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MASTER LOGO

Introduction

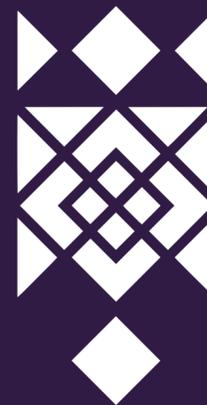
There are only two color variants of the logo, mono-positive (Purple logo) and negative (White logo). The mono-positive variant can be placed across all the Tech Mahindra Global Chess League brand colors in the background apart from the Purple color. Subject to wider graphic elements in play and availability of a suitable contrast, the negative variant can be used to balance the visual field.

POSITIVE



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NEGATIVE



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For the title sponsor of the tournament, the clear space rules are the same as the GCL logo (shown here) subject to the width of the sponsor word mark.

The logotype baseline (last line of the brand name or base of the holding box) should be placed on the checker baseline as shown here.



Sizes

The official emblem artwork is available in a number of sizes for different formats. Minimum size and size ranges differ according to usage and application of the official emblem as specified in this section.

File set-up and correct usage are unique to each type of application, so please take time to familiarize yourself with the different artwork formats to ensure the best possible outcome. The total height of the official emblem measures sizes. Artwork is provided at a minimum size. Where possible, reproduce the official emblem at a size larger than the minimum.



| | Print | | Special applications | | On-screen |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---|
| | Full-color formats | Single-color formats | Embroidery formats | Embossing/engraving and debossing formats | Full-color formats |
| Landscape version | Large: 12mm+ | Small: 8-11mm Large: 12mm+ | Small: 42-57mm Large: 58mm+ | Small: 12-24mm Large: 25mm+ | Small: 39-58px Medium: 59-113px Large: 114px+ |

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Print

A variety of artwork is provided to allow reproduction across a number of applications and printing constraints. These include full-color and single-color formats.



4 colour CMYK tonal

- CMYK process printing



4 colour CMYK flat

- CMYK process printing at small sizes or when the 4 colour CMYK tonal version cannot be reproduced clearly or at high quality



Pantone® solid

- Spot color printing (Pantone® PMS)
- Screen printing
- Vinyl cut



Black solid

- Single-color printing on contrasting backgrounds



White solid

- Single-color printing on contrasting backgrounds

Special applications

Artwork for special application processes are modified for the best results in the selected reproduction environment.



Embroidery Pantone® solid

- Full-color embroidery (8 thread colors)
- Woven applications



Embroidery black solid

- Single-color embroidery on contrasting backgrounds (1 thread color)
- Metallic color embroidery on contrasting backgrounds
- Woven applications



Embroidery white solid

- Single-color embroidery on contrasting backgrounds (1 thread color)
- Metallic color embroidery on contrasting backgrounds
- Woven applications



Embossing/engraving

- Blind embossing – raised from the surface with no color printing
- Foiling on contrasting backgrounds
- Surface engraving
- Etching



Debossing

- Blind debossing – stamped into the surface with no color printing

On-screen

A specially modified on-screen format of the official emblem is provided in full color.

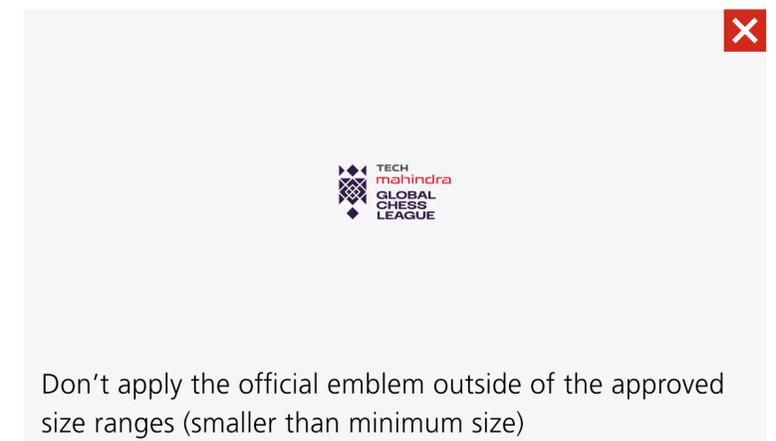


Full color RGB tonal

- On-screen for websites, broadcasts, etc.

Getting It Right

This page shows examples of the incorrect usage of the official emblem.



COMPOSITE LOGO

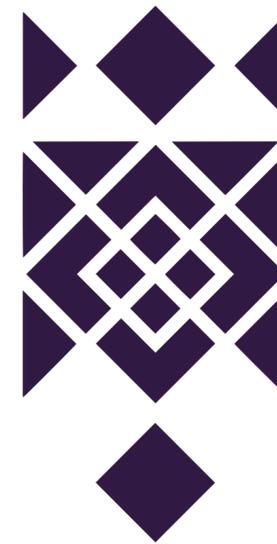
Introduction

The composite logo is the combination of the official emblem with another logo or logotype in a prescribed relationship, accompanied by the official designation which describes that relationship. To help create a composite logo, templates with the portrait official emblem are provided.

If contractual rights allow, a composite logo may be created by using the landscape version of the official emblem. Ask your designated contact for approval.



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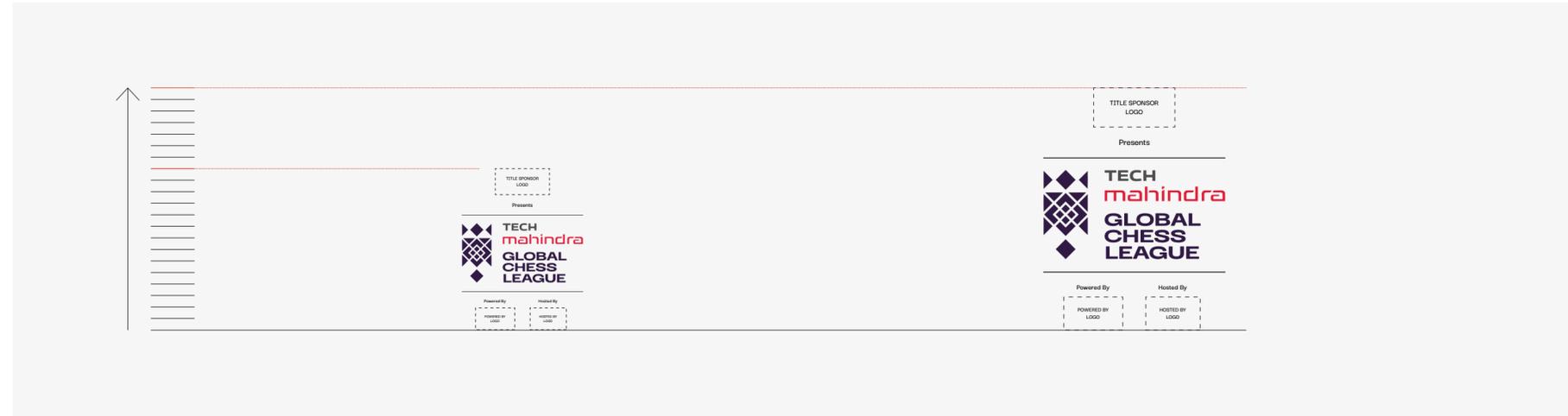


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OFFICIAL LOOK

Typefaces

The elegant primary typeface, Darker Grotesque is highly legible on screen. Use caps for basic titling and title case for body copy/longer stretches of type. It is complemented by the graphical typeface, Audiowide, which can be introduced in dynamic graphics such as scores and timers.

NOTE:

The Audiowide graphic typeface could be tournament specific. A new complimentary typeface will retain a fresh and dynamic feel with the trusted consistency of the primary typeface.



PRIMARY

Darker Grotesque - Regular

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
01234567890!@£\$%^&*({});:”

Darker Grotesque - SemiBold

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
01234567890!@£\$%^&*({});:”

Darker Grotesque - Bold

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
01234567890!@£\$%^&*({});:”

Darker Grotesque - ExtraBold

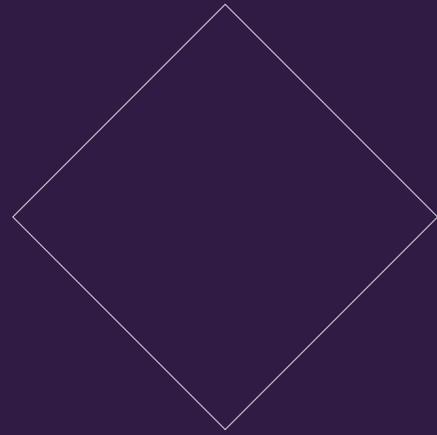
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
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GRAPHIC

AUDIOWIDE REGULAR

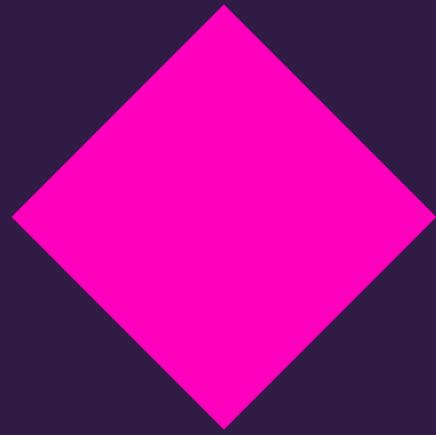
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Colours & Gradients



