

What's new in Layout-8000

Enterprise Ready

- Supports centralization, regionalization and other consolidation efforts **out of the box**
- Multi-server, multi-platform support
- Disaster recovery support

Faster and Easier to Use

- A product can be viewed as it is being worked on by another user
- Request conflicts can be checked in under 1 second
- Page colors and groups are more clearly visible atop pages
- Previews PDF ad images
- Multi-select support for both pages and ads
 - Change 4 black and white pages to full color with one stroke
 - Move 5 ads from one page to another with one drag and drop stroke
- New, more intuitive toolbar shortcuts are available, including a button to list unplaced ads
- Tooltips make basic information about ads, pages, labels etc. visible at a glance

Highly Customizable User Interface

- Wide screen view – See more ads and pages
- Multi-zone view – See multiple zones simultaneously
- Facing pages can be viewed side-by-side as they would appear in the actual newspaper
- Expanded user preferences, including user-specific lists and filters

Easily Handles Modern Complexities

- Utilize unique widths for ads – i.e., 0.75”
- Ads can bleed into the margin of a page
- Supports exact position requests made in modern “Reservation” systems – i.e., An ad that requests the top right corner of the Weather Page will automatically be placed there

Even Easier Updates

- New versions are released at least every other week
- Updates are 100% “self-service” – Download **ONE** file and run **ONE** command to get and install the latest version

New Layout-8000 page display

When users click on the "List Ad Conflicts" icon, Layout-8000 checks for conflicts and highlights all ads with conflicts in **RED**

Color pages are identified by light purple shading and color bars

Buttons have been added for an Available Space Calculator and to List Ad Conflicts

Conflicts checked:
 Page request
 Group
 Section
 Coupon
 Left Page
 Right Page
 Color

The screenshot shows the Layout-8000 software interface. The main window displays a page layout with five pages (1-5) and a sixth page (6) below. Page 1 is labeled 'FARFORWARD' and contains a large red ad for 'FRONT FRONT OF PAPER 6x21.50'. Page 2 is also 'FARFORWARD' and contains a red ad for 'First Fl 44144 Second 2x10.0'. Page 3 is 'FARFORWARD' and contains a red ad for 'Kresge 32894'. Page 4 is 'MAIN' and contains a red ad for 'EDIT EDITORIAL PAGE 6x21.50'. Page 5 is 'MAIN' and contains a red ad for 'Tucker 51123 Wareho'. Page 6 is 'MAIN' and contains several ads, including 'Kulps 348753 engage 2x5.00', 'Sight and Sound 55871 10% off JVC st 4x10.00', 'Beck's 54236 Beck's 2x6.00', 'Hellert 32114', 'L.R. Hazare 37815', '62231 Kneat Knit 36999 Kneat Knit', '20% off waxes', 'Diet Co 56420', 'Tucker 51123 Wareho', 'YM Van 566587', 'Ro 569', and 'Fuller Brus 36952 Fuller Brus 3x4.00'. A pop-up window titled 'Available Space' is open, showing criteria (Zone: ALL, Page Range: A, Units: Linage) and results (Pages: 12, Ads: 36, Ad Space: 795", Ad %: 51.36%, Free Space: 336", Free %: 21.71%). A 'Calculate' button is visible in the window. The status bar at the bottom indicates 'Status: 4 items in list. (Scope: PAPER)'. Below the status bar is a table titled 'Ad Conflicts'.

Number	Width	Height	Placement	Conflict
FRONT	6	21.5	1	Color
COMICS	6	21.5	10	Color
54236	2	6	7	Color, Coupon
28500	6	21.5	12	Color, Section, Section Break
44144	2	10	6	Color

When users click on the "Available Space Calculator" a window appears and displays the ad space percentage for the scope of pages that have been selected

Double-truck pages are identified by light blue shading

Ads with conflicts appear in the ad list after the "List Ad Conflicts" icon is clicked

Facing pages appear side-by-side as they would in the printed paper