



Adobe® InDesign® CS6

Design professional layouts for print and digital publishing



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ACCESS TO ADOBE DIGITAL PUBLISHING SUITE*					
Ability to export horizontal and vertical layouts from the same InDesign file NEW					•
Packaging for Adobe Digital Publishing Suite* NEW					•
Export to .folio files				•	•
Folio Overlays panel				•	•
Content viewer for desktop ENHANCED				•	•
Folio Builder panel				•	•
LAYOUT PRODUCTIVITY TOOLS					
Liquid Layout NEW					•
Alternate Layout NEW					•
Linked content NEW					•
Content Collector tools NEW					•
Pages panel enhancements NEW					•
Split window NEW					•
Enhanced zoom to link NEW					•
Save as IDML ENHANCED			•	•	•
Dragging and dropping of anchored objects				•	•
Multiple page sizes in a single file			•	•	•
Layers panel similar to panel in Adobe Illustrator®			•	•	•
Gap tool			•	•	•
Live Corner effects			•	•	•
Instant crop previews			•	•	•
Live distribute			•	•	•
Grid mode for frame creation tools			•	•	•
Super Step and Repeat			•	•	•
Simplified object selection and editing			•	•	•

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Swatches in Control panel			•	•	•
Live Captions			•	•	•
Tool Hints panel			•	•	•
Smart Guides		•	•	•	•
Proportional place		•	•	•	•
Grid place		•	•	•	•
Quick Apply feature access	•	•	•	•	•
Placed InDesign files	•	•	•	•	•
EBOOK CREATION					
Export for EPUB3 NEW					•
Experimental EPUB3 with pagination NEW					•
EPUB export enhancements				•	•
Articles panel				•	•
Timing panel				•	•
Embedded video and audio in eBooks†				•	•
Dynamic image resizing				•	•
Styles mapped to tags				•	•
TEXT HANDLING TOOLS					
Access to recently used fonts NEW					•
Persistent text frame fitting options NEW					•
Style mapping in linked text NEW					•
Middle Eastern language support NEW					•
Hunspell open source dictionaries ENHANCED				•	•
Paragraphs that span or split columns, with keeps ENHANCED			•	•	•
Track Text Changes			•	•	•
Balanced Columns			•	•	•
COMPREHENSIVE STYLES					
GREP support in character styles	•	•	•	•	•
Table and cell styles	•	•	•	•	•
Nested style looping	•	•	•	•	•
LONG DOCUMENTS					
Text variables		•	•	•	•
Conditional text		•	•	•	•
Advanced bullets and numbering		•	•	•	•
Smart text reflow		•	•	•	•
Cross-references		•	•	•	•

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PRODUCTION, PREFLIGHTING, AND PRINT CONTROLS					
Grayscale preview NEW					•
Grayscale PDF export NEW					•
Document-installed fonts			•	•	•
PDF export in background			•	•	•
Live Preflight		•	•	•	•
ASSET MANAGEMENT					
Adobe Mini Bridge			•	•	•
Customizable Links panel		•	•	•	•
Integration with Adobe Bridge	•	•	•	•	•
TABLES					
Inline notes	•	•	•	•	•
Table and cell styles	•	•	•	•	•
PRINT TO DIGITAL					
PDF form field creation NEW					•
Export of interactive PDF as pages NEW					•
Export to PNG NEW					•
Placing of HTML content NEW					•
PDF tabbing order NEW					•
Improved tagged support for PDF accessibility				•	•
Export to Adobe Flash® Player		•	•	•	•
Export to Adobe Flash Professional		•	•	•	•
Export to Adobe Dreamweaver®	•	•	•	•	•
Export to interactive PDF	•	•	•	•	•
Export to JPEG	•	•	•	•	•
RICH INTERACTIVE DOCUMENTS					
Media panel			•	•	•
Animation panel			•	•	•
Timing panel			•	•	•
Object States panel			•	•	•
Preview panel			•	•	•
Motion presets			•	•	•
FLV/F4V video import			•	•	•
MP3 audio import			•	•	•
CREATIVE TOOLS					
Built-in Adobe Photoshop® effects	•	•	•	•	•
Transparency applied independently from stroke and fill	•	•	•	•	•

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ACCESS TO ADOBE ONLINE SERVICES, AVAILABLE SEPARATELY					
Adobe Digital Publishing Suite*				•	•
Acrobat.com		•	•	•	•
SCRIPTING					
InDesign Markup Language (IDML)		•	•	•	•
XML rules	•	•	•	•	•
Support for CALS tables and XSLT in XML import	•	•	•	•	•
Expanded scripting support	•	•	•	•	•

* A Digital Publishing Suite account is required to access certain features and services that integrate with Adobe Digital Publishing Suite.

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