Revu Tutorial: Tablet PC Features

Bluebeam PDF Revu includes features specifically designed for Tablet OS users who are looking for a quick and easy way to review and markup PDF files with the ease and simplicity of their Tablet pen.

Navigation – Bluebeam uses tabbed navigation, making it easy to open and review multiple PDF files simultaneously. Double-tap on the workspace and a zoom control will appear. Simply slide your pen up/down to zoom in/out.



Profiles – Bluebeam comes with multiple profiles, including a Tablet profile. Profiles are any easy way to change and reorganize the interface. Click the down arrow next to the Profile icon to select a different profile, or create your own.

Markup – Markup tools are located to the right of the main desktop workspace for quick access. The high-resolution Pen and Highlight tools make it easy to comment on a document with freehand text or diagrams. Use the top of the Pen as an eraser and delete any unwanted Pen marks. Lines, clouds, and images are within a few taps.

Text Box – The Text Box markup tool makes use of a TIP (Tablet Input Panel) with text recognition when adding a Text Box, Callout, or Dimension annotation. Write on the upper half of the input panel and the text will appear in the lower half. Use the caps lock and all your text will appear in upper case. A delete, backspace, return, and space button are included for easy editing. An additional benefit with these types of annotations is that they are all text searchable.



Ink PDFs – The pen annotation lets users ink PDFs with pressure sensitivity. Beginning with v 6.2, the ink tool is also compatible with OneNote and Journal, so you can copy and paste between these applications and Revu.

Appearance, Style, Font – Use various toolbars to quickly and easily change the appearance of your annotations. For instance, changing borders, line type, color, fill, opacity, font, or alignment are all accessible and obvious.



Page Insert – Click the Insert Blank Page button or or or of o either the thumbnail navigation or Document menu and click Insert Blank Page. A new page will be added to your document – giving you the benefit of more work space for your comments or illustrations directly in Revu. Set a ¼" or 1/8" grid pattern on the page to add more detail or to set a scale.

Lasso – Select the lasso and draw a region with the pen to select all annotations included within that region. Once selected, annotations can be grouped into one annotation, copied, customized and moved all at once.

Reuse – Clicking Reuse enables the same annotation to be added to the PDF without reselecting it from the toolbar