


File Setup

I. GENERAL GUIDELINES

We process these file formats


1. High resolution print PDFs (.pdf):

 at least in “X-4:2010” standard

Please note: Only hidden layers that are set to “non-printing” in the PDF will not be printed.

2. Files in .tif, .jpg or .eps format

3. Files from the Adobe Creative Suite up to the latest version:

 Indesign (.indd, .idml)

 Illustrator (.ai, .art)

 Photoshop (.psd, .psb)

If you choose one of these formats, we will also need:

- a small preview PDF for layout control
- all linked images and graphics in .tif, .jpg, or .eps format
- linked fonts in .otf or .ttf format

Requirements for print files and linked or embedded image files

- The dimensions of your project’s final size, plus a standard 20mm bleed
- Deliver the files without color, crop or print marks
- Resolution for non vector files: 80 to 100 dpi resolution relative to the output size.

Please note: Higher resolutions than those listed above do not improve quality, but result in longer processing times and therefore higher costs, which we will charge you for.

If you create your file at a reduced scale, the above values must be converted according to the reduction factor.

For example, if your project is 1000x1000 mm in size, but your file is set up at 500x500 mm, i.e. half the size, then it needs a resolution of 160 to 200 dpi.

Use the following color profile to create your data:

- **CMYK** mode with color profile „ISOcoated_v2_eci“

Only CMYK files with this color profile achieve the highest color accuracy, as we work with calibrated proofs. All other color spaces, such as RGB, are converted to CMYK before printing. This may result in color deviations.

The color profile is available for download here:

ccs-fabricframe.de/print-files/

File names:

- image name, the visible size BxH (mm) and the appropriate extension (e.g. „.pdf“), for example „YourProjectName_0000x0000.pdf“
- no special characters or umlauts
- maximum 64 characters

File transfer

Please submit your files in one of the following ways:

- our WeTransfer Server*: ccs-digital.wetransfer.com
- other filehosting services* like **DropBox**
- by **USB-memorystick, CD rom or DVD**

*Please note: For large amounts of data long download times may delay the start of production.

II. FORMAT SPECIFICATIONS

Format specifications for cut prints and prints with SEG keder



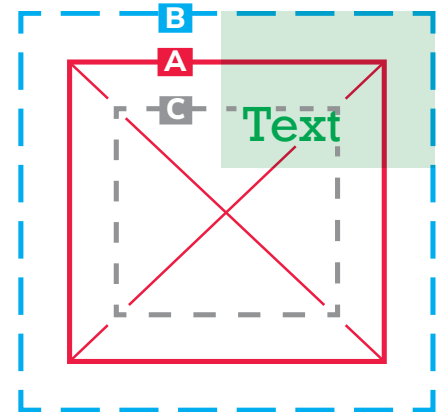
1. Set up the page size or document format to the **visible size A**.

2. Define a **20 mm bleed B** on all sides.



3. Keep in mind a **20 mm safety margin C** from the edge for elements such as text or logos.

The visible area of the finished end product is marked with ☒ in the figure.



III. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Soft color gradients

Convert color gradients to pixel images with 80 dpi based on the final size and then add noise with an intensity of 2% to 3%.

Please check your data

Remember to check your print data against our specifications. If the print data contains errors that we can detect, we will inform you. We must charge you for any rework required for the data supplied. Incorrect or missing files may jeopardize guaranteed deadlines.

Deviating file setup?

If, for technical reasons, you wish to deviate from our specifications when creating your print documents, or if you have any further questions, please contact our PrePress team in advance.

We will be happy to advise you!

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