User Documentation

> **Note: This product is distributed on a 'try-before-you-buy' basis. All features described in this documentation are enabled. The registered version does not insert a watermark in your generated Flash Flip Books.**

About PageFlip Album to Flash

Convert your Photoes to Digital Magazines, Newspapers, Advertisements, Catalogues, Brochures, Instructional Manuals, Newsletters, Annual Reports, Direct Mail Advertising, and MORE!!

PageFlip Album to Flash is a digital photo album software offering photo enthusiasts an easier, better way to organize & share their digital photos. It is easy to use, yet highly customizable, and is suitable for both beginners and experts.
PageFlip Album to Flash can automatically create realistic, book-like albums with a natural, intuitive interface.

PageFlip Album to Flash also provides different output methods for you to publish your flipping book: "HTML" is for publishing online, "ZIP" can be much easier for emailing, "EXE" is an intergraded format for quickly viewing, "Burn to CD" to output your digital books directly on CD-ROM.

Using PageFlip Album to Flash, you can take your digital photos, edit them with professional quality tools, add your own comments and messages, organize them into albums, and share your albums with people across town, across the country, and around the world.

Main Features

Apply 32-bit image processing technology: With 32-bit image processing technology, you can easily blend your photo into another backdrop perfectly, especially without any defect on border.

More professional drawn templates: With more professional drawn templates. Using simple click, you can design some professional photo collages immediately.

1) There are 60 masks for you to choose, which changes your photo in different

shapes then blends it onto the backdrop image

2)120 kind of cliparts onto your photo, which makes you photo more beautiful

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3)130 cartoon pictures onto your photo, which makes you photo more interesting.

4)10 shining outlines onto your photo.

5) Add text comments onto your photo.

6) Add frames onto your photo. There are 20 frames included.

Support to Mix Multiple Effects: You can use multi effects onto one photo. For example, first use one of Light effects, second use one of Star effects, and then use one of Edge effects. By this way, you will get hundred of different special effects onto your photo.

Independence

You are not tied to the other's servers and per-pages costs. All flip photo book files are stored on your server and you do not depend on anybody

Simplicity

The system requirements to your site are minimal. You do not need PHP, ASP, mySQL or any other server applications to be installed. You do not need programming skills. The installation procedure is just a files copying on the server.

Flexibility

The interface can be almost completely customized. PageFlip Album to Flash can be easily integrated to any existing design and brand style. You can use a great variety of book interface settings.

Customizable

Change the colors or background image to match your needs.

Detail features include:

● convert images to flash page-flipping eBooks.

- Output in 4 different formats: HTML, EXE, Zip and Burn to CD.

  HTML allows you to upload to a website to be viewed online.
  EXE and Zip allow you to send to your user by email to be viewed on their computer.
 Burn to CD allows you to burn to disk so you can send out with physical media.

- Set page layout for added or scanned images.

- Provides multiple scan optimize tools before designing template: flip, rotate, de-skew, crop, convert to B/W, gray scale, etc.

- Output PDF format directly with define PDF properties, encryption, viewer and watermarks.

- Provide multiple templates with previewing effects instantly.

- Add encryption to protect created page-flipping eBooks.

- Insert background music, always play or define times.

- Set background color, image or flash.

- Define language for flash and set book reading from right to left (such as Arabic).

- Choose hard cover for eBooks.

- Customize toolbar buttons to set permissions for downloading, printing, sharing and more.

- Set colors for toolbar, book cover, book shadows, bookmarks and more.

- Set font color, type for windows and bookmarks.

- Set scale for zoom-in function in Classical and Spread templates.

- Export and save settings for future uses.

Using PageFlip Album to Flash

PageFlip Album to Flash can be started either by launching the application via a desktop shortcut, or directly from within Windows/Windows Explorer.

