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	OmniPage 18	OmniPage Professional 18
Ease of Use		
Start Page provides clear options and guidance	●	●
How-to-Guides keep it simple	●	●
Image Capture – Scanners and All-in-Ones		
Scanner drivers supported	WIA/TWAIN	WIA/TWAIN/ISIS
Automatically receive images from scan-to-email	●	●
OmniPage Workflows put more power behind on-device scan buttons	●	●
Image Capture – Digital Cameras, Smart Phones and Tablets		
3DC digital camera correction technology	Superior	Superior
Automatically receive images from scan-to-email	●	●
Automatically receive scans from Cloud Storage Services	Evernote, Dropbox, Box, Microsoft Live SkyDrive, Google Docs and more	Evernote, Dropbox, Box, Microsoft Live SkyDrive, Google Docs and more
Image Capture – Networked MFPs		
Automatically receive images from scan-to-email	●	●
Automatically receive scans from network MFPs via scan to folder		●
Converted Output – Book Readers, Smart Phones & Tablets (support varies by model)		
Kindle Assistant puts easy-to-read rich text output on your Kindle by email	●	●
Normal PDF	●	●
eBook	●	●
RTF	●	●
HTML	●	●

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Document Management (PaperPort required)		
Free PaperPort with PDF Viewer Plus included (a \$199 value)		PaperPort 12
Free PDF Create! with PDF Create! Assistant (a \$49 value)		PDF Create 7
Customizable Open Dialogs with PaperPort Folders		●
Customizable Save Dialogs with PaperPort Folders		●
Apply PaperPort Folder Notes to PDF and Word files		●
Open and view with PaperPort		●
Accuracy		
Word accuracy	Superior 18% Increased Word Accuracy from Scanned Documents	Superior 18% Increased Word Accuracy from Scanned Documents
Improved character attributes / font matching	Superior	Superior
Legal / Medical / Financial dictionaries improve accuracy with words in these dictionaries		●
IntelliTrain™ proofing learns as you correct results	●	●
Layout Accuracy - Formatting		
Advanced flowing page output links columns of text for easy editing	Superior	Superior
PDF Overlay Matching provides superior text based PDF conversion	Superior	Superior
TruePage™ output	Superior	Superior
ExactWord output for improved editing	Superior	Superior
Line recognition	Superior	Superior
Improved table conversion	Superior	Superior
Better processing of similar pages (layout learning)	Superior	Superior
Color recognition and retention	Superior	Superior
Maintains headers and footers	Superior	Superior
Titles / large font recognition	Superior	Superior
Legal (pleading) documents	Superior	Superior
Vertical text recognition	Superior	Superior
Recognition of Chinese, Japanese and Korean characters	Superior	Superior
Auto-detection of Asian language characters within Western text	Superior	Superior

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Document Input		
Bitmap (*.bmp), DCX (*.dcx), GIF (*.gif), JB2 (*.jbg), JP2 (*.jp2), JPEG (*.jpg), MAX (*.max), PCX (*.pcx), PDF (*.pdf), PNG (*.png), TIFF (*.tif), XIFF (TIFF FX) (*.xif), XPS (*.xps)	●	●
Image Pre-processing		
Automatic Page Rotation	●	●
Deskew	●	●
Keep original resolution	●	●
Apply pre-defined Enhancement Template (profile)	●	●
Despeckle/Normal	●	●
Despeckle/Halftone	●	●
Auto-Crop	●	●
Remove punch holes	●	●
Clean Borders	●	●
Blank page removal with sensitivity	●	●
Scanner Enhancement Technology (SET™) Tools		
Brightness and Contrast	●	●
Hue / Saturation / Lightness	●	●
Crop	●	●
Rotate	●	●
OCR Brightness	●	●
Drop out color	●	●
Adjust Resolution	●	●
Fill	●	●
Deskew	●	●
3D Deskew (for digital camera images)	●	●
Adjustable Despeckle/Normal	●	●
Adjustable Despeckle/Halftone	●	●
Adjustable Despeckle/Salt & Pepper	●	●
Adjustable Inverse Despeckle	●	●
Auto-crop	●	●
Remove punch holes	●	●

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Scanner Enhancement Technology (SET™) Tools (cont.)		
Clean Borders	●	●
Enhance Whiteboard Photo	●	●
Forms Conversion and Processing		
Ability to convert paper and image forms		●
Form drawing tools		●
Collect data from PDF or printed forms with data		●
PDF Workflows & Output		
eDiscovery Assistant for searchable PDF keeps PDF files unchanged while making them searchable	●	●
PDF formats — image, searchable image, normal and edited	●	●
PDF/A	●	●
Linearized PDF	●	●
Auto-format headers and footers	●	●
MRC-High Compression for maximum file compression of scanned documents	Superior	Superior
Retain Annotations (when using eDiscovery Assistant)	●	●
Create and preserve hyperlinks	●	●
Bookmark Page Thumbnails	●	●
Bookmark through Find-and-Mark		●
Bookmark through Mark Text Workflows		●
PDF append - attach content to existing PDF files		●
PDF with digital signatures		●
Password Protect PDF		●
Encrypted PDF files		256-bit encryption
Tagged PDF Files		●
Application (Text) Output		
Microsoft® Word (.doc)	●	●
Microsoft® Excel (.xls)	●	●
Microsoft® WordML (.xml)	●	●
Microsoft® Word 2007 (.docx)	●	●
Microsoft® Excel 2007 (.xlsx)	●	●

