Adding Adobe Captivate Movie Clips to a PDF File

Introduction

This article describes how to embed a movie clip into a PDF file. Would you like to see a sample PDF file that contains an actual movie clip? The following movie clip animates the steps involved in the procedure.

Click the title image below to show a movie clip of the "Adding a Movie Clip to a PDF File" procedure.

Viewing a Movie Clip within a PDF Document

Where to Go from Here

The following books are recommended to obtain additional knowledge on using PDF files and movie (.swf) clips:

- Adobe Reader 7 Revealed: Working Effectively with Acrobat PDF Files by Ted Padova (2005)
- Acrobat 6 and PDF Solutions by Taz Tally and Taz Tally Ph.D. (2004)
- Essentials of Adobe Captivate 3 by Kevin A. Siegel (2007)

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