

Brand Guidelines 2022

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Introduction

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1.0 INTRODUCTION



ABOUT PULSAR®

The PULSAR[®] brand of high performance apparel was launched in 2007. Following 10 years of continued growth, we updated our logo and our branding to present a cleaner and more modern look, to further complement our current clothing collections.

This branding guideline document outlines how to use our logo and our brand in the correct way, and also how not to use them.

These guidelines have been developed to maintain and reinforce our brand recognition through consistent use and application of our brand across all formats and platforms, whether that be digital, print or general brand usage, maximising our message and impact.

If you have any questions or queries regarding this document, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us by emailing marketing@pulsaruk.com, or calling us on 01527 962012.

MISSION STATEMENT

To exceed our customers' expectations in quality, service, delivery and cost through continuous innovation and improvement with customer interaction.

The Logo

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2.1 PRIMARY LOGO

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This is our primary logo. The 'High Performance Apparel' strapline is an intrinsic part of the PULSAR[®] logo and can be used for both internal and external communications. The relationship between the strapline and the rest of the logo should not be altered in any way.

Always ensure that the size of the logo works in relation to the size of the document being created. Text must always be readable and the logo must always be legible.

A reversed version of the logo may be used in order to achieve maximum impact against busy/multi-coloured backgrounds.

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2.2 SECONDARY LOGO

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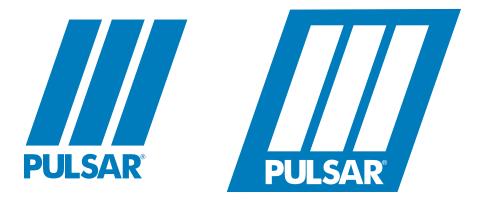


2.3 EMBLEM, STRAPLINE & HASHTAG

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This is our emblem and should never be used for any marketing purposes. This is for the sole use of PULSAR[®] garments and only the company observes the rights to use this at any time.



Our strapline 'High Performance Apparel' must only be used in conjunction with the primary logo and never be used on it's own. It must also be used in the Kalinga (Bold) font.

Our hashtag is **#visiblysuperior** and this must be used on all social media content to provide accurate and consistent brand reputation.

2.2 THE PULSAR[®] FAMILY

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Secondary Logos

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PULSAR® Flame Retardant, Anti-Static & Electric ARC Collection

The following logos should always be used in all branding content and marketing material referring to the PULSAR collection of Flame Retardant, Anti-Static & Electric ARC protective clothing.

Primary Logos



The following logo should only ever be used when representing the PULSAR Life collection.







2.2 **THE DO'S**

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Below are some examples of the correct way to use our logo depending on the colour or appearance of the background it is placed upon. For lighter backgrounds, use the PULSAR[®] blue primary logo and for darker backgrounds use the white primary logo. For busier backgrounds, use the reversed primary logo.



2.5 THE DON'TS

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It is not acceptable to change the balance of the logo, or to interfere with the relationship between the icon or the name, or distort it. The icon and logo text must always achieve maximum impact against the background colour/tint.



Do not interfere with the sizing of any of the elements



Do not distort the logo in any way



Do not increase or decrease the sizing of the strapline

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Do not rearrange the order of the logo elements or strapline



Do not use the logo without the icon



Do not use the logo on a background that is too busy Do not use the blue primary or secondary logo on a background that is too dark



Do not the white primary or secondary on a background that is too light

2.6 SIZING



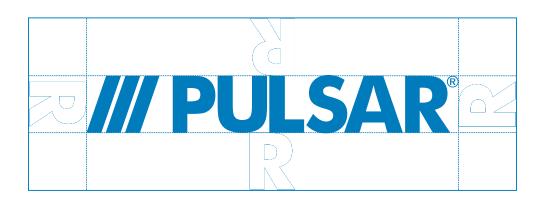
Compatible Sizing

Never reduce the logos below the widths indicated. It is important the logos are always legible.



Clear Space

Whether primary or secondary, the logo must always appear ina clear space with nothing touching it. This space must be at least to the height of the letter 'R' in 'PULSAR®' as indicated.



Colours

3.1 Primary Corporate Colour

3.2 Secondary Corporate Colours

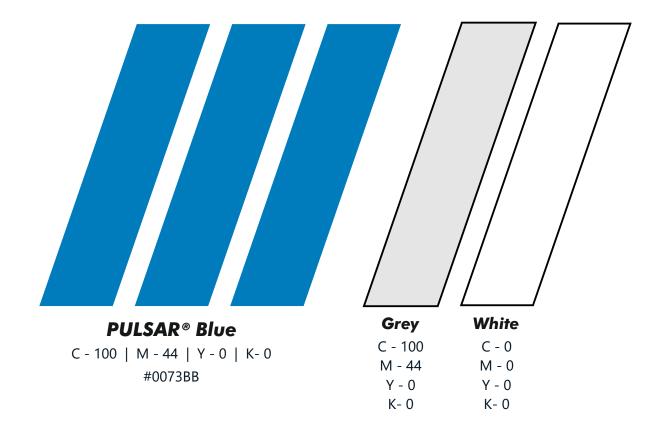
3.1 PRIMARY COLOUR PALLETE

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Corporate Colours are arguably the most important element of a brand's visual identity. Our primary corporate colour is PULSAR blue. This is our most widely used colour across all of our branding elements and marketing material and should always be used when our brand is being represented.

