EMPIRE ART SPECIFICATIONS

EMAIL

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- Files up to 5MB can be e-mailed
- List your Empire contact or salesperson on all e-mail
- Send all Mac formatted artwork to artmac@empirescreen.com
- Send all PC formatted artwork to artpc@empirescreen.com
- Include placed images &/or fonts
- Supply a hard copy or blueprint for comparison

EMPIRE FTP SITE

- Files over 5MB can be uploaded to our ftp site. We will e-mail you information on how to set this up.
- Supply a hard copy or blueprint for comparison

DISK (CD)

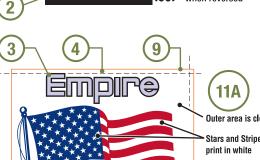
- When supplying a disk or CD, please label it with your company name, Part Numbers, and the programs being used.
- Supply a hard copy or blueprint for comparison

ART PROGRAMS and FILE FORMATS USED AT EMPIRE

- Illustrator (.ai, .eps)
- Photoshop (.psd, .tif, .eps)
- InDesign (.indd)
- CorelDraw (.cdr)
- AutoCAD (.dxf) -Blueprints only
- **.pdf files can be used for hardcopies, but we prefer the original file format the art was created in for production purposes.

.005" .007" when reversed

MINIMUM LINE THICKNESSES:



Outer area is clear
Stars and Stripes
print in white

11B

Spot
White
Blue

Pantone 2757 C

Pantone 187 C

- <u>at a glance...</u>
 - 1. Minimum Line Thickness .005"
- Minimum Line Thickness reversed out of another color .007"
- 3. Traplines .015" .020"
- 4. Images away from the dieline 0.45"
- 5. Minimum outer border .045"
- Any colors bleeding off decal, extend color past dieline .0625"

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- 7. Keep the number of programs used down to a minimum
- 8. Eliminate all unnecessary elements in your file
- 9. Assign a spot color to the Dieline
- 10. If job is printing spot color, please use correct Pantone names.
 - Pantone 2757 c
 - Pantone 187 c
- 11. If white prints on decal, indicate where white prints by doing one of the following:
 - Call out location of white (see 11A)
 - Assign it a color (see 11B)
- 12. Please supply all fonts or convert text to outlines. If you are sending fonts that are not Truetype, please send both the Screen and Postscript font
- 13. For 2-Sided print jobs, we recommend text or critical graphics to be .125" from die edge.
- 14. If art is being created in Photoshop:
 - Image should be saved as a tif, psd or eps file (do not save as a jpg or gif due to low quality
 - Image should be placed (do not embed image) into a file at 100%
 - Resolution should be 200 res. or higher
 - Supply file with original layers (do not flatten image)
- 15. Please note that AutoCAD files are generally not used for final artwork. They are best used for blueprints, wiring diagrams or as a template



To ensure the best printing quality possible, we recommend artwork be created and sent to us following these specifications

