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# PRINT in a tilkrok World

## TOP 3 BRAND TRENDS

Socially responsible branding









Brand inclusiveness through diversity and "real" consumers

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Technology-based brand strategy from ordering to awareness







**70**%

of people had higher

brand recall with printed marketing compared to digital marketing



**93%** of consumers say that visual appearance influences which products they buy

82% of millennials think that direct mail is more trustworthy than email and digital media

Colors

have a lot to do with how a brand markets itself.
Advertising designers are going gaga over colors to make their brand logo stand out from the competition while still being able to convey their messages.

85%

of consumers say that **color** is the main reason they push through with a sale

## Innovation for 2021

Innovation in 2021 will look radically different than years prior. Technology is transforming the industry with greater demand for security, increased personalization, improved sustainability and minimalism in design. Practicality takes a front seat with 3D printing applications, modular shipping containers and public health supporting elements.



## CUSTOM KIOSK WITH PARTITION

Modular kiosks with acrylic partitions are useful for in-store pickup, symptom testing and contact tracing forms.



Tyvek® Envelopes

## **ENHANCED FINISHES**







Mobile, easily refillable and storage space for four gallons, place these branded stations at every entry and common area.



#### **SEAT SAVERS**

New protocols make social distancing a priority, but not all furniture can move. Adding seat savers can easily (and with humor) indicate what's available and what's not.

## **MENUS**

Scan the QR code to start Use a coin to scratch, then sniff

each of the numbered circles

Depending on your location. you might need different types including disposable and laminated menus, washable synthetic menus, or even wall-sized menus.

SCENT CHECK

PRO

This paper can be sanitized!

Washable papers



#### **PACKAGING**

Sophisticated and unique packaging innovations meet exact needs and support quick turns, customization and market testing while reducing obsolescence.



#### SYMPTOM SCREENING

Nearly all states require symptom screening, and most include fever checks. Scent Check™ PRO for at-home or worksite smell testing adds another important laver. Studies show smell testing is "the best indicator for COVID-19," more reliable than fever or cough.\*

\*Global Consortium Cross-Sectional Study

Link: https://www.medrxiv.org/content/10.1101/2020.07.22.20157263v2

## **Specialty is Our Specialty**

**Business Identity Products** 

Innovations that redefine what's possible with print. Offering an everexpanding portfolio of products that set the benchmark for quality. Evolving capabilities provide new opportunities for products and services that are outside the traditional scope.



## **Enhanced Finish**Spot gloss adds a touch of shine



#### **Enhanced Finish**

Raised spot gloss brings your gloss to a new level



#### **Enhanced Finish**

Raised foil provides the effect of foil without a die



#### Raised Printing

Full or spot color adds texture and dimension



#### **Foil Stamping**

Traditional hot stamping provides a flat surface with shine



#### Foil Embossing

Traditional hot stamping with a raised look and feel



#### Blind Embossing

Raised look and feel sets your design apart



#### Blind Debossing

Creates a unique effect with a depressed design into the substrate

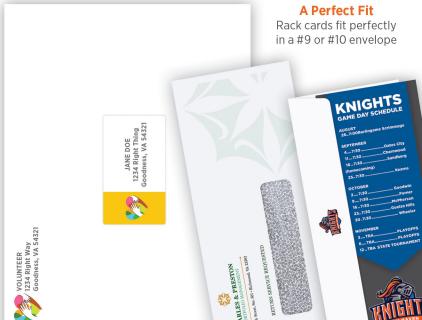




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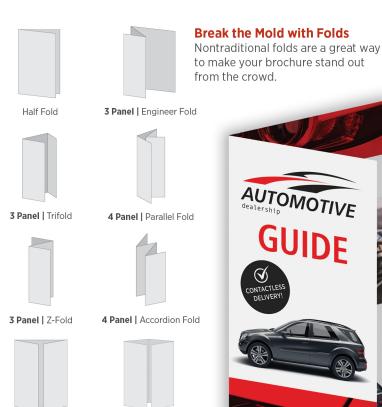
**Direct Mail Options** 

Recent studies indicate an increase in demand for direct mail. Tested and proven across every industry and category, direct mail provides one of the highest, most reliable ROIs of any advertising channel. Targeted, personal and measurable, with diverse package variations including announcements and postcards, or options like rack cards and matching envelopes.



