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Electronic PrePress Specifications

TVL supports the following software applications:

Mac Applications:	Windows Applications:
 InDesign - all versions Illustrator - all versions PhotoShop - all versions Quark XPress - up to version 6.5 MS Word - up to version 2008 	 InDesign - all versions Illustrator - all versions PhotoShop - alll versions Quark XPress - up to version 6.5 PageMaker - up to version 7.0 MS Publisher - up to version 2007 MS Word - up to version 2007

Files:

TVL can accept application files from the above applications, as well as PDF, and EPS files from most applications (both Mac and PC).

Media:

TVL will accept files that are provided on CD's and DVD's, thumb drives, and ZIP disks (100 and 250). Files may also be sent to us electronically via Email (files sent via email must be no larger than 10 megs), or FTP (ask about our secure FTP service).

Imagesetting:

Imaging is done using our fully automated chemistry-free Kodak Trendsetter 400 platesetter (we no longer support film based imaging).

Proofing:

TVL creates color contract proofs using the Kodak Digital Matchprint color proofing system, with custom color profiles to match our presses. Digital imposition Blueline proofs are made on our Epson 7600 inkjet proofer. TVL can also provide PDF proofs via Email for final inspection.

Trapping:

All trapping is done with In-RIP trapping, using our Esko Graphics Nexus workflow.

Pagination:

All press-ready imposition/pagination is fully automated using Kodak Preps imposition software.

Fonts:

Customers must provide ALL fonts used in application files, and fonts that are used in linked EPS files, including both Screen Fonts and printer fonts. If fonts are missing TVL will try to substitute the missing fonts, upon customer approval.