When you start the program, you will be presented with the primary screen from.
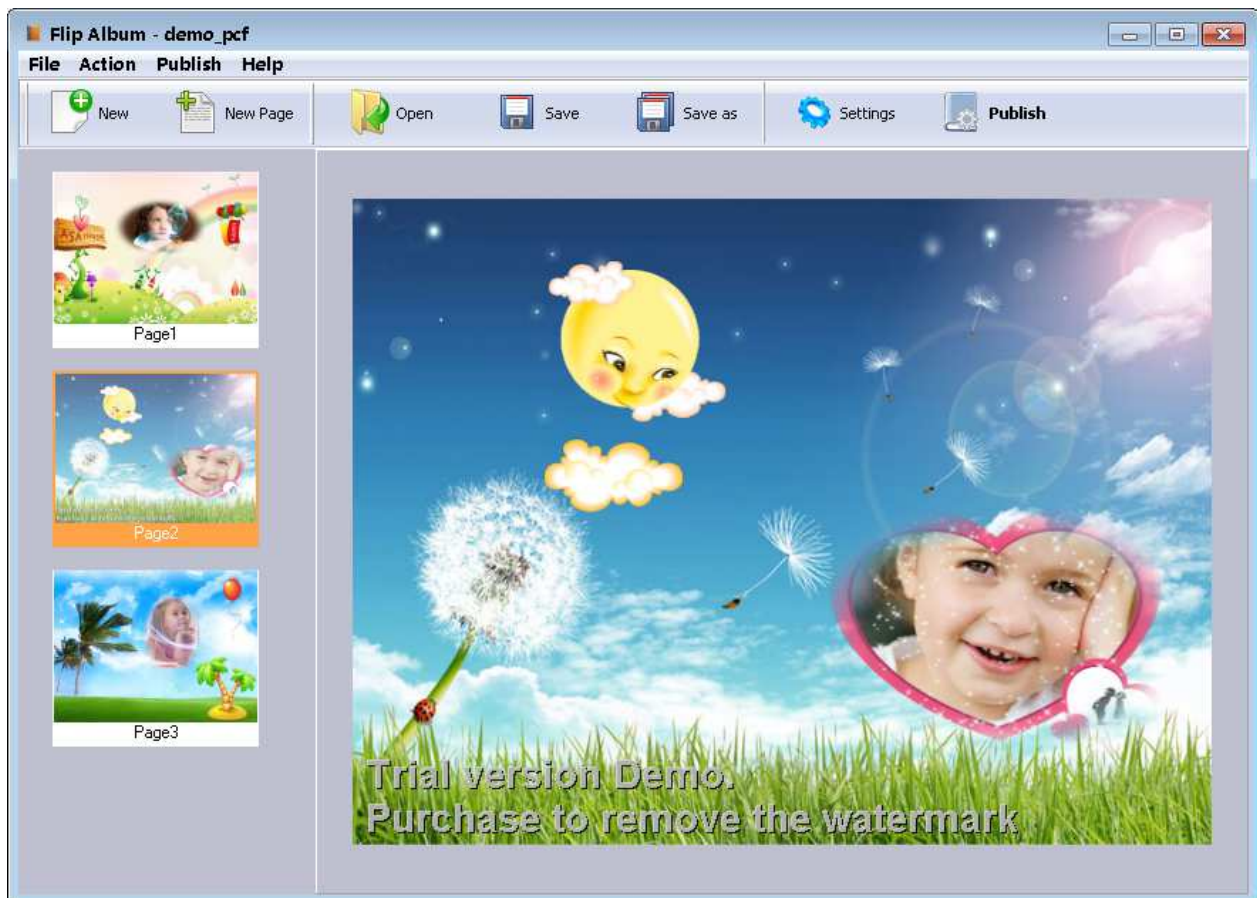
Add Photo

Click button 'Photo' to load your digital photo.

Change Background image

Click button 'Background' to load Background image (a landscape image etc) onto which you want to blend your photo.
You can use your own pictures as your own Background images.

Change Mask

Click button 'Mask' and choose the masks.
Different mask makes your photo in different shape, and then blends it onto the Background image.

Add Cliparts

Click button 'Clipart' to add cliparts onto the photo, to make it more beautiful.

Add shining outlines

Click button 'Outline' to add shining outlines onto the photo, to make it more attractive.

Add Text Comments

Click button 'Text' to add text comments onto the photo.
There are two choices: one is just add text comments. The other is you can add speaking balloon first, and then add the text comments in the speaking balloon.

Add frame

Click button 'Frame' to add frame onto the photo.

