



Keyframe Caddy Pro

Everything you need to know!

This handy guide will walk you through the installation process and help you understand the basics. You'll be using Keyframe Caddy in no time!

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Installing Keyframe Caddy

Getting it working

- 1 Download the [Keyframe Caddy Pro or Pro Trial](#) from the Adobe Add-ons site. Creative Cloud should automatically update and install the extension.
- 2 Restart Flash.
- 3 Keyframe Caddy *should* be installed! Yay!

Still no luck?



- [Try the Adobe Add-ons troubleshooting tips!](#)
- [Try the Extension Manager!](#) (Our preferred way)

Using Keyframe Caddy

Let's get started!

Meet Elvis. He's the big pink blobby monster to the right. He'll help us learn the ins and outs of Keyframe Caddy Pro.

Inside the folder that you downloaded, you'll find a .fla that contains Elvis. He was built with love so you can play around with Keyframe Caddy without having to design your own rig upfront.

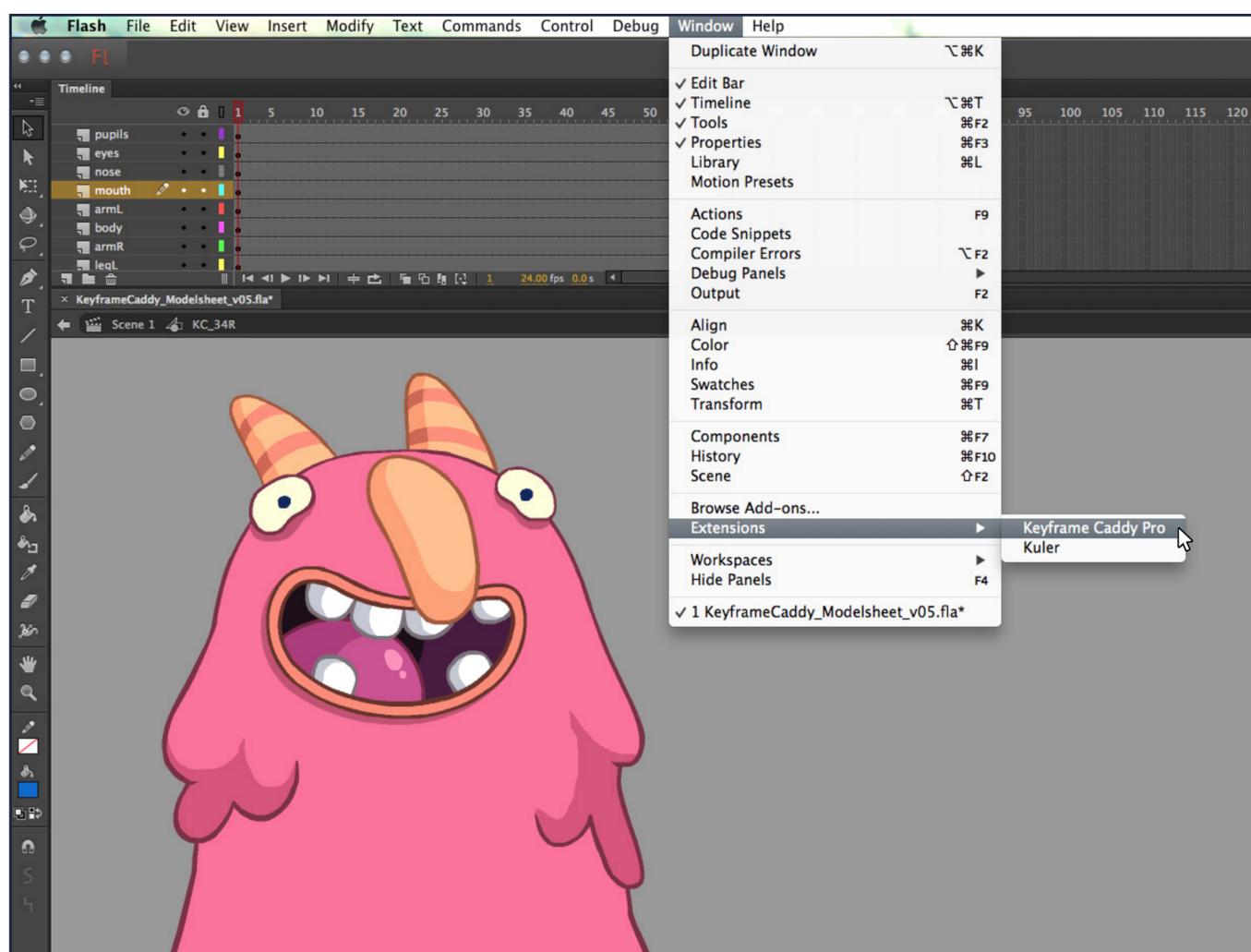


[Wanna see Keyframe Caddy in action?](#)
[Watch this handy video we made for you!](#)

