# Tips on Using SilverFast with the Epson V600 & V800 Scanner

SilverFast is scanner and image processing software from Epson. It has better color management and more granular setting options than the built-in Epson Scan software.

#### **Filenames**

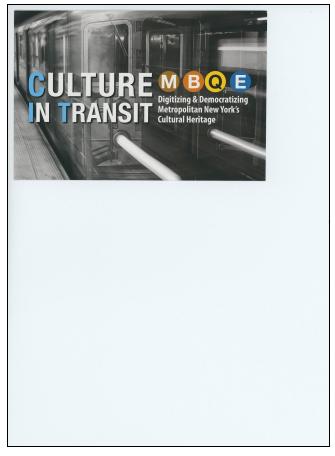
Each new item scanned will need a new filename before scanning.

### **Destination folder**

Remember to check on the destination folder each time before scanning if multiple folders are being used.

### Cropping in pre-scan mode

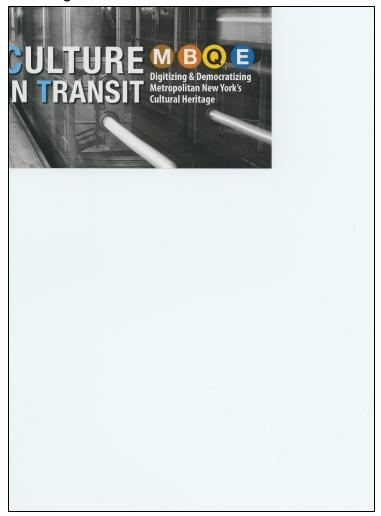
Always ensure you crop the red parameters around the pre-scan image, otherwise the whole scan bed will be scanned resulting in a longer scan time and more time spent during post-processing, cropping the master image.



Result of not cropping during the pre-scan mode

## Positioning material on scanner

Ensure you do not position the item right in the corner of the scanner - this will result in part of the material not being captured by the scanner. There are lines on the scanner that indicate where the edge of the scan area is located.



Part of material lost in scan if placed directly in the corner of the scanner

## Rotating in Silverfast before scanning

In pre-scan mode, an item can be rotated using the 'Rot/Flip' button. Once rotated, red parameters can be set around the item and then be scanned. The advantage of this function eliminates any skew problems in your scans right from the beginning, a bonus for not having to undertake that work during post-processing in Photoshop, for example.