Del Frame

Click Button 'Del Frame' to delete the frame.

Template Settings

Below image is the overview for the Template Settings interface:
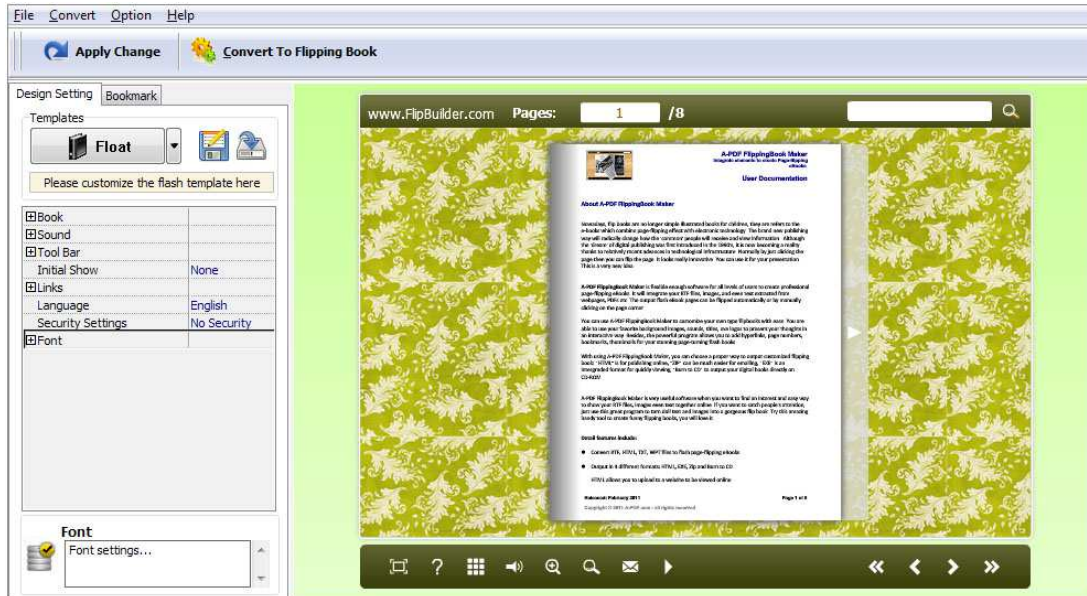
The design setting interface contains below main parts: Choose Template; Book; Sound; Tool Bar; Bookmark; Initial Show; Links; Language; Security Settings; Font.

1. Choose Template
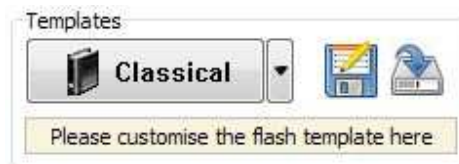
Click icon to select templates from below interface:
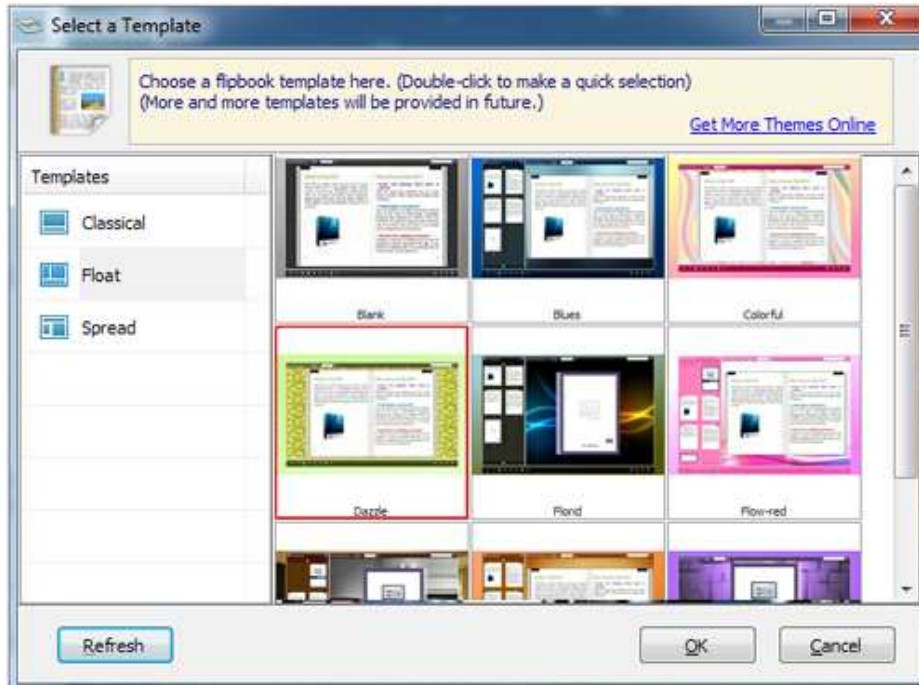
Click this icon is to save current settings as a TXT file for later uses;

