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For Adobe InDesign CS5
5.5 x 8.5 book, 221-248 pages

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Yellow area is the Spine. Type should run from top to bottom. Also, leave 1/2” free space at top and bottom.

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When you are finished with the layout, save your InDesign file for future editing. Then select “File > Adobe PDF Presets > Press Quality” to create a PDF file. **Examine the resulting PDF carefully before sending it to us.** The yellow and pink elements are set to “Non-Printing.” If they appear in your PDF, do the Export to PDF again, but be sure the “include non-printing items” option in the Export dialog box is UNchecked.

Bleed (pink area): 0.125
inches on all sides

Height
(with bleed):
8.75 inches

(Height
without bleed
8.5 inches)

Back Cover: 5.5 inches

Spine: 0.5625 inches

Front Cover: 5.5 inches

Width of whole document (with bleed): 11.8125 inches

(Width of whole document without bleed: 11.5625 inches)