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Technical Specifications

Online, E-Newsletter & Webinars



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This document outlines the specifications AIA member companies should adhere to when submitting materials for Vision Online advertising, E-Newsletter advertising and webinar sponsorships.

Materials submitted must comply with the requirements outlined in this document.

DUE DATES

Online and E-Newsletter ads and logo require ready-to-use digital files or images in advance of run date. All files must be 72 dpi, RGB and files must not exceed size limits.

Webinar logos are due upon sponsorship booking and webinar presentations are due two weeks in advance of live webinar.

All files should be emailed to webmaster@a3automate.org.

DIGITAL ADVERTISING AND E-NEWSLETTER SPECIFICATIONS



HOME PAGE LEADERBOARD AND INTERNAL LEADERBOARD ADS

Please supply the URL for the file. Jpeg and gif files must be 150K or less; flash files must be 250K or less. When providing a flash file (.swf), you must also provide a static file (.jpg or .gif).

Dimensions (pixels): 728 x 90 **Size:** 250K or less
Formats: JPG / GIF / SWF **Animation Length (seconds):** 20 sec.

BUTTON ADS

Please supply a URL for the file. All Button Ads must contain a black, 1 pixel rule around the ad unless the background color of the ad is black. Animated gif ads should have a rule around each frame.

Dimensions (pixels): 150 x 150 **Size:** 250K or less
Formats: JPG / GIF / SWF **Animation Length (seconds):** 20 sec.

SEARCH BANNER ADS (COMPANY OR PRODUCT)

Please supply a URL for the file.

Dimensions (pixels): 440 x 50 **Size:** 30K or less **Formats:** JPG Only

SKYSCRAPER ADS

Please supply a URL for the file. Jpeg and gif files must be 150K or less; flash files must be 250K or less. When providing a flash file (.swf), you must also provide a static file (.jpg or .gif). Please also provide a color company logo file in addition to the 150x600 ad. Logo file should be 72 dpi.

Dimensions (pixels): 150 x 600 **Size:** 250K or less
Formats: JPG / GIF / SWF **Animation Length (seconds):** 20 sec.

BOOMBOX ADS

Please supply a URL for the file.

Dimensions (pixels): 500 x 90 **Size:** 100K or less **Formats:** JPG / GIF

EXCLUSIVE SLIDE-IN STANDARD ADS

Please supply a URL for the file.

Dimensions (pixels): 250 x 250 **Size:** 100K or less
Formats: JPG / GIF **Animation Length (seconds):** 20 sec.

E-NEWSLETTER ADS

E-Newsletter Logo Ads - Your company logo will be pulled from your Vision Online company profile page. If your logo is not uploaded to the website please send a JPG or GIF file 250 pixels wide or larger. Logo files must be 72 dpi and in RGB format.

E-Newsletter Spotlight Ads - Provide 600 x 125, JPG or GIF file. Files must be 72 dpi and RGB format. Include URL.

FEATURED PRODUCT ADS

Featured products ads are built by the website with the images and text you supply for the ad and for the Product Catalog. The title provided will be edited to be capitalized, unless stated otherwise.

Three image sizes need to be supplied (full and thumbnail).

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| Version: Full | Dimensions (pixels): 300 x 300 | Restrictions: Height or Width May Be Smaller |
| Version: Thumbnail | Dimensions (pixels): 150 x 150 | Restrictions: Exact Size |
| Version: Homepage | Dimensions (pixels): 200x150 | Restrictions: Exact Size |

In addition to the full and thumbnail images, please provide the following text:

- Title - maximum is 35 characters (including spaces)
- Descriptive text for ad (teaser text) - maximum is 120 characters (including spaces)
- Detailed product description – maximum 2000 characters (including spaces)

Featured Product ads link to your product in the Product Catalog (see specs below).

PRODUCT CATALOG

Your products/services will all link to your **Company Profile Page** , which has your full contact details, link to your website plus your company videos, news, articles and technical papers listed.