Click this icon is to import stored setting file at once.

2. Book Panel

Book	
Book Title	www.FlipB...
Hide Book Frame Bar	No
Retain the book to center	No
⊞ Book Proportions	
Top Margin	10
Bottom Margin	10
Left Margin	60
Right Margin	60
Flash Window Color	■0x021A25
Page Background Color	□0xffffff
⊞ Page Shadow	
⊞ Background Config	
Right To Left	No
Hard Cover	No
Flipping Time	0.6

(1) Book Title (only can be set in Float Template)

Customize book title for showing on the top of your flipbook.

(2) Hide Book Frame Bar
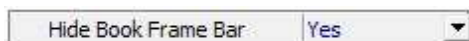
If don't want to show the book frame bar, choose "Yes" in this option.

(3) Retain the book to center
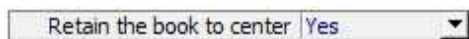
If you select "No" in this option, the eBook will be shown on the right-side. This setting is for embedding special background image, such as advertisement or company log.

(4) Book Proportions
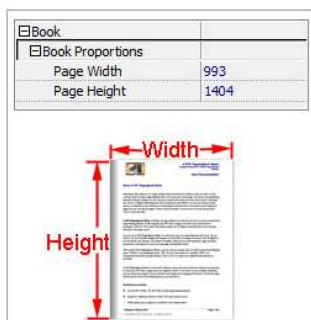
Please note that the values are not fixed in pixels or inches, they just represent a ratio for "Page Width: Page Height", and the book size will be changed depend on your Explorer Window Size.

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(5) Book Margin

A. Book Margin (set in Classical Template):

"Book Margin" refers to the distance between the book and the toolbar.

B. Top/ Bottom/ Left/ Right Margin (set in Float/ Spread Template):

(6) Flash Window Color

This color will be applied on all flash windows, such as the book window, "Help" window, "Print" window and so on.

(7) Icon Color (only in Classical Template)

(8) Page Background Color

When load pages, or if the page number of your PDF file is odd, then the page (the last page) will show with the "Page Background Color".

(9) Page Shadow

The value also takes the value of Book Proportions as reference, and the value interval of "Page Shadow Opacity" is "0~1", the larger value refers to the deeper shadow color.

(10) Background Config

A. Background Color:
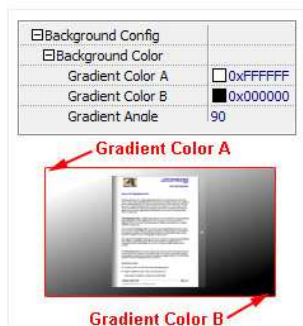
Define background for your flipbook with gradient color or pure color (the same color for "Gradient Color A" and "Gradient Color B"). Gradient Angle is the angle between the two colors.

B. Background Image setting in Classical and Spread templates:
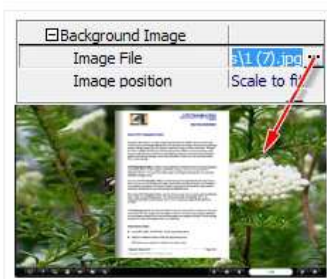
Click the icon " " to choose background image from your computer, and there are 11 kinds of "Image Position" for you to choose: Scale to fit, Fill, Top Left, Top Center, Top Right, Middle Left, Middle Center, Middle Right, Bottom Left, Bottom Center and Bottom Right.

