

Creating a Descreen hot folder

This hot folder removes the halftone screening data from an incoming screened 1-bit TIFF file and converts this file into a continuous-tone 8-bit TIFF file.

Note: To specify whether a descreened file outputs as CMYK TIFF or PDF with all spot channels, go to [Edit > Preferences > Descreen](#).

General steps for creating a hot folder

1. Select **Tools > Hot Folder Setup**.
2. In the Hot Folder Setup dialog box, click .
3. Type a name for the hot folder in the **Hot Folders** list, and click anywhere in the dialog box.
4. In the **Input folder** box, click **Select**, locate and select the desired folder (if needed, click  to create a new folder), and click **Select**.
5. To define an output folder for the output TIFF file, click **Select** in the Output folder box, select an output folder, and click **Select**.
6. To delete the input files after the output file is created, select the **Delete input files after output** check box.

Setting up the Descreen hot folder

1. In the **Hot folder type** list, select **Descreen**.
2. Set the hot folder options as needed.
3. Click **Save**.

Hot folder options for Descreen

Option	Setting	Notes
Output resolution	User-defined	Type the required resolution of the output file.
Scale	User-defined	Type a scale value.
Rotate	• 0° • 90° • 180° • 270°	To rotate the output file, select the required degree of rotation.
Flip	• None • Horizontal • Vertical	To flip the output file, select Horizontal or Vertical ..

Method	• Auto detect • Halftone • Linework	
Sharpen	• None • Normal • Extra	