stepX for labels – Intuitive plate layout for Adobe® Illustrator®

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stepX is a powerful tool for the creation of print-ready layouts. stepX provides a robust set of automatic and interactive tools to create step-and-repeat arrangements for single jobs or multiple jobs.
It gives label printers the possibility to take control and reduce costs by bringing optimum plate layout in-house, inside their favorite desktop application Adobe® Illustrator®.

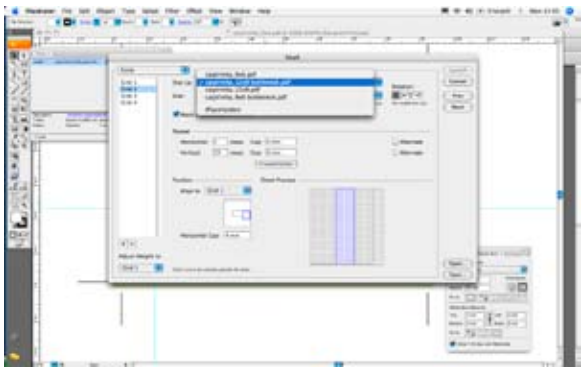
Magical SmartMarks™

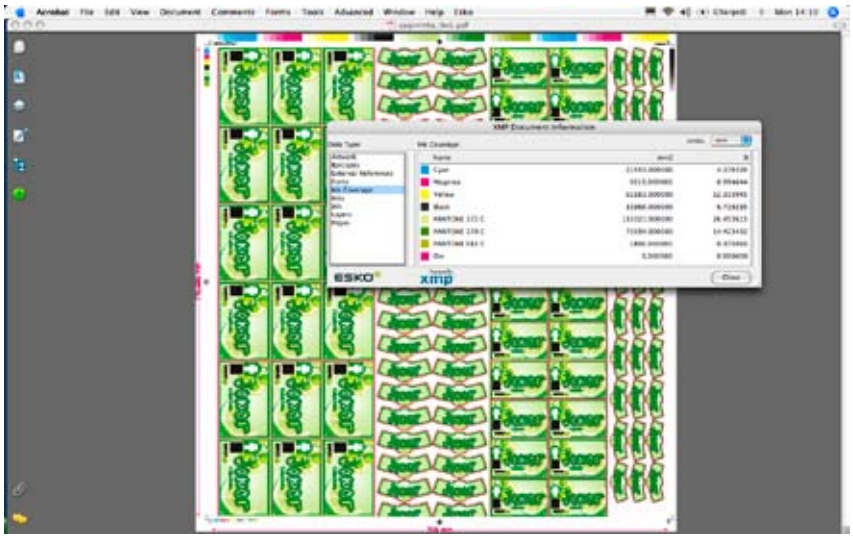
stepX' SmartMarks™ create marks that "automagically" adjust to the status of the job. SmartMarks™ adapt to changes to the sheet or board size, the plate size and number of inks in the job, and automatically create printing production controls like color bars, sheet corner marks, center marks, and trim marks. Because SmartMarks adjust to changes in the job, new plate designs for line extensions or last minute graphic changes are fast and easy with stepX. Your most used step and repeat schemes can be saved and re-used as templates.

stepX and OutRight

The combination of stepX with OutRight® gives you multiple advantages:

- stepX allows you to create a plate design in any flavor of PDF format, including PDF for Adobe® Illustrator® 9 or higher. The size of your step-and-repeat file is optimized since it contains only one instance of the original job. The strong PDF Form concept is used to execute the step-and-repeat of the job.
- Powered by XMP giving you access to metadata.





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DeskPack is an integrated part of EskoArtwork's complete packaging solution, the most advanced workflow environment for the packaging industry. DeskPack turns Adobe® Illustrator® and Adobe® Photoshop® into full-fledged design and prepress production tools.

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