

# ARCHANT PRINT SPECIFICATIONS

## Archant Print Requirements

Archant Print required all electronically supplied page files to be compatible with its system.

## Acceptable Formats

There are hundreds of software packages available to produce electronic pages. However technical and quality issues determine that we are only able to handle art work in the following form within our own production cycle.

- Adobe Acrobat Distiller PDF version 1.3 (pdfs created by other software packages can not be guaranteed)

With Adobe Acrobat Distiller, please ensure that job options within distiller are selected to 'press' and make sure all fonts are embedded. Colours are unchanged and that the resolution is at 1270 dpi. On request we can supply you with our Archant Acrobat Distiller job options settings.

Note: Archant Print can not adjust, alter or amend any supplied files.

It is recommended that pages are sent as individual files (one for each page) rather than as a single document.

The use of third party file transfer services is not recommended as we are unable to provide support for these applications and we cannot guarantee that we will be able to receive you files due to internet access limitations and Firewall protocols.

We have a dedicated FTP server available for sending test files and production pages, this service is free and the site is secure and password protected, each customer can be given their own personal login to ensure maximum security. This method provides the most secure and direct route and means that we will be able to process files as soon as they arrive.

We are able to accept small numbers of pages via e-mail, but we are limited by restrictions placed on the maximum permissible file size and our inbox limits.

## Colours, Pictures and Inks

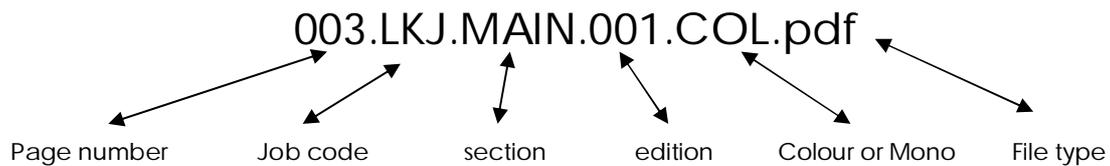
Only CMYK colours can be used. RGB images will not separate correctly when processed. Picture resolution is set at 200 dpi with a screen ruling of 100 lpi.

We use Kodak Prinergy Evo v5.1.6.5 to produce FM (stochastic) screened bitmap files. This process places the dots in a semi-random pattern that eliminates the production of rosettes and moiré patterns seen with traditional AM screening.

### **Naming Convention**

Please ensure all files are names correctly with our naming convention.

Sample:



Note: the edition will remain 001 unless you have multiple editions each week.

### **Deadlines**

Deadlines will be agreed when pacing your job. If missed we will endeavour to print as soon as our schedule allows.

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