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Application (Text) Output (cont.)		
Microsoft® PowerPoint 2007 (.pptx)	●	●
XPS – image, searchable image, and normal	●	●
Text	●	●
Corel® WordPerfect®	●	●
Fillable WordML, InfoPath® and PDF forms	●	●
HTML	●	●
XML & open eBook	●	●
Audio file output turns text into speech	●	●
Form data export (.csv)		●
Batch Manager		
Batch Manager Console to manage and monitor jobs	●	●
Immediate batch processing using new or existing Workflows	●	●
Silently running (without prompts) batch processing	●	●
Batch process in cloud storage (Nuance Cloud Connector, Evernote and Dropbox)	●	●
Batch process incoming email attachments	●	●
Batch process mark text (Redact, highlight, strikethrough)		●
Scheduled batch processing using new or existing Workflows		●
Batch process files as they appear in a watched folder		●
Batch process barcode jobs as they appear in a watched folder		●
Access additionally exported Workflows locally or on the network		●
Email notification of finished batch manager jobs		●
User Interface Views and Function Windows		
Classic view for those familiar with OmniPage	●	●
Quick Convert view with popular options in one window	●	●
Flexible view windows arranged in a convenient tabbed arrangement	●	●
Dockable and moveable function windows	●	●
Custom views allow you to save your favorite window arrangements	●	●
Complete Text Editor to modify recognized text	●	●

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User Interface Views and Function Windows (cont.)		
Easy Loader for fast opening of files	●	●
Document Manager for processing statistics	●	●
Continuous monitoring with Workflow Status	●	●
Advanced OCR Tools		
Workflow Assistant and Manager	●	●
Zone Templates	●	●
User Dictionaries	●	●
Training files	●	●
Custom saving preferences (output format profiles)	●	●
Amazon® Kindle® Assistant	●	●
File-It Assistant with barcode driven workflows		●
Document Control		
Manual speed zoning	●	●
Selectable picture editor	●	●
Image resolution control	●	●
On-the-fly zoning	●	●
Vertical text zoning	●	●
Proofing & Training		
Context correction	●	●
Individual character training	●	●
Dynamic verification	●	●
Correction suggestions	● (with keyboard shortcuts)	● (with keyboard shortcuts)
Windows Integration		
Customizable “right click” workflow automation in Windows Explorer		●
Convert Now Wizard with “right-click” in Windows Explorer		●
Workflows in Windows 7 Jump List	●	●

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Advanced Productivity Features		
Faster OCR engines	Superior	Superior
Multi-threading	Superior	Superior
Parallel multi-core processing (Intel and AMD supported)	●	●
Parallel multi-document batch processing for multi-core processors		●
Document-2-Document conversion (text input)		●
Automatic Language Detection	●	●
Add and preserve hyperlinks	●	●
Open multiple documents at once with parallel processing	●	●
Concurrent file saving	●	●
Microsoft Office Direct OCR	●	●
Automatically Redact (Black-out), Highlight and Strikethrough text using keywords		●
Import and export Workflows		●
Print and save Workflow barcode pages		●
Nuance Cloud Connectors		
Nuance Cloud Connector with Windows Network Drive	●	●
AT&T Synaptic Storage	●	●
Caringo CASstor	●	●
EMC Atmos Online	●	●
Amazon S3	●	●
Google Docs/Storage	●	●
Nirvanix	●	●
Mezeo	●	●
Windows/Azure	●	●
Box.net	●	●
OpenStack	●	●
Peer1 CloudOne	●	●
Rackspace CloudFiles	●	●
WebDav	●	●
File Server Share	●	●
FTP	●	●

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OmniPage Connectors		
Evernote	●	●
Dropbox	●	●
Integration with SharePoint 2003		●
Integration with SharePoint 2007		●
Integration with Open Text Hummingbird		●
Integration with Autonomy-Interwoven iManage		●
ODMA		●
Compatibility		
Network installable		●
Section 508 compliant	●	●
Windows 7 32-bit or 64-bit Editions, Windows Vista 32-bit or 64-bit Editions with Service Pack 2, Windows XP 32-bit Edition with Service Pack 3	●	●
123 Languages recognized	●	●