



# Perfect Bound Template

For Adobe InDesign  
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Width of whole document (with bleed): 18.00 inches  
Width of whole document (without bleed): 17.75 inches

SPINE: 0.75 INCHES ... Spine text should face this direction

Height (with bleed): 11.25 inches  
Height (without bleed): 11 inches

**Yellow=Margins:** Don't let text overlap into the yellow areas.

**Red=Bleed:** Make your background go all the way to the outer edge of the red area, or you may have unwanted white lines on the edges. This area will get trimmed off.

**White=Design:** Keep all wording and important artwork (except for your background) inside the white area.

**Blue=Spine:** Keep all text inside the blue area.

## Steps:

1. Design your cover on this template
2. Save your InDesign file for future editing
3. Select **File > Adobe PDF Presets > Press Quality** to create a print-ready PDF
4. Examine the resulting PDF carefully before sending it to us

*Note: The template colors, lines, and text are set to "Non-Printing." If they appear in your PDF, repeat the steps above, but be sure the "include non-printing items" option in the Export dialog box is UNchecked.*

**FRONT COVER:**  
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