

Streamline Your Prepress Production Workflow

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Cadmus Production Portal empowers you with a comprehensive toolset for complete visibility into the prepress production process while accelerating schedules, reducing costs and improving communications. This powerful web portal streamlines file submission, fosters collaboration among your team, enables online soft-proofing and simplifies page status tracking.

Reduce costs and prepress cycle time

With centralized online collaboration and tracking, you can reduce material and courier costs by omitting hard-copy content proofing cycles. Online page submission also provides greater flexibility in dealing with last minute changes.

Cadmus Production Portal at a glance

- Increase visibility into your prepress workflow with real-time access
- Collaborate with other users across multiple sites
- Reduce errors through improved communication
- Select the level of automation to meet your needs
- Shorten lead times with an automated prepress workflow
- Increase flexibility for last minute changes
- Decrease material, delivery and courier costs

The screenshot displays the Cadmus Production Portal interface. At the top, the logo for CADMUS COMMUNICATIONS (A Cenevo Company) is visible. The navigation bar includes links for Home, Customers, Acme Publications, Overview, and Administration, along with the user name Barbara Moore. The main content area is titled '123456_AcmeTimes' and features tabs for Summary, Pages, Downloads, and History. On the left, there are filters for Status (All Pages), Reviewer (All), and Signature (All). Below these are 'Page Groups' (All, Unfiled, Editorial, Full Page Ads) and a checkbox for 'Show pages in sub-groups'. The central area shows a grid of 32 pages, each with a thumbnail, a status icon (green checkmark or red X), and a 'select' button. The pages are labeled from 08BRCND to 21BRCND. A right-hand sidebar contains various tool icons for file management and navigation.

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Eliminate miscommunications with sharing of information

Cadmus Production Portal replaces less efficient methods of communication by equipping you with a collaborative environment for viewing, approving, tracking and commenting on pages in a centralized system that the entire team can access.

Access real-time prepress information from anywhere, anytime

Print buyers, prepress operators, customer service representatives and other qualified personnel can securely access, track and collaborate on pages from any location with a web-enabled computer. You can upload and download pages, proof online across geographically dispersed locations, append annotations and comments, approve or reject pages, and access secure page-status reporting.

Securely submit, access and track the status of your pages

SSL (Secure Socket Layers) encryption ensures that only authorized users have access to your prepress workflow.

Choose the workflow that best meets your needs

With Cadmus you can automate the prepress production process to the level that meets your needs. From uploading files through approving pages, make your workflow work for you. We offer four workflows comprised of various levels of automation.

- **File transfer only** - In this scenario, Cadmus Production Portal is used solely for transferring files into the Cadmus production system and includes online access for viewing your upload history.

- **File transfer and soft-proofing** - After your files are uploaded into the Cadmus production system, the Cadmus prepress production team certifies and processes your files for print production. You are notified through email when the files are ready for approval. If revised files are needed, they are uploaded through the portal and the process cycles until all pages are approved.

- **Semi-automated prepress workflow** - The automation increases in this workflow but still allows for manipulation of files. Files are processed automatically upon upload and processing results are accessible through the portal. Files are held for review or other manipulation by the Cadmus prepress production team as required for your project. You can upload revised files through the portal and the process cycles until all pages are approved.

- **Fully automated prepress workflow** - Approve pages right away with our fully automated workflow. After files are uploaded, they are automatically processed and a soft-proof is generated for your approval. You have access to the processing information and can upload revised files through the portal.

Cadmus Production Portal Key Features

- Real-time access to page approval status
- SSL encryption for secure login, uploads and downloads
- Online collaboration with multiple users across sites
- Email notification of changes and other actions
- Integrated soft-proofing with production workflows
- Standard browser compatibility

To learn more about how Cadmus Production Portal can streamline the prepress production workflow for your print jobs, email solutions@cadmus.com or visit our website at www.cadmus.com.