OAF Frame for dye sublimated steel

nominal size of frame is the size of the steel we print on - we will use 24"x36" for example so for example a nominal 24" tall x 36" wide board will be printed on a steel skin 24" x 36". The aluminum frame will go all around and cover 1/2" on all four sides.

We print from .eps files that are the exact nominal size so art board in Illustrator should be 24"x 36"
Put a frame layer on the top that has the 1/2" frame to show you if the frame does not cover the art
The visible area is always 1" less than nominal, so on this example visible is 23"x35"
It is best if lines and colors bleed under frame rather than stop close to the edge (less than 1/4")

1/2" frame on a top layer of art shows how framed board will look

Artboard should go to here ====>

Lines & colors should bleed under frame to end of artboard

To close to edge ====>

1/4" art to edge =====>