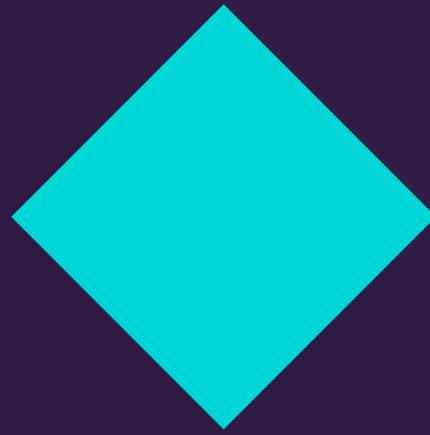
GCL PURPLE

PANTONE: 2695 C
C: 81 M: 91 Y: 19 K: 40
R: 45 G: 28 B: 66
HEX: 2D1C42



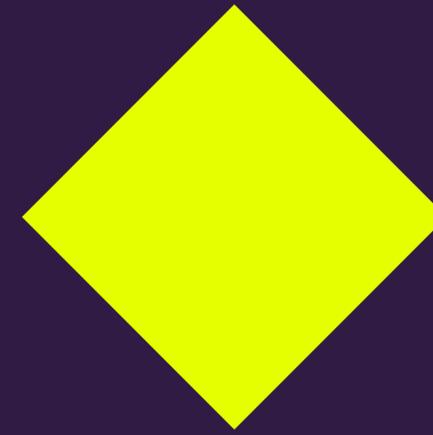
GCL PINK

PANTONE: 807 C
C: 17 M: 73 Y: 0 K: 0
R: 237 G: 0 B: 184
HEX: ED00B8



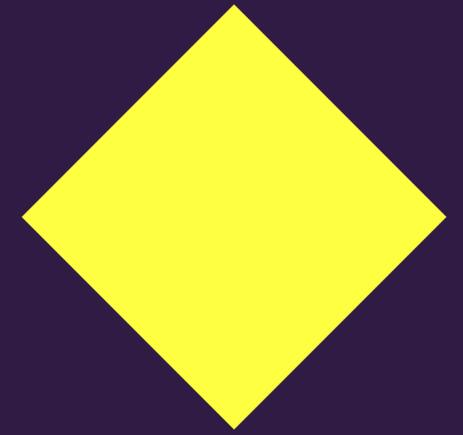
GCL TEAL

PANTONE: 3252 C
C: 62 M: 0 Y: 23 K: 0
R: 0 G: 210 B: 212
HEX: 00D2D4



GCL LIME

PANTONE: 389 C
C: 14 M: 0 Y: 83 K: 0
R: 235 G: 255 B: 0
HEX: EBFF00

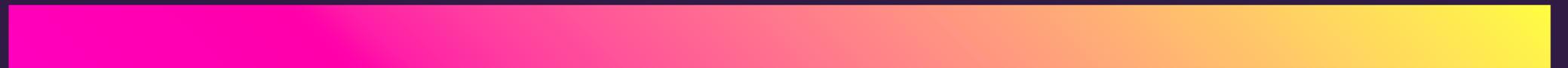


GCL YELLOW

PANTONE: 100 C
C: 6 M: 0 Y: 62 K: 0
R: 255 G: 255 B: 104
HEX: FFFF68

GCL PINK

GCL YELLOW



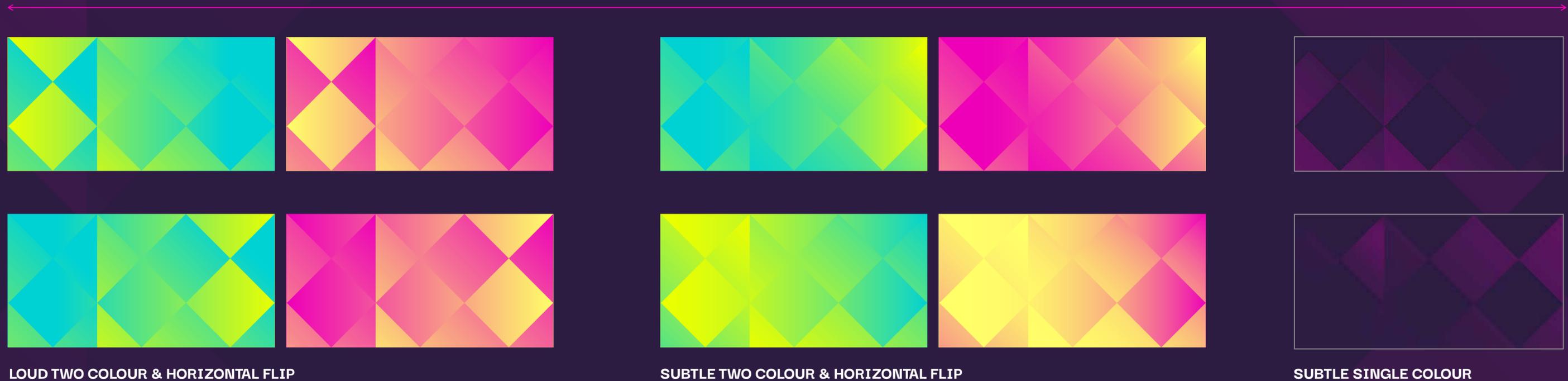
GCL TEAL

GCL LIME



Grid Pattern

A checkerboard pattern adds depth to the standard gradients. Depending upon the complexity of information presented over it, the intensity can be dialed up and down for impact. For instance, a nameplate could use the Loud version, whereas a full stats dashboard could use the Subtle version. The background can be flipped on the horizontal axis to suit the layout. The scale can also be altered so there are more, or fewer diamonds visible.



Grid Vs Logo

Note that the base 'diamond' of the logo must bisect a crossover section on the grid (illustrated here).



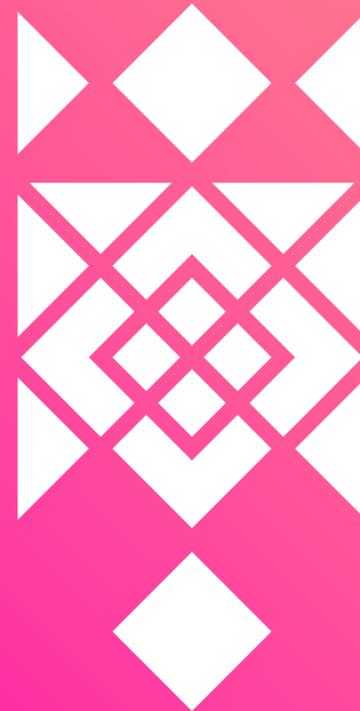
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Component Elements

The logo can be the catalyst for wider graphic elements to be created for future applications.

Conceptual elements are illustrated here.

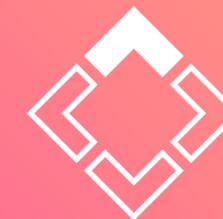
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COMPONENTS



'GCL' ANIMATICS



DIRECTION ELEMENTS

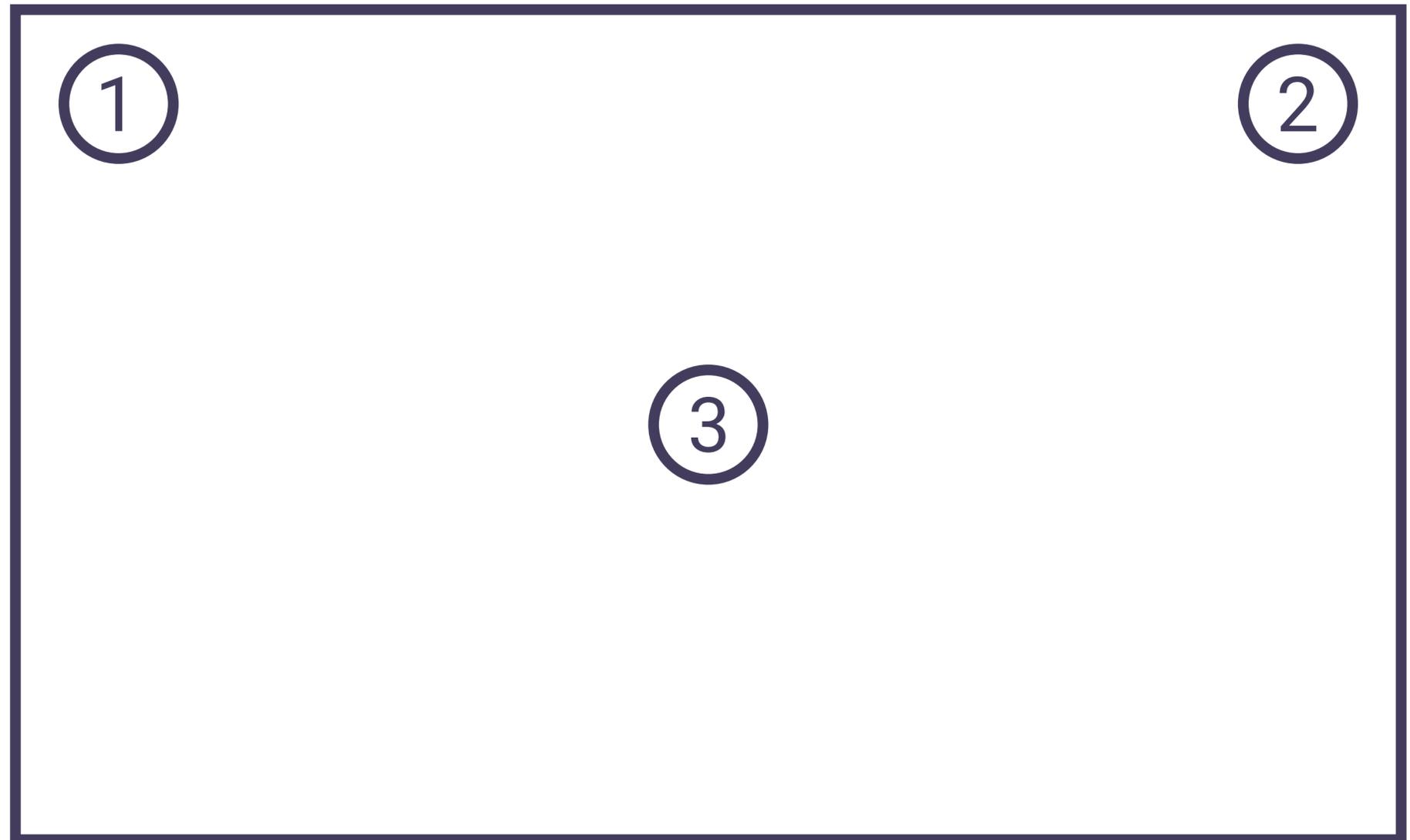
CHESS PIECE ICONOGRAPHY



Logo Placement

Regardless of communication size or dimension, the logo can only ever be placed in 5 locations. This keeps logo placement simple and consistent, while allowing enough flexibility to accommodate our dynamic graphic system. Please keep in mind the logo exclusion zone when placing the logo in the corner

