

Make your artwork print-ready

To smoothly transition from the design stage to printing, we have a simple guideline to help you!

1 Set up your file

We recommend using our templates, but you can also set up your document size according to the **format** you have chosen and adding **0.125 in bleed**. As for the quality, **300 dpi resolution** is the standard to ensure crisp and clear prints.



0.125 in



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Bleed

This area will be trimmed. Ensure all background graphics or images cover this area.

Trim Line

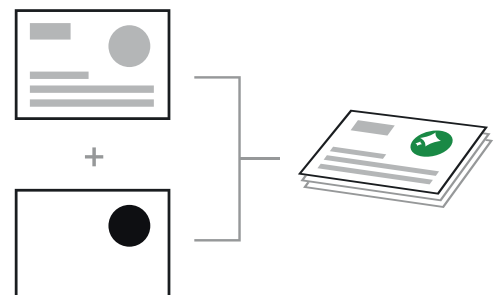
This is the final size your artwork will be trimmed to.

Safety Margin

Avoid placing text or important details within this area in case of trimming inaccuracies.

2 Finishing

If you choose exclusive finishing, **you will need to submit 2 files**. One containing your artwork (single or double-sided) and one with the elements of your design where the exclusive finishing will be applied. Please note, exclusive finishing can't be applied all the way to the edge of the page.



Please use 100% black colour for the finishing.

3 Extra checks

There are some checks to take into consideration before exporting your artwork:

- Same colour on different **types of paper** gives a different end result.
- All fonts and objects must be embedded.
- Check your layers for **overprint**.



4 Export to PDF

Export your artwork to PDF format and make sure your document **colour mode** is CMYK.

Want to know more?

Visit our **helpcenter** or **contact** our experts for personal advice.

In case not all specs are matched, we will always manually process, adapt and fix your artwork. You will be able to revise your digital proof before sending it to production.