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## Epson Stylus Pro 9900 Large Format Printer

### Guide to Contract Services Offered by NextFab Studio Overview

The Epson Stylus Pro 9900 is our large-format fine art and commercial printer. It features Epson's High Dynamic Range pigment inks, offering quality and true archival printing. The ink will last up to 200 years, although the longevity of the media varies. The printer has eleven individual ink cartridges for a wide color gamut.

This printer can print up to 43.75" wide. Please note that borderless printing is available only on roll media. Printing speed is approximately 40 square feet per hour.

To request contract printing services:

1. Submit your printing request in person or by email to [quotes@nextfabstudio.com](mailto:quotes@nextfabstudio.com). We have specific file guidelines listed below in the File Setup section.
2. We will estimate job setup and media costs and provide a quote for your approval.
3. Upon approval, we will run the job and notify you when the prints are ready for pickup. See payment terms below.

## Media

Roll media is sold by the linear foot and includes ink in the price. The cost calculated for roll prints is determined by the length used on the roll rounded up to the next linear foot, regardless of the image size or ink coverage. The 9900 rolls are 44" wide, so prints can be up to 43.75" wide.

If you would like to provide your own media, please contact us to ensure compatibility with our process. Prints on customer media are priced based on ink consumption, file preparation and job setup. NextFab Studio does not take responsibility for damage from the printing process on customer-supplied materials.

Below is a list of the media we stock; we welcome any additional media suggestions.

<b>Epson Presentation Matte Paper</b> – Ultra-smooth, non-glare, heavy-weight paper for long-lasting photos and professional-looking brochures.
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<b>Epson Premium Luster Photo Paper</b> – A professional photography paper with a semi-gloss finish.
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<b>Crane Museo Silver Rag</b> – This paper has the semi-gloss look of a traditional air-dried fiber print with the feel of a fine cotton paper.
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### Please include the following information in your request for contract work:

- Your file(s) for printing.
- Media specifications: Please specify media type from NextFab's stock, or let us know if you'll be providing your own media.
- Desired completion date - typical job turnaround is two to three business days but is subject to change depending on job size and machine availability.
- Any special packaging or wrapping requests - our default packaging is rolled with a paper wrapping.

## File Preparation

NextFab Studio offers file preparation services for the Epson 9900. However, if you'd like to set up your own file, here are some guidelines.

### File Resolution:

The resolution of the file determines the quality of the print. This resolution is different than the resolution the printer outputs to the paper. File resolution is generally determined by dividing dots-per-inch of print by four. The pixels-per-inch of the file should be set to approximately match this number. For example, if printing at 1440 dpi, set the file resolution to 360 ppi (1440 divided by 4 equals 360).

### Print Resolution:

The Epson 9900 has several preset resolutions:

Draft	180 or 360 dpi
Fine	720 or 1440 dpi
Super Photo	1440 or 2880 dpi

Please submit your files in RGB color mode to preserve a wide color gamut.

If color management is critical, we will produce a proof or test strip for your approval. After approval and calibration, we will print the job.

We can take a file and format it for an hourly fee. However, if the file has a low resolution, we cannot guarantee an acceptable print.

NextFab Studio can transform a sketch on paper or a description of the graphic into a digital file suitable for printing.

In a written description, be sure to include dimensions, material type and any special directions when requesting a quote. If you would like a sketch transformed into a digital file, please bring the sketch, or scan it an email it to us. The scan should be at 300 dpi and the smallest dimension should be no less than 6".

### Test Strips

We will make a test strip (44" x 8") or proof upon request.

Silver rag	\$8
Matte or Luster	\$5

### Acceptable file formats for the Epson 9900 include:

.tif	.pdf
.eps	.jpg
.psd	

### Email questions, files and printing contract work to:

[quotes@nextfabstudio.com](mailto:quotes@nextfabstudio.com).

## Pricing / Payment Terms

Prints on the Epson Stylus Pro 9900 are priced per linear foot of media used. Ink and machine time are included in this pricing. Jobs over \$500 require 25% deposit prior to initiation of work. Payment due in full upon delivery. All major credit cards accepted.