1. Top Left Corner
2. Top Right Corner
3. Lower Left Corner
4. Lower Right Corner
5. Center



Backgrounds

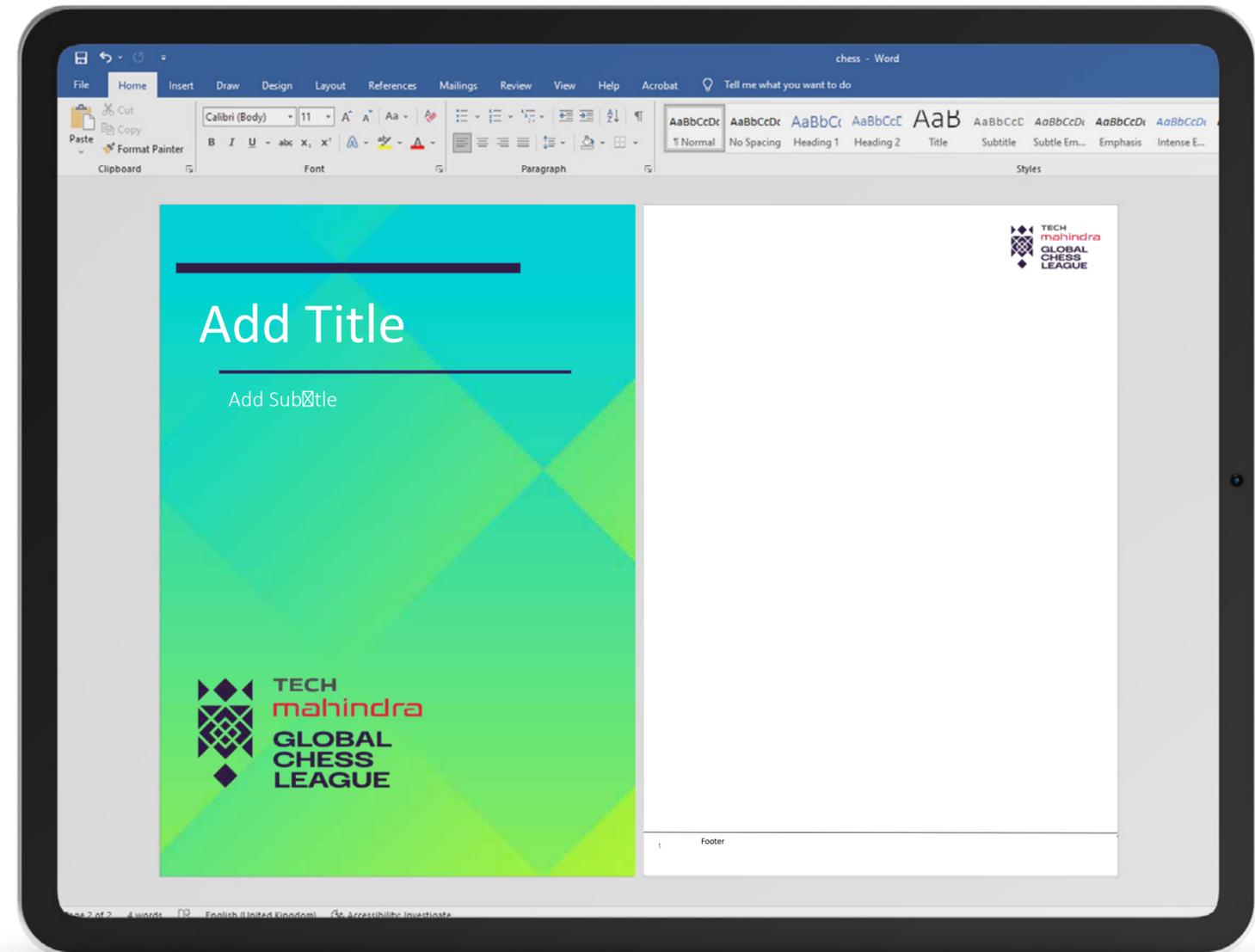
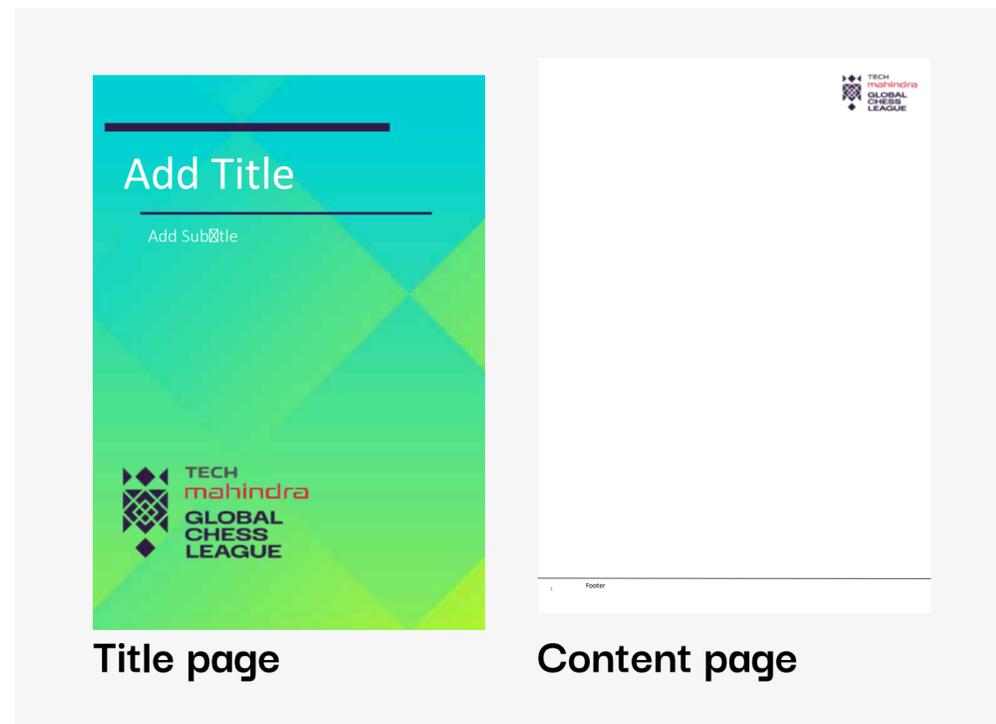
Official emblem artwork files can be applied to any background, both light and dark, provided the official emblem contrasts well. Official emblem/Logo is provided in positive and reversal format.

To ensure clarity of the official emblem on any application background, please consider these points:

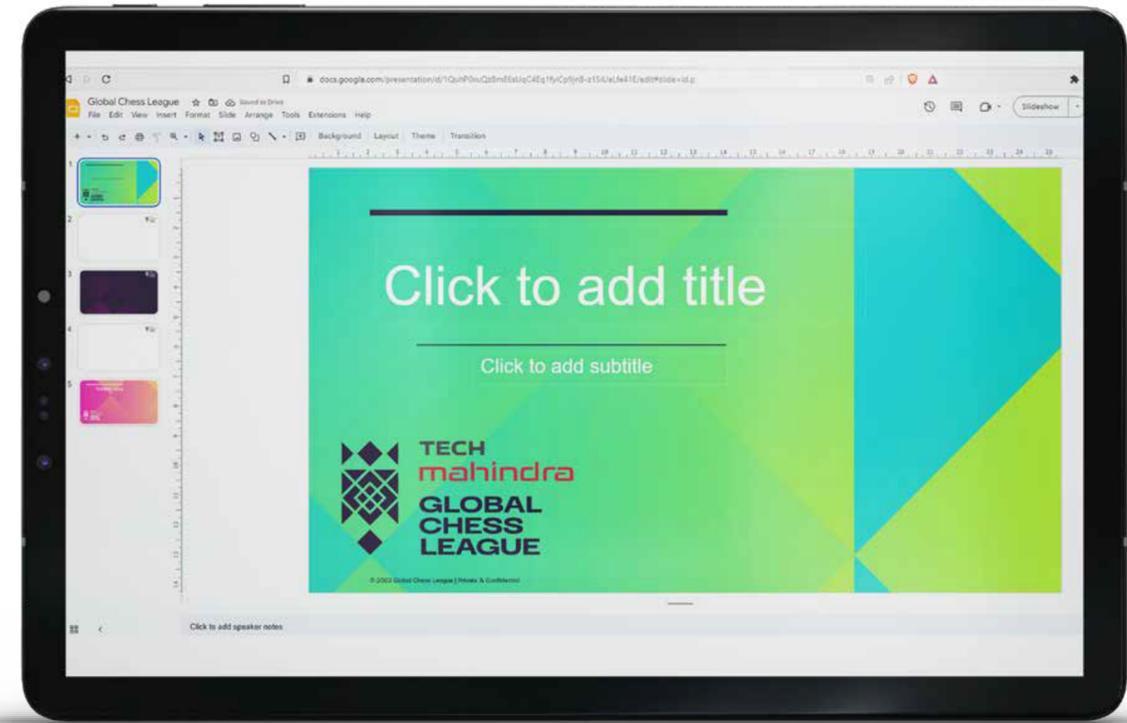
- Avoid placing the official emblem artwork on busy backgrounds.
- The full-color emblem can be placed in a holding shape, which would contrast well against a background.
- Alternatively, white solid or black solid versions should be applied when no other formats offer sufficient contrast against the chosen background.



