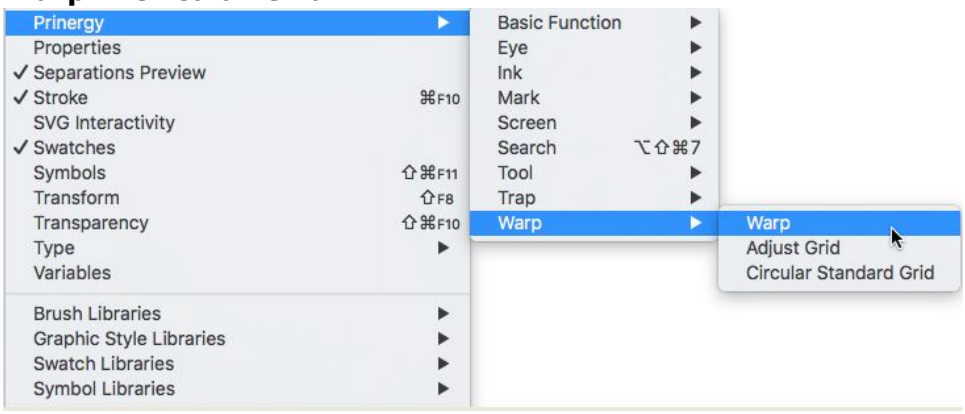
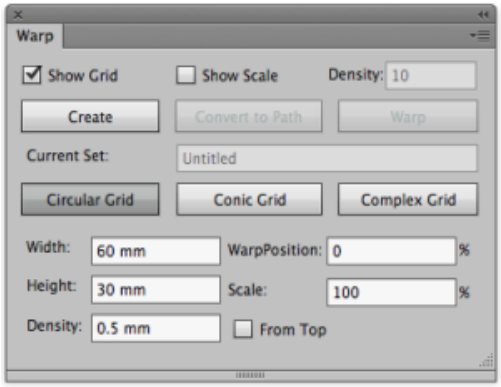
Circular Warp

1. Launch Adobe Illustrator and open the document.
2. In the Illustrator menu bar, go to the **Window** menu, and select **Prinergy > Warp > Warp > Circular Grid**.



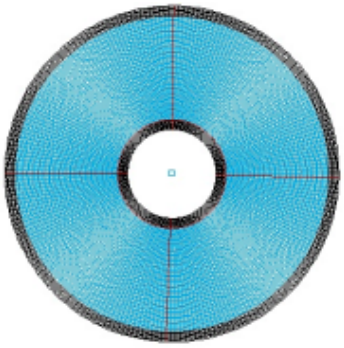
3. In the Warp dialog box, set the parameters for the grid:

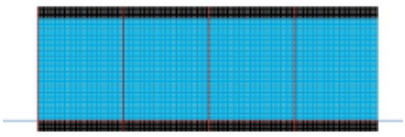


Show Grid	Select this check box to make the grids visible. Clear the check box to hide the grids.
Show Scale/ Density	Select the **Show Scale** check box and, in the **Density** box, type an appropriate number for the density scale.
From Top	The default start position of distortion is from the bottom. To change the distortion start position to the top, select this check box.
Create	Clicking this button creates a source grid and destination grid according to these parameters.
Convert to Path	In order to check the destination grid you have created against the manufacturing specification for the packaging product, click this button to convert the destination grid to path, which can be printed.
Warp	Clicking this button distorts the object based on the position of the selected artwork when placed on top of the source grid.

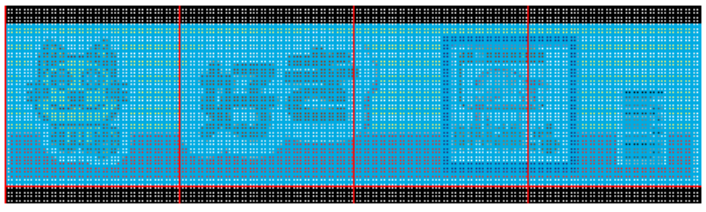
Current Set	If you have saved the current Warp Grid settings parameters as a parameters set, the name of the **Current Set** will appear here. You can save and manage Warp Grid Sets from the context menu in the top right-hand corner of the **Warp** settings panel.
Width	Set the width of the source grid area.
Height	Set the height of the source grid area
Density	Set the width and height of a single cell from the source grid.
WarpPosition	Set the position of warp.
Scale	Set the scale of the circular grid (destination grid).

4. After setting the parameters, click **Create** to create the source grid and the destination grid.





5. Select the artwork that requires warping, and position it over the source grid (the rectangular grid).
   Only graphics positioned in the live area of the source grid will be moved to the destination grid. Any graphics outside the source grid will be clipped out of the destination grid. The following image shows the artwork positioned over the source grid.



6. Click **Warp**.
   The Warp button is active only if your artwork is selected. When you click **Warp**, your

artwork will be warped to fit the destination grid.

