

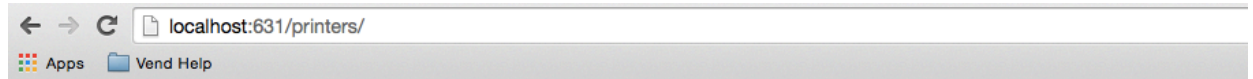
# Printing

## How to Stop Two-Side Printing From Being the Default in macOS

1. Enable the CUPS in the browser.

CUPS is a network printing service used by Mac computers. It allows you to setup your printers on a network, and customise options such as tray setup.

- Go to <http://localhost:631/printers/>.
- A screen will appear saying '**Web Interface is Disabled**'



### Web Interface is Disabled

The web interface is currently disabled. Run "cupsetl WebInterface=yes" to enable it.

- Start enabling it by opening '**Terminal**' program.
- Select and copy this command '**cupsetl WebInterface=yes**' in Terminal and hit enter.
- After that, visit again this url <http://localhost:631/printers/> and enter your MAC computer username and password.

Sign in

<http://localhost:631>

Username

Password

Cancel

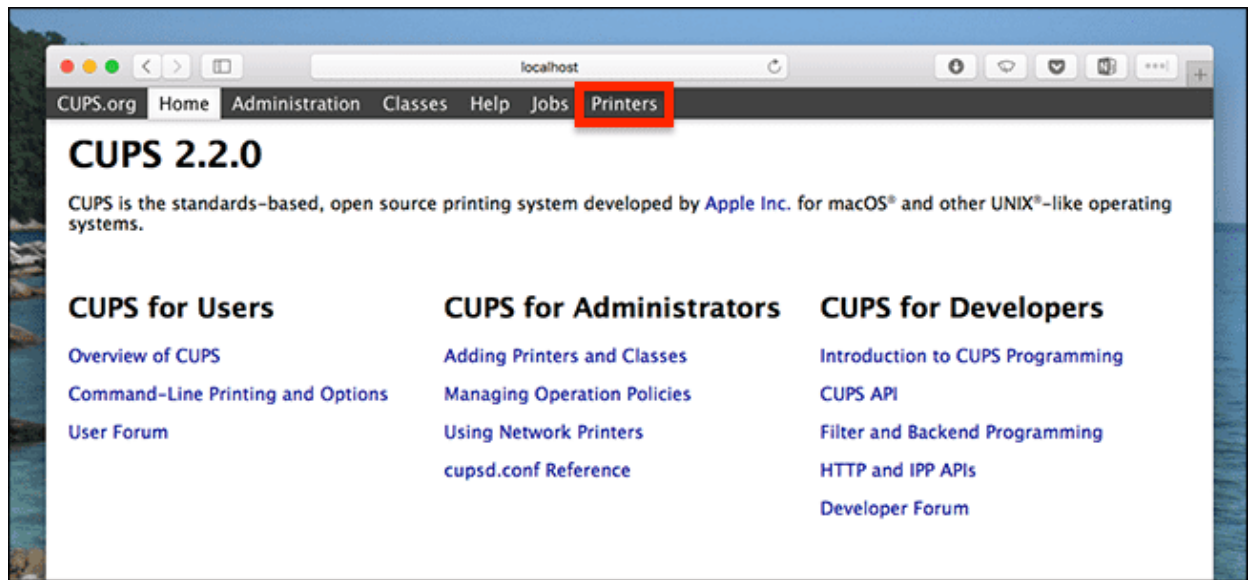
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- You will see something like this after logging in.

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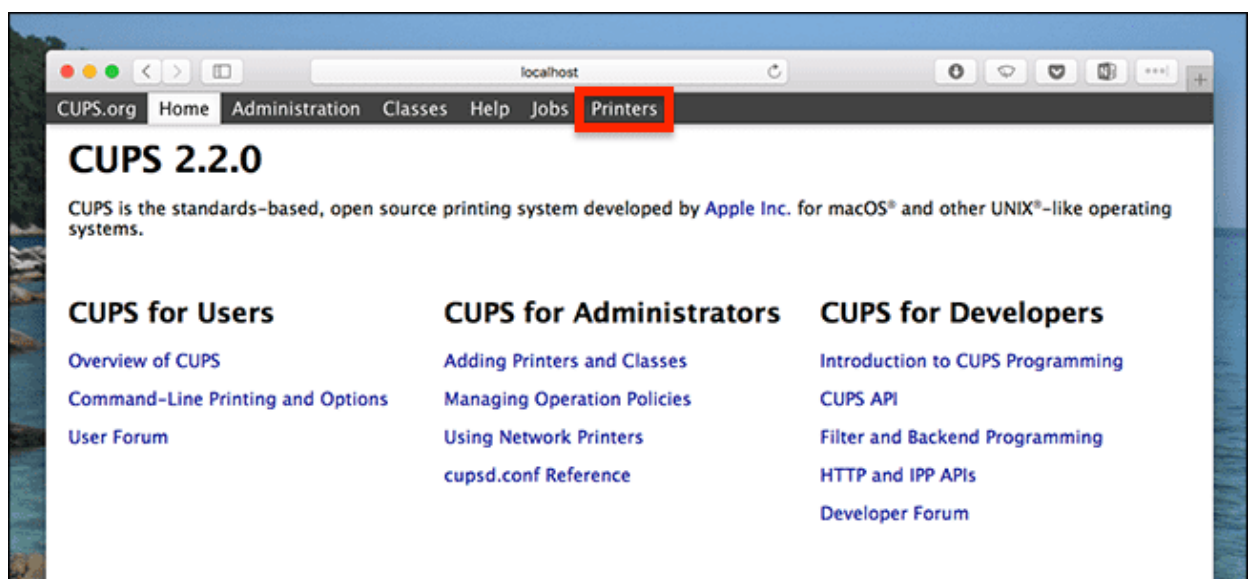
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Showing 2 of 2 printers.				
▼ Queue Name ▼	Description	Location	Make and Model	Status
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Star_TSP_100	Star TSP 100		Star TSP100 Cutter	Idle