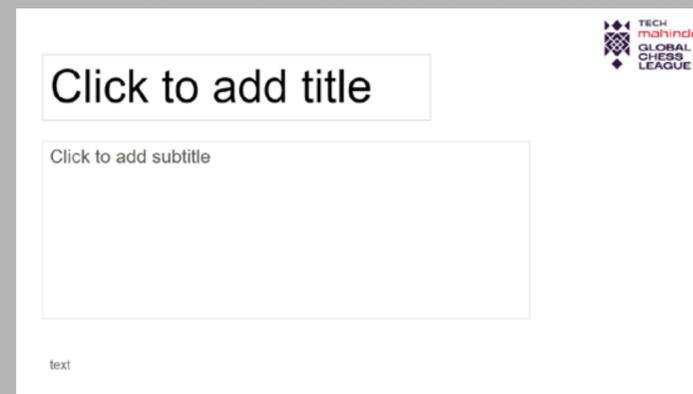
MS Word Template



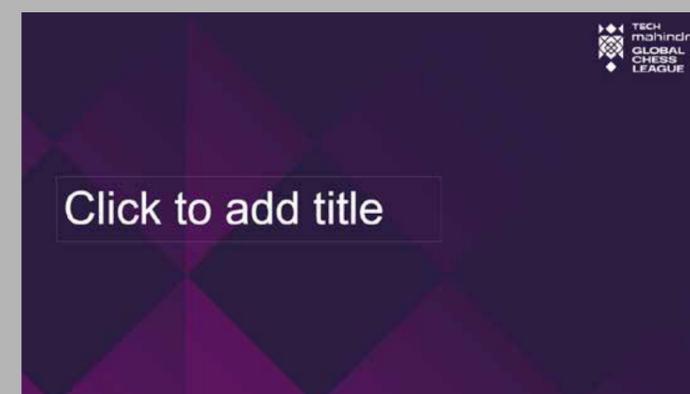
Presentation Template



Title page



Content page



Divider page

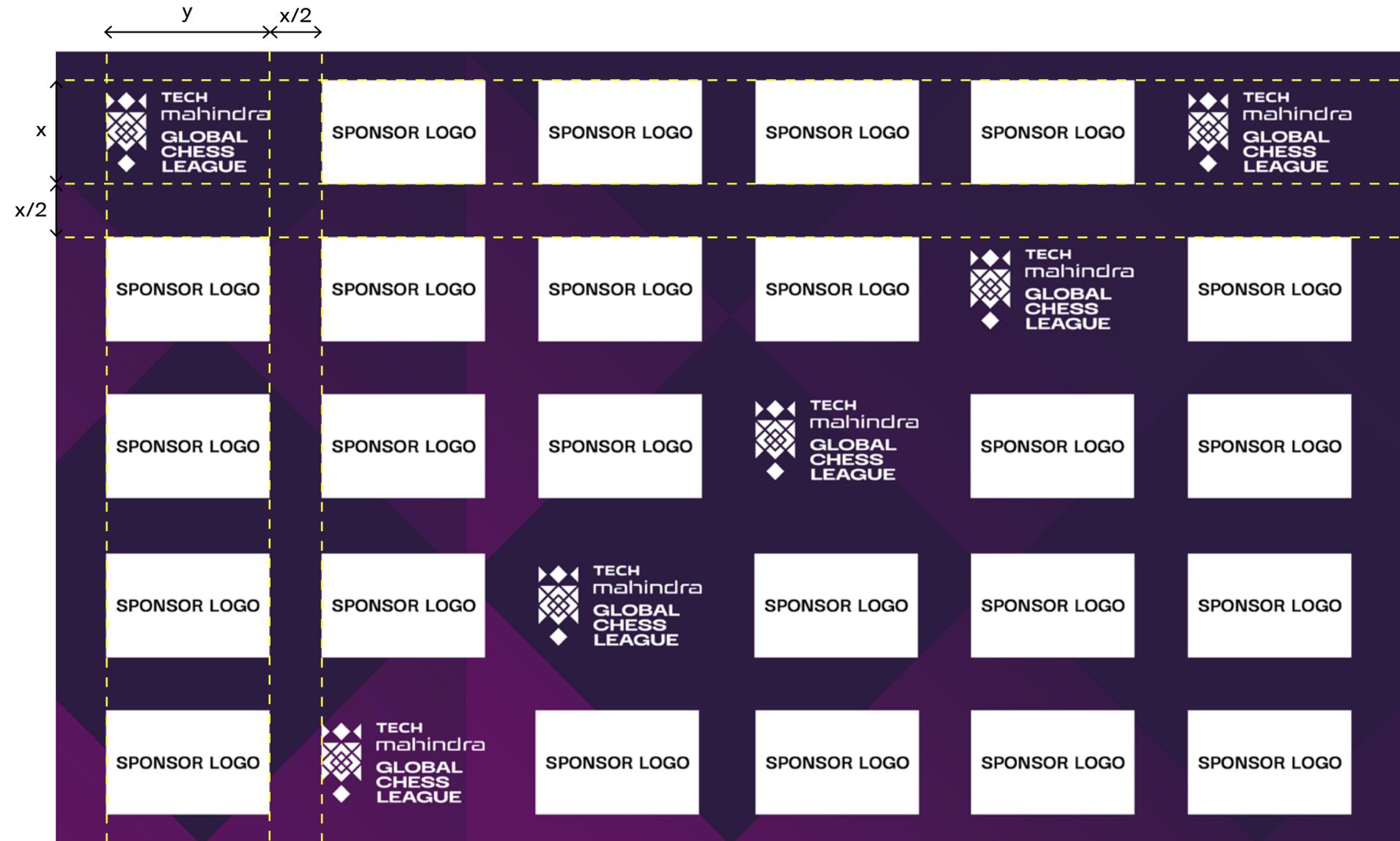


Closer page

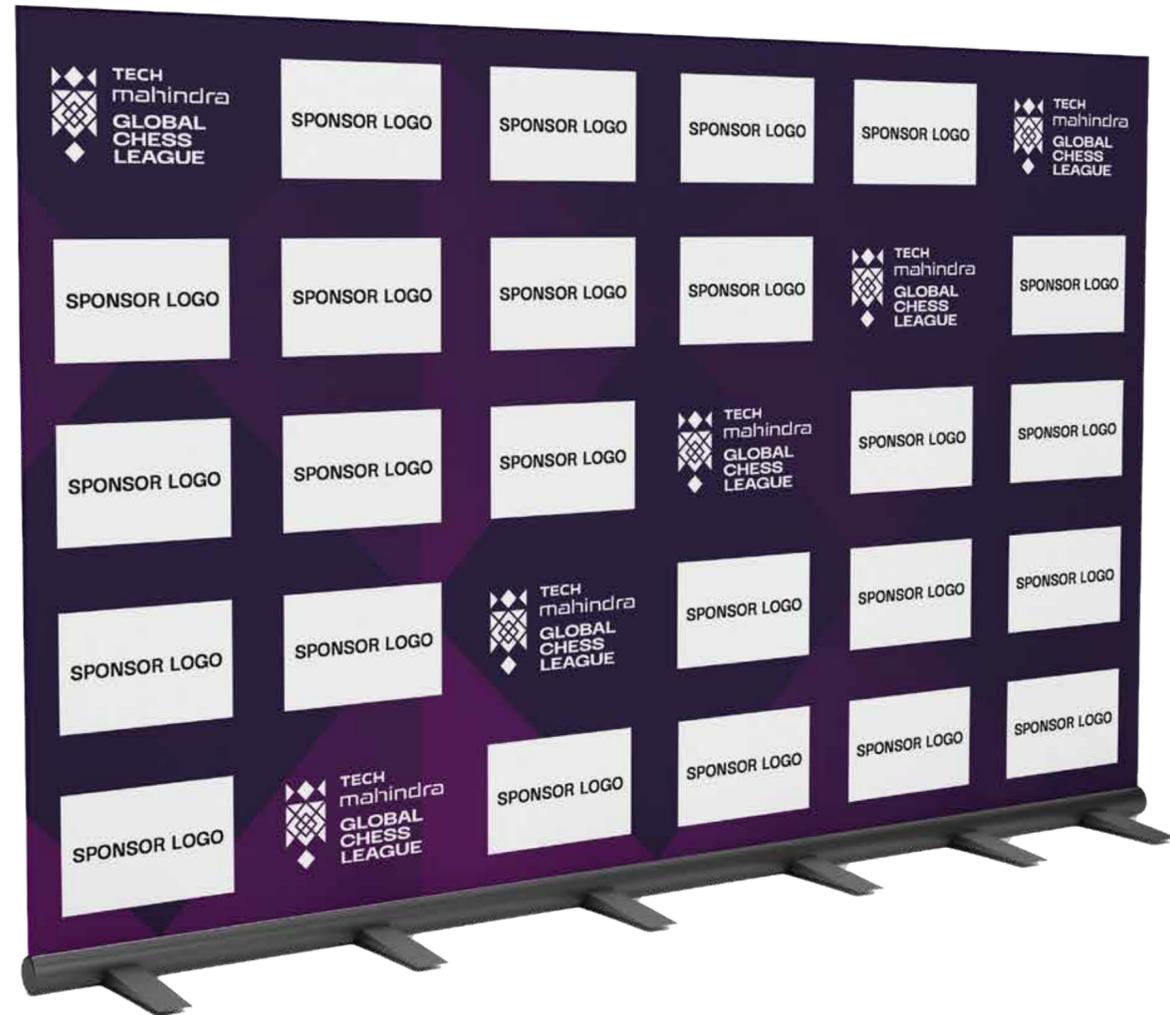
Media Backdrop

A special ratio set-up is required for use on any type of media backdrop (ie. press conference, flash interview and clear media backdrops) to maximize the exposure of the brand, Tech Mahindra Global Chess League partners and national supporters in broadcasts.

Backdrop files can be ordered through your designated contact. The final design has to be approved by Single-color prior to going to production.



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SPECIAL APPLICATIONS

Embroidery

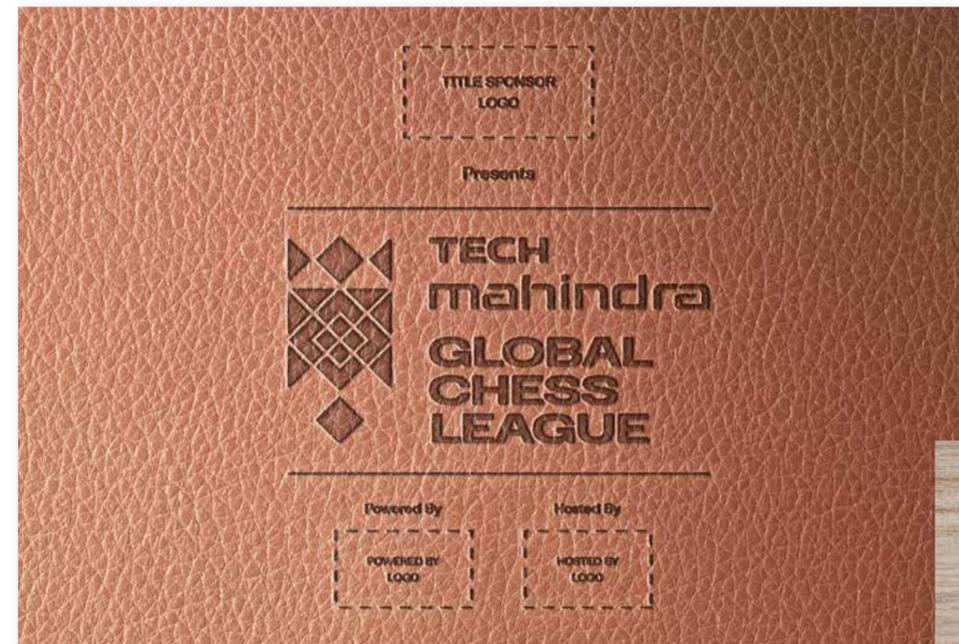
Modified artwork has been created for embroidery processes to ensure the best possible reproduction of the official emblem. Artwork is available in full color as well as in black solid and white solid.



Backgrounds

Embossing, Engraving and Debossing

Artwork is provided for the most common special application processes. If a selected artwork does not provide the desired result, please try to use a print file instead (eg. for laser engraving). Please note that for all the special applications are shown here, the effect should be reproduced directly onto the substrate; no background color should be added to 'fill' the official emblem.



Staff Jersey

T-SHIRT

Position A - Main Logo on front of shirt

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position B - Upper Right Logo on front of shirt

The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position C - Team Logo on Upper Left Front of shirt

The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position D - FIDE Logo on Right Arm

The area of the Logo not exceed 129sqcm (20 square inches)

Position E - Logo on Left Arm

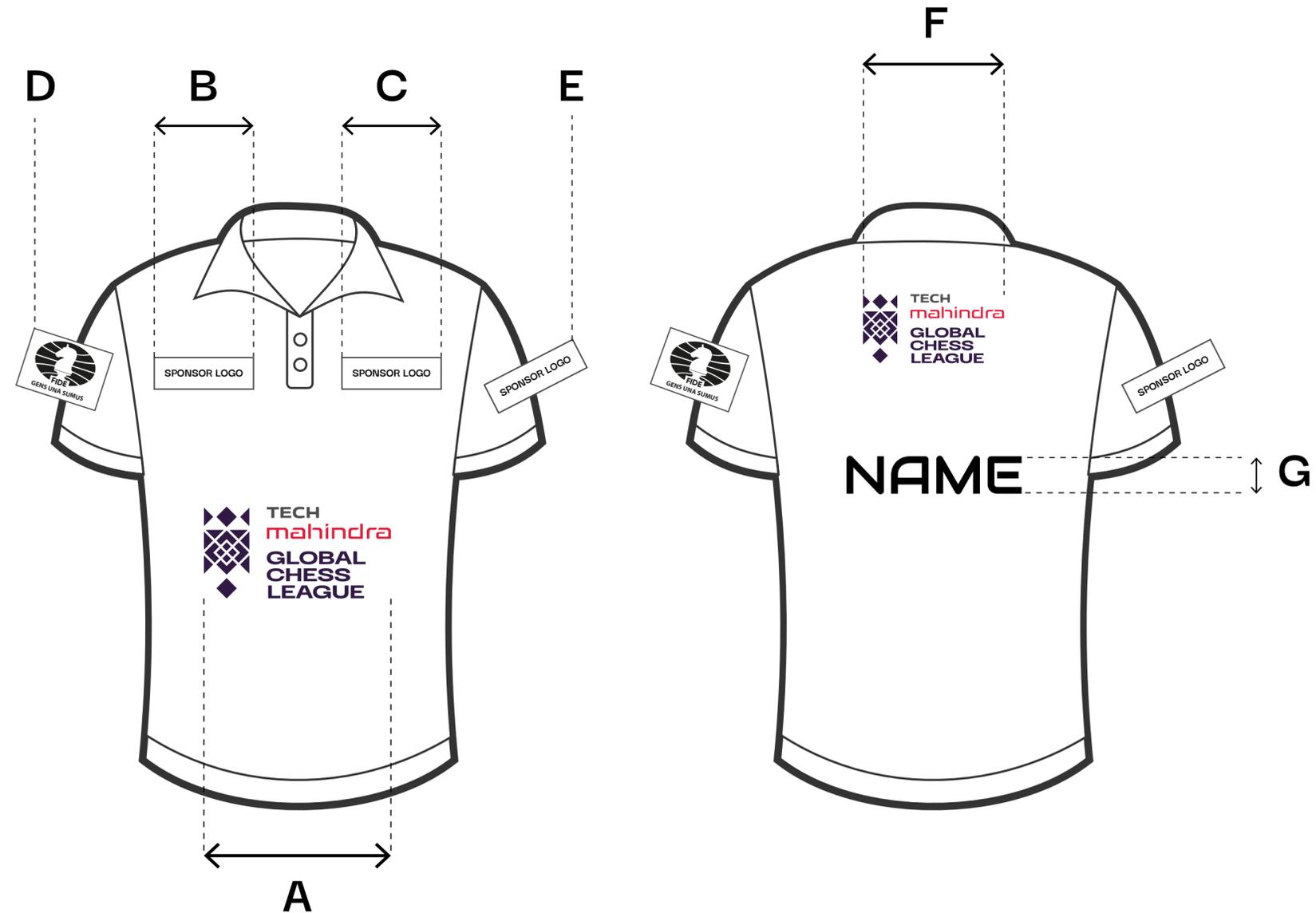
The area of the Logo not exceed 129sqcm (20 square inches)

