

ADOBE® INDESIGN® CS3

Design and produce professional page layouts



FEATURE IMPROVEMENT HISTORY

FEATURE AREAS		INDESIGN CS3	INDESIGN CS2
Creativity	Built-in Adobe Photoshop® effects	●	
	Transparency applied independently to stroke, fill, and content of an object	●	
	Gradient feathers with multiple stops	●	
	Native Adobe Illustrator® and Photoshop file support	○	●
	Advanced text wrap options	●	○
	Drawing tools and support for path manipulations	○	○
	Repeated transformations and shape-to-shape conversion	○	●
	Export Adobe PDF files with motion, interactivity, and sound	○	○
	Hide/Show layers in placed Adobe PDF, Adobe Illustrator, and Adobe Photoshop files	○	●
	Access to Adobe Stock Photos from within InDesign	○	●
Productivity	User interface with enhanced panel management and customizable menus and workspaces	●	○
	Multi-file Place with thumbnails loaded in place cursor	●	
	Expanded Quick Apply for easy access to styles, scripts, variables, and menu commands	●	○
	Faster frame fitting with ability to assign fitting as a frame attribute	●	○
	Thumbnail page view in Pages panel	●	
	Table and cell styles	●	
	Character, paragraph, and object styles	●	●
	Style groups	●	
	Nested style looping	●	○
	Find/Change on objects, text, and glyphs	●	○
	Universal font replacement across a document	●	
	Object alignment relative to selection, margins, page, or spread	●	○
	Anchored objects	○	●
	Enhanced Links panel with Spotlight information and ability to sort links by type	●	○
	JDF support for streamlined job management	○	○
	Import for multipage Adobe PDF documents	○	●
	Backward compatibility	○	●
	Access to Adobe Bridge from within InDesign	○	●

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Automation and long documents	Text variables	●	
	Automated bullets and numbering	●	●
	Master pages enhancements, including synchronization across books and visual indicators of master page items	●	○
	Footnotes	○	○
	XML rules engine to dynamically design and format pages	●	
	XSLT style sheets applied on import or export of XML data	●	
	CALS table conversion to InDesign tables on import	●	
	Ability to run scripts automatically when menu items are selected	●	
	UI creation for JavaScript scripts	●	
Collaboration	Placed InDesign files	●	
	Individual objects saved as snippets to share or reuse	○	●
	E-mail-based assignments for streamlined editorial workflow using InDesign and InCopy®	●	○
Cross-media publishing	XHTML export to Adobe Dreamweaver®	●	
	XHTML export to Adobe Digital Editions	●	
	Rich copy and paste to Adobe GoLive®	●	○

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