

System Requirements Client

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1 Introduction

To be able to use our system without restriction and to your satisfaction, it is imperative that your clients comply with the following system requirements. If your clients do not fulfill the requirements described in this document, you may experience functional limitations in the BrandMaker application. In case an ad blocker is used, it may result in unexpected display problems.

Presentation

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2 Access

In order to use BrandMaker Marketing Efficiency Cloud the system needs to be accessible:

Server	*.brandmaker.com
Standard ports (outgoing) if no other ports are defined	HTTPS-Port 443 HTTP-Port 80

3 Windows/MAC

Requirements	Minimum	Recommended
Supported operating systems	Windows 10 (support of 32-bit and 64-bit versions of Windows) Mac OS 10.11 or later	Windows 10 (support of 32-bit and 64-bit versions of Windows) Mac OS 10.11 or later
Processor	1 GHz	3 GHz, Quad-Core
Memory requirement	1 GB RAM	8 GB RAM
Screen resolution	1280 x 1024 px	1920 x 1080 px
Browser	Last stable version of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Microsoft Edge• Mozilla Firefox• Google Chrome• Apple Safari	Last stable version of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Microsoft Edge• Mozilla Firefox• Google Chrome• Apple Safari
Browser zoom	100 %	100 %
Browser extension/plugin-ins	—	—
Internet connection	5 MBit/s (upload and download)	100 MBit/s download, 40 MBit/s upload

4 Extensions

BrandMaker Office Add-In

The BrandMaker Office Add-In allows including of asset preview images in PNG format from Media Pool into Microsoft Office documents.

Supported operating systems	Windows 7, Windows 10
Supported Office versions	Microsoft Office 2010, 2013, 2016, Office 365 (Support of 32-bit and 64-bit versions of Microsoft Office)
Supported Office applications	Microsoft PowerPoint, Excel, Word
Includable image formats	PNG
Authentication	Username/password or Single Sign-on

BrandMaker InDesign Extension

The BrandMaker InDesign Extension allows uploading, downloading, and updating Adobe InDesign documents in Media Pool.

Supported operating systems	Windows 10 Mac OS 10.11 or later (local temp directory only with absolute path specification)
Supported InDesign Versions	CS 6, CC 2014 (10.x), CC 2015 (11.x), CC 2017, CC 2018, CC 2019, CC 2020, CC 2021
Authentication	Username/password (not Single Sign-on)

5 Supported file formats

Type	Format
Documents	DOC, DOT, POT, PPS, XLS, XLT: at least Office 2003 DOCX, DOTX, PPT, PPTX, POTX, PPSX, XLSX, XLTX: at least Office 2007 INDD: CS 6, CC 2014, CC 2015, CC 2017, CC 2018, CC 2019, CC 2020, CC 2021 IDML: at least CS 5.5 SP1, CS 6, CC 2014, CC 2015, CC 2017, CC 2018, CC 2019, CC 2020, CC 2021 ZIP PDF TXT, XML, HTML: Note that for these formats a gray box with the file extension is displayed as a preview image. Metadata is not extracted.
Pixel graphics	BMP, GIF, JPG/JPEG, PNG, TIFF/TIF PSD: at least Adobe Photoshop CS3 ¹
Vector graphics	AI, EPS, PS, WMF
Audio	MP3 Note that for this format a gray box with the file extension is displayed as a preview image. Metadata is not extracted.
Movie Types	Please refer to the table below.

The management of other formats is possible in the BrandMaker Marketing Efficiency Cloud, if there is no need to process the files and for previews.

File extension	Video codec	Audio codec
MPG	MPEG-1, MPEG-2	MP2
MP4	MPEG-4, h.264	AAC
WMV	WMV	WMA
FLV	Sorenson Spark, h.264	MP3
SWF	Sorenson Spark	MP3
AVI	MPEG-4, Xvid, h.264	PCM Audio

If you are using the Content Enrichment function in the Marketing Planner module with different browsers, then video format MP4 and audio format MP3 are recommended. **If you are using an AdBlocker, you may experience functional limitations in the BrandMaker application.**

¹ Download in original file works; Download via download schemes may lead to unexpected conversion results.

6 Legal information

Changes to system requirements

The compatibility of third-party products described in this document may be subject to subsequent detailing, modification, or limitation by BrandMaker for technical reasons.

To ensure the functionality and security of your system, BrandMaker may induce an update or hotfix of the version after an announcement.

Use of specific fonts in Web-to-Publish

With the transmission of font files and commissioning for the installation, you transfer the license rights to BrandMaker. BrandMaker is never a licensee; BrandMaker deals with the fonts on your behalf. The liability for the correct licensing remains with you and you have to prove it for BrandMaker. In case of missing evidence, BrandMaker can refuse the installation of the font or delete already installed fonts without further explanation and announcement.

See the document *Custom fonts in Web-to-Print* for more information.

SSL certificate for custom domains

If you use a customer-specific domain (URL), you are required to provide the corresponding SSL certificates according to the requirements set by BrandMaker. Both the customer-specific domain and the SSL certificate result in additional and recurring costs.

To ensure the security and functionality of your system, BrandMaker can request replacement from you according to the current security requirements.

See the document *Custom-Domains-and-SSL-Certificate-Procurement* for more information.