Position F - Main Logo on Upper Back

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position G - Staff Name

Each letter should be from the English alphabet and be between 5cm to 8cm in height



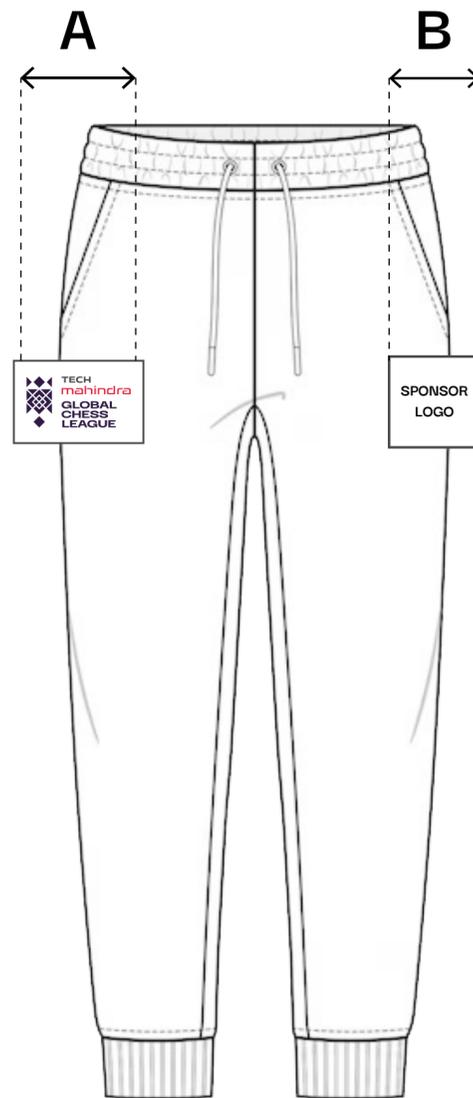
TROUSER

Position A - Main Logo on Right

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position B - Sponsor Logo on Left

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)



Left Side



Right Side



Team Jersey

T-SHIRT

Position A - Main Franchise sponsor Logo position on Front of shirt
The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position B - GCL Logo on Front of shirt
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position C - Team Logo on Front of shirt
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position D - Team Main Franchise Sponsor Logo Upper Position Right Arm
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position E - Team Main Franchise Sponsor Logo Lower Position on Right Arm
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

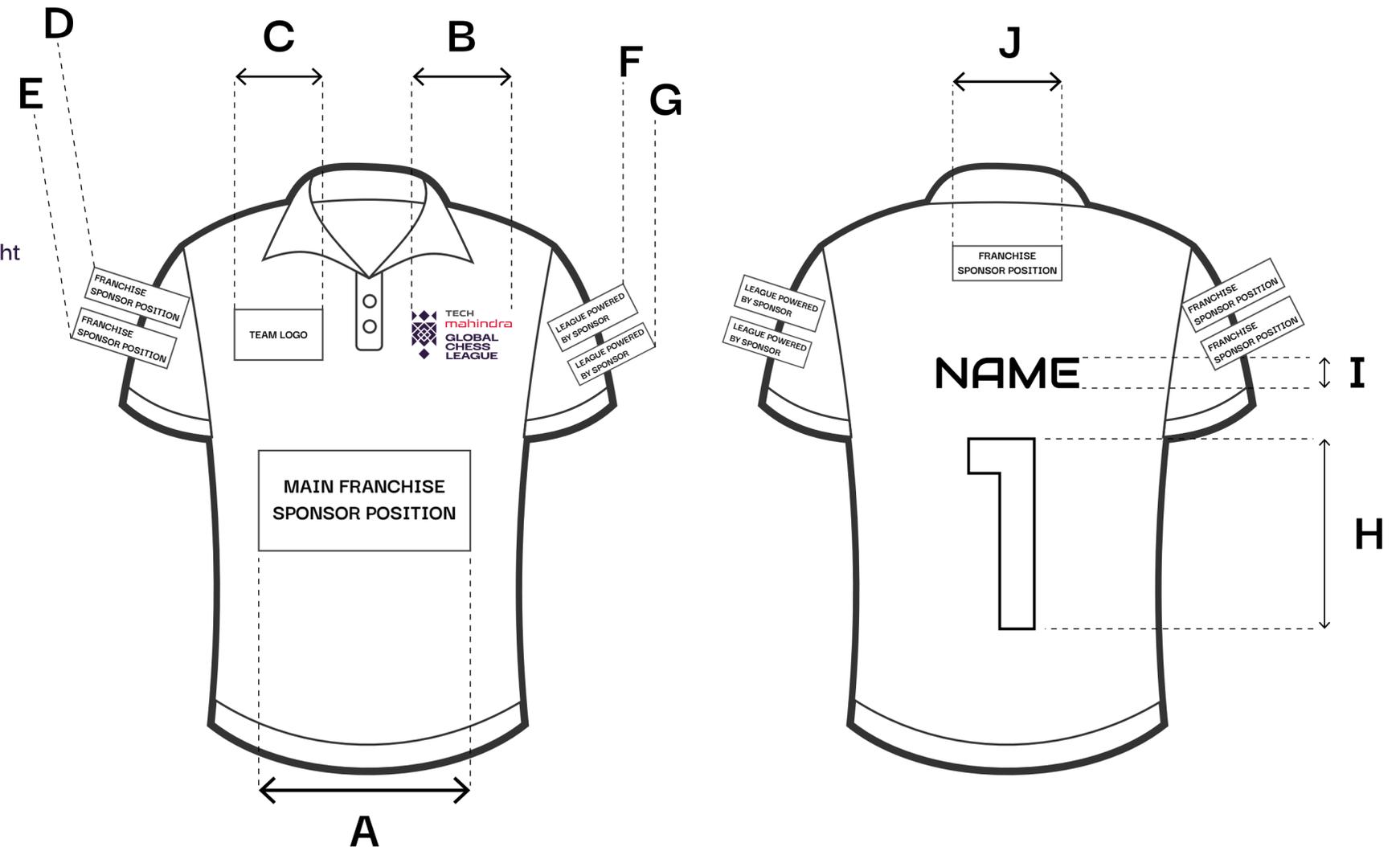
Position F - League Powered By Sponsor Logo Upper Position Left Arm
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position G - League Powered By Sponsor Logo Lower Position Left Arm
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position H - Player Jersey Number
Each number should be in English numerals between 17cm to 22cm in height

Position I - Player Name
Each letter should be from the English alphabet & be between 8cm to 10cm in height
NOTE: A player's Playing Shirt number may be any number from "1" to "999".
Each player's number shall be unique within the franchise playing squad. No number or 0 or a four digit number should be done in discretion with the league.

Position J - Team Main Franchise sponsor Logo on Upper Back
The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)



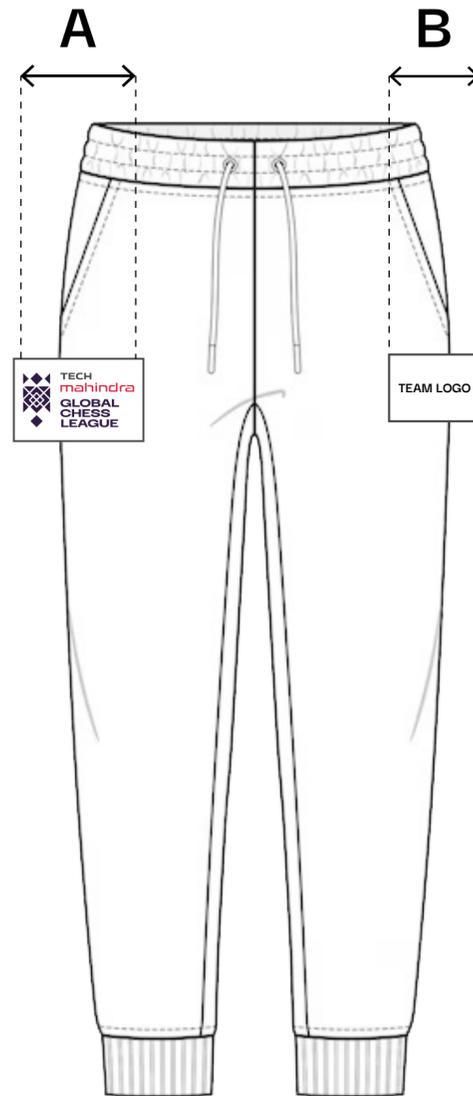
TROUSER

Position A - Main Logo on Right

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position B - Sponsor Logo on Left

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)



