

Secure Print

## Classic cheques

A classic range of cheques conforming to standards set by the Cheque & Credit Clearing Company\*

Kalamazoo's Classic cheque range provides you with a high level of security features, essential in protecting your business against fraud. The number of fraudulent cases are on the rise\* and cheque payments are often seen as an 'easy' target.

To help deter would-be criminals and safeguard your cheques against reproduction or tampering, Kalamazoo's Classic cheque range conforms to the standards set by the Cheque & Credit Clearing Company (C&CCC) security guidelines.

Requirements set by the Cheque & Credit Clearing Company (C&CCC) include:

- Clearing Bank Specification 1 UV dull security paper
- Intricate fine line pattern security background design
- Aqua and solvent sensitive security background inks
- Invisible fine line UV pattern across the cheque
- A distinctly different UV pattern running across the remittance advice area (where applicable)

Kalamazoo Classic cheques include the following additional security features as standard which exceed the requirements set by the Cheque & Credit Clearing Company (C&CCC):

- CopyVoid™ - patented copy detection device
- MicroText in crossings

### Benefits

Enhances company corporate image

Meets banking standard requirements

Protects from photocopy fraud

Protects from alteration

Instant verification of authenticity

Kalamazoo cheques are personalised for you with overprinted details. Using your corporate image, logo and colours can help strengthen your corporate identity and increase your company profile.

Thousands of satisfied customers are testimony to the quality of Kalamazoo security cheques. This is backed up with over 50 years experience as a leading cheque manufacturer.

Examples of colour schemes available:

blue



green



Kalamazoo's security cheque portfolio also includes a bespoke cheque design service and the Premier range, which far exceeds the requirements set by the C&CCC.

Kalamazoo Secure Solutions Ltd is an C&CCC approved printer and a member of the C&CCC Printer Advisory Group.

**CBS1 Paper**

Clearing Bank Specification 1 UV dull security paper. Changes to a light brown colour when attacked by acids, alkalis, bleach & organic solvents.

**Remittance Advice Area Protection**



A distinctly different invisible UV ink pattern is used across the remittance portion of the cheque. This both protects the remittance and ensures that any blank portion cannot be used to fraudulently reproduce cheques.

**Invisible Ultra Violet Ink**



Under UV light, a previously invisible image will appear easily identifying an authentic cheque. This is created as an intricate fine line pattern for maximum protection.

**Security Inks**



Aqua and Solvent sensitive inks provide protection from attempted tampering using water and solvents. The inks will smudge when touched by one of these substances.

**CopyVoid™**



Kalamazoo's patented deterrent against photocopying, showing the word 'VOID' on a fraudulent copy.

**MicroText**



A minute font size is used which can only be viewed through a magnifying glass. If the cheque is photocopied, the text will blur rendering the message unrecognisable.

**Security Background Design**



An intricate fine line pattern (guilloche) protects all critical areas of the cheque and enables easy detection of alteration to even a tiny portion of the cheque.

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