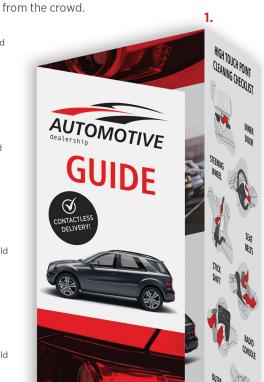
## **Expand Your Brand**

Elements That Support Brand Experience



4 Panel | Closed Gatefold

3 Panel | Gatefold



#### **Brochures for Sales Options**

Brochures are easy to distribute and a costeffective way to inform and build trust.

#### 2. Rear-view Door Hangers

Choose from two standard sizes of this versatile marketing tool that captures attention and informs.

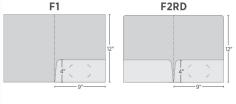
#### 3. Steering Wheel Tags

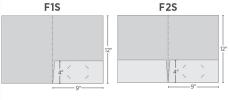
One size with a unique loop design to highlight cleanliness, detail cleaning or warranties.

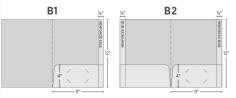




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- 4. Important Documents
  Custom letterhead
  and forms make it
  easy to personalize
  messages to
  customers with a
  branded touch.
- Leave-Behinds
  Hang tags create a
  branded touch to
  label important items
  or to send home with
  customers to keep
  your brand top of
  mind.
- 6. Branded Folders
  Perfect for holding
  and organizing
  important materials,
  promoting brand and
  making a memorable
  impression.

#### **Standard and Custom Pockets**

All of the standard and custom pocket options smartly present company image and help brands stand out.

## **Office Essentials**

Supplies for Home or Onsite Workplaces

Research shows work-from-home policies will become permanent for many and others will continue working remotely for at least the long-term.



Replenish key office supplies like letterhead and envelopes for day-to-day communications.



Update business cards, stamps and address labels with current contact information and correct mailing address.



Help employees stay organized with Post-it® Notes, for daily reminders and to-do lists.



Equip employees with branded pocket folders to keep important materials organized, filed and easily accessed.



Promote efficiency with custom whiteboards, wall calendars and communication boards that help teams track projects and tasks.





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Employers are doing what they can to make office spaces safer for their employees, keeping them well-informed, and helping them maintain safe distances and practice diligent hygiene protocols.



Staying organized is essential for the remote workforce.

Providing the right tools to remote employees helps keep them on task and on target. Consider updates to contact information if extended at-home work is foreseeable.

#### The Note You Know

 Unlike knock-off notes, genuine Post-it® Notes stick securely, remove cleanly and make a lasting impression for your client's business.

## Labels You'll Stick With

24-Hour Custom and Standard

Designed to perfectly fit your product and enhance its look, labels can be ordered in a variety of shapes and sizes, plus numerous substrates from standard white gloss to specialty options including foils, films and fluorescents.

- Many popular shapes and sizes
- 1-color or full-color imprint options
- Indoor stocks include paper, films, foil and fluorescent
- Outdoor stocks include metallic, white, removable and reflective







## **Designed and Ready-to-Go**

Stock Label Opportunities

These labels are preprinted with colorful and useful designs coming in packs or rolls for easy ordering. Choose from directional floor decals, healthy hygiene reminders or safety seals to help your customers in need of a speedy solution for their businesses.

- Popular and relevant messages
- Low minimums starting at packs of 10 or rolls of 250
- Quick Turn: orders in by 1:00 p.m. (CT) will ship the following day
- Floor decals are UL 410 non-slip approved

#### **Stock Label Tip**

Ask about all the ready-made design options.



## **Everyday Label Options**

Essential and Unique Uses

Customers do not buy products if they don't trust the packaging. Professional labels are a sign of a reliable product and can convey one-time callouts or make lasting impressions.

 Window decals have a special adhesive that allows you to remove and reposition multiple times on a clean surface and leaves no residue.







# Why Use Labels in Your Marketing & Branding?

As buyers become more discerning of the products and services they buy, labels visually connect consumers with products and services. Labels are on-site marketing tools that make your product stand out, keep your brand front and center, and convey vital information such as ingredients, instructions and warnings.

