



CORPORATE STYLE GUIDE UPDATED APRIL 2016

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THE ADOBE LOGO

The Adobe Corporate Logo is the most immediate representation of Adobe as a company.

There are three distinct versions of the Adobe Logo.

- -The Standard Adobe Logo
- -The Adobe Red Tag Logo
- -The Adobe Branding Logo

This corporate manual will serve as a guide to correctly using the Adobe Logo in approved forms.



Throughout the process of updating the Adobe logo, hundered of concept logo's were created. Pictured in a light gray behind the final logo are the 8 logos that were used to create the final logo. It all started with the top logo, and slowly transformed througout the process into the final logo you see above the grayed out prototype logos.

The standard Adobe logo consists of tow main colors, black (CMYK: 0 0 0 100) and Adobe Red (CMYK: 0 100 100 0).

The logo is able to appear on any back ground, no matter the color or picture, as long as the visual integrity and legibility of the logo is not comprmised.

The logo should at all times be a minimum of .375" tall, and never any smaller.



The horizontal logo should only be used on small items such as pens, where the standard square logo would not be appropriate.

This is done so the logo can retain its legibility.



The Adobe red tag logo should occur only onece in a project, usually on the front cover while the standard Adobe logo would go on the back cover.

There are three sizes of the red tag logo; 50 pixels, .875", and 72 pixels.

The Adobe red tag logo should always be placed in the top right hand corner, or the bottom left hand corner.

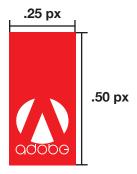






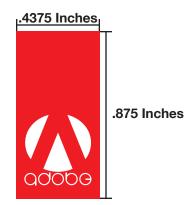
The 50 pixel red tag logo is to be used exclusively for email newsletters and web banners.

The dimensions for the 50 pixel red tag logo are 50 pixels high by 25 pixels wide.



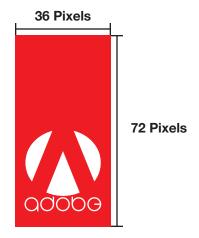
The .875 inch red tag logo is to be used exclusively for printed materials, such as research papers, postcards, Power Point presentations, booklets, etc.

The dimensions for the .875 inch red tag logo are .875 inches high by .4375 inches wide.



The 72 pixel red tag logo is to be used exclusively for web pages.

The dimensions for the 72 pixel red tag logo are .72 pixels high by .36 pixels wide.



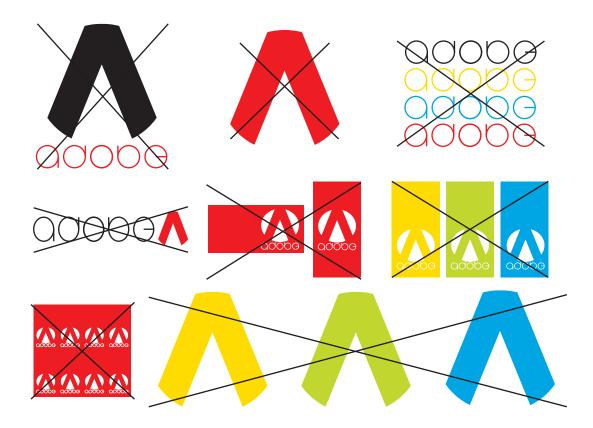
Is the project or communication coming directly from adobe? If not, then use the standard Adobe logo.

If it is coming from Adobe, determine whether or not this is the first and only instance of the logo throughout the project or communication, if it's not, use the standard Adobe logo.

If it is the only instance of the logo throughout the project, then you need to determine if there is an open corner in the top right or bottom left, in which the Adobe red tag logo could hang.

If there is an open corner to hang the Adobe red tag logo, use the Adobe red tag logo. Otherwise, use the standard Adobe logo.

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- 1: Do not switch the colors of the standard font, use only the standard colors.
- 2: Do not use just the Adobe 'A' from the standard logo.
- 3: Do not use just the Adobe typeface from the standard logo, and do not change the color of the typeface.
- 4: Do not put Adobe A on the right side of the horizontal logo.
- 5: Do not change the dimensions of the red tag logo, and do not make it horizontal instead of vertical.
- 6: Do not change the color of the red tag logo.
- 7: Do not tile the red tag logo for any reason.
- 8: Do not change the color of the 'A' in the standard Adobe logo.

Color 13

The Adobe logos consists of three main colors; Adobe Red, White, and Black.

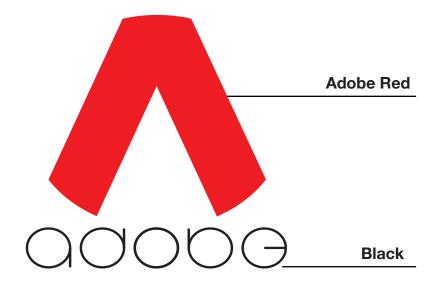
Adobe Red:	C 0	M 100	Y 100	K 0
White:	0	0	0	0
Black:	0	0	0	100

Adobe Red	White	Black

The standard Adobe logo contains of two of the three colors mentioned on the Colors page; Adobe Red, and Black.

