

Using the Adobe® Photoshop® CD Template With Macintosh® OS X

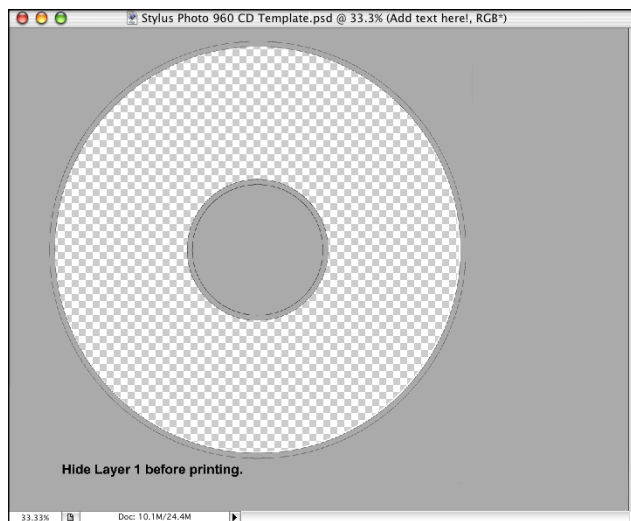
Follow the instructions here to use the template you downloaded to print your designs on CDs or DVDs using Adobe Photoshop or Photoshop Elements for OS X.

Note: The template shown in the illustration below may look slightly different from the actual template you downloaded.

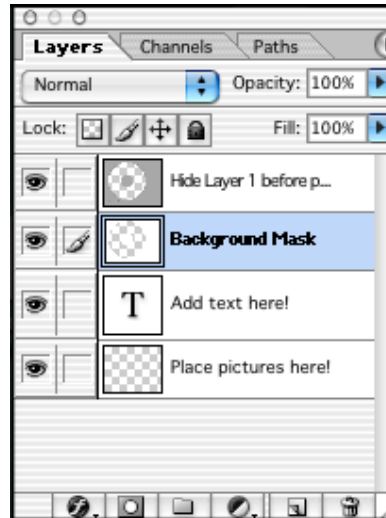
1. Follow the instructions in your printer documentation to load a printable CD or DVD in your printer. (You may want to print on a practice disc before printing on your final disc.) Open the printer cover and make sure the CD tray is pushed straight against the right side before continuing.
2. Open the downloaded template file in Photoshop.



Note: These instructions assume you know how to use the basic functions of Photoshop and work with layers. If you need help, see your Photoshop documentation or contact Adobe.

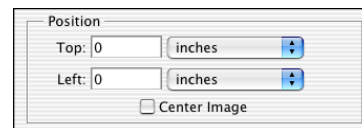
3. If you see a message asking what you want to do with the embedded color profile, select the **Use embedded profile** option. You see the CD template in the Photoshop window:



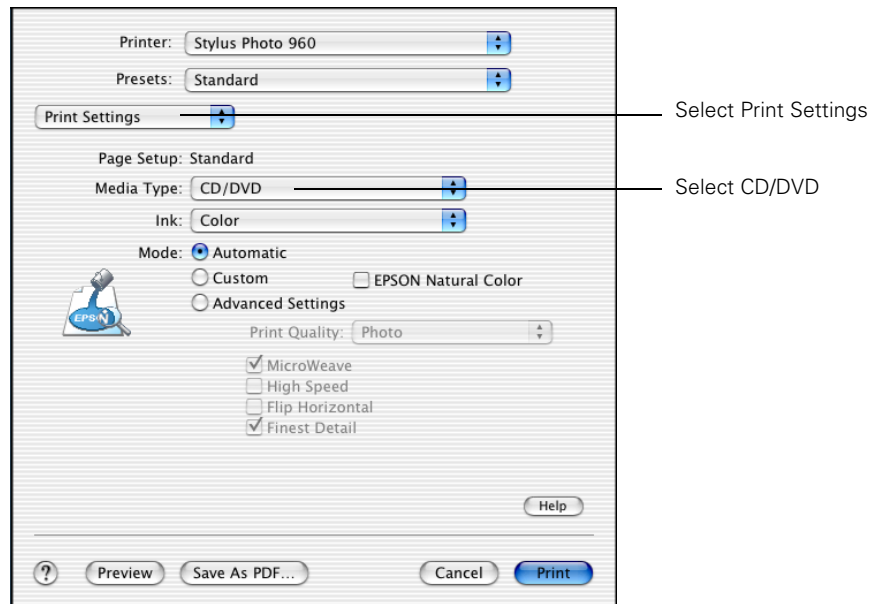
4. If necessary, open the Layers palette. You see the template layers:



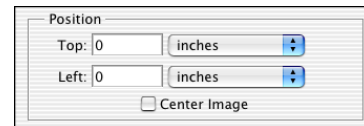
5. To place pictures in the template, open an image file and select the layer your image is on, if necessary. Click the **Place pictures here** layer in the Layers palette in the template window, then drag your picture onto the template. Size and modify your picture as desired.
6. To add text to your design, double-click the **T Add text here** layer thumbnail in the Layers palette. A cursor appears in the template. Type, move, and format your text as desired.
7. Add any other Photoshop effects that you want to use. See Photoshop Help for instructions.
8. When your design is finished, you must hide layer 1 before printing it on your CD or DVD. Click the  icon next to the **Hide Layer 1 before printing** layer in the Layers palette.
9. When you're ready to print, select **File > Print with Preview**.
10. Click **Page Setup**, then select your printer in the Format for drop-down menu. Select **US Letter** as the Page Size and  (portrait) as the Orientation, then click **OK**.
11. On the Print with Preview screen, make sure the **Center Image** checkbox is not checked and the **Top** and **Left** Position settings are 0.



12. Click **Print**, then select your printer in the Printer drop-down menu.
13. Select **Print Settings** in the Copies & Pages drop-down menu.
14. Select **CD/DVD** as the Media Type setting and click **Print**.



Note: If your CD template prints in an incorrect position, adjust the Top and Left Position settings in the Print with Preview window in 0.2 mm increments until it is positioned correctly.



If you need to adjust the color brightness, contrast, or saturation, use the controls available in Photoshop. Then try printing your CD or DVD again.

If ink gets on the CD tray, clean it with a paper towel moistened with warm water and dry it thoroughly.

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