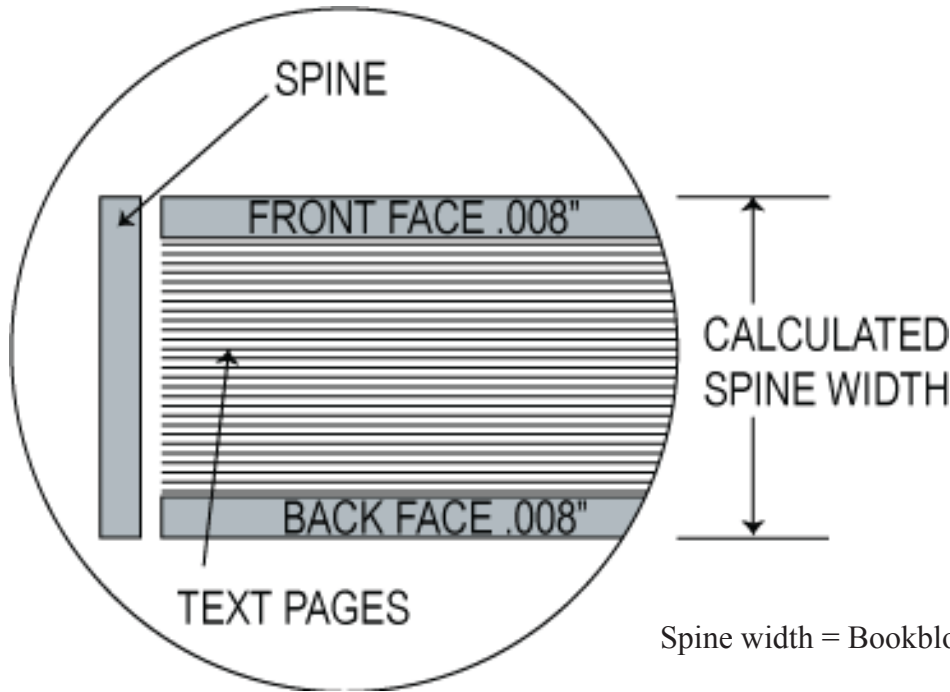
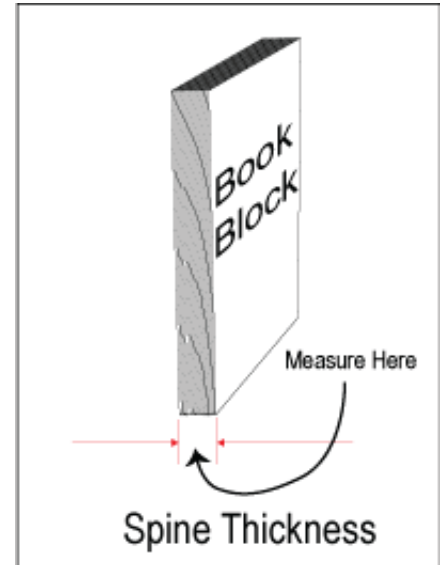


How to construct a Hardcover Book Template

1. Determine spine width from the thickness of the book block. (the stack of printed pages before binding). Different papers have different thicknesses, and so it is important to obtain this dimension from the actual paper stock.
2. Add the thickness of two bookboards, approximately .008" ea.



Spine width = Bookblock + 2 pieces bookboard.

3. Add 3/8" to the height of the page size to obtain the height of the two faces and the spine.
4. Place the spine in the middle of the sheet, and the two faces on either side, leaving a 3/8" space between boards.
5. Add a rectangle that encompasses all three bookboards to create a 3/4" margin all around.

