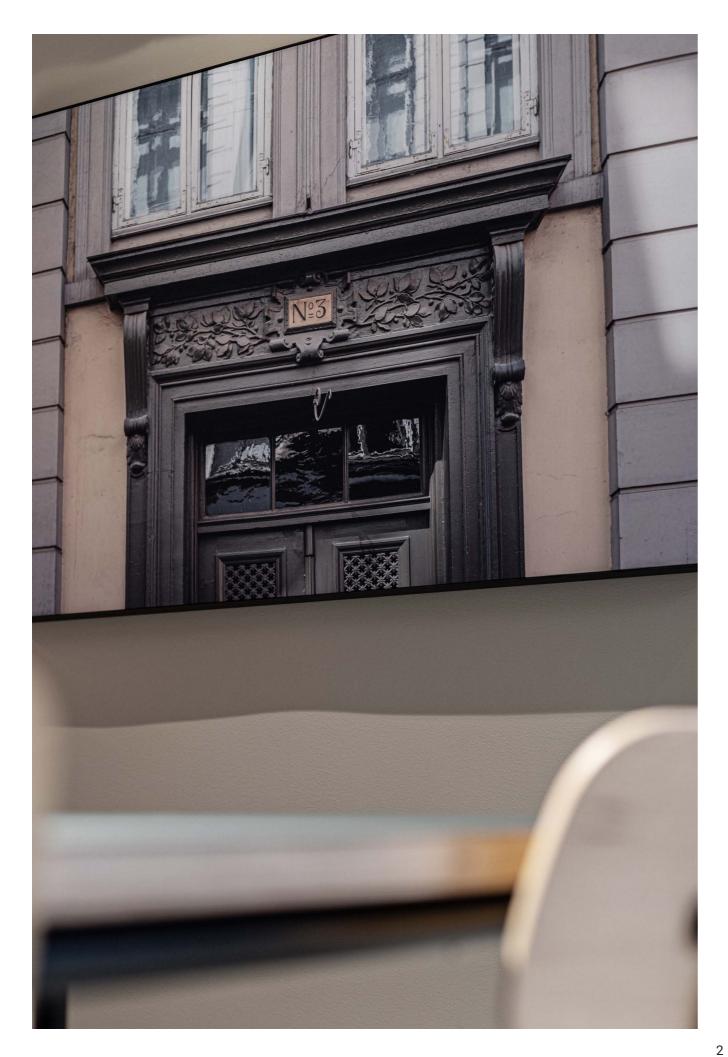
Guide

# Handing Over Image Files





At Akuart, we are dedicated to delivering exceptional print quality on our acoustic panel canvases. From small details to large-scale artwork, our digital printing process brings each intricate element to life, enhancing the depth and dimension of your space. We take great care to capture the essence of your visuals with precision, ensuring the final product meets the highest standards.

To support this quality, we have developed guidelines for submitting image files to help maintain optimal resolution, colour accuracy, and print quality. This guide offers clear instructions to ensure your artwork is perfectly prepared for printing, regardless of its scale.

## **Handover Specifications**

Please review the requirements for submitting image files. If you find the details below too technical, don't worry. Simply send us the files, and we will assess whether the quality is sufficient for printing as an AKUART product. If the files do not meet the necessary standards, we will help find a suitable solution.

#### **Photos**

- Adobe RGB (also for photos in grayscale)
- 8bit
- Preferred file formats:
  - JPG at the highest possible quality
  - TIFF with ZIP compression enabled, no layers
  - RAW photo (with sidecar XML file if edited)
- If the photo is cropped, please provide the original file (uncropped)
- Photos should not be scaled; AKUART handles all scaling/interpolation
- Avoid photos in PDF format, if possible
- A 10 mm bleed will be subtracted from the final print file

### **Photos + Graphics / Text Composition**

- InDesign package
- All fonts must be outlined
- All photo elements in Adobe RGB (refer to the above requirements for PHOTOS)
- Add a 10 mm bleed to the print file, ensuring full-colour bleeds are not empty
- A margin of 40 mm constitutes the "safe zone" for text, logos, etc.
- Avoid photos in PDF format, if possible

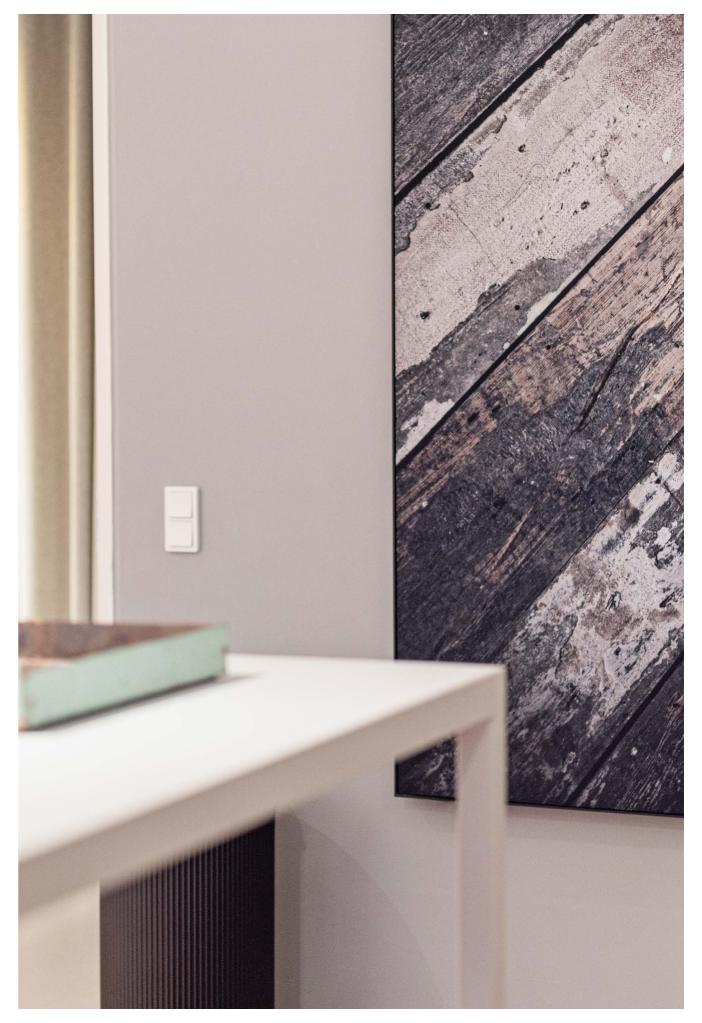
#### **Graphics (Vector)**

- Adobe RGB
- PDF, EPS, or Al format
- All fonts outlined
- 10 mm bleed added to the print file
- 40 mm margin as the "safe zone" for text, logos, etc.

#### File transfer

Please send all files via akuart.wetransfer.com

When submitting files through WeTransfer, include your name and any relevant order information (e.g., order number, project details, special requirements). This helps ensure the smooth processing of your submission and prevents delays.



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