

Image Requirements

Front Cover File - (separate marketing image file, delivered alongside the book)

File Type

CoreSource recommends that all Front Cover files be uploaded as .JPG or .JPEG files. File types accepted differ between partners, but a .JPG or .JPEG file is universally accepted by all partners.

Front Cover Size Requirements

CoreSource recommends that all Front Cover images be in RGB Colorspace, sized at 1600 pixels on the shortest side by 2560 pixels on the longest side, with a 300 dpi (dots per inch).

Many partners have varying image size requirements, such as:

- Apple requires a minimum of 1400 pixels on the shortest side for best quality on their devices.
- Amazon requires a minimum of 625 pixels on the shortest side and 1000 pixels on the longest side, but again, for best quality, recommend that it be 1600 pixels on the shortest side by 2560 pixels on the longest side.

Other partners generally don't have as strict of standards as Amazon and Apple, so we use the highest recommendations for Amazon as a guide, to ensure that image will work for all partners, eliminating the need for multiple files for various partners.

Also, the minimum dpi is 72, but again, to ensure the best quality across all of the newest HD devices, 300 dpi is recommended.

File Size

Image files must be less than 5MB.

Interior Images

The pixel limit for the interior cover, as with all interior book images, is 4 million pixels.