C. Background Image setting in Float template:
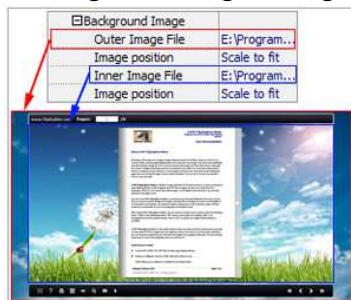
The Float template enables you to add two background images: Outer Image and Inner Image. You can make Inner background image to show special information, such as advertisement or company logo, etc. There are also 11 kinds of "Image Position" for you to choose: Scale to fit, Fill, Top Left, Top Center, Top Right, Middle Left, Middle Center, Middle Right, Bottom Left, Bottom Center and Bottom Right.

(11) Right to Left

If the language of your file is read from right to left (such as Arabic), then choose "Yes" in "Right to Left" option:
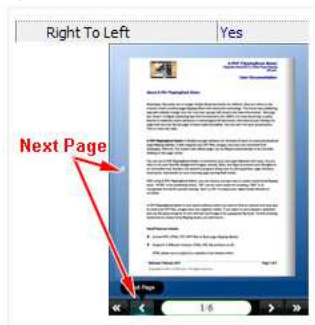
(12) Hard Cover

If you want create hard cover effect (a book bound with rigid protective covers) for your flipbook, choose "Yes" in "Hard Cover" option:

(13) Flipping time

 Sets page flipping time in seconds according to your needs. (Recommended second value is 0.6)

3. Sound Panel

If you want to add background sound to your flipbook, such as a song or other audio file, set "Enable Sound->Enable", then click "⬚" icon to choose "Sound File" from your computer, then set "Sound Loops", "-1" stands for playing the sound file all the time while viewing flipbook, other value (N>0) stands for the times of playing the sound file.

4. Tool Bar

Tool Bar	
Tool bar	Show
Bar Color	■ 0x000000
Icon Color	□ 0xffffff
⊞ Zoom Config	
Print Enable	Yes
⊞ Download setting	
Full Screen Button	Show
Full Screen Without Tool...	No
Help Button	Show
⊞ Share Button	
⊞ Auto Flip	

(1) Tool bar (only in Classical Template)

Tool bar	Show

Show or Hide Tool bar in created flipbook.

(2) Zoom Config

To Enable Zoon In functionality, choose ''Yes'' in "Zoon in enable", then set "Zoom Scale", the value is the times between zoomed page size and the current page size.

(3) Print Enable

Print Enable	Yes

Choose "Yes" in "Print Enable", then click icon [printer icon] to set print page range as below:

(4) Download setting

⊟Download setting	
Download Enable	Yes
Download URL	PDFDemo.pdf

If you want your flipbook readers to download the PDF file or the flipbook directly from your website, select "Yes" in "Download Enable" option, then input the Download URL directly, you can use absolute path like "http://www.flipbuilder.com/flip-pdf/example/files/download/FlipPDFDemo.pdf" or relative path like "/files/download/FlipPDFDemo.pdf" (make sure you have uploaded the PDF to the same path).

Then readers can click the icon [download icon] to download your uploaded PDF file directly.

(5) Full Screen

To enable "Full Screen" functionality in output flipbook, select "Show" in "Full Screen Button" option:

Full Screen Button	Show

Then you can click icon [fullscreen icon] to view flipbook in Full Screen, click icon [exit fullscreen icon] or "Esc" button to exit from the Full Screen.

Or if you want to show your flipbook without Tool Bar while showing in Full Screen mode, you can set "No" in "Full Screen without Tool Bar" (just in Classical Template):

Full Screen Without Tool...	Yes

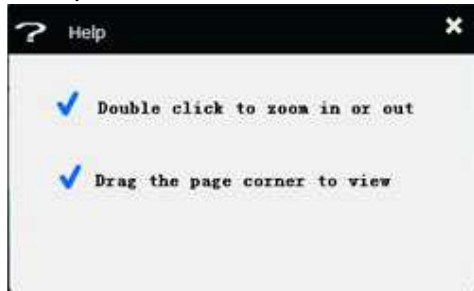**(6) Help Button**

To show tips about viewing flipbook, you can set "Show" in "Help Button" option:

Help Button	Show

Then you can see the button [?] and click to get the tips as below:

(7) Share Button

If you want your flipbook viewers to send the link to their friends or clients, you can add a share button in your flipbook for readers to send out your flipbook link immediately:

⊟Share Button	
Share Button	Show
Email Subject	Rear my fli...
Email Body	{link}

When the viewers click the share button [✉], they will enter into the Email interface with the link of your flipbook in the Email body.