There are two image sizes that should be uploaded for product/services: Full and Thumbnail. Below are the specifications for both file sizes.

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| Version: Full | Dimensions (pixels): 300 x 300 | Restrictions: Height or Width May Be Smaller |
| Version: Thumbnail | Dimensions (pixels): 150 x 150 | Restrictions: Exact Size |

Upon upload of the thumbnail version, the website will automatically create a second thumbnail file (for use in search results) with the exact proportions - just smaller (50x50). This does not require any other files to be submitted. The website will not resize or crop the full version to fit within the thumbnail version. Therefore, if only the full version is supplied, the thumbnail will remain blank. If only the thumbnail version is supplied, the full version will remain blank.

You will be asked to provide a product or service name, optional model number and a detailed description of your product (**up to 2000 characters including spaces**). Avoid using your company name in the product name as your company name will automatically appear. You will also be able to assign specific categories to your products/services. All files must be 72 dpi, RGB and files must not exceed size limits.

VISION STANDARDS REGISTERED PRODUCTS

If you have registered your product in the GigE Vision, Camera Link, Camera Link HS or USB3 Vision standard product registration program (and the product has been approved by the AIA), please check the appropriate box on the submission form. All compliant products will be searchable through the Vision Standards page as well as the Find a Product page on our website. All compliant products will receive the compliant seal in the catalog (subject to compliancy verification).

ANIMATED FILE REQUIREMENTS

GIF files may be animated. Recommended animation length is no longer than 20 seconds and includes multiple loops. **Animation must stop after 20 seconds** .

Flash (SWF) banners and buttons submitted to the website must include the common “clickTag” code for linking to a website. The code below should be included on all buttons within the Flash ad. **Animation must stop after 20 seconds** .

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on (release) {  
    getURL(_root.clickTAG, "_blank"); }  
}
```

Including the _root is not a requirement for “clickTag”, but is preferred so as Flash buttons in multiple layers of the advertisement will click correctly. Additional information regarding the use of clickTag for online advertising can be found at the Adobe website: <http://www.adobe.com/resources/richmedia/tracking>.

Upon submitting artwork for an ad, you will be asked to supply a website address to where the ad should link when clicked. Direct URLs embedded in a Flash document should not be utilized for advertising on the Vision Online website.

Flash advertising MUST also be accompanied by a static JPG or GIF of the same ad.

WEBINAR SPONSORSHIP SPECIFICATIONS



WEBINAR SPONSOR

- Provide a color company logo file. Logo files must be 72 dpi; JPG or GIF; file size must not exceed 30 kb; and files must be RGB.
- Provide contact information for the person that should receive the leads generated from the webinar.

WEBINAR SPONSOR & PRESENTER

- Provide a color company logo file. Logo files must be 72 dpi; JPG or GIF; file size must not exceed 30 kb; and files must be RGB.
- Provide contact information for the presenter and the person that should receive the leads generated from the webinar.
- The presenter will give a live, non-commercial webinar presentation (up to one hour), moderated by AIA, on a mutually agreed upon date.
- The presenter will provide content in an AIA PowerPoint template which will be sent to AIA one week in advance of the live webinar. The PowerPoint presentation will include a title slide, sponsor slide (presenter company logo + any other sponsor logos) and exit slides with sponsor logos and presenter contact information.
- The presenter does one practice run-through of the presentation with AIA staff prior to the live date to get familiar with the Go To Webinar software used for webinars.

EXCLUSIVE WEBINAR SPONSOR

- Provide a color company logo file. Logo files must be 72 dpi; JPG or GIF; file size must not exceed 30 kb; and files must be RGB.
- Provide contact information for the presenter and the person that should receive the leads generated from the webinar.
- The presenter will give a live, non-commercial webinar presentation (up to one hour), moderated by AIA, on a mutually agreed upon date.
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