Installing Epson printer driver on OpenSUSE Linux

First install the lsb library with **Yast**. To do this, click the green K Menu icon V, and choose **System > YaST (Control Center)**. Enter the administrator password, choose **Software manager**, and type lsb in the **Search** field. In the right side panel mark the **Isb** package, and click the **Accept** button.

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Go to the Epson Support site (just enter *Epson Linux* in a search engine, and click the first link; as of September 28th, 2015, the site is:

<u>http://download.ebz.epson.net/dsc/search/01/search/?OSC=LX</u>). Then enter the model number of your printer in the search field of the Epson site. There are two driver files, you should download: the printer driver (ESC/P Driver) and Epson Printer Utility.

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To install packages on OpenSUSE Linux, they should be in .rpm format. Depending on your system architecture, chose either 32-bit or 64-bit version.

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http://download.ebz.epson.net/man/linux/utility.html				

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As of September 28th, 2015, the files (32-bit) are: epson-printer-utility-1.0.0-1lsb3.2.i486.rpm epson-inkjet-printer-201207w-1.0.0-1lsb3.2.i486.rpm

Copy both epson rpm files to your Linux system. Click wit the right mouse button on the epson-printer-utility... file, and choose **Open With > Install/Remove Software** from the menu.

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Enter the administrator password.



In the **Yast** window just click the **Accept** button.



Repeat procedure for the epson-inkjet-printer... file. (right click; **Open With > Install/Remove Software**).



Now you can normally configure printer with Yast (Hardware > Printer).



To run Epson Printer Utility, open the Terminal window and enter the **epson-printer-utility** command. For more convenient work, you can create a desktop shortcut to the Epson Utility application.

Click with the right mouse button on the Desktop, and choose **Create New > Link to Application**.



In the General tab, enter the name of the program, like Epson Printer.



In the **Application** tab, enter epson-printer-utility in the **Command** field, and click the **OK** button.

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If you later want to change the generic icon which represents the program on the Desktop, click with the right mouse button on the Epson Printer shortcut icon on the Desktop, click the icon, and select new icon from the list.

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When you start the epson utility, it should look like this:

