

USING APERTURE 3.0 TO CREATE PIKTO PHOTOBOOKS

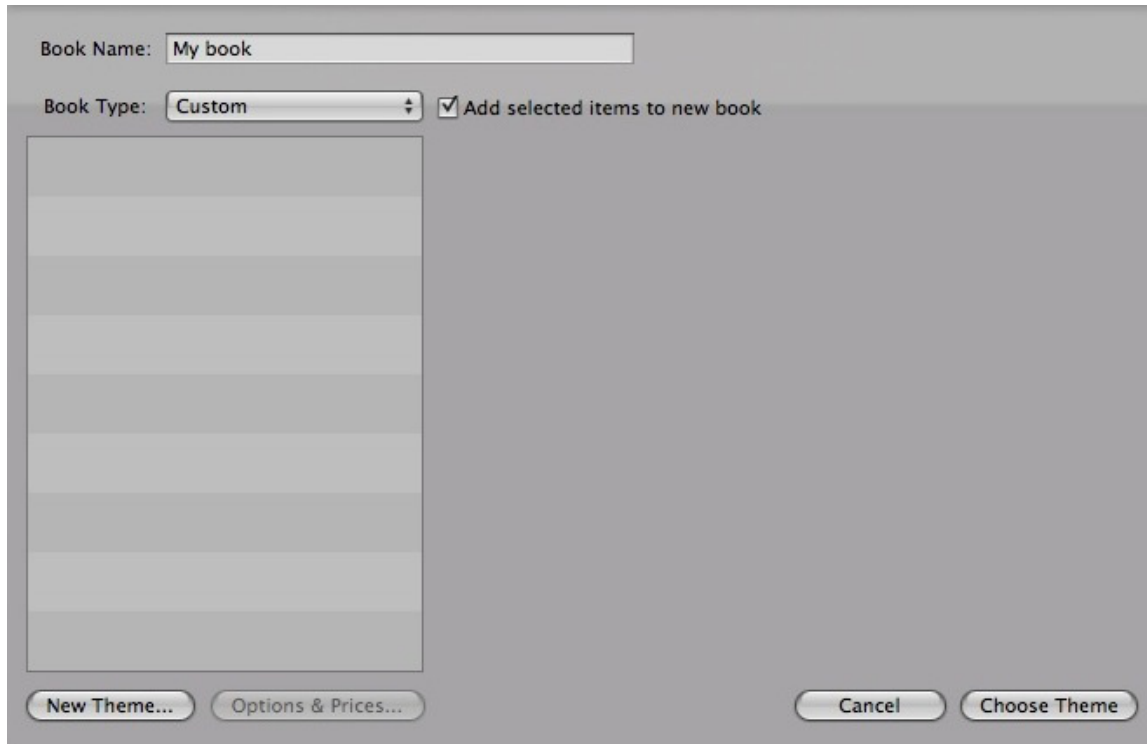
BEFORE STARTING:

You can create print ready PDF files for any book size that Pikto offers. To get started, create a new Book project under the “New” icon.

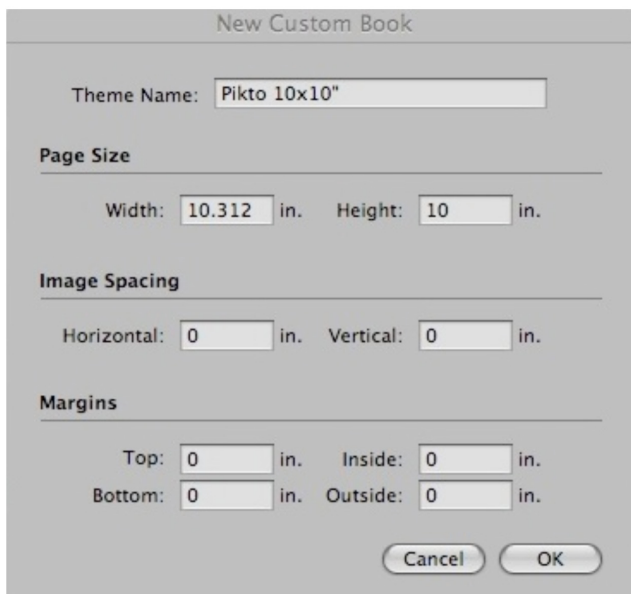
OVERVIEW:

Aperture 3.0 features built-in book sizes and the ability to create custom sizes. To create a custom size follow the steps below:

1. After selecting New :Book select “Custom” under size



2. Select “New Theme” and use the table below to specify the size you require:



PIKTO BOOK SIZES	WIDTH	HEIGHT
6x8" Landscape	8.375"	6"
6x8" Portrait	6.5"	8"
8x8"	8.75"	8.375"
8.5x11" Landscape	11.50"	8.375"
8.5x11" Portrait	8.75"	11.25"
10x10"	10.3125"	10"
11x14" Landscape	14.25"	11.25"
11x14" Portrait	11.25"	14.25"
12x12"	12.375"	12"
12x12" Premium Flat	12.06125"	12"
12x18" Landscape	18.375"	12"

Margins settings are optional but for full bleed images they should be set to 0. Image Spacing settings are also optional and can be adjusted when creating the book.

