

# Acrylic Prints



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Prints face mounted to acrylic is one of the fastest growing segments for wall décor graphics and signage. This is primarily due to high quality and durability. When using acrylic, all the attention is focused on the subject rather than the frame.

## Versatility

There are hundreds of combinations on how you can have your piece produced. The variables include the print material, type and thickness of acrylic, the backing, and display hardware. Most acrylics are constructed with the acrylic on top, the print, a backer, and then a cleat or standoffs to hang it on the wall.

## Print Material

When choosing a material to print on it is important that it has a smooth surface. Any texture in the surface will cause air bubbles in the mounting that will show in the final piece. For more detailed information on papers ask for a copy of "TDS001 Print Paper Options".

### C-Print

Our most economical paper for acrylic prints. It is printed with expanded gamut solvent dyes.

### Epson Premium Gloss

Our most popular paper for acrylic prints. Printed on an extended gamut printer with pigmented dyes it has a 200-year life.

### Epson Metallic

Adds a reflective quality to the print resulting in more contrast and brighter colors.

### Transparency

A film with a frosted back and designed to be lit from the rear. Today's LED lighting works great with this medium. The frosted back spreads the light so that it looks uniform.

## Acrylic

Most images are mounted behind the acrylic (2nd surface), however they can be front mounted if needed.

### Standard Acrylic

We offer 1/8" and, 1/4" thickness. Using thicker acrylic adds more depth to the image. We recommend 1/4" for most graphics.

### Non-Glare Acrylic

Non-Glare acrylic is available in both and 1/8" thickness. This eliminates glare and softens the image slightly.

### TruLife Acrylic

This is the best acrylic available. It is 1/8" thick and has amazing clarity, making colors appear much more vivid. Its anti-reflective coating allows you to see your image, not your reflection, and it's 99% UV Protection preserves the image for future generations. It also has anti-abrasive properties to prevent scratching.

## Finishing

### Hand Polished Edges

We recommend that 1/4" acrylic have the edges polished. 1/8" acrylic is thin enough that you generally don't see much of the side, so it is not required. Online orders include polished edges on 1/4".

### Shape Cutting

In addition to standard rectangles, we can also:

- Radius the corners
- Cut Ovals, Circles, Hexagons, & Octagons
- Cut to custom shapes.

## Backing

The backing serves to block light from shining through from the back and to give it support when hanging it using cleats or frame backs.

### Black or White PVC

This provides a backing that allows the use of cleats or other hardware to hang the graphic and give it a floating look. It is available in 2mm, 1/4", and 1/2". The thicker backs add a heavier feel to the graphic. 1/2" can be beveled to add a more dimensional look. 2mm black PVC is standard for online orders.

### Aluminum Composite Material

For large graphics that may need more structure, we recommend the use of Aluminum Composite Material (ACM). Most people know this as DiBond. This stronger backing prevents the acrylic from warping. This is available as an upgrade for online orders.

### Vinyl

It is not necessary to put a backing on when using standoffs, however you may want to consider applying a vinyl backer to block light and protect the print.

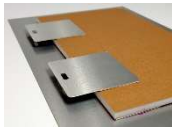
## Display Hardware

### Cleats



Cleats provide a sturdy hanger and make your images appear to float off the wall. We offer thicknesses of 1/4", 1/2", and 3/4".

### Shadow Mount



This is the most economical method of display. It consists of a Gatorfoam block with aluminum hangers allowing the acrylic to be hung on the wall with a nail or screw. Once hung it appears that the image is floating 1/2" from the wall. Online orders 20x24 and smaller include a shadow mount.

### Aluminum Frame Back



An aluminum frame is attached to the back of the acrylic. This frame can be hung using wire or a Z-Bar hanger. Once hung it appears that the image is floating 3/4" from the wall. Online orders larger than 20x24 include an Aluminum Frame Back.

### Standoffs



There is an almost unlimited variety of standoffs available. We are happy to help you navigate through the numerous options for standoffs. We have samples of most of these in our lobby and can help you choose the best one for your project.

## Acrylic Blocks

The image is printed on either gloss, metallic, or silver paper. It is then mounted on 1" thick acrylic with hand polished edges that give it a crystal look. Black vinyl is applied to the back to protect the print and give it a finished look. The block will free stand on a flat surface.



### Acrylic Blocks - 6 days

Size	Gloss
4x6	48.35
6x6	58.80
6x8	70.65
8x8	91.05
8x10	107.15

- Add \$10 for Fine Art Premium Gloss
- Add \$15 for Metallic

### Acrylic Prices - 6 days

Size	1/8" Acrylic	1/4" Acrylic	Non-Glare Acrylic	TruLife Acrylic
12x12	75.73	101.65	92.43	155.75
12x18	111.11	147.26	136.16	229.01
16x20	130.58	175.09	161.90	277.43
18x24	146.63	93.86	177.94	295.60
20x24	171.73	227.75	211.81	358.95
24x24	184.38	242.22	224.46	382.91
24x30	215.05	280.87	260.98	430.85
24x36	258.06	334.86	313.17	515.31
30x40	351.07	453.80	429.98	713.76
36x48	469.20	597.42	569.40	928.02
40x60	631.70	804.70	773.65	1,274.95
48x72	898.80	1,133.40	1,099.20	1,799.40

The above prices include:

- Epson Premium Gloss Print
- Polished edges on 1/4"
- 2mm black backer

Hanging hardware needs to be added to the above prices  
For other options or sizes please request a quote.

### Acrylic Options days

Size	Metallic Paper Upgrade	Aluminum Composite Backing	Shadow Mount	Frame Back	Cleats
12x12	3.98	14.70	9.00	25.00	20.00
12x18	5.64	22.05	9.00	25.00	20.00
16x20	5.97	27.56	15.00	28.00	20.00
18x24	8.06	27.56	15.00	34.00	24.08
20x24	8.24	35.28	15.00	36.00	26.75
24x24	9.89	32.34	N/A	40.00	32.10
24x30	11.83	40.43	N/A	46.00	38.52
24x36	14.19	48.51	N/A	52.00	46.22
30x40	17.92	69.46	N/A	62.00	56.18
36x48	25.80	88.20	N/A	76.00	77.04
40x60	32.25	124.95	N/A	92.00	107.00
48x72	N/A	176.40	N/A	112.00	134.82