### Miscellaneous

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<th><strong>Word for Windows (6 ... 8)</strong></th>
<th><strong>FrameMaker &gt; 5</strong></th>
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<td><strong>Layout of pages</strong></td>
<td>Any number of master pages, even mixed orientation; any # of frames</td>
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<td><strong>Styles</strong></td>
<td>Paragraph, character</td>
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<td><strong>Side headings</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Variables</strong></td>
<td>Fields, global variables in master document</td>
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<td><strong>Graphics (direct)</strong></td>
<td>Located in hidden layer, positioning unreliable</td>
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<td><strong>Anchored frames</strong></td>
<td>A very unreliable feature</td>
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<td><strong>Import graphics and text</strong></td>
<td>Default: <strong>copy</strong>, paragraph and character formatting; update of references kills formatting</td>
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### Product history

You find a more or less complete history about the development of FrameMaker on the author's web site on [www.daube.ch](http://www.daube.ch).

### FrameMaker time line

- **Frame Technology founded by Steve Kirsch, David Murray, Charles Corfield and Vickie Blakeslee**
  - 1986
  - 5 employees (~ 1/3 on R/D)
  - Sun
  - 1.0
  - 0.6
- **Frame Technology acquired by Adobe Inc.**
  - 1995
  - 475 employees (~ 40 on FM R/D)
  - 5.1.2
  - 3.0 MS Win
  - Unix versions
  - Mac OS (until 9.x)
  - Windows versions
- **FrameMaker and +SGML merged into one product**
  - 2000
  - 2200
  - 5.5
  - 5.5.6
  - 6.0
  - 7.1
  - 7.2
  - 8.0
  - 9.0
  - 2.1 Mac
  - 1.0 Sun
- **Adobe India becomes responsible for FrameMaker**
  - 2005
  - 7.0
  - 10.0
  - 11.0
  - 12.0
  - 2010
  - 13.0 = 2015
  - 13.0 – 2015
  - 14.0 = 2017

### FrameMaker icons

Application icons on Windows (original size 32x32 pixels)

![FrameMaker icons](image)

The icons for version 3 to 5 are scanned from documents.