

Job Browser

You can use the **Job Browser** to open all preview files for a job, and you can open the fronts and backs of multiple impositions

1. Choose **Job Browser** from the **File** menu or select the toolbar icon 
2. Launch the **Job Browser** dialog box using either the **File>Job Browser menu** item or the

Job Browser icon  in the toolbar

- In the **Open** dialog that appears, select the **Folder** containing a set of job separations and press the **Select** button. (Note, you must select the enclosing folder, not the individual separations within the folder.)
 - The **Job Browser** dialog opens and allows you to preview the number of signatures, imposition styles and colors contained in the separations.
 - Click **Open** to open the imposition separations, or expand the top level folder to show all the available signatures, check the checkbox of each signature you wish to view, and click **Open**
3. This dialog box displays the contents of the last folder selected. Press **Rescan** to select a new folder for viewing.

Job Browser File Formats

The Job Browser will recognize VPS and TIFF separations as members of a "Job" if the separations were created by Kodak PREPs or Pandora. Impositions created from Kodak software contain imposition metadata (DIG comments) that get inserted into VPS/TIFF files, and allow VPS+ to recognize them as imposition job files.

Output files created from non-Kodak imposition programs will not contain the necessary comments and will not be recognized as belonging to an imposition Job.

Loose page TIFF/VPS files do not contain imposition tags, and so will not be recognized as belonging to a Job.

LEN files are produced by non-Kodak systems and will not be recognized as belonging to a Job.

Prinerger Output

When outputting files from Prinerger, always select **Advanced TIFF Tags** in Prinerger Output Process Templates to embed color definitions and geometry information in VPS and TIFF files. If **Advanced TIFF Tags** are included in the files, VPS+ will recognize spot color names and display their color equivalents.

VPS+ is able to extract geometric information (such as trim size, bleed and imposition page number) for imposed VPS/TIFFs output from Prinerger workflow systems. This geometry and position information is written as proprietary Kodak tags into the headers of the files. VPS+ has UI selections that allow display of imposition information, press sheet, page and bleed edges, page numbers and type safety edges. This geometric information also allows the VPS+ Job Browser to recognize the files as part of an imposition Job.

There is no ISO standard for imposition tags, so VPS+ is not able to read proprietary imposition tags from TIFFs produced by other workflow systems.