

10 Points List Investment in a Digital Finishing Solution

Don't forget about these 10 key factors for choosing a new digital finishing solution:

- 1 Analysis of your job mix to see what basic type of finishing is required.
- 2 Determine what product variability challenges exist within your daily production.
- 3 Understand what level of finishing automation is required to maximize system productivity.
- 4 Evaluate how important 100% content validation is to your clients.
- 5 Ensure that its end-to-end process monitoring provides an audit trail for regulatory compliance.
- 6 Consider whether a near-line or in-line workflow is better for your new digital initiative.
- 7 Assess if your solution must have "hybrid" offset and digital finishing capabilities.
- 8 Workflow must be "file-to-finished product" not simply "file-to-print".
- 9 Include flexibility to address the somewhat uncertain nature of the evolution of this paradigm shift to digital.
- 10 Be sure to build in a certain level of investment protection for future growth.