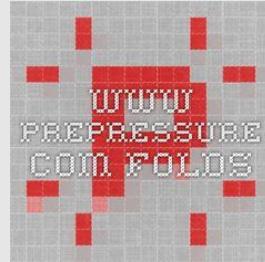


**Name of the Tool**

Printing dictionary

**Home Page**

The screenshot shows the homepage of PREPRESSURE.com. The background features a large, colorful graphic of a color fan deck. The main title "PREPRESSURE.com" is prominently displayed in the center. Below the title, there's a navigation menu on the left and a "Printing dictionary" section in the center. The "Printing dictionary" section includes a brief welcome message, a search bar, and a grid of letters from A to Z. To the right, there are sections for "About" and "Polls".

**Logo****URL**<https://www.prepressure.com/printing-dictionary>**Subject**

Printing – Dictionaries

**Accessibility**

Free

**Language**

English

**Publisher**

Prepressure.com

**Brief History**

This site was started around 1997 as a kind of HTML exercise. It originally ran on a web server of the city of Antwerp. The very first pages were created using Claris Homepage, a very basic HTML editor. Around 3000 people visited it in 1998. In 2001 the number of yearly visitors had increased to 40000.

**Scope and Coverage**

This dictionary covers multiple areas of the graphic design, prepress and print terminology. It also included publishing and

computer related terminology.

### ***Kind of Information***

Terms are available with definitions, explanation, examples and illustrations in this dictionary. See also reference is found after the meaning of the terms. Some of the entries are cross referenced.

#### **A4**

A4 is a popular paper size that is used for a wide range of documents, including magazines, catalogs, letters and forms. It measures 210 x 297 millimeters or 8.27 x 11.69 inches.

#### **A5**

A5 is a paper size that is often used for notepads or pocket books. It measures 148 x 210 millimeters or 5.83 x 8.27 inches.

#### **ampersand**

In Latin, this is the symbol for 'et' which means 'and'. The name is believed to be derived from the phrase 'and per se and'.



Ampersand

#### **fan book**

In a color matching system, a set of small color charts, similar to a deck of cards that have been fastened together with a clasp in one corner. The user can spread the charts and match a sample to the correct color patch.



#### **Microsoft Tag**

A 2D barcode that is used for adding web links or other types of information to a printed page or a web page. The technology is somewhat similar to [QR codes](#).

Short biography and their portrait (subject related personality) are available here. An example is given below.

**Baskerville, John**

English writing master, stonemason, letter designer, type founder and printer (1706-1775) who worked alongside William Caslon. He is one of the people who transformed English printing and type founding. Of course there is a font named after him.

***Special Features***

- ❖ It includes list of popular pages like PDF Editing , PDF Metadata , PDF Page Boxes , Preflight PDF Files, Paper Sizes etc.
- ❖ A prepressure blog is present and other additional blogs are present.

***Arrangement Pattern***

Printing related terms are arranged in alphabetic order. For example under the alphabet 'C' the terms canvas board, cap, cap height, capital, cap line, caps & lower case etc. are arranged in alphabetic sequence.

***Remarks***

This online dictionary of printing encompasses a good amount of area on print, graphics, paper etc. Though the little descriptions on various terms, it provides quick ideas on printing and others related concepts. This dictionary plays an undeniable role.

***Comparable Tools***

- Glossary of Printing & Graphic Terms  
(<http://printindustry.com/Glossary.aspx>)
- Glossary of Paper Terms  
(<http://www.neenahpaper.com/Resources/GlossaryTerms>)

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