

## File Guidelines for Large Format Production

The following document provides all the information you need to guarantee smooth operations and best print quality!

### Images

All images have to be converted to CMYK and saved as TIFF or EPS without compression. Also Black+White images must be converted to process colours for output. If you send JPG files please use highest quality.

As ICC profile we prefer either the **ISOcoated.icc** profile from the ECI (further information you receive under [www.eci.org](http://www.eci.org)) or the **Fogra 39**.

Always supply any color profile you used with your images.

### Document Size

We need 120 - 72 dpi resolution - referring to the output size - for images or linked images in your artwork.

The bleed difference is 20 mm rotary - referring to the output size.

### Supported Application

MAC: Creative Cloud CC 2017 (Photoshop, Indesign, Illustrator).

You can send PDF Files (PDF/X3) - **without crop marks and color bars**.

Other than the listed programmes are not supported.

Height and width of your original file must be proportional to the height and width of the output size.

Layout your files on a scale of 1:1 or on a scale of 1:10 for very large graphics.

Always supply any additional files imported or linked files with the supplied document.

All fonts should be included with the file. Please convert your fonts to curves whenever possible.

PMS, RGB or any other colors should be converted to CMYK.

### Files for Cutting Templates

Files for vinyl cutters should be layouted in Illustrator - all fonts should be converted to curves. Digital printed figures are produced with a cutting table. Layout your files on different layers. One layer for the graphics and a second layer for the cutting contour. The cutting path has to be a full tone (PMS, HKS) and has to be named Cutcontour. All cutting lines must be a closed path.

The figure should have an overlapp of 2-3 mm.

### File Transfer for Large Format Production at DCP!

You can supply your files on the conventional way on CD or DVD.

If your files are less than 20 MB you can send them by eMail.

Otherwise you can upload your files to our FTP-Server which is reachable 24 hours 7 days.

The FTP-Server can be reached with every WEB-Browser.

**Login Server:** <http://dcp.grossbildproduktion.de>

**Username:** dcp

**No password is required.**