



Summit Printing Supplied File/Print Specifications

Summit Printing Workflow requires that files are to be supplied as Adobe Acrobat PDF files (PDF). All PDF's must be Postscripted and then distilled on "Press Quality" settings with all fonts embedded.

NOTE: Current Postscript print driver and Acrobat Distiller Setting available for download from Summit Website.

Important PDF File Information

PDF Files must be saved in CMYK / GREY SCALE format.

Total dot percentage should not exceed 280% for Coated/Gloss work.

PDF Files must be saved as PDF Version Acrobat 5.0 or higher

All fonts must be embedded Image must be centred on the document page with trim marks and 3mm bleed PDF Files must be the correct size (100%) for the intended job size RGB and/or LAB colour images must be avoided as they will yield unpredictable results on press.

All reverse type is to be no less than 6pt type and should not be made up from more than two colours where possible. Ensure all images used are no smaller than 300dpi same size placed in document

File Delivery

The preferred method of file delivery is via our FTP Server. You can contact us regarding guest access or, if you will be dealing with us frequently, we can set up a private directory for you. Contact Creative Department for further information.

After sending files electronically, please send a short confirmation e-mail including an after hours contact phone number so we can reach you in the event of a problem.

File Naming Conventions

Please name PDF files with up to a maximum number of 27 characters.

Digital Image Information

It is important to note that the quality of images sourced from the internet is very often inadequate for professional quality print and will result in pixilated, low-resolution images that lack detail. Likewise, many digital cameras do not have sufficient resolution and the results reproduce in a similar manner. Always use the highest quality setting on the camera to achieve best results for print reproduction. Most digital photos will require editing to adjust colour balance, contrast and colour conversion (from RGB to CMYK or GREYSCALE).