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Adobe Expands Acrobat With AI Tools That Turn Documents Into Usable Content

Productivity Agent features create visual reports, audio summaries and presentations from complex files

SAN JOSE, Calif. - Sept. 9, 2026 - Adobe announced new artificial intelligence capabilities in Acrobat that help people and teams understand complex documents faster and turn their information into visual reports, audio summaries, presentations and other finished materials.

The new features are powered by Adobe Productivity Agent. Interactive reports and summary slides can convert dense documents into visual information, while podcasts and audio summaries give users another way to review material. Adobe also introduced enterprise tools that can search trusted document collections and organize information from large numbers of files.

Adobe said more than 400 billion PDFs are opened in Acrobat each year. The company is positioning the new capabilities as part of Acrobat's shift from a PDF tool toward a broader document productivity platform.

"Acrobat is already where millions of people come to read their most important information," said Abhigyan Modi, senior vice president of Adobe's Productivity Product Group. Modi said the expanded experience is intended to help individuals learn faster, teams work more productively and organizations make better use of information stored in documents.

For individual users, Acrobat can turn source documents into interactive reports, summary slides and audio. The Stylize feature can also transform plain files into formatted resumes, invoices, reports and presentations using Adobe Express templates while preserving the source content.

For organizations, Knowledge Base in Acrobat can pull answers from collections that include PDFs, Microsoft Office files, web pages, text and email. Analyzer can extract structured information from large document sets for work such as finance, procurement and operations.

Adobe also expanded Student Spaces in Acrobat. The company said the service, which launched in beta in April 2026, has attracted more than 1 million monthly active users. New capabilities include adding citations to classroom documents, digitizing handwritten notes and creating study materials. The AI Assistant can also review resumes and help students prepare for internship and job interviews.

The audio and visual capabilities are available in Acrobat Studio, Acrobat Express and Acrobat AI Assistant Plus plans. Knowledge Base and Analyzer, along with the audio and visual tools, are available in Acrobat Studio for enterprise. Student Spaces is available globally in English, with additional languages planned.

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