

SEEING IS BELIEVING

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Quality graphics contribute significantly to the impact of your exhibit. With state-of-the-art design and printing capabilities, Freeman brings your banners, signage, and exhibit graphics to life in a larger-than-life way. Our graphics products redefine “high definition,” which means your brand has never been seen like this before.

- Photo-quality / high-resolution printing on a variety of rigid and rolled material including honeycomb, foam, Polyfoam, PVC, acrylic, fabric, vinyl and mesh materials
- Grand Format printers provide high-resolution digital printing of single and double-sided banners in virtually any size
- Electronic file transfer, in-house printing, and company-wide procedure standardization allow us to control quality, cost and scheduling on a nationwide basis
- Extensive resources ensure that last minute repairs and replacements are handled efficiently as needed, no matter where your event may be located



Call customer service at the number listed on the Quick Facts. For fast, easy ordering, go to freeman.com

CREATING VISUAL EXCITEMENT

Quality graphics contribute significantly to the impact of your exhibit. Vivid colors and sharp images attract attention, build traffic, and communicate messages more effectively. Freeman has invested in the latest printing technology and has the skills to provide you with the finest high-resolution digital graphic reproduction available.

STATE-OF-THE-ART CAPABILITIES

Freeman can provide four-color, photo-quality, high-resolution digital printing in virtually any size for banners, signage, exhibit graphics, and more. Each Freeman location has stand-alone printing capabilities, along with two additional graphic locations for additional support and for special requirements.

SUPERIOR QUALITY CONTROL

Electronic file transfer, in-house printing, and company-wide standardization of procedures allow us to control quality, cost and scheduling for our customers on a nationwide basis. Last minute repairs and replacements are handled efficiently through our nationwide resources.

DEPTH OF RESOURCES

- 5M UV roll printers provide grand format, four-color, high-resolution digital printing of single and double-sided banners up to 16' wide and virtually any size with seams.
- 3M Dye Sublimation printers provide 10' fabric graphics that work perfectly in our SmartWall panel system.
- UV flatbeds print directly to a variety of ridged materials and offer a 100% recyclable graphic when using a cardboard substrate.
- Freeman offers 100% recyclable substrates that can save you money and the environment.
- Large format Eco-Solvent printers produce high quality graphics for wall, carpet and window applications.
- 3M high speed digital cutters allow for precise cutting of multiple panel applications and also custom router graphic panels.
- Computer-aided graphic design & layout available for your assistance.

REPRODUCTION AND INSTALLATION

- Suspended banners
- Accent graphic photo panels
- Large format signage and banners
- Logo reproduction
- Backlit displays and murals
- Four-color carpet image printing



CUSTOMER GUIDELINES FOR SUBMITTING GRAPHICS ARTWORK

Our goal is to provide you with the best possible quality graphics for your event or exhibit. You can help us in that effort by providing digital art files using the following guidelines. If you are sending us completed, print-ready files, please pass the following information on to your graphics designer or art department. Artwork must be submitted in the proper resolution and/or file size to produce quality images. Please provide proper color matching information and proofs to ensure accurate color reproduction.

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING WHEN SUBMITTING ART

RASTER ART (photos, logos containing any continuous tone images):

- Art submitted at 1:1 (100%), resolution should be no less than 60 dpi (100 dpi preferred)
- Art submitted at 2:1 (50%), resolution should be no less than 120 dpi (200 dpi preferred)
- Art submitted at 4:1 (25%), resolution should be no less than 240 dpi (400 dpi preferred)

VECTOR ART:

- Logos should be vector and have outlined fonts (if provided as bitmap, please use high-res images)

FONTS and LINKS

- Supply all fonts used in your design (zip Mac fonts). If unsure how to collect fonts, convert them to outlines
- Supply all links used in your document. Use packaging feature if available. If unsure how to collect links, embed them in the file when saving.

COLOR

- If PMS color matching is required, please use original Pantone + Solid Coated swatches in your artwork. Modifying Pantone names will result in printing default color (CMYK)
- CMYK artwork will be produced "As Is". Our color output is balanced and vibrant.
- Convert RGB art to CMYK if possible.
- If you are sending Certified Color Proofs (Gracol, Swop, Fogra), please provide ICC file information used to print your samples. Best option would be to include ICC chart on your prints.

ARTWORK IN THE STRUCTURE

- Please note that any panels going in the metal frame will hide 1/4" of your art all the way around. If you have a continuous wall where individual panels are divided by metal, use 1.25" spacing in between each panel to account for gaps and the natural flow of the graphics.

ACCEPTABLE FILE SOFTWARE

We are capable of working with both PC and MAC based software, and can accept art created with the ADOBE Creative Suite - Illustrator, InDesign, and Photoshop

Always provide the following:

- Native files with fonts and links (zipped)
- High-res PDF-X/4 exports of the files

ACCEPTABLE FILE TYPES and SUPPORT FILES

NATIVE FILES:

- AI CLOUD (CC) file with Packaged supporting links and fonts. You may keep images linked but Packaging feature must be used.
- AI (CS6, CS5, CS4...) file with embedded links and outlined fonts
- EPS file with embedded links and outlined fonts
- INDD file with Packaged supporting links and fonts

PRINT FILES:

- High-res PDF-X/4 (preferred)
- AI with PDF content (choose this option when saving file)
- EPS files with embedded links and outlined fonts

RASTER OR BITMAP ART:

- Photoshop EPS (preferred, use 8-bit preview, Max, Quality JPG compression)
- PSD (make sure font layers are rasterized)
- TIFF, JPG (quality 8 and higher)

Mac users: Use Zip or Stuffit programs when submitting fonts other than OTF (Open Type Fonts)

WAYS TO SEND ARTWORK

- When placing an order online, your order confirmation will include a link to our secure file sharing library so you may upload your graphic files. If your order is faxed in, or if you are working directly with a Freeman team member, a link will be emailed to you when your order is processed.