

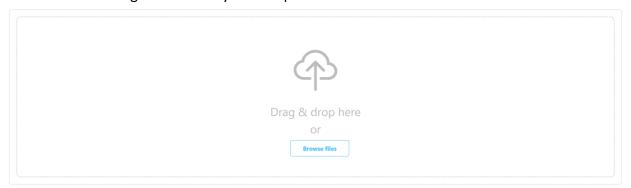


## **Quick Start for the Custom Artwork Tab**

### **Import Artwork**

Supported File types: PDF, EPS

Artwork can be imported from a <u>single page</u> PDF or EPS file by dragging the file into the action window or browsing for them on your computer.



- It is recommended to clean up your artwork file prior to the upload.
  - o Reference "Tips for Preparing Artwork in Libre Draw" for details.

# **Select Objects to Populate**

# Option 1

- Click on the outline of the object you want to select.
- Once selected, the object will turn RED.



- To select multiple objects, hold the control key as you click on more shapes.
- If you are selecting a letter or object with a hole, be sure to select the inner shape as well.



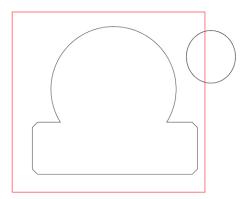
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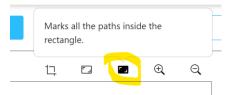


### Option 2

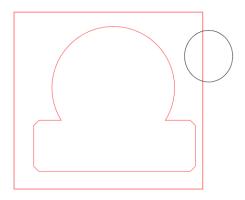
• While holding "Ctrl", click and draw a box around the items you want to populate.



• Use the select button to highlight the objects you wish to keep for population.



• After hitting the select button, the selected objects will turn red.



# **Completing your Selection**

• Press the crop button to remove unwanted items.



- Once you have isolated the items you want to populate press "Continue"
- The preview window will now contain only the objects you wish to populate.







### **Naming Objects**

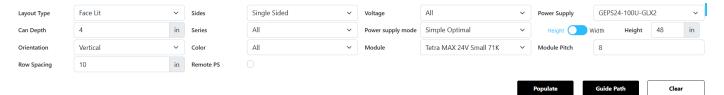
- Select the object you want to name by clicking on the border.
- A box will appear for assigning a name to the object.

# Enter Shape Attribute Order Number 1 Shape Name e Follow Shape

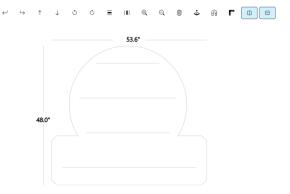
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- If the object is a letter or odd shape, keep the Follow Shape box checked.
- If an object is a standard shape (square, circle) it's best to uncheck this box.
- Objects will also be assigned a number in the order in which they are named.
  - This number determines how the order in which the objects are assigned to a power supply.
- Once you have named all the objects press Continue.
  - o This will finalize the artwork for population
  - You can see the object names in the preview screen when you hover over them.

### **Object population**

- You can now choose your sign parameters.
- You can size your object by entering either the known height or width dimensions.
- The Module Pitch field allows you to adjust the distance between modules in a row.
- The Row Spacing filed allows you to adjust the distance between multiple rows.



Pressing "Guide Path" will give you a preview of where the modules will be placed.

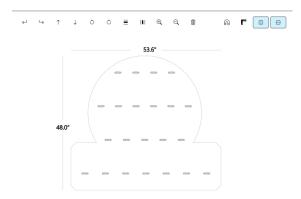








• Once you press the "Populate" button, your layout will be previewed below.



# **Editing Functions**



- Undo/Redo
- ↑ ↓ Increase/Decrease density
- O Rotate
- III ⊕ ⊖ Zoom functions
- Delete module
- Add module to guide path
- Measure Tool
  - Hold control when selected to draw a measurement line
- Add/Remove Dimensions