
Electronic Document Distribution Trial

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- Evaluation Report
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Mediums

- Flash disk
- LAN
 - WLAN
 - Ethernet

Flash disk

- worked extremely well
- most members could use it
- fast data transfer
- only one “mishap”

LAN

- Setup
- Usage

LAN Setup

- WLAN setup was very easy (!)
- Server setup (Win95) was difficult and troublesome
 - all problems were eventually resolved
 - many thanks to Stuart and Bob O. for their help

LAN Setup

- Workstation setup
 - easy in most cases
 - as predicted, sometimes it was tricky
 - only one computer could not be set up
 - too many devices already installed
 - no computers were impaired by the installation process

LAN Usage

- Very convenient for those who choose to install
- Immediate access to new documents
- Nice backup solution for those members who could not use the flash disk
- Peer-to-peer file sharing between members was also common (an unexpected benefit)

Office Printing Experiment

- limited success due to lack of a real server