CREATING YOUR BOOK:

Instructions on creating a book can be found under the Help menu. Please note that Pikto will support only the setup of custom sizes and submission to print.

Approximately 1/4" of the image will be hidden in the gutter (the fold of the book) and the bleed (the area that is lost to trimming). Be cautious not to place important parts of an image, such as faces, within 1/4" of the edges.

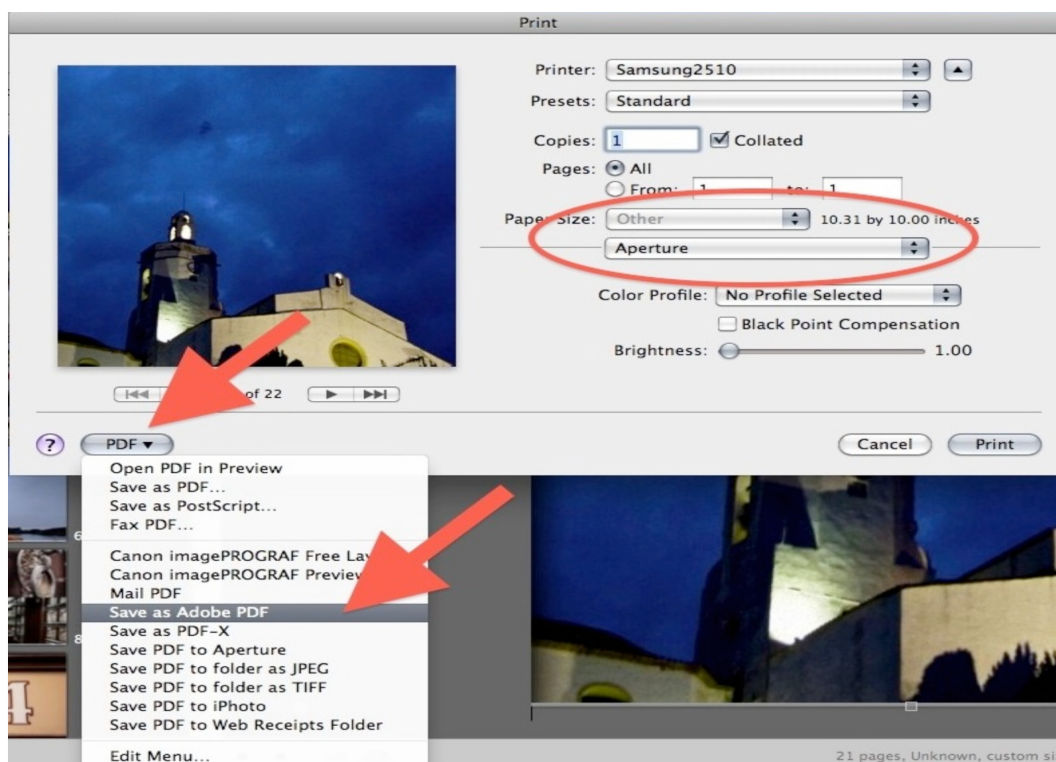
If you require a full bleed to the edge of the paper you will need to extend the image to the limits of the page.

3. Creating the PDF print ready file:

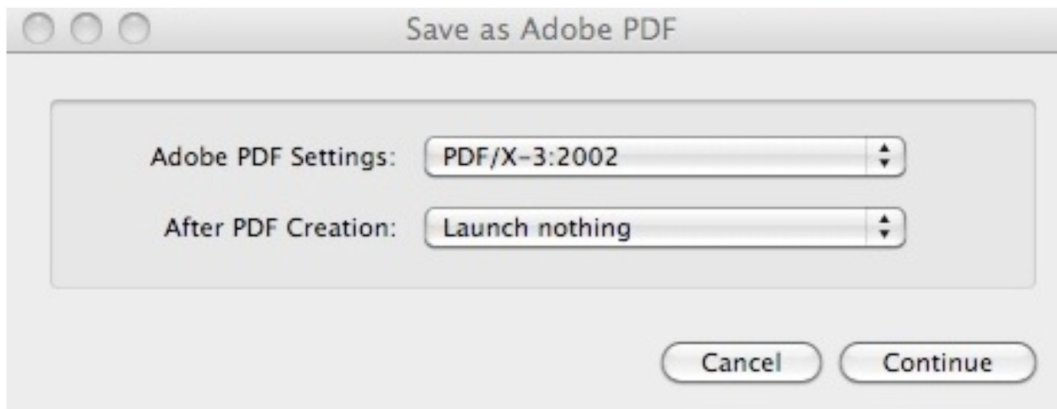
Once you are satisfied with your book, click on "Print".

Under "Paper Size" choose "Other"

Press PDF: "Save as Adobe PDF..."



4. Next, select: PDF/X-3:2002



5. Save PDF to I to your local disc.

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