

Technical specifications for magazines

Printing Specifications: Roto-offset printing

Reference colour profile for advertising material:

ISO Coated v2 – Fogra 39

Total Area Coverage:

300% (CMYK) or 330% (CMYK)

Specifications for PDF creation:

The PDF must have the X1a-2001 (version 1.3) specifications.

Format 1.3 does not support transparencies, which must be “flattened” if necessary.

Fonts:

Included in the PDF document – No TrueType – No CID Fonts – No Type 1.

For colour notices, avoid placing negative text on coloured backgrounds and/or coloured text with a font size smaller than 10 points; smaller font sizes with serif fonts, as well as multi-coloured lines and frames (thinner than 0.4 mm) may be compromised by even the slightest registration variation during printing.

Submission method: Via the portal <https://portalemateriali.manzoni.it>

Dimensions:

PDF in the format selected at the time of submission, including 5 mm bleed on each side, no crop marks (for Il Venerdì, the bleed is 4 mm at the top and bottom, while for U La Repubblica, D Speciali, Mind and Le Scienze, the bleed is 3 mm at the top and bottom). Graphics, logos and text must have a margin of at least 7 mm from the edge to prevent them from being cut off during magazine production.

List of sizes selectable at the time of submission.

Material delivery times:

Il Venerdì -> 14 days before publication

D La Repubblica delle Donne, Door, U La Repubblica, D Speciali -> 22 days before publication

National Geographic Traveler -> 20 days before publication

Le Scienze -> 22 days before publication

Mind -> 20 days before publication

Trova -> 10 working days before publication

Al Volante -> 20 days before publication

In Sella -> 20 days before publication

Any changes due to company closures, holidays and strikes will be communicated promptly by A. Manzoni & C. S.p.A.