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## BACK COVER

### Casebound Cover - A4

Landscape / 303 x 216mm *(with overhang)*

Place your design within '**Artwork**' layer and **delete** '**Guide**' layer once finished. PDF must be exported as a spread containing all three pages placed together.

*Failure to remove guide layer will result in template printing over artwork design.*

**Please ensure:**

- Colour: CMYK (RGB will be converted)
- Fonts: Embedded or converted to outlines
- Image Resolution: 300dpi or higher
- Wraparound bleed is included (use document bleed settings)
- Accepted format: PDF (one file)

 **Finished Size** - This is the finished size of the product once trimmed.

 **Safe Area** - We recommend keeping text and images out of the grey area, remaining in white box.

 **Wraparound** - Please extend your artwork into the full area of this section. Anything within this area will be used as a 20mm wraparound for the casing of the cover.

### How To Assemble Your Cover

1. Choose the **Spine** pages of this document (page 2).
2. Under the Pages tab select  **Edit Page Size > Custom** and **match the width** to the size provided by our **spine calculator**.
3. Under the Pages tab **attach the Spine** and **Front Cover** to the **Back Cover** using the **drag and drop** option.
4. **Add your design** to the template's '**Artwork**' layer and **export your PDF as a Spread** ensuring **bleed** is included.

### Aligning Your Cover Artwork Centrally

When placing your artwork on your front and rear covers please ensure that you take into consideration the 10mm book hinge/joint area. These are on the left on your front cover and on the right on your rear cover (highlighted on this guide). Depending on your design you will need to establish if the centre of your cover design includes or excludes the 10mm book hinge/joint area. We have highlighted the 2 centre point options on this guide for you.

KEEP IMPORTANT TEXT AND IMAGES OUTSIDE OF THIS AREA

WRAPAROUND USED FOR CASING THE COVER

BOOK HINGE / JOINT AREA

SPINE

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## FRONT COVER

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