Left Side



Right Side



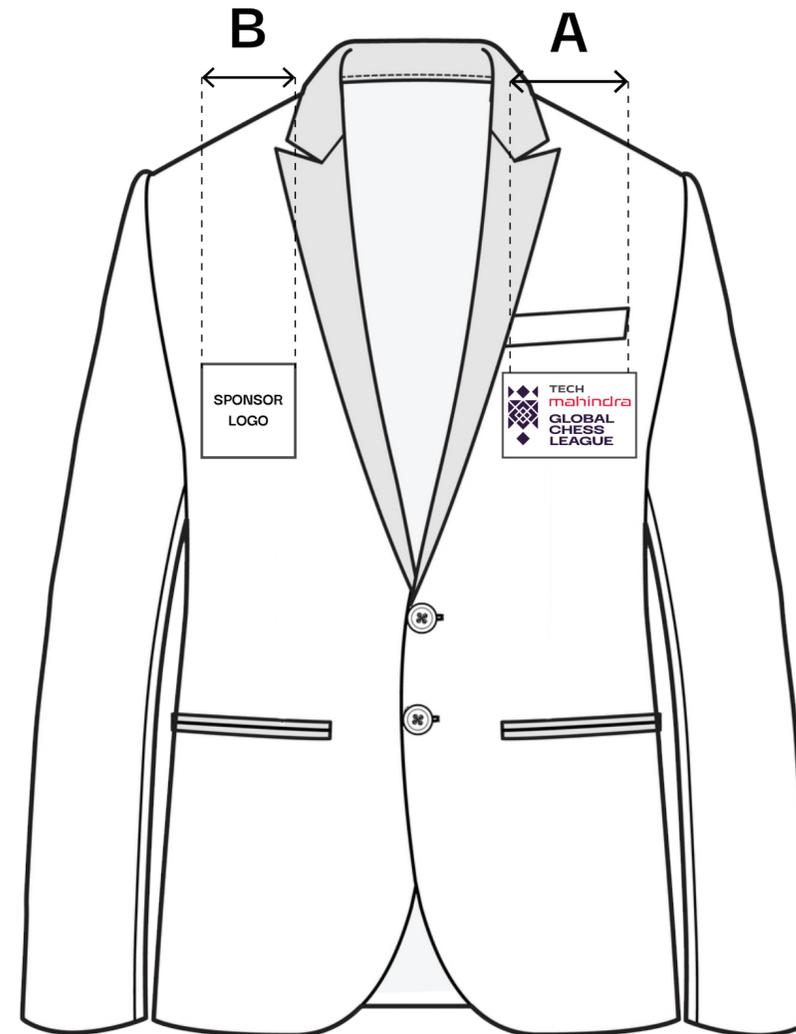
Blazer

Position A - Main Logo on Left

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position B - Fide Logo on Right

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)



TROUSER TAG

Position - Main Logo on Left
Recommended Tag size (25mm x 15mm)



Arbiter Uniform

Position A - Main Logo on front of shirt

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position B - Upper Left Logo on front of shirt

The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position C - Upper Logo on Right Arm

The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position D - Lower Logo on Right Arm

The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position E - Upper Logo on Right Arm

The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position F - Lower Logo on Right Arm

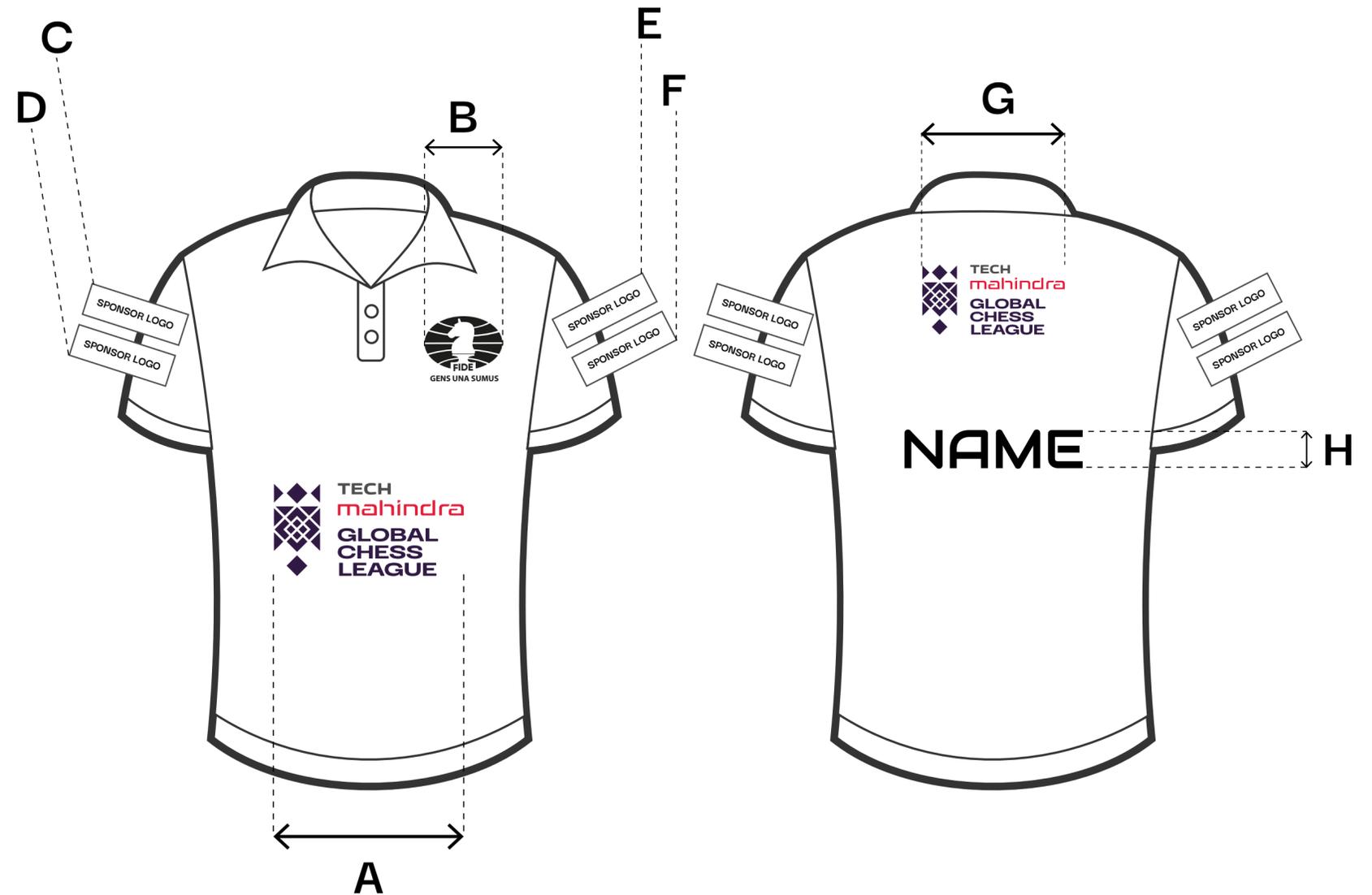
The area of the Logo must not exceed 64.5sqcm (10 square inches)

Position G - Main Logo on Upper Back

The area of the Logo must not exceed 206.45sqcm (32 square inches)

Position H - Arbiter Name

Each letter should be from the English alphabet and be between 5cm to 8cm in height



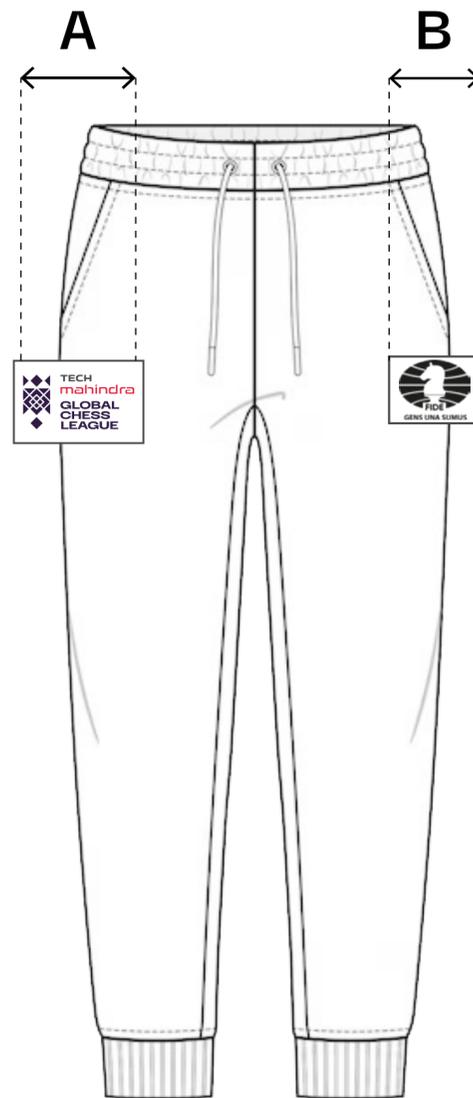
TROUSER

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Left Side



Right Side



LOGO USAGE FOR SPONSORS AND TEAMS

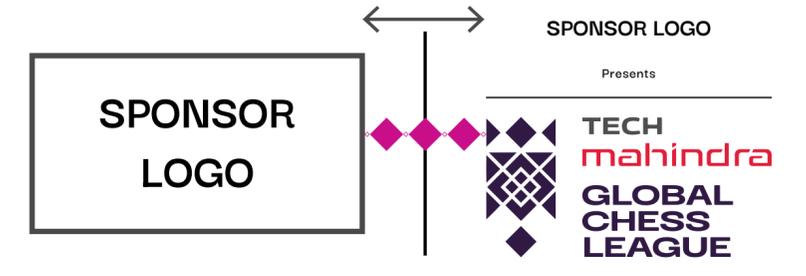
Digital Usage by Sponsors and Teams

When incorporating our logo into sponsorships, we kindly request GCL logo to be positioned at the top right corner to ensure brand integrity. A dividing line should be present between the GCL and sponsor logos, in order to provide specific care in ensuring spacing tonality. We have prepared a visual representation that exemplifies the ideal placement:

