

Package Design that **Gets You** to Market Faster

Crucial Tips for Creating Perfect Artwork

#1. Always **Design** in **CMYK**



- Be sure to design in CMYK mode. Perfect for printed film.
- RGB mode is not ideal for printing. Requires its own light source.

#2. Maximize DPI for Crisp, Clear Images



Do not send low-resolution images straight from the internet.

#3. Optimize Font Sizes and Colors

• Serif fonts have short



each stroke - larger font sizes required. Sans serif fonts do not

have cross-lines smaller font

cross-lines at the end of



sizes are OK.

MINIMUM MINIMUM 10 POINT **8 POINT** ON A POSITIVE PRINT

ON A POSITIVE **PRINT**

MINIMUM 6 POINT ON A POSITIVE PRINT

SANS SERIF FONTS MINIMUM 8 POINT ON A POSITIVE PRINT

100

50

#4. Manage Dot Gain

Improperly managed dot gain can make images look blurry.

artwork design.

 Adjust for dot gain in the

 Confirm the dot gain percentage with your printer.

#5. Choose the Right Printing Partner The right printing partner can make all the difference. Be sure to choose the right one.



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