1

Open Keyframe Caddy

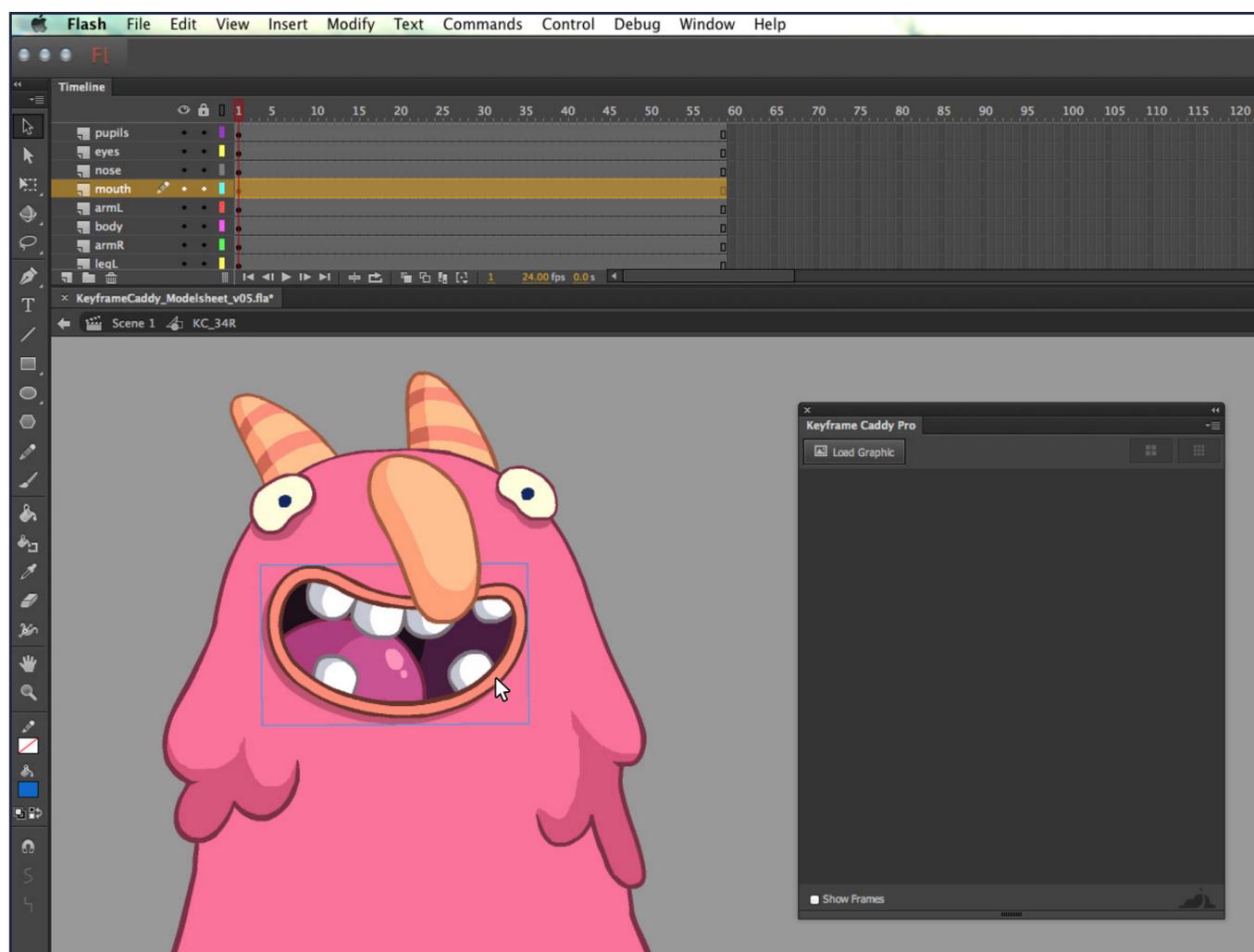
Navigate to Window > Extensions > Keyframe Caddy Pro.



2

Select a Graphic Symbol

Choose a graphic symbol with multiple frames inside.



The symbol must
be set to **GRAPHIC**.

Movie clips will

NOT work!!!

3

Load the Thumbnails

While a graphic symbol is selected, press the “Load Graphic” button on the Keyframe Caddy panel.



4

Select a Frame

Choose a frame on the timeline where you want the new symbol art to go.



5 Select a Thumbnail

