately measures color patches for press calibration and captures spot colors from a physical swatch for inclusion in a Fiery spot color library. Combined with Fiery Color Profiler Suite, it creates CMYK and RGB profiles for input and output devices.

A license for Fiery Color Profiler Suite also enables 1-step color management. This revolutionary media color management feature combines calibration and media profile creation into one single wizard-driven action. This reduces the time it takes to create a calibration and profile by over 60% compared to previous methods.





## Key comparative features

Fiery server feature	External - Xerox EX C9200 Series Print Server v1.0	Embedded - Xerox EX-i C9200 Series Print Server v1.0
Fiery software	Fiery FS600 Pro	Fiery FS600
Fiery platform	NX Pro Gen IV	E600
CPU	Intel® Core™ i3-12100 processor	Intel® G7400E processor
Operating system	Microsoft Windows 10 IoT Enterprise 2021 LTSC	Linux
Memory	8 GB	8 GB
Disk drive(s)	NVMe SSD boot drive for OS and Fiery software + 1 TB HDD	500 GB NVMe SSD
Fiery disk drive security kit	OPTIONAL	NOT AVAILABLE
VDP formats	INCLUDED: PPML 2.0/2.2/3.0, PDF/VT-1, PDF/VT-2, VPS, Fiery FreeForm™ Plus	INCLUDED: Fiery FreeForm Plus OPTIONAL: PDF/VT-1 with Fiery JobExpert and PDF Processing Kit
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<a href="#">Fiery Spot-On™</a>	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
<a href="#">Fiery TrueBrand</a>	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
<a href="#">Adobe® PDF Print Engine***</a>	INCLUDED	OPTIONAL with Fiery JobExpert and PDF Processing Kit
<a href="#">Fiery Hot Folders/Virtual Printers</a>	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
<a href="#">Fiery JDF/integration to MIS and Web-to-Print systems</a>	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
<a href="#">Fiery Image Enhance Visual Editor</a>	INCLUDED	OPTIONAL with <a href="#">Fiery ColorRight Package*</a>
Fiery ImageViewer, <a href="#">Fiery Spot Pro</a> , Fiery Postflight, Fiery Control Bar	OPTIONAL with <a href="#">Fiery Graphic Arts Pro Package*</a>	OPTIONAL with <a href="#">Fiery ColorRight Package*</a>
Fiery Preflight	INCLUDED	OPTIONAL with <a href="#">Fiery ColorRight Package*</a>
Fiery Preflight Pro	OPTIONAL with <a href="#">Fiery Graphic Arts Pro Package*</a>	NOT AVAILABLE
<a href="#">Fiery Impose</a>	INCLUDED	OPTIONAL
<a href="#">Fiery Compose*</a>	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
<a href="#">Fiery JobMaster*</a>	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL
<a href="#">Fiery Color Profiler Suite**</a> with <a href="#">Fiery ES-3000 spectrophotometer</a>	OPTIONAL	OPTIONAL
Fiery High Security Kit v1.0 (enables OS drive encryption)	OPTIONAL	NOT AVAILABLE
<a href="#">Fiery NX Station GL</a>	OPTIONAL	NOT AVAILABLE
Integration with <a href="#">Xerox FreeFlow® Vision</a> , <a href="#">FreeFlow Core</a>	INCLUDED	INCLUDED

\* Free 30-day trial available at [fiery.com](https://www.fiery.com)

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