The Adobe 'A' that is part of the standard Adobe logo should always be Adobe Red, never any other color.

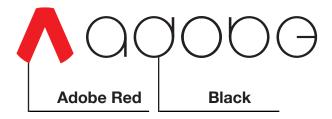
The Adobe typeface that is on the bottom of the sandard Adobe logo should always be black, and never any other color.



The standard Adobe horizontal logo also contains two of the three colors mentioned on the Colors page; Adobe Red, and Black.

The Adobe 'A' remains Adobe Red, just like it is in the standard Adobe Logo. It should never be any other color.

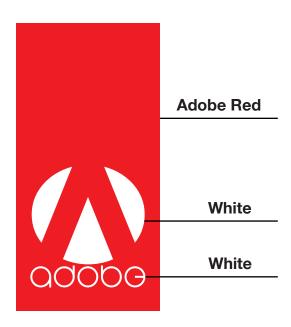
The Adobe typeface should also be Black, just like it is in the standard Adobe logo. It should never be any other color.



The Adobe red tag logo contains of two of the three colors mentioned on the Colors page; Adobe Red, and white.

The "tag" aspect of the logo should always be Adobe Red, never any other color.

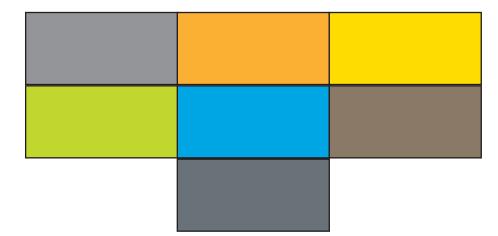
The Adobe logo within the tag should be white, and never any other color.

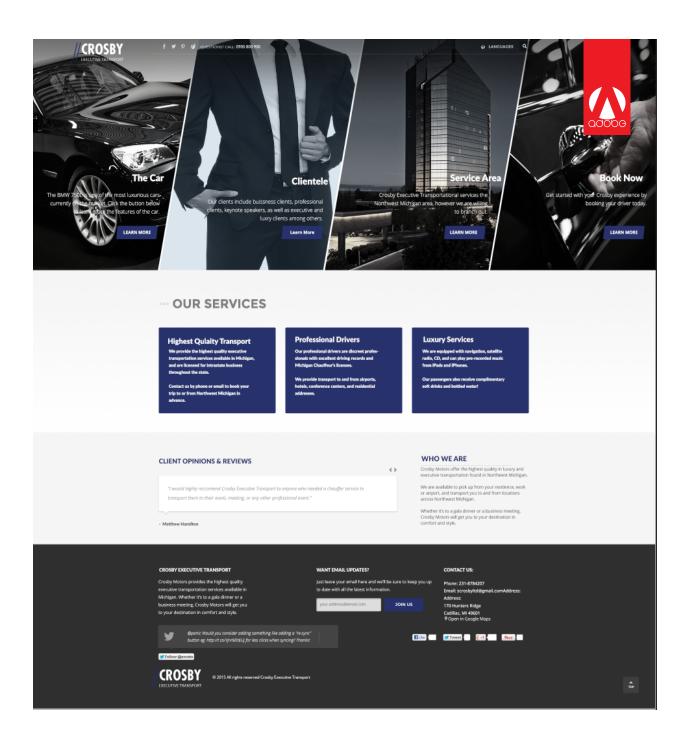


The Adobe logos should never be in any color other than those specified in this guide (Adobe Red, White, and Black).

This includes other Adobe colors such as Adobe Gray, Orange, Green, Yellow, Blue, Warm Gray, and Charcoal Gray.

The colors below should never be used in the logo.





Use capitals properly. 4: Use hold text properly. 5: Use italics properly. 6: Use copyrighter, and trademark marks correctly. 7: Avoid underline text. 8: Use an ellipsis charactere periods. 9: Make sure your type and font are legible. 10: Make sure your alignmuse of the line of the ferent. 20: Repeat visual elements throughout your project. 21: If you are branding, rep visual elements throughout projects. 22: Use visual cues such as shapes, I keep a consistent tone throughout your project. 24: Develop and use style ogos, and icons. quides. 25: Posit objects strategically. 26: Arrange objects to show stability, or a lack thereof. 27: Related its should be put close together. 28: Unrelated items should be put far apart. 29: Every your project should have a purpose. 30: Guide your project should have a purpose. 30: Guide your ur bleed effectively. 32: Make sure your margins fit readable. 34: Don't overuse the same font. 35: Make sure your families. 37: When using two shapes or ted in between them. 38: Use an appropriate resolution the same direction. 40: Use tabs to indent mot same out e proje Jse hing is mp (now, ect n the same direction. 40: Use tal nove inc raphs and tak Lighting etc images as possible. 42: Use gree of images you use fits (Tone, hrou the st more of the face and less of the body. space in between words, 47: Use no mor ad ing carefully. 49: Be aware of font communication.