

ADOBE READER® AND ACROBAT®

10.1.1 RELEASE NOTES



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OVERVIEW

Release note revision history

Date	Description
Sept. 13, 2011	First version

Description

This release is a quarterly release for the products listed in the table below. Note that this update is cumulative and can be installed over any existing Acrobat or Reader installation.

Available installers

Product	Ver.	Installer	Size	Language
Windows				
Acrobat	10.1.1	Update: AcrobatUpd1011.msp	108 MB	All
Reader	10.1.1	Update: AdbeRdrUpd1011_MUI.msp	17.5 MB	All (multilingual installer)
Reader	10.1.1	Update: AdbeRdrUpd1011.msp	12.5 MB	All
Reader	10.1.1	Full: AdbeRdr1011_<lang_ID>.exe	50-60 MB	En, fr, de, ja, es on RDC
Macintosh				
Acrobat	10.1.1	Update: AcrobatUpd1011.dmg	134 MB	All
Reader	10.1.1	Update: AdbeRdrUpd1011.dmg	98.3 MB	All
Reader	10.1.1	Full: AdbeRdrUpd1011_en_US.dmg	68.1 MB	EN

Language support overview

Most quarterly updates and out of cycle patches (and any Acrobat update/patch) are language agnostic and can be applied over any product. For Reader, language-specific installers may be provided from the [Reader Download Center](#) (RDC) and the ftp site for some quarterly updates. In those cases, use the installer file name to identify the language for which the installer is intended.

Multilanguage (MUI) installers: Some releases include MUI installers that provide support for multiple languages and allow the user to configure the language at install time. These are only available on Windows and are identified by _MUI in the filename.

	Windows	Macintosh
Tier 1	English, French, German, Japanese.	English, French, German , Japanese
Tier 2	Italian, Spanish, Dutch, Brazilian Portuguese, Swedish, Danish, Finnish, Norwegian	Italian, Spanish, Dutch, Brazilian Portuguese, Swedish, Danish, Finnish, Norwegian
Tier 3	Chinese Traditional, Chinese Simplified, Korean	Chinese Traditional, Chinese Simplified, Korean
Tier 4	Russian, Ukrainian, Romanian, Turkish, Czech, Hungarian, Polish, Slovak, Croatian, Slovenian, (Reader only: Catalan, Basque)	Russian, Ukrainian, Romanian, Turkish, Czech, Hungarian, Polish

Definition of release types

Adobe defines each release type as follows:

- **Major release:** A major release associated with an incremented first number (e.g. 9 or 10) and an approximate 18 month product cycle. These are only available as separate purchases or upgrades.
- **Quarterly update:** A scheduled update that includes functional improvements, new security updates, and previously released out of cycle patch updates. For Reader, these can be either patches or full installers. The installers for Windows are cumulative to the last released MSI while the installers for Macintosh are cumulative to the 10.0.0 base installation.
- **Out of cycle patch:** An unscheduled update targeted at security fixes. These contain few functional updates with the intention to limit impact. The installers are cumulative to the last quarterly.

Note: Both quarterly and out-of-cycle updates provide security enhancements and fixes. Adobe recommends that all updates and patches be applied when available.

Reasons to update

This release provides security enhancements. See [Improvements](#) and [Fixed Bugs](#) below for a complete list.

Deployment methods

Unlike versions prior to 10.0, update and patch installers are now cumulative as follows: Quarterly updates are always cumulative to the last MSI and out of cycle patches are cumulative to the last quarterly.

Note: Only the base release of Acrobat is an MSI and very few Reader updates will ever be an MSI (10.0 and 10.1). For Macintosh quarterlies are always cumulative to the base release. For Windows, quarterlies are always cumulative to the last MSI.

End user updates

End users typically get the latest product version by doing one of the following:

- Updating the product manually by choosing **Help > Check for Updates** (Win and Mac only).
- Letting the product update itself when an update is detected if the application is configured to do so (Win).
- Downloading the full Adobe Reader installers from the [Reader Download Center](#).

Enterprise updates

Administrators and IT typically manage software installations in enterprise settings as follows:

1. Download the enterprise installers from <http://ftp.adobe.com/pub/adobe/>. For a list of installers, see http://kb2.adobe.com/cps/888/cpsid_88814.html.
2. Installing updates via your preferred methodology such as AIP-GPO, bootstrapper, SCUP/SCCM (Windows), or Apple Remote Desktop or SSH (Macintosh).

Note: For details, see the *Enterprise Administration Guide* on the [enterprise portal](#).

