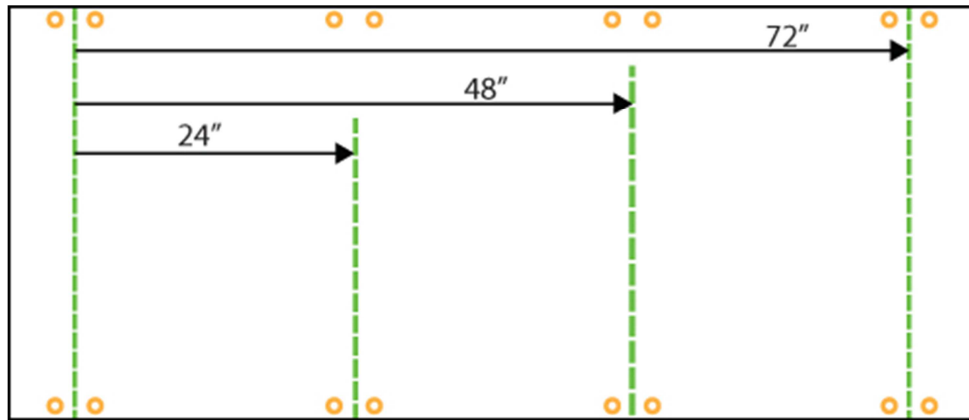


The Mutoh Ready2Print Pre-Grommeted Digital Print Banner Material is designed with double grommets on 24" centers, for easy fabrication of banners in 2 foot increments. The ValueJet 1204GA is designed with grooves in the platens to accommodate the grommets, giving you a designed application to easily create banners with no additional finishing needed. No need to add grommets, no need to sew, just print and cut for finished banners.



Media should always be cut halfway between the two closely spaced grommets.

Printer should be set up to initialize "Top and Width" under the Set-Up Menu and always place head in high position (lever up). This will measure the "Top" (the leading edge of the media) and will start printing at the proper location on the banner.

With this method, printing will start at approx 0.125" (3mm) from the leading edge (Top) of the media. So for printing individual banners, the design should actually be 0.25" (6mm) smaller overall to meet the 24" (610 mm) centers. I.e. a "24" inch long banner will actually need to be designed at 23.75" (604mm) long, a "48" inch long banner will be 47.75" (1,213mm) long, a "72" inch long banner will be 71.75" (1,823 mm), a "96" inch banner will be 95.75" (2,432 mm) , etc.

For single banners, simply lift the media lever after cutting the banner off in the center between the close grommets, let the printer initialize on top and width, it will then be ready for printing again.

For printing multiple banners, a bottom margin of approx 0.25 (6mm) will need to be setup in the RIP to maintain the 24 inch centering. In practice, there will be variations depending on straightness of the cut and the PF Adjustment set for the media.

1. For best results and smooth operation, media needs to be cut smoothly and straight.

A straight edge is necessary for proper alignment of the leading edge for the start of printing, and to insure that media is located properly under the head for trouble free operation.

2. If printing over the grommets, please wipe the grommets clean, as the ink will not dry properly, Please allow the banner itself to dry, this should be accomplished as the banner passes the dryer platen.

You can size your prints to print between the grommets and not on the grommets for best results.