

GRAPHICS SPECIFICATIONS



Accepted Programs and File Formats used by Luminite's Graphics Department

Adobe Photoshop Adobe Illustrator Press Quality PDF

Other formats if saved/exported in a way that is compatible with Illustrator or Photoshop so that the file may be opened in either program.

Files received in formats other than what is listed will be subject to additional art charges.

File Transfer Options:

Email 30MB or smaller

Please email:

art@luminite.com

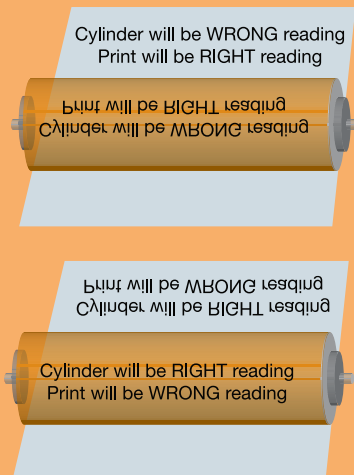
CD/DVD/Hard Copy Art

Please mail to:

Luminite Products Corp.

148 Commerce Drive

Bradford, PA 16701-4736



File Requirements for Engraving-Ready Files:

- Overall separated files @100% scale (no distortion)
- Cropped to overall image repeat with any staggered images filled in for continuous print
- Cropped to overall print width including all bleed, margin imprints, registration, micro-dots, etc
- 1/2" non-print area added to each side of the print width; increasing the size of the canvas by 1" in the print width direction only
- Rotated so that the repeat direction is running horizontally, with gear side of the file (if applicable) closest to the top of the monitor
- Orientation of file must be how it will print (opposite/mirrored of how it will appear on the engraved roll)
- Photoshop .tif file format:
 - For Solid/Line work - 1 Bit (bitmap) @ 1270 dpi
 - For Screen/Tonal work - 8 bit (Grayscale) @ 1270 dpi

File Requirements for Non Engraving-Ready Files:

- Minimum 1270 dpi resolution (1 bit tif for line, 8 bit for screen/tonal)
- No Anti-Aliased images/type
- Files built with traps/clearances including the ability to separate colors correctly
- All fonts are to be outlined or included when sending file(s)
- Note if supplied file is how the cylinder/sleeve will LOOK or PRINT
- Note how you would like your proof to be sent:
 - How the cylinder/sleeve will LOOK or PRINT
- Note repeat direction, print width direction and dimensions
- Note # of intermediates across web/print width and around repeat
- Note stagger dimension
- Note position of image on cylinder/sleeve (centered, etc.)
- Note gear side consideration (if applicable)
- Note notch side consideration (if applicable)
- Trap/clearance/bleed requirements
- Note which separations are to be engraved

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