
Chapter 22. Limitations and Restrictions

This chapter describes the limitations and the restrictions that you need to know to use the AFP Utilities for iSeries.

Overlay Utility

Limitations

Minimum and Maximum Limitations

Table 81. Overlay Utility minimum and maximum limitations

Item	Minimum limitation	Maximum limitation
Number of elements in a source overlay.	0	999
Width of overlay	0.1 inches	22.75 inches
Height of overlay	0.1 inches	22.75 inches
Number of page segments in a source overlay	0	999
		Each printer has its own limitations. Most printers allow 127 page segments maximum. The storage size of the printer may also limit the number.
Number of graphics in a source overlay	0	999
		The storage size of the printer may limit the number.
Length of text	1 (may be blank)	203
number of text lines in a box element	0 (no text)	51

Dashed and Dotted Lines

If the length of a line is too small compared with the line width, dashed and dotted lines are printed as solid lines.

The minimum length of this limitation depends on the line width.

Line Width and Overlay Size

If a line or a box is near the edge of the overlay and the line width is too big, some portion of the line may exceed the overlay size although the line or the box element is inside.

In this case, no lines are printed for that element and an error message is displayed.

Element Position

If you specify the overlay size in inches or centimeters and specify an element position in inches or centimeters, you may not be allowed to specify the position, although the position is inside the overlay size. This can occur at positions near the