

# VBA Printing

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Hello, I'm trying to get and set the printer that is currently connected to my laptop. I travel around and hook up to over 100 printers which are all the same USB printer. Each time I encounter a new printer I install the drivers for it. I then get a new printer icon, which it access's another USB port. I then rename the printer and record the port it uses. I know how to check if a printer exist and I know how to change the active printer within my code. My problem is each time I add a printer the ports change (Ne00: Ne01: Ne02 etc... This is fine. I can get from my records in my code to get the printer based on the name given and port used. What I have noticed is that after I connect to a printer that has been previously installed for some reason the original port assigned has changed. So what I would like to do is use a For/Next loop to check until the printer and port exist or tell me that a printer hasn't been installed yet.

I think I can create this code myself except I'm not sure how to get the for/next loop to check

Ne00: Ne01: Ne02: Ne03: Ne04: Ne05: Ne06: Ne07: Ne08: Ne09: Ne10:  
Ne11: Ne12: .....

I can make it do x = 0 to 100 but I need a zero infront of the first 10 numbers.

Thanks in Advance once Again!  
Craig

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