 Bumper stickers offer free gloss lamination to provide protection against moisture, scratching and outside



## **Step Up Your Shelf Game**

Shelf Appeal with Labels and Packaging

Unique stocks and special printing effects combine to create one-of-a-kind products that cause shelf disruption and engage customers.

- Make your product quickly identifiable with unique and spectacular effects
- Add eye-catching dimensional touches
- Protect brand and images with watermarks and security features
- Break through the clutter with bold differentiators in inks and substrates

#### **Perfect Pairing**

Double the impact and consistency when your product labeling matches the package.









Consumers form an opinion about a brand the moment they see the labels and packaging. Both traditional and digital printing methods upgrade branded packaging to a branded experience. New technologies support niche and craft businesses, allowing as low as a 250 minimum order quantity. Custom finishes and coatings add pizazz and make products stand out on the shelf. Embellishing processes highlight design elements, elevate the tactile experience and add dimension.

Die-cut Label









## **Grab Attention Curbside**

Personalize Buildings to Boulevards

#### 1. Banners

Whether celebrating events or promoting sales, banners are a great way to capture attention.

#### 2. Sail Flags

Bring attention to entrance points, hand sanitizer stands, restrooms and concessions.

#### 3. A-Frames

Freestanding A-frame signage is an ideal way to promote sales, guide attendees through events, and more.

#### 4. Yard Signs

Yard signs can be used to convey important messages like the hours you're open or setting up appointments.

#### 5. Floor Decals

Use directional floor decals to guide customers and maintain safe social distancing.



From Vacant to Vibrant





## Make A Space Your Own

Custom Signage Creates Branded Spaces

#### 6. Wall and Counter Decals

Easy to reposition time and again, decals are great for adding artwork to counter-tops, walls, and more.

#### Window Decals

Full-color decals on your choice of white or clear stock bring full-color photographs, logos, marketing messages and more to windows.

#### 8. Table Tents, Pedestal Signs, Desk/Wall Signs

With a wide variety of signage size options ideal for marking offices and cubicles, or guiding visitors through offices, these versatile signage options can be used in a wide variety of settings. Full-color print allows for even more versatility, highlighting logos, photography, and more.

#### 9. Acrylic Desk and Wall Signs

Our line of acrylic products brings an upscale look to signage and award favorites. These full-color subsurface print and engraved acrylic products are perfect for creating a unique look in corporate, retail, healthcare, hospitality, and restaurant environments.

## **GROWING TRENDS**

## **& MARKETS**

Businesses and workplaces have seen major shifts in how business is conducted as well as the industries and verticals that are seeing growth.

#### **Cannabis & CBD**

- Custom labels and packaging help elevate CBD brands
- Specialty business identity products add a high-end touch
- Use signage to highlight brand messaging





#### Work From Home

- Send care packages to employees working remotely
- Personalized Post-it® Notes are perfect for a home office
- Promo products are perfect for employee recognition

New products are being developed to **fit the growing need** and importance of creating spaces in which customers, students and employees feel safe.

#### Healthcare

- · Symptom checking tools
- Pop-up screening and testing stations

#### K-12 & Higher Education

- · Display building policies with signage
- Custom folders for distance learning packets
- Recognize students and factions with yard signs



**SAFETY**IS PARAMOUNT

# RETHINK TRADITIONAL MARKETS & INDUSTRIES



#### Retail Stores

- Highlight sales with retractable banners
- Build a brand with labels and packaging
- Direct shoppers with floor and wall decals





### **Product Listing**

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Blank Envelopes Included
- Color Core
- Enhanced Finishes
- Extra Thick
- Foldover & Card Styles
- Full-Color & Spot Color
- Panel & Non-Panel Designs
- Raised Print & Flat Print
- Response Cards & Envelopes
- Specialty Printing

#### **AWARDS & GIFTS**

- Awards
- Clear Acrylic Wall Art
- Coasters
- Full-Color & Engraved
- Luggage Tags
- Portfolios

#### **BADGES**

- Badge Talkers
- Clear Acrylic, Metal, Plastic, & Wood
- Full-Color & Engraved
- ID Badges
- Reusable Badges

#### BANNERS

- Durable & Value
- Gloss
- Mesh
- Pennant Durable & Value
- Retractable Banners & Stands

