

# How do I prepare a printer to print a report or graph?

When you set up a printer to print reports or graphs, Quicken remembers settings such as [fonts](#), paper size, and paper orientation and uses them whenever you print a report or graph or budget spreadsheet.

1. Choose **File** menu > **Printer Setup** > For **Reports/Graphs**.
2. In the **Printer** list, select the printer you want to use.
3. In the **Left**, **Right**, **Top**, and **Bottom** fields, you can enter different margin sizes.
  - **Tell me more**  
If you set the margins too small, the printer may clip the report. Most printers require margins of at least .25 inches. Many require margins of .50 inches. If you use an HP DeskJet, you may need a bottom margin of at least .67 inches. If you print in landscape mode, the bottom margin becomes the right margin.
4. Click the appropriate buttons to customize your printer setup.
  - Click **Heading Font** or **Body Font** to [select or change a font](#) for report or graph headings and text. For best results, select the Regular font style and a size between 9 and 12.
  - Click Settings to specify a different paper size, page orientation, or resolution for your reports and graphs.

## Frequently asked questions

- **What If I want to change the settings for just the report or graph I'm printing?**  
[Modify the print options](#) in the Print dialog.
- **What If I want to change the print settings for checks?**  
Quicken provides separate dialogs to prepare a printer to print [checks](#).