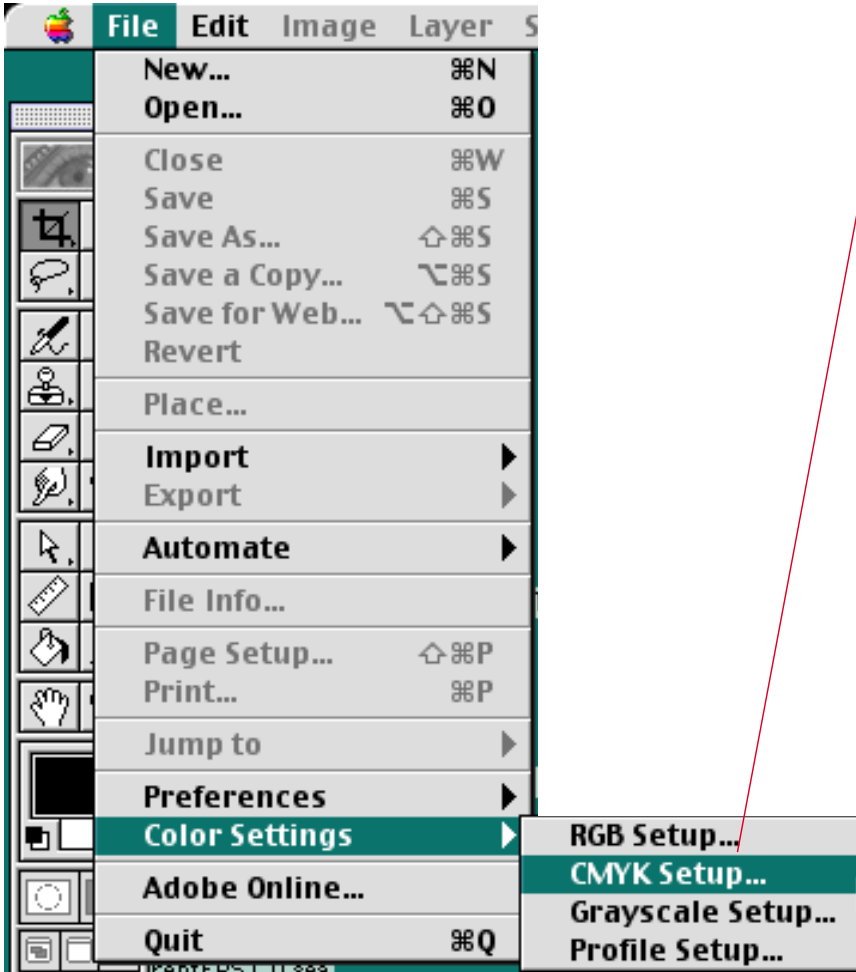
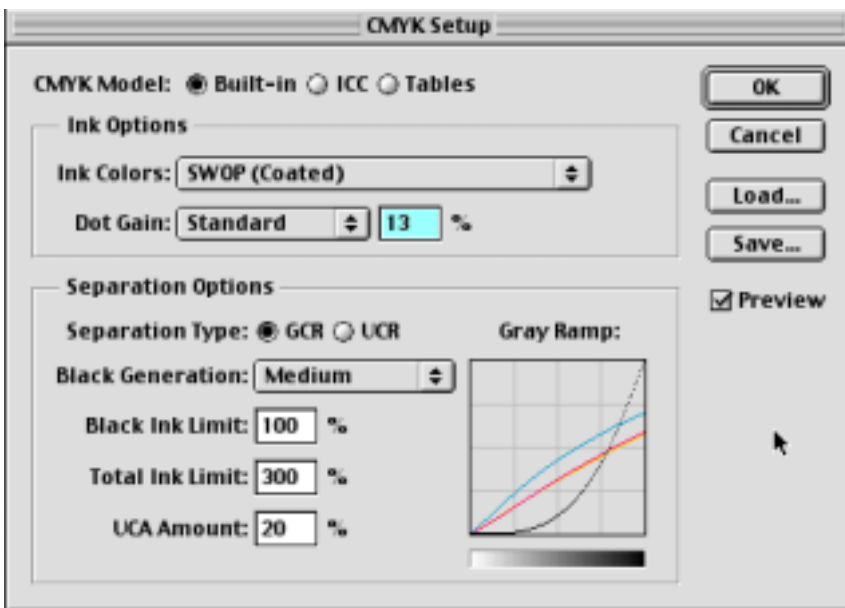