#### **BUSINESS CARDS**

- ASTROBRIGHTS® Papers
- Color Core
- Die Cut
- New! Enhanced Finishes
- Extra Thick
- Fold-Over
- Full-Color & Spot Color
- Magnetic
- PVC
- Raised Print & Flat Print
- Rounded Corners
- New! Shaped
- Soft Touch
- · Specialty Printing

#### **CHECKS & FORMS**

- Business Checks
- Custom Full-Color & Spot Color
- Deposit Slips
- Gift Certificates
- Invoice Forms & Books
- Purchase Order Forms & Books
- Receipt Books
- Register Forms
- Repair Forms
- Road Service Books
- Sales Order Forms

#### CHECKS & FORMS (cont'd)

- Service Forms
- Shipping Forms

#### **DECALS - Wide Format**

- Floor
- Full-Color & Vinyl Cut
- Perforated
- Wall & Counter
- Window

#### **ENVELOPES**

- · Booklet & Catalog
- · Flip and Seal
- Full-Color & Spot Color
- · Peel and Seal
- Stationery
- Standard Business
- Security Tint
- New! Tyvek®
- Window

#### **LABELS**

- · Barcoding
- Beer & Wine
- Bumper Stickers
- · Coupons & Clean Release
- · Direct Thermal
- Embossed
- Foil Stamping
- Food & Beverage
- Freeform<sup>™</sup> Laser Cut
- Industrial / Durable / Outdoor
- · Laser Sheets
- Mailing & Shipping
- Parking Permits

#### LABELS (cont'd)

- Reflective
- Sticker Sheets
- Stock Design Labels
- Tech Decals
- Thermal Transfer
- · Variable Data & Imaging
- · Water Bottle
- Window Decals

#### LETTERHEADS

- Full-Color & Spot Color
- Raised Print & Flat Print
- Specialty Printing

#### MARKETING MATERIALS

- ASTROBRIGHTS® Papers
- Booklets
- Brochures
- Bookmarks
- Door Hangers
- New! Enhanced Finishes
- Event Tickets
- · New! Glitter Stocks
- New! Hang Tags
- Magnets
- Memo Pads
- Playing Cards
- Postcards
- Posters
- Rack Cards
- Sales Sheets
- New! Synthetic Stock
- Trading Cards

#### **PACKAGING**

- Belly Bands
- New! Bottle Neckers
- New! Custom Cartons
- Gift Card Carriers
- New! Hang Tags
- New! Standard Cartons

#### Post-it® Notes

- Acrylic Holders
- Cubes
- Full-Color & Spot Color

#### PRESENTATION FOLDERS

- Box Pocket
- Card Carriers
- Certificate Holders
- Cheer Products
- Expandable
- File (Pocket/No-Pocket)
- Inserts (Stitched/Stepped)
- Legal
- Literature
- Loose Pocket
- Mailers
- Mini
- Portfolios
- Secured Pocket
- Specialty
- Standard
- Table Tents
- Tax Covers
- Tri-Panel
- Vertical Pocket

#### PROMOTIONAL PRODUCTS

- Bags
- Balloons
- Buttons
- Calendars
- Cell Phone Accessories
- Drinkware
- Journals
- Key Fobs
- Lip Balm
- Magnets
- Mint Dispensers
- Mugs
- Napkins
- Planners
- Writing Instruments

#### SAFETY PRODUCTS

- . New! Acrylic Partitions
- New! Disposable Mask Hooks
- New! Face Masks
- New! Hand Sanitizer Stations
- . New! Seat Savers
- New! Scent Check™
- New! Scent Check™ PRO

#### SIGNAGE

- · A-Frame Sandwich Boards
- ADA Specialty Signage
- · Clear Acrylic Wall & Desk Signs
- Clear Acrylic Table Top Signs
- Communication Boards
- · Desk Signage & Desk Bars
- Foam Board Signs
- Full-Color & Engraved

#### SIGNAGE (cont'd)

- Interior Plastic Signs
- Magnetic Signs
- Plastic Table Tents
- Plastic Pedestal Signs
- · New! Sail Signs
- Yard Signs

#### STAMPS & EMBOSSERS

- Daters
- Embossers & Notary Accessories

- Stamp Pads
- Traditional Rubber Stamps