(8) Auto Flip

To auto flip your eBooks, you can set "Yes" in "Auto Flip->Enable" option; then define the Flip Interval (seconds of staying on each page); the value of "Play Count" stands for the times of auto playing the eBook,

and "-1" stands for playing forever (after clicking the Auto Flip button [▶], the flipbooks will be flipped by staying 3 seconds per page); if you want to auto start and flip the eBook after opening, just set "Auto flip when start up->Yes":

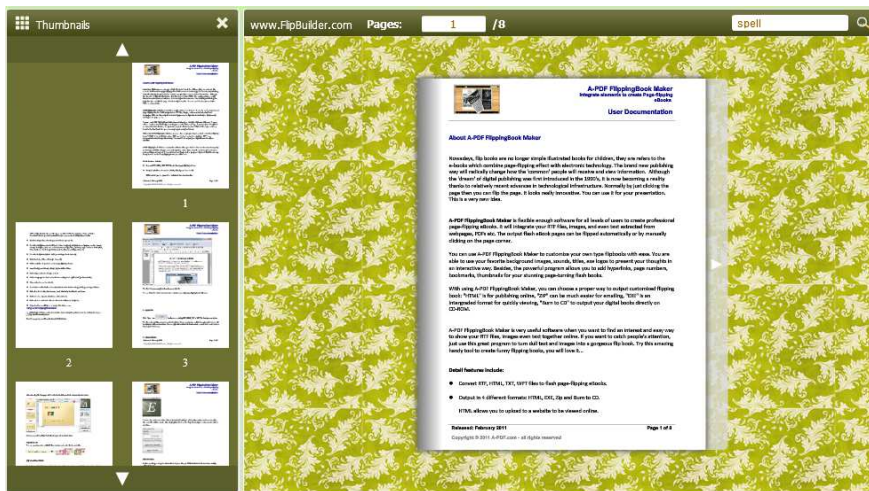| ⊟Auto Flip	
Enable	Yes
Flip Interval	3
Play Count	-1
Auto flip when start up	Yes

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5. Initial Show (set in Float/ Spread Template)

You can show Bookmark panel or Thumbnails panel on the flash page at the beginning, just select "Bookmark" or "Thumbnails" in this option:
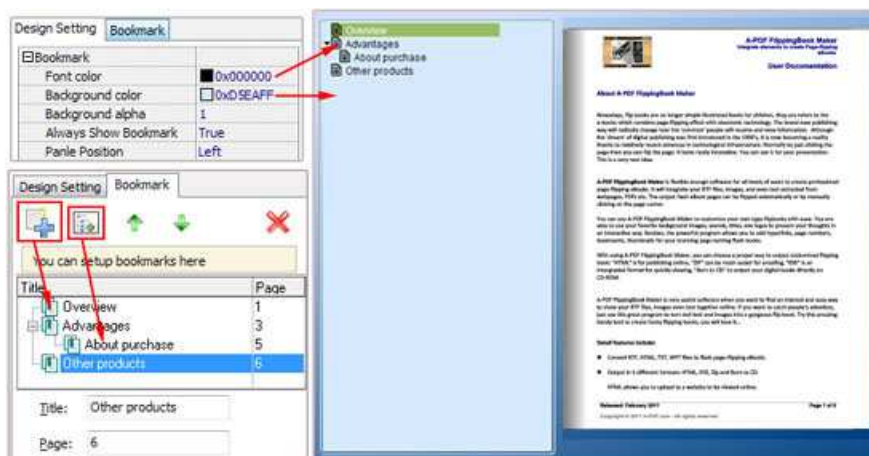
For Example, select "Thumbnails":

Then you will get flipbook shown with below initial interface:

6. Bookmark

In "Design Setting" panel (only in Classical Template, in other templates, the colors will be adjusted automatically based on your defined flash window color), you can set "Font color", "Background color", "Background alpha" (refers to the background opacity, value interval: 0~1, "0" stands for the background is totally transparent), "Always Show Bookmark->True/ False" and "Panel Position->Left/ Right".


