

## PRINT PRODUCTION SPECIFICATIONS 2018

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- ▶ Ads should be in **PDF/X-1A** format
- ▶ Four-color ads must be formatted in process (CMYK) colors
- ▶ Black and white ads must be set to Grayscale
- ▶ No RGB, LAB or embedded (ICC) color profiles
- ▶ Maximum ink density is 300%
- ▶ DPI: 300 and line screen: 133

### GUIDELINES

- ▶ All color ads must be accompanied by an acceptable SWOP 3 certified proof  
Note: Client waives color guarantee if an acceptable proof is not supplied. SWOP proofs will always have color bars on them, and be output on a SWOP certified proofing systems. Each of the certified systems has an Application Data Sheet that specifies exactly how that proofing system should be used to create a SWOP proof.
- ▶ Laser printouts are not acceptable SWOP proofs
- ▶ Color proofs for Non-Bleed and Bleed\* ads should be ruled up to indicate positioning for trim
- ▶ Crop and registration marks must be *offset* 12 pts (.167") from bleed. Do not place crop marks within live or bleed areas.
- ▶ Do not set white to overprint

### DIMENSIONS (W X H)

	Non-Bleed	Bleed*	Trim
<b>2 Page Spread</b>	15" x 10"	16" x 10.75"	15.75" x 10.5"
<b>Full Page</b>	7" x 10"	8.125" x 10.75"	7.875" x 10.5"
<b>1/2 Page Spread</b>	15" x 4.75"	16" x 5.375"	15.75" x 5.125"
<b>2/3 Page</b>	4.625" x 10"	5.25" x 10.75"	5" x 10.5"
<b>1/2 Digest</b>	4.625" x 7.25"	N/A	N/A
<b>1/2 Horizontal</b>	7" x 4.75"	8.125" x 5.375"	7.875" x 5.125"
<b>1/3 Square</b>	4.625" x 4.75"	N/A	N/A
<b>1/3 Vertical</b>	2.25" x 10"	2.875" x 10.75"	2.625" x 10.5"
<b>1/6 Vertical</b>	2.25" x 4.75"	N/A	N/A
<b>1/6 Horizontal</b>	4.625" x 2.25"	N/A	N/A

### DIMENSION DETAILS

#### Bleed Ads

- ▶ Add .125" bleed on all sides
- ▶ Type safety is .25" in from trim at head, foot, face, and gutter

#### Spread Ad Gutter Safety

- ▶ Saddle-stitched issues: We recommend .0625" - .125" safety on each side of the gutter, depending on creative
- ▶ Perfect-bound issues: Please allow .375" - .5" safety on each side of the gutter for text and live graphics.

Note that .1875"-.25" of the creative on each side of the gutter will be obscured due to the binding method.

To maintain correct visual alignment of images that cross the gutter, we suggest duplicating 0.0625" - 0.125" (1.5875mm - 3.1750mm) of the image on each side of the gutter.

#### Document Size

- ▶ Dimensions of supplied PDF file should reflect the Non-Bleed or Bleed size, NOT the trim size.

### FILE SUBMISSIONS

Upload all files in PDF/X-1A format to the ad portal: <https://www.adshuttle.com/nymag>

#### Please Note:

- ▶ **Revised files** should only be uploaded to ad portal with advance notification to account representative or production
- ▶ Special positioning requests must be made in writing to your **account representative**, not noted in ad portal
- ▶ Requests for repeat/pick-up files should be sent to your account representative or to the production department. **Do not reupload files.**

#### Send Proofs to:

New York Media, Production Department,  
Attention: **Gail Smith**, *Production Coordinator*,  
75 Varick Street, 4th Floor, New York, NY 10013

For all run of book and cover gatefolds, please contact **Gail Smith** for specifications.  
212-508-0843 | [gail.smith@nymag.com](mailto:gail.smith@nymag.com)

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