## 2. Open CUPS Settings in Your Browser



## 3. Find and Change the Two-Side Printing Option

- Click on '**Printers**' **tab** to see the list of printers.



- Select a printer for which you want to change the settings and you will be taken to the printer's configuration page.

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- Click the '**Administration**' dropdown menu and select '**Set Default Options**'.

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- You're taken to a page that shows a series of dropdown menus controlling various default options. The one you're looking for is named '**2-Sided Printing**'.

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**Set Default Options for EPSON\_WF\_4630\_Series**

**General   Banners   Policies**

**General**

Color Mode: Color

Quality: Normal

**2-Sided Printing:** Long-Edge (Portrait)

Media Size: Letter

Media Type: Any

Media Source: Auto Select

Set Default Options

- Click that dropdown and then select '**Off (1-Sided)**' from the list of options.

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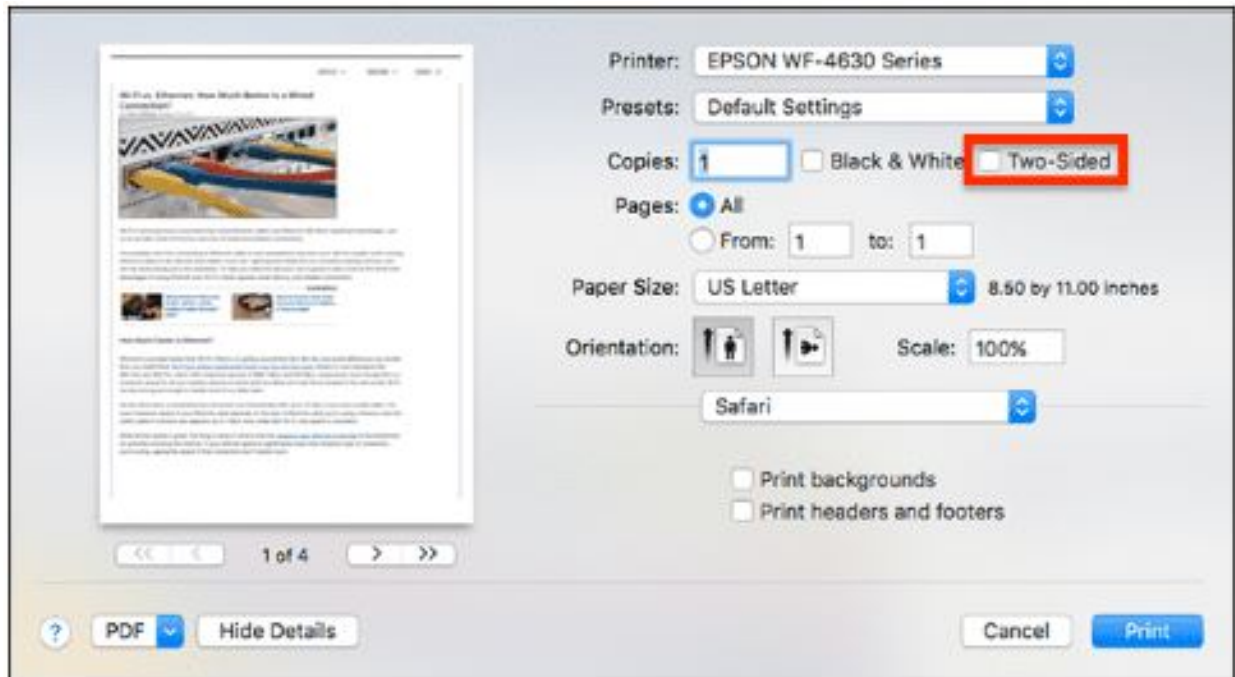
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- Click the '**Set Default Options**' button to save the changes.
- Close the browser.

4. Do a print test
- Open a document from any program.
  - Print it and you will see that two-sided printing is no longer enabled by default.

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- Please note that you can still use two-sided printing when you actually want to.

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