

InDesign best practices

When using InDesign 1.5.2:

- Use the latest Adobe PS print driver.
- Print to a File.
- In the **Color** menu, select **Separations** if you want to use InDesign's trapping, or **Composite** if you want to use Kodak trapping.
- In the **Graphics** menu, select **Subset Fonts**.
- Clear all **Gradient** options.
- Select the **OPI** options required.
- In the **Page Marks** menu, select the Printer's Marks required, and select a bleed size. Prinergy Evo determines the **trim** box from crop mark information for files that include printer's marks.
- In the **Trapping** menu, clear all **Trapping** options.
- In the **PostScript** menu, output to **PostScript** Job format, **Level 3 Only, ASCII data, All Fonts**.

When using InDesign 2.0:

- Use the settings for InDesign 1.5.2.
- In addition, InDesign 2 can create files with transparency. Flatten InDesign files with the highest quality setting (in the **Advanced** menu of the Print dialog). For more information, see [PDF 1.4 transparency](#).