MFC Vice Monogram Guidebook

The source of inspiration for Vice Monogram is an Art Deco letterset (capitals only) from a 1915 publication by Cartier-Bresson of Paris containing classic and modern monogram patterns for embroidery. This Art Deco monogram style has been redrawn, balanced, and brought forward into the digital age for your type-setting use and enjoyment.

Vice Monogram types, by default, in a horizontal monogram format, but by utilizing OpenType Contextual Alternates, you can typeset in a unique diagonal format as well!

If you would like to learn more about traditional monogram formatting and rules, please feel free to visit our website and download our tutorial PDF, "Rules of Traditional Monogramming Explained" at http://www.monogramfonts.com/MonogramRules.pdf

Vice Monogram Basic Style

Vice Monogram supports one, two, or three letter monograms in an elegant antique style. It's a refined look that is perfect for a wide array of classic personalization settings.

One letter monogram



Type any capital letter

Two letter monogram



Type any two capital letters

Three letter monogram



Type any lowercase letter, any capital letter, and any lowercase letter

Vice Monogram Diagonal Format

Vice Monogram is also capable of making unique three letter diagonal format monograms. Diagonal format monogram requires access to the Contextual Alternates feature, available in most OpenType savvy applications, such as Adobe Illustrator CS (see Fig. 1). Just type any lowercase-Capital-lowercase or three lowercase letter combination with the Contextual Alternates feature enabled and the diagonal monogram will appear. Non-Opentype savvy applications will not have access to Vice Monograms diagonal format style.

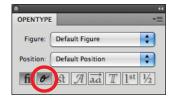
Three letter diagonal monograms





Figure 1

OpenType features are enabled by selecting the various buttons found in the OpenType Palette. Here, the Contextual Alternates option has been selected.



Type any lowercase-Capital-lowercase -OR- three lowercase letters with the Contextual Alternates feature enabled

And lastly, due to its traditional smallcaps - Capitals - smallcaps composition, Vice Monogram can also be used to type headings & titles.