## Converting screen shots for print in Photoshop 5.5.



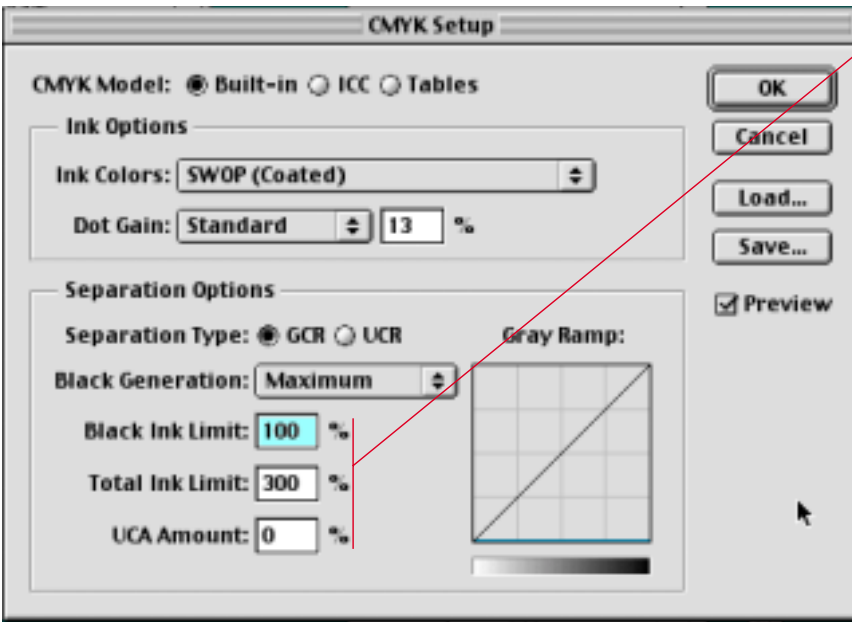
1) In Photoshop, go to FILE > Color Settings > CMYK Setup.



2) In the CMYK Setup window this is what your current setting may look like for most CMYK printing. Setting may be different for different printing presses and paper.

**NOTE:** You will want to save your current settings for later use.

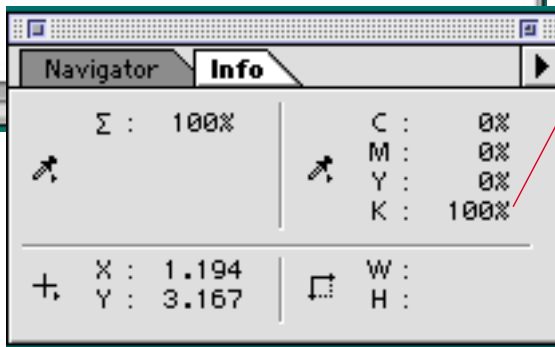
(To save your settings, click the SAVE button. A window will pop up giving you a location on your computer to save the new settings. Save the setting in a folder such as the Photoshop Settings folder. To restore the setting, click the LOAD button. A window will pop up. Find the folder where you had saved the settings [Photoshop Setting folder]. Click OK).



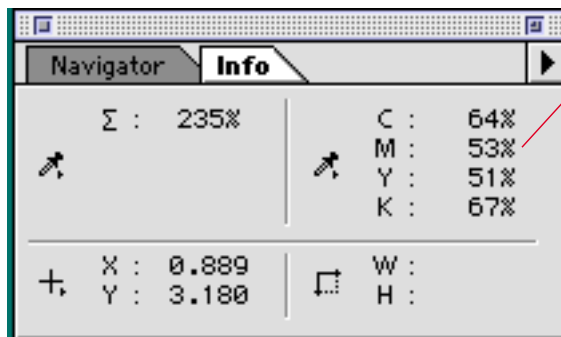
3) Change these three fields to the numbers listed in the window. Change the “Black Generation:” to Maximum.



4) Once you have made a screen shot of a web site or other windows on your computer, you need to convert them to CMYK for printing. Screen shots are taken in RGB.



5) After the screen shot is converted, use the color picker to check the total ink in areas that should be all black. Your readings should be the same as the window to the left. (0% Cyan, 0% Magenta, 0% Yellow, 100% Black)



This window shows readings from a screen shot that is converted incorrectly because the CMYK setup in Photoshop was not changed.

**NOTE:** When four colors are printed on top of each other to produce black text, the registration and sharpness are not as clear.



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