

# PDFs . . . Read this first !

. . . sad to say But Adobe(Acrobat) after decades whilst a pioneering breakthru' at the time !  
IS still fundamentally flawed !

**OK for simple small documents 1 to -maybe ~20pages !**

**it is VERY SLOW for "bundled pages catalogs > 20pages  
and ONLY incrementaly upgraded re Highlight SEARCH Results**

*the problem is in design > it is **NOT Page-served** and the whole file needs to download first in the background !  
before it actually Opens !*

*> mobile phones you may be charge the excessive "file charges"*

*some "browsers? regard large file DLs as "spam"*

*some Co & Uni's WebAdmin still regard PDFs with suspicion & they may get blocked to conserve internal  
"bandwidth" etc or just to keep their students/staff "dumbed-down" !*

. . . so **Be-a-Ware !**

**the "answer" is Flip-PAGES Technology ! evolved now over the last decade**

**the latest reincarnation is FlipHTML5 > brilliant !**

**ALL Our main PDFs have been reformatted into**

**FlipHTML5 . . . but based on ALL original PDF pages & its' features !**

- **FAST !**

- **Page-served** ( downloads ONLY one-P at a time & actually clicked on ! )

- **a far better presentation format**

- **later version Now display highlighted SEARCH Results**

- **Thumbnail Pages**

--- **Allows "libraries" of File Collections ( [flip.chromalytic.net.au](http://flip.chromalytic.net.au) )**

**& from our original Website >**

[https://www.chromtech.net.au/fliphtml5\\_bookcases-m4.htm](https://www.chromtech.net.au/fliphtml5_bookcases-m4.htm)

- **Index ( SEARCH OCR'd pages ) - but fundamentally still limited by  
Acrobats "Image Only" scanned format)**

**current Low cost PDF "editors" NOW work-around THAT limitation !**

**( the original Acrobat Editor was but a "rip-off" ! > a dis-incentive > & OUR opinion ! ONLY ! )**

*even MicroSoft ( & others) now "universally" allows "Print to PDF" & OCR'd !*

- **virtually unlimited "FileSize"**

**>> 800page Catalogs but IF File < 150mB (re 2022 ! )**

- **only (very) slightly compromised text** ( but can still be "zoomed" If/as needed )

Chromtech introduce variations of this "Flip from 2005+after ~15years of PDF limitations

Many older PDFs had to be divided into smaller single PDF pages ( & still in this DIR for those PDF "diehards" )

**But large PDFs ( & > 20-p ) ARE QUITE POINTLESS !**

Since **FlipHTML5**

**we have discontinued doing this and now "bundle" complete OEM Catalogs ( PDF > FlipHTML5 ) as is !**

**this PDF DIR ( the "FileSize" displayed is a warning ! . . . Be-a-Ware ! )**

**> 1000s of the used by us PDFs ( even these are ONLY a "partial" listing from our respective OEMs**

**\ & some are obviously "( out- ) dated" ! > redundant forALlbut the "naive" !**

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