In "Bookmark" panel, if you didn't check "Import bookmark" option in "Import PDF" interface, or you want to create new bookmarks for your flipbook, you can add bookmarks even sub-bookmarks here, click "Add" icons and then input "Title" and "Page".

When click the bookmark button , it will popup the bookmark panel immediately, and click on those bookmarks, it will jump to the defined page automatically
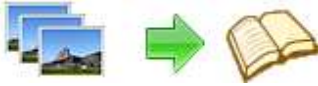
7. Font
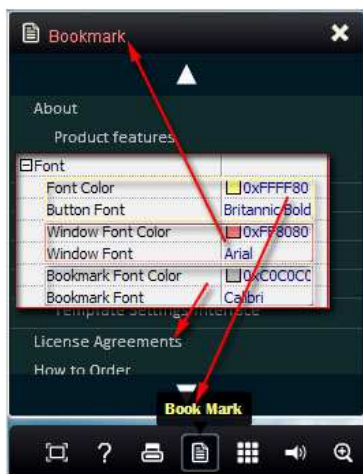
If you want to change fonts of toolbar buttons, flash windows even bookmarks, you can set font types and colors in Font Panel.
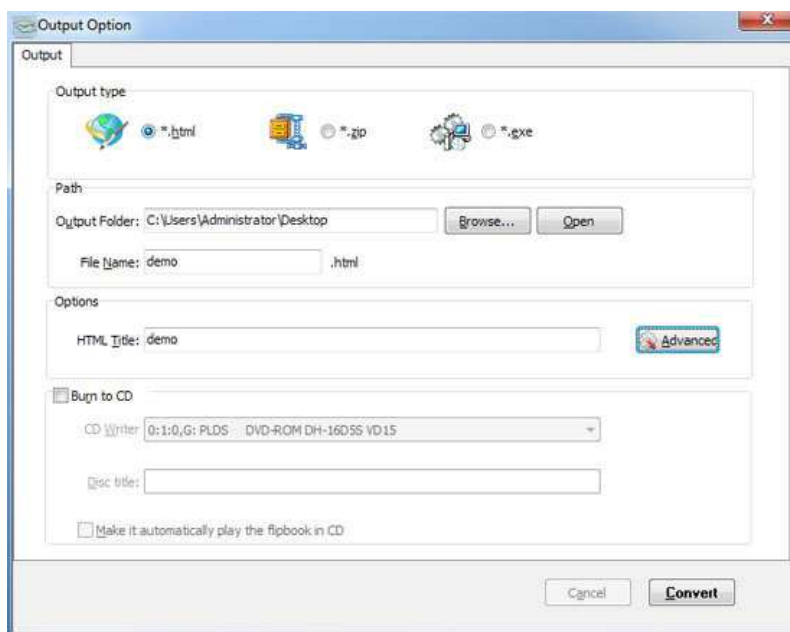
After setting template and language, click icon to apply the settings.

IV. Output Interface

Click "Convert To Flipping Book" button to enter into output option interface:

1. HTML

This output type is for uploading created page-flipping ebook onto websites:

