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Use Epson C1100(n) with Arch Linux

- Tested with Arch 3.4.4-2 x64

Preparation

- Cups should conveniently be present so that only the driver must be installed.

Driver for the printer

- There is a documentation for Ubuntu here.
- In Arch it's the same but driver installation is much easier by using the AUR.

- If you have installed it, aurget can find the necessary package and download it.

```
aurget -S epson-alc1100-filter
```

- Or you download the PKGBUILD manually

```
mkdir epson-alc1100-filter
cd epson-alc1100-filter
wget
http://aur.archlinux.org/packages/epson-alc1100-filter/epson-alc1100-filter/
PKGBUILD
```

- To create an package you can install typ in:

```
makepkg -s
```

- After the package compiled completely you can install it.

```
pacman -U epson-alc1100-filter-1.2-1-x86_64.pkg.tar.gz
```

Use Printer in cups

- Before we enter the Epson in our cups, we need a package that convert the printing order in a format that is understandable for the printer.

```
sudo pacman -S foomatic-filters
sudo /etc/rc.d/cups restart
```

- Now we can configure the printer in cups by using the Webinterface at localhost:631

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