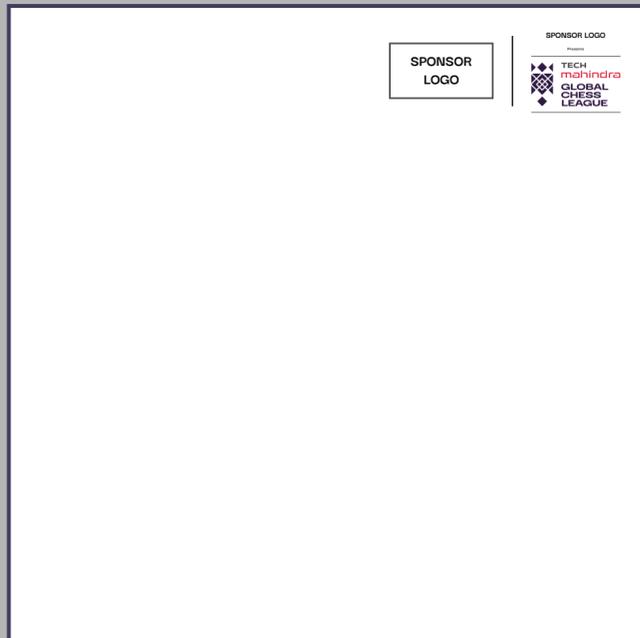
SPACING UNIT



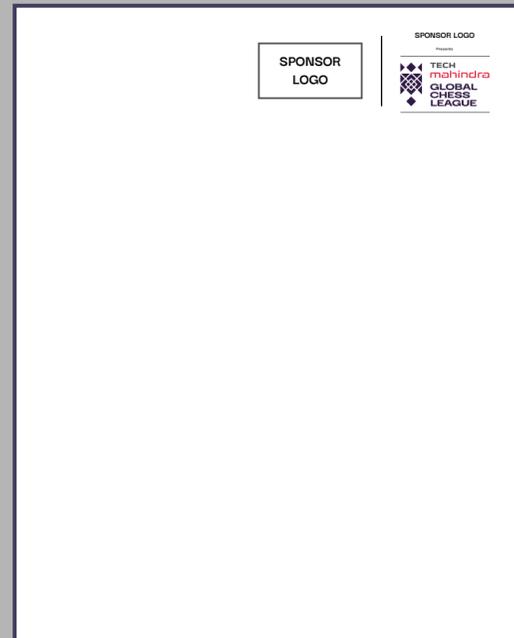
LOGO SPACING



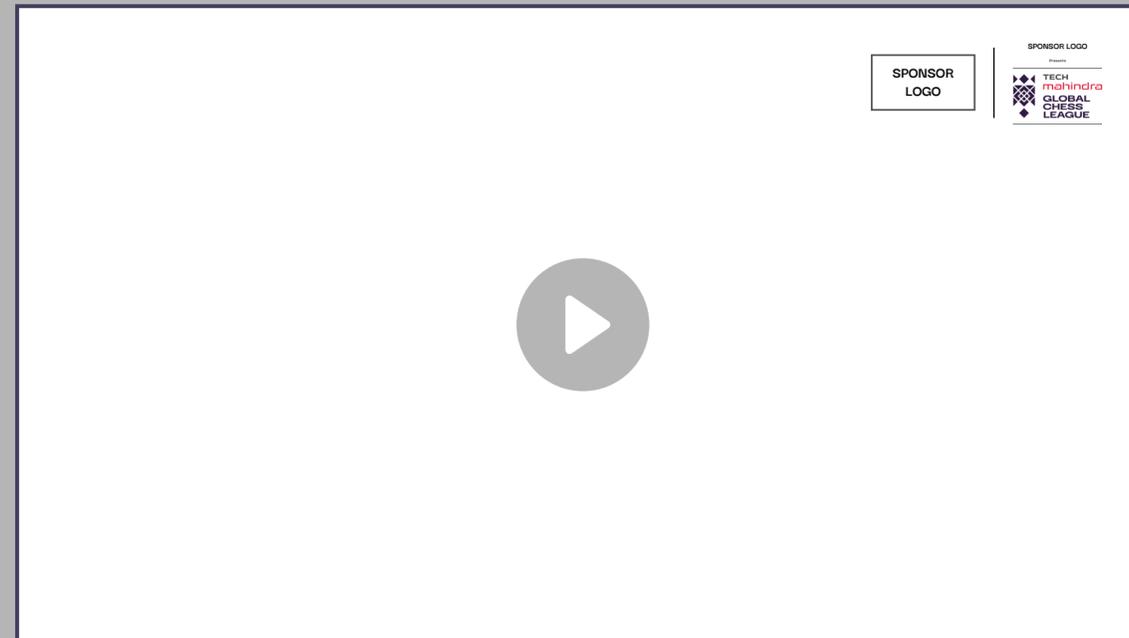
1:1 Ratio



4:5 Ratio



16:9 Ratio



9:16 Ratio



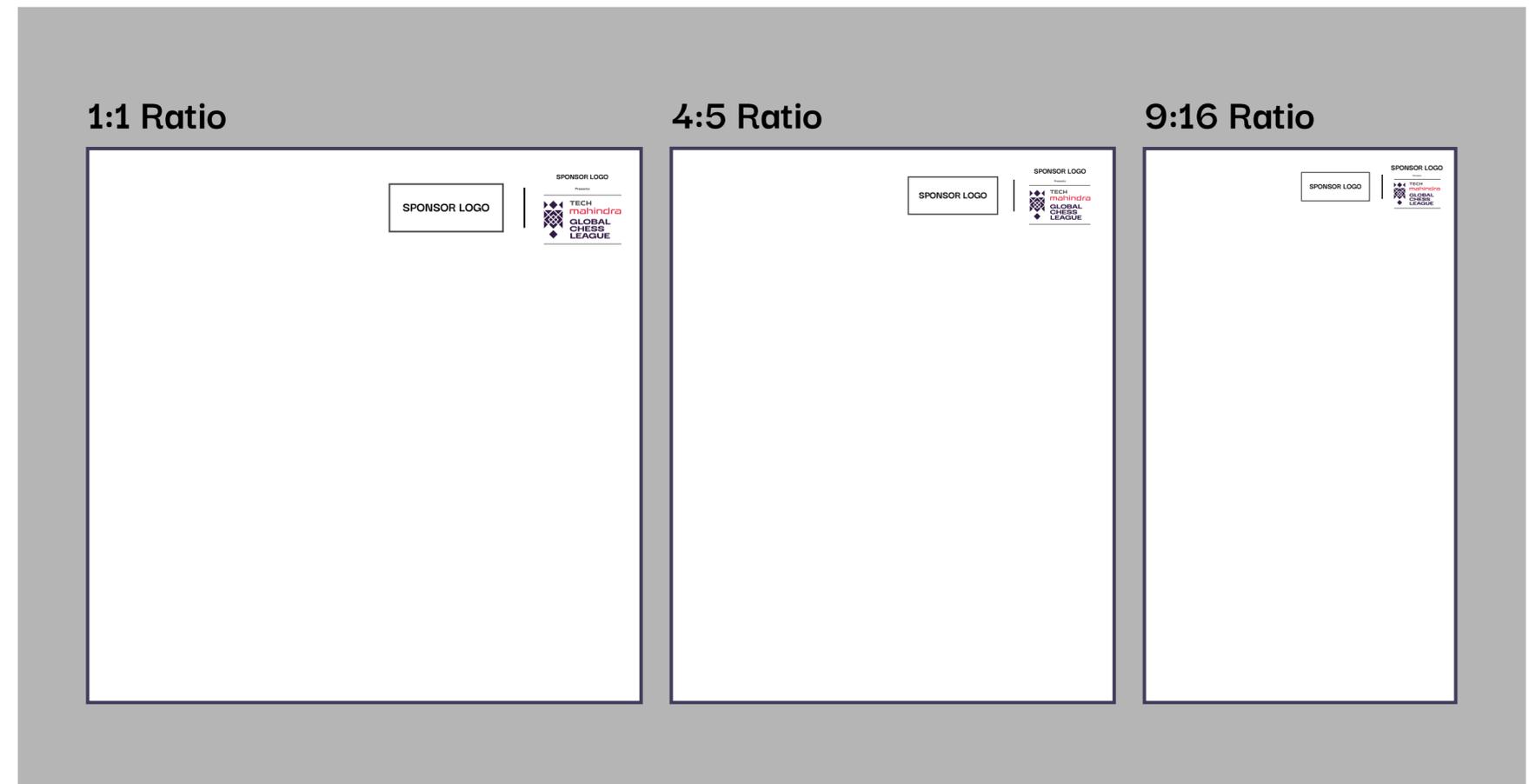
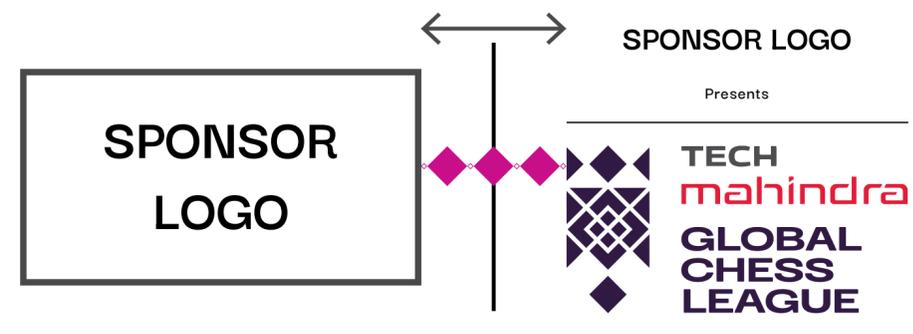
Creatives By Sponsors

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SPACING UNIT



LOGO SPACING



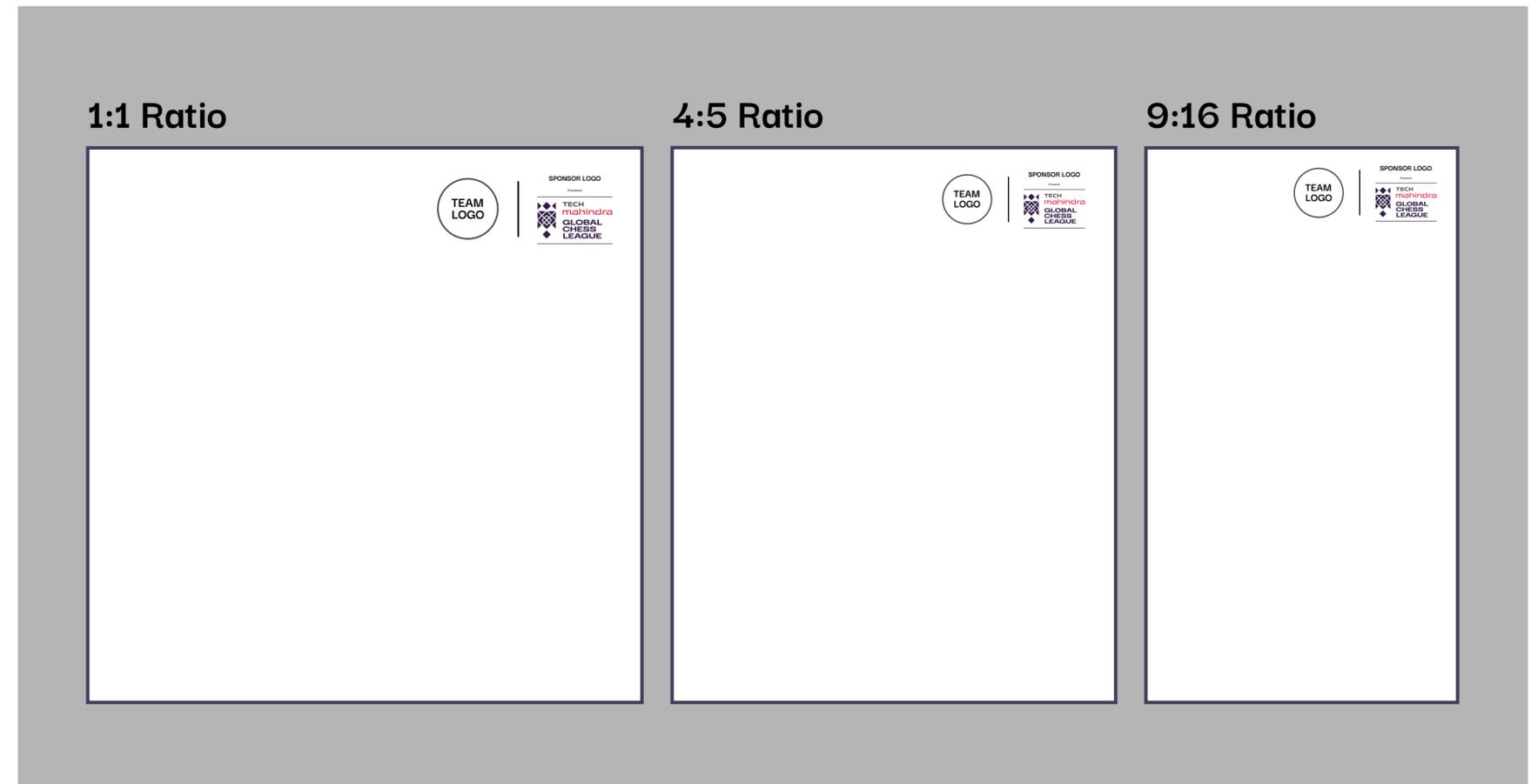
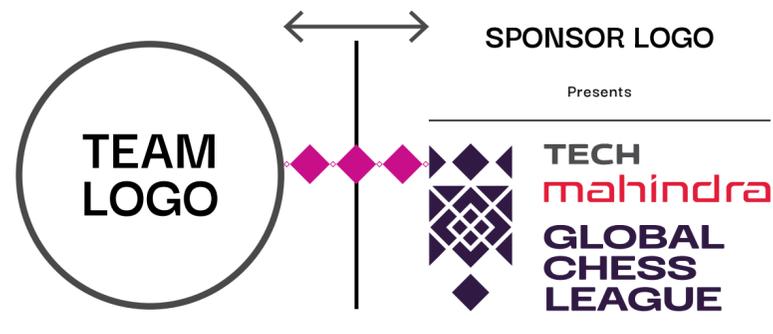
Creatives By Teams

When incorporating our logo with team logo, we kindly request GCL logo to be positioned at the top right corner to ensure brand integrity. A dividing line should be present between the GCL and team logos, in order to provide specific care in ensuring spacing tonality. We have prepared a visual representation that exemplifies the ideal placement.

