

# Re: How to e-publish?

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Hilton Evans wrote:

True as long as you avoid proprietary (browser specific) markups.

Hand-coded HTML forever! :)

There are free PDF converters. That said I would avoid the bloated inconvenient PDF if your goal is to have your material read online. If your goal is for the consumer to print your reading material PDF is a good way to go.

Interesting. I would say that what dictates my choice of PDF vs HTML is how much I care about how the text/images are formatted. If I create a PDF, that's almost entirely under my control. If it's HTML, I have some control, but I'm at least partly at the mercy of the viewer's browser.

Also, if I want to display complex equations without employing a bunch of images, I'm better off doing a PDF.

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