System requirements changes

This release supports the base system requirements. Any differences in those requirements are noted below. For the base **system requirements** and **language support**, see the following:

- Acrobat: <http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobatpro/tech-specs.html>

- Reader: <http://www.adobe.com/products/reader/tech-specs.html>

Change history: Support that has been added or removed since 10.0

Version	Changes to base system requirements
10.0.1	None.
10.0.2	None.
10.0.3	None.
10.1	<p>Added support for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Microsoft Windows 7 or Windows 7 SP1 Starter, Home Premium, Professional, Ultimate or Enterprise (32 bit and 64 bit) • Viewing PDFs in Firefox 4 on Windows (not Mac) • WebCapture with Firefox 4 and IE 9 on Win and Mac • Mac OS 10.6.7 • IE 9 is fully supported. <p>Dropped WebCapture support for version Firefox 3.5 or lower. Dropped support for DirectX 8.</p>
10.1.1	<p>Added support for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Firefox 6.0 on Windows • Mac OS X 10.6.8 and 10.7 (with the exception of the browser which is not supported) • Safari 5.0.5 <p>Dropped support for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Firefox 3.5 on Windows

Compatibility and interoperability

For version-related information, see the following:

- Compatibility overview page: http://www.adobe.com/devnet/reader/articles/reader_compatibility.html.
- Version interoperability and coexisting installations, see <http://kb2.adobe.com/cps/333/333223.html>.
- PDFMaker-compatible applications (Windows and Mac), including PDF-capable web browsers: <http://kb2.adobe.com/cps/333/333504.html>.

Product end-of-life schedule

As stated in the Adobe Support Lifecycle Policy, Adobe provides five years of product support as described here: http://www.adobe.com/support/products/enterprise/eol/eol_matrix.html#86. Under this schedule, 8.x products will be “end of life” in November of 2011.

End of support means that Adobe will no longer provide technical support or distribute runtimes, including product and/or security updates, for all derivatives of a product or product version (e.g. localized versions, minor upgrades, operating systems, dot and double-dot releases, and connector products). Adobe strongly recommends that customers update to the latest versions of the product.

Improvements

Security

For more details about these and other security features, see the [Application Security Guide](#).

- Mitigations for vulnerabilities described in the security bulletin at <http://www.adobe.com/go/apsb11-24>.
- Major changes in the user JavaScript and global variables features as described in the [Application Security Guide](#). If you use these features, you must make changes to your distributed products.

Updates

- 8.x products redirect users to Reader 10.x downloads if no new updates are available. Note that 8.x will be end-of-lifed in November, 2011.

Outlook integration

- Improved stability and integration with MS Outlook on 64 bit systems.

User interface changes

- The Share Pane has been renamed to "Tools Pane". The Tools Pane has been renamed to the "Extended Pane" for Adobe Reader (this is only not for Acrobat). This change is designed to facilitate future additions and enhancements to the Tools area.
- The Welcome screen (with the recent file list) can be disabled via these methods:
 - For Macintosh, /General/WelcomeScreen/ShowWelcomeScreen.
 - On Windows, the feature can be locked by setting HKLM\SOFTWARE\Policies\Adobe\product name)\(version)\FeatureLockDown\bShowWelcomeScreen to 0.

Bug fixes

This release includes a number of bugs fixes, including the following:

- Acrobat fails to display Rupee symbol.
- Unable to see the last item in drop down list when navigating through list with down arrow.
- Custom scan does not work with Acrobat X.
- Comments and Annotations do not work properly in Workspace launched via Safari on a Mac OS.
- A signed PDF can cause the viewer in a browser to crash.
- Submission of signed data in Acrobat X is slow.
- Unable to input using Japanese IME after using drop box with protected mode.
- Opening a PDF with "CR" in its name gives an error to accept license after disabling Protected Mode.
- Closing a form in a browser may cause the browser to hang.
- Protected mode on XP: IME mode remained Half-alphanumeric mode automatically and cannot change back to Hiragana mode again after move mouse focus from dropdown field to Japanese text field.

- Form data cannot be exported to CSV in some cases.
- Portfolio behavior different from 9.x with respect to coversheets.
- formBridge events not firing in Portfolio loaded within Reader plug-in inside LiveCycle workspace.
- Touching up text causes ligatures to be dropped.
- IE 6 crashes with magnifier when filling out a text field of a table in a form.
- Reader X call to LiveCycle server fails when submitting an authentication call via SOAP.
- PDFMaker hangs while converting an attached Word file with hidden text to pdf.
- PDFMaker for Office 2007 duplicates headings when both normal and custom headings exist in the same document.
- PDFMaker for MS Office 2003: ES2 (LC 9.0) rendition removes spaces between the Kanji character and the English character while converting an MS word file to PDF.
- PDF was displayed in browser window directly instead of embedded in a ZCI html container when 'Enable Javascript for this document one time.
- Acrobat Updater Resets "Adobe PDF" PostScript Printer Driver Instance Settings.

Known issues

For a list of current issues, see http://kb2.adobe.com/cps/907/cpsid_90705.html.

- 2951429: Ink Manager color swatches are broken, display in RGB, most spots missing.

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