

New MGI Meteor for Montreal printer

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KBR Graphics has recently installed a new MGI Meteor DP60 Pro digital press at Imprimerie Contact, a Montreal-based full-service print shop. The new press, which was installed earlier this year, is the first of its kind on the island of Montreal. The Meteor DP60 Pro is said to be the most versatile digital press in the graphics market.



Martin Lapointe, KBR Sales; stands with Méliissa Goulet, Imprimerie Contact co-owner; and André Goyette, Imprimerie Contact President; in front of the new MGI Meteor DP60 PRO

"The Meteor DP60 Pro digital press is the perfect complement to our company," says André Goyette, president of Imprimerie Contact. "Our customers and the market demanded it. The new digital press gives us high quality and greater flexibility along with our offset presses to satisfy their needs."

The Meteor DP60 Pro allows users to produce CMYK jobs at 2,400 dpi on the widest range of substrates -- from paper to plastics to envelopes -- from 20# to 16 pt -- on sheet sizes from 4x6 inches up to 13x40 inches. It produces offset-comparable output quality prints at 3,900 colour pages per hour.

While Imprimerie Contact's offset presses--a five-color and two-color sheetfed—are used for longer run jobs, the new Meteor is producing short-run work from 10 to 2,000 sheets. This work encompasses stationery, envelopes, invitations, folders, covers, brochures, and customized mailings. A small folding, scoring machine and manual UV coater were also purchased along with the Meteor to help post-press.

The Meteor's efficiency also helps Imprimerie Contact with its own environmental commitment and internal costs. "We've found that the Meteor is up to full-color production in only two to three sheets," says André Goyette. "That helps to condense our turnaround time, decreases our waste, protects the environment, and saves on paper costs, especially on the more costly types of substrates."