SPACING UNIT



LOGO SPACING



Sponsor Video End Plate

When incorporating our logo in the video end plate, the order of elements should be as illustrated. The elements should be centered within the frame, regardless of the video's aspect ratio to maintain a visually balanced composition.

Frame 01



Frame 02



Frame 01



Team Video Endplate

Frame 01

A Joint Initiative By



TECH mahindra | FIDE GENS UNA SUMUS

Frame 02

SPONSOR LOGO

Presents



TECH mahindra GLOBAL CHESS LEAGUE

Frame 03

Hosted By

SPONSOR LOGO

Frame 04

Powered By



SPONSOR LOGO | SPONSOR LOGO

Premium Sponsors



SPONSOR LOGO | SPONSOR LOGO

Frame 05

Sponsor Title



SPONSOR LOGO | SPONSOR LOGO | SPONSOR LOGO

Sponsor Title



SPONSOR LOGO | SPONSOR LOGO | SPONSOR LOGO

GCL Social Media Carousel

While ending the carousel, our logo units should be in the order as illustrated. The elements should be centered within the frame, regardless of the aspect ratio to maintain a visually balanced composition.



Hosted By

SPONSOR LOGO

Main Sponsor Frame

Powered By

SPONSOR LOGO

SPONSOR LOGO

Premium Sponsors

SPONSOR LOGO

SPONSOR LOGO

Sponsor Title

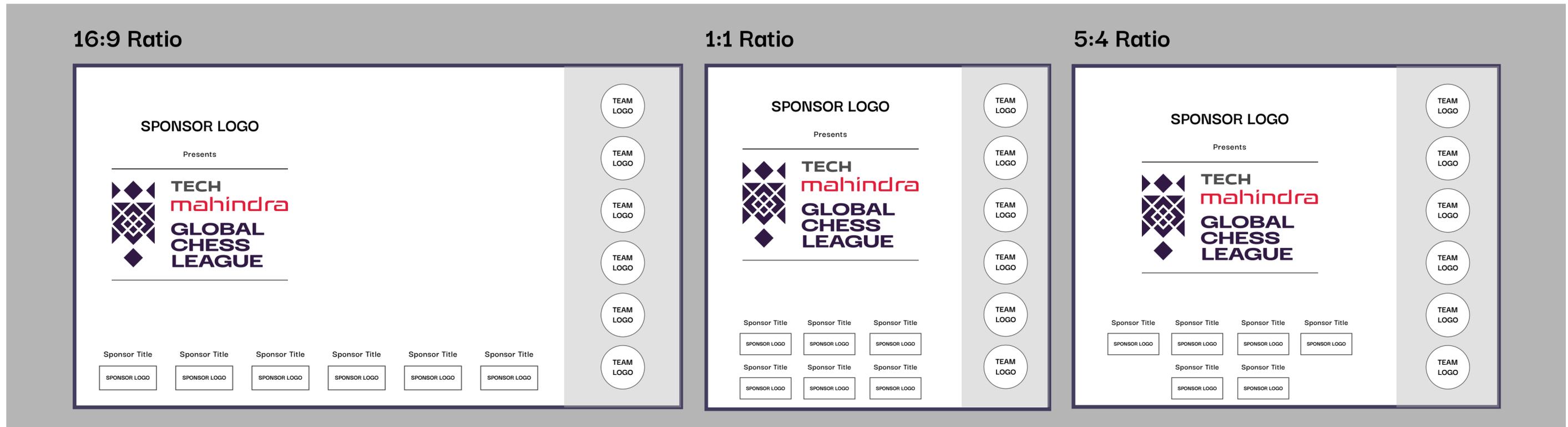
SPONSOR LOGO

OOH Template

In order to maintain a consistent and professional visual identity, we have established a set of guidelines for logo usage and placement.

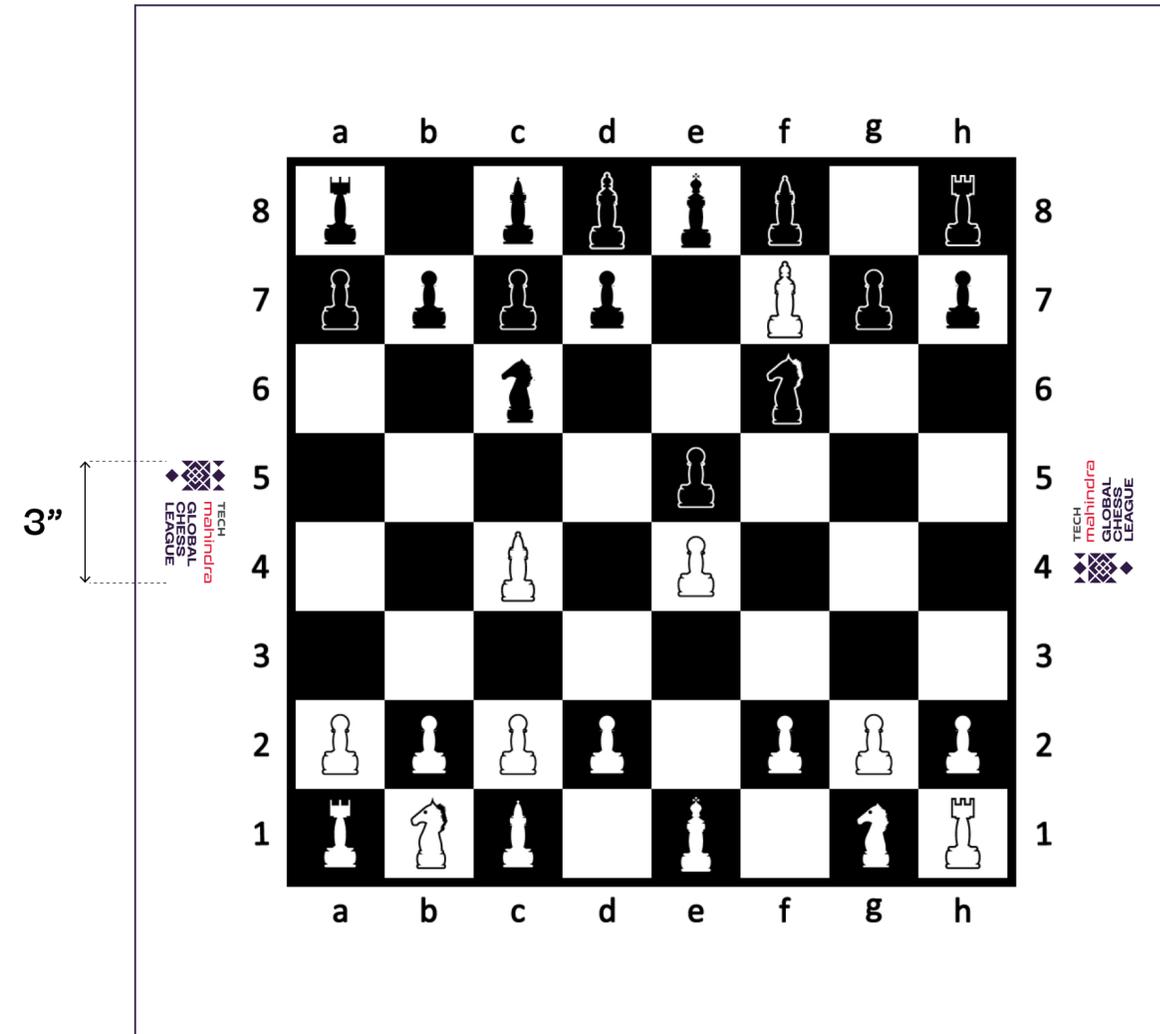
When it comes to incorporating team logos, it is important to position them in the right column of the creative. On the other hand, sponsor logos should be prominently displayed in the bottom section of the entire creative.

By following these guidelines, we can elevate our brand presence and present a cohesive image that resonates with our audience. Please note that the Tech Mahindra Global Chess League logo will occupy 20-25% of the space on the creative.



PREMIUMS

Chess Board



Score Sheet

Official FIDE Logo along with the GCL Logo has to be placed in the top left corner of the score sheet.

Sponsors logo to be accommodated at the bottom of the page in a particular ratio.



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OFFICIAL SCORE SHEET

| Event | | | | Date | | | | |
|--|-------|-------|----|-------------|-------|---------|-------|-------|
| Round | | Board | | Section | | Opening | | |
| White | | | | Ranking | | | | |
| Black | | | | Ranking | | | | |
| Time Control | | | | Pairing No. | | | | |
| # | White | Black | # | White | Black | # | White | Black |
| 1 | | | 21 | | | 41 | | |
| 2 | | | 22 | | | 42 | | |
| 3 | | | 23 | | | 43 | | |
| 4 | | | 24 | | | 44 | | |
| 5 | | | 25 | | | 45 | | |
| 6 | | | 26 | | | 46 | | |
| 7 | | | 27 | | | 47 | | |
| 8 | | | 28 | | | 48 | | |
| 9 | | | 29 | | | 49 | | |
| 10 | | | 30 | | | 50 | | |
| 11 | | | 31 | | | 51 | | |
| 12 | | | 32 | | | 52 | | |
| 13 | | | 33 | | | 53 | | |
| 14 | | | 34 | | | 54 | | |
| 15 | | | 35 | | | 55 | | |
| 16 | | | 36 | | | 56 | | |
| 17 | | | 37 | | | 57 | | |
| 18 | | | 38 | | | 58 | | |
| 19 | | | 39 | | | 59 | | |
| 20 | | | 40 | | | 60 | | |
| Results: <input type="checkbox"/> White Won <input type="checkbox"/> Black Won <input type="checkbox"/> Draw | | | | Duration: | | | | |
| Signatures: | | | | Signatures: | | | | |

SPONSOR LOGO

APPENDIX

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PSD Files

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