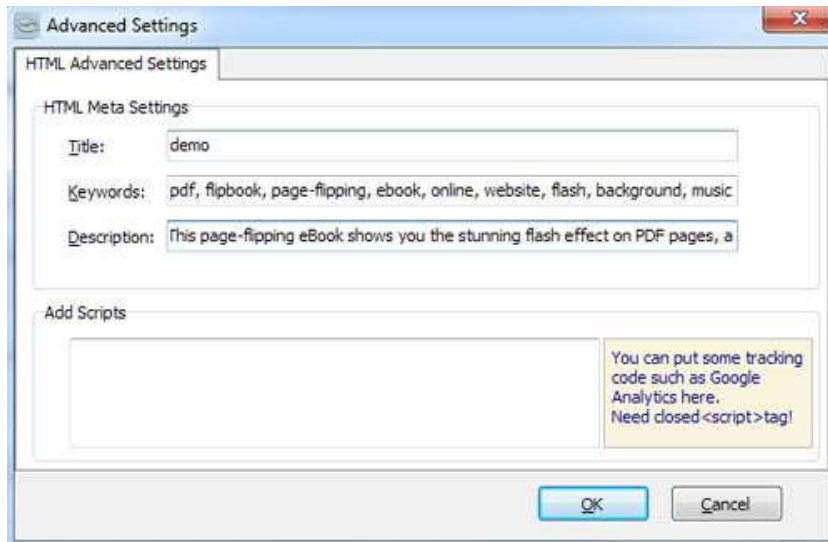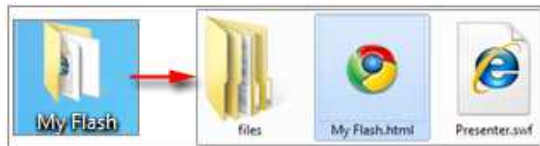You can define HTML Title and other properties by clicking "Advanced" button:

Set Keywords, Description or even Script in the below interface:

You will get a single folder "My Flash" under your defined path, open it to view "My Flash.html file" online:

If you want to show the Flash file on your website, make sure upload all these files under a same FTP path.

2. ZIP

This output type is for compressing the created files into an integral ZIP package which can be sending out as attachment directly. You can define HTML Advanced Settings by clicking "Advanced" icon:

Your recipients just need to uncompress the ZIP file and then they can view the HTML flipbook instantly:
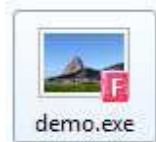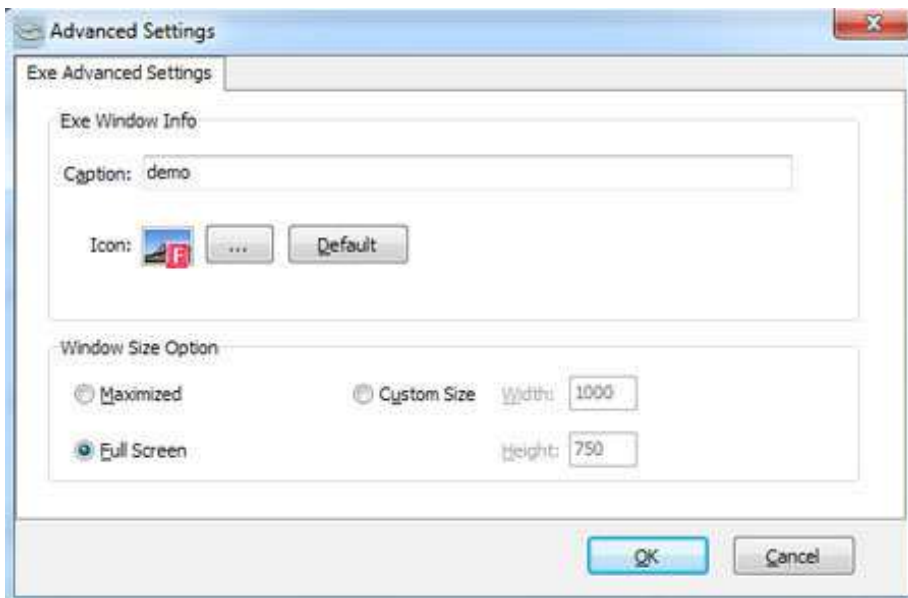

Uncompress

3. EXE

 ⊙ *.exe

This type is for outputting flipbook as a single executive file, easy storing and easy viewing:

demo.exe

You can also define Icon and Opening Window Size in Advanced Settings:

You can even burn the output flipbook to CD:
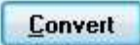
After choosing output type, then check the option "Burn to CD", set "CD Writer", define "Disc title", at last click **Convert** button to output flipbook in your defined type.

At Last

Image to Flipbook is very useful software when you want to find an interest and easy way to show your physical books online. If you want to catch people's attention, just use this great program to turn dull text and images into a gorgeous flip book. Try this amazing handy tool to create funny flipping books, you will love it...

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