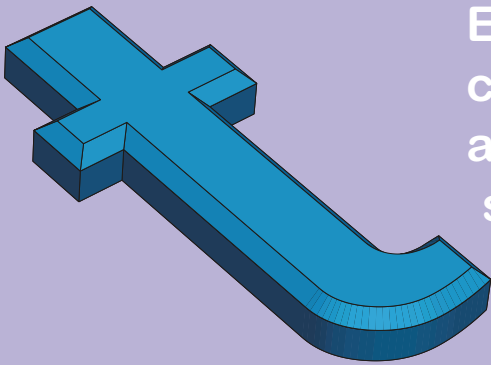


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## Tactile & Braille



Embossed letters & symbols in contrasting matt colours will allow people to identify words & symbols. Making a sign clear, accessible & easy to read for the visually impaired benefits everyone

### Tactile

Braille is a series of raised dots which enable visually impaired people to read with their fingers



### Braille

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The disability discrimination act (DDA) 1995 will be fully implemented in October 2004. Virtually every business and organisation will be affected. By 2004 service providers will have to make “reasonable adjustments” for disabled people. This may involve the alterations to physical features and the adaptation of signage to include braille and tactile (embossed) signs.



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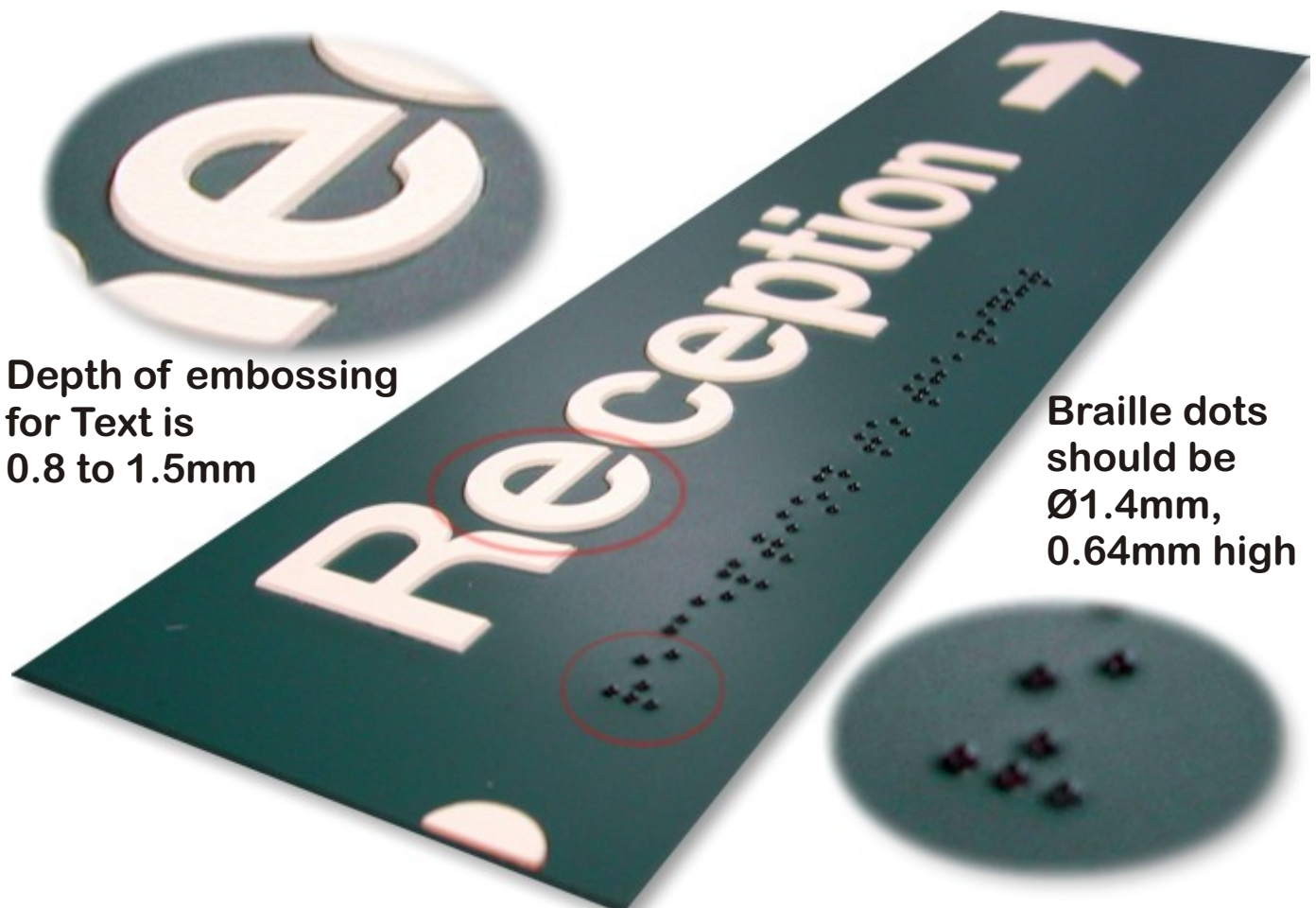
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Contelec braille and tactile signs follow the JMU and sign design society recommendations to ensure that our signs for the visually impaired are to the correct specification.



Depth of embossing  
for Text is  
0.8 to 1.5mm

Braille dots  
should be  
Ø1.4mm,  
0.64mm high

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The braille transcript is complicated and although computer software is available to convert, literal translation may not be technically correct. Contelec have access to experts that can amend inappropriate language and stop the mistakes that computers introduce, particularly in dual language signs.



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Contelec can advise if braille can be added to an existing sign, saving time and money. We can also arrange a site survey, advise on size, style, position, colour and maintenance. Whether the signs are for information, direction, identification, fire, safety or mandatory.

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● Braille representation of the text 'Contelec can make your signs, clear, concise and consistent'.

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