We also have two colours that are to be used to complement the blue, whether that be through accompanying text, shapes or any other elements.



3.1 SECONDARY COLOUR PALLETES

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to be used in conjunction with garments from the PULSAR* Flame Retardant, Anti-Static Electric ARC Collections.

C - 0 | M - 100 | Y - 100 | K- 0 #E31E24



to be used in conjunction with garments from the PULSAR® Life Collection.

C - 73 | M - 100 | Y - 100 | K- 72 #2A4A24 C - 46 | M - 0 | Y - 100 | K- 0 #A0C527

4 Typography

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4.1 TYPEFACE PRIMARY FONTS

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Typography makes up a large part of our visual identity. We are expressive, bold and confident in our application of typography. Our typeface, along with it's broad selection of weights, allows us to communicate in a wide range of tones.

Futura Md BT is a contemporary font that allows us to communicate clearly and in a professional manner. Futura Md BT is a highly legible design and is the primary font used in the PULSAR® logo with a full character set, making it capable of complex typography. It also works well in long form copy and in print. We use this font for headlines and bold copy depending on application.

For supporting copy or secondary headlines, we use Futura Md BT in Bold and Italics. This font complements our Headlines, maintains consistency and is easy on the eye.



4.2 BODY TEXT FONTS

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Ebrima

Ebrima should always be used for external marketing material but in cases where it is unavailable or unable to be used, for example anything in editable formats e.g. PowerPoint presentations, Word Documents or emails etc, please use Calibri (Body). ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz 0123456789

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Kalinga

We use the font Kalinga for our strapline 'High Performance Apparel'. This is the only place Kalinga should be used when representing our brand. ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz 0123456789

4.3 Fonts in use

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5 Brand Application

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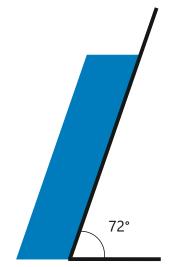
5.1 COMPOSITION

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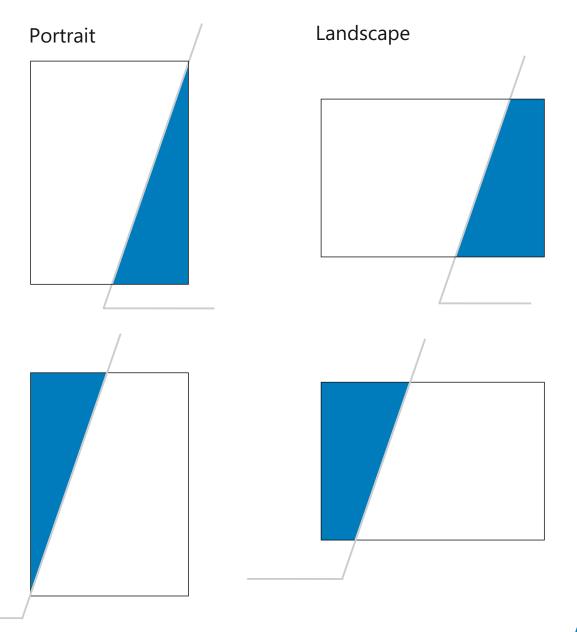
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A key component of our brand and how we create marketing material is an angular graphic device or brand element. This is an element set at specific angles taken from our logo that is used as part of the composition of our designs. We have created a 72 degree acute angle from our logo to define the shape and rules for the brand element.



We have demonstrated here how the angle should be used. The 72 degree angle should be used at all times taking up no more than 30% of the available space, with exception to documents where a greater amount of text is required, for example PowerPoint Presentations. This ensures that there is enough space designated to each section of the page.



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The brand element can be used in a multiple of different ways, as long as the 72 degree angle remains the same at all times. This allows you to create different designs to suit your needs and requirements. The brand element can either be used in a block colour, or at a 50% transparency, as shown below.



5.2 **CORRECT & INCORRECT USE**

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Correct Use

The correct use of the our brand on portrait material can be seen here. The correct logo must be used depending on the background it is used upon. The 72 degree angle should be used and not interfered with. If it works better without, the brand element does not always have to be used. The correct font should be used for each element of text.

Incorrect Use

Incorrect use of our brand includes, but is not limited to:

- The primary logo against a busy background
- The brand element taking up more than 30% of the available space

- Using the white primary logo on a light background

These rules apply for both landscape and portrait material.









5.3 **POWERPOINT**

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As stated one page 18, when creating documents where a greater amount of text is required, such as PowerPoint, you can increase the size of the brand element to allow more text to fit into the available space.







5.4 ADVERTISING

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Below you can see examples of advertising when using the PULSAR[®] brand. Headlines should also be in Futura Md BT (Bold) font, with secondary text in Kalinga (Bold) and any body copy in Ebrima.

All advertising must be sent to us for a proof check and review before publishing to maintain standards and consistency.







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