

Export PDF files from InDesign with colour conversion

Settings and ICC profiles:

Export settings and ICC profiles are typically downloaded from our website or received by e-mail as a zipped file. Please unzip this file before proceeding to next step.

A. Installing ICC profiles

Please quit ALL Adobe programs before installing.

Windows:

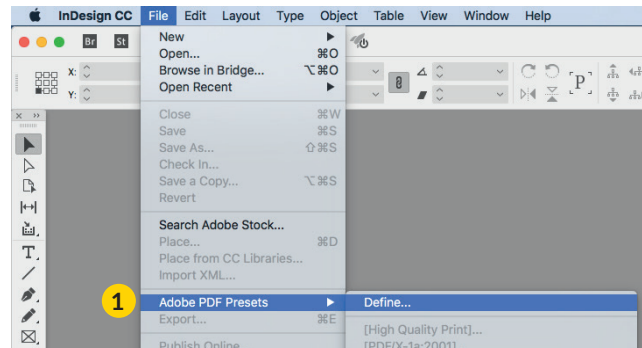
Right click on the ICC profile and press install.
Nothing more happens or shows on your screen.
Now you can start up InDesign.

Macintosh:

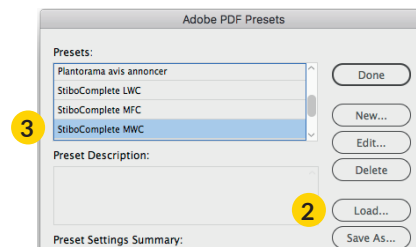
The ICC profile must be put in a specific folder on your Mac's harddrive.
(your harddrive) → Library → Application Support → Adobe → Color → Profiles → Recommended.
When you have copied the ICC-profile to this location you can start up InDesign.

B. Install the "Adobe PDF Preset"

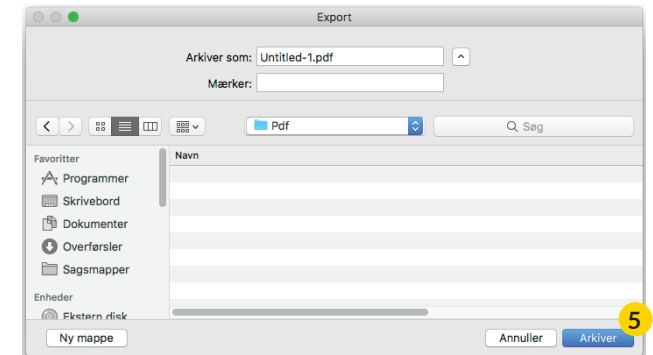
- 1 The preset is located in the same folder as the ICC profile you downloaded or received in your mail.
In the "File" menu in InDesign, select first "Adobe PDF Presets" then select "Define".



- 2 Then press "Load" and select "StiboComplete MWC.JOBOPTIONS" from the folder you downloaded
- 3 The installation is successful when the "StiboComplete MWC" becomes visible in the list of "presets".
Then press "Done"

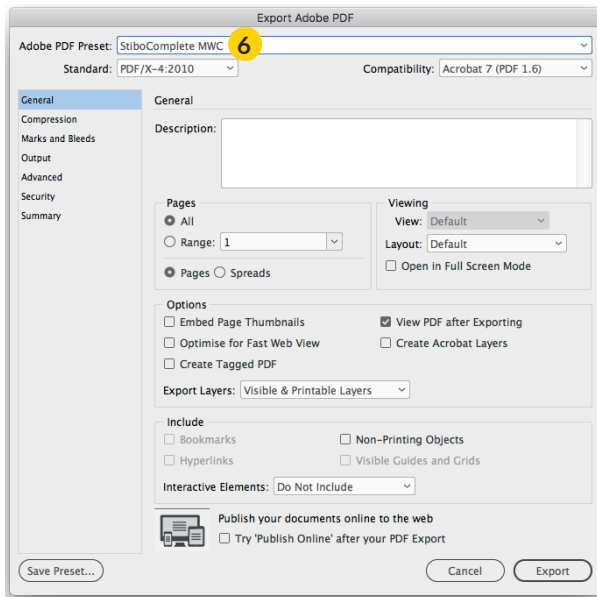


- 4 Now you are ready to export your PDF-files from InDesign.
In the "File" menu choose "Adobe PDF Presets", select "StiboComplete MWC".
- 5 Enter a location and name for your PDF file.
Then press "Save"



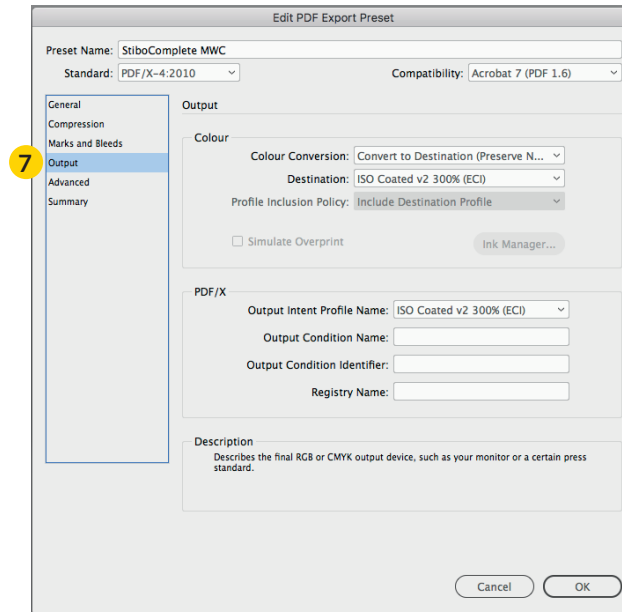
See also section "C. Naming your files" in this document.

- 6 Verify that the “StiboComplete MWC” is still selected under the Adobe PDF Preset.”



- 7 And verify that Colour Conversion reads: “Convert to Destination (Preserve Numbers). This means that all RGB colours are converted to correct CMYK colour space.

Colours already defined in CMYK will then be untouched by this conversion.



When verified then press “Export/OK”

Your PDF will be ready shortly after, depending on number of pages and complexity of your document.

C. Naming your files...

When you name your files like the example below:

p003_v1_(your filename).pdf or eg
p003-050_v1_(your filename).pdf

...then all pages will be ripped and preflighted immediately when you upload to our Apogee Workflow and the processed files will be ready for approval soon after.

When you have more than one version, then please put in the version name in you file.

(version)_(page number)_(edition)_(your filename).pdf

eg:

SWE_003_v1_(your filename).pdf

SWE_003-050_v1_(your filename).pdf and so on

New pages with corrections:

Please add an v2, v3... when uploading pages with corrections.

eg.

SWE_003-050_v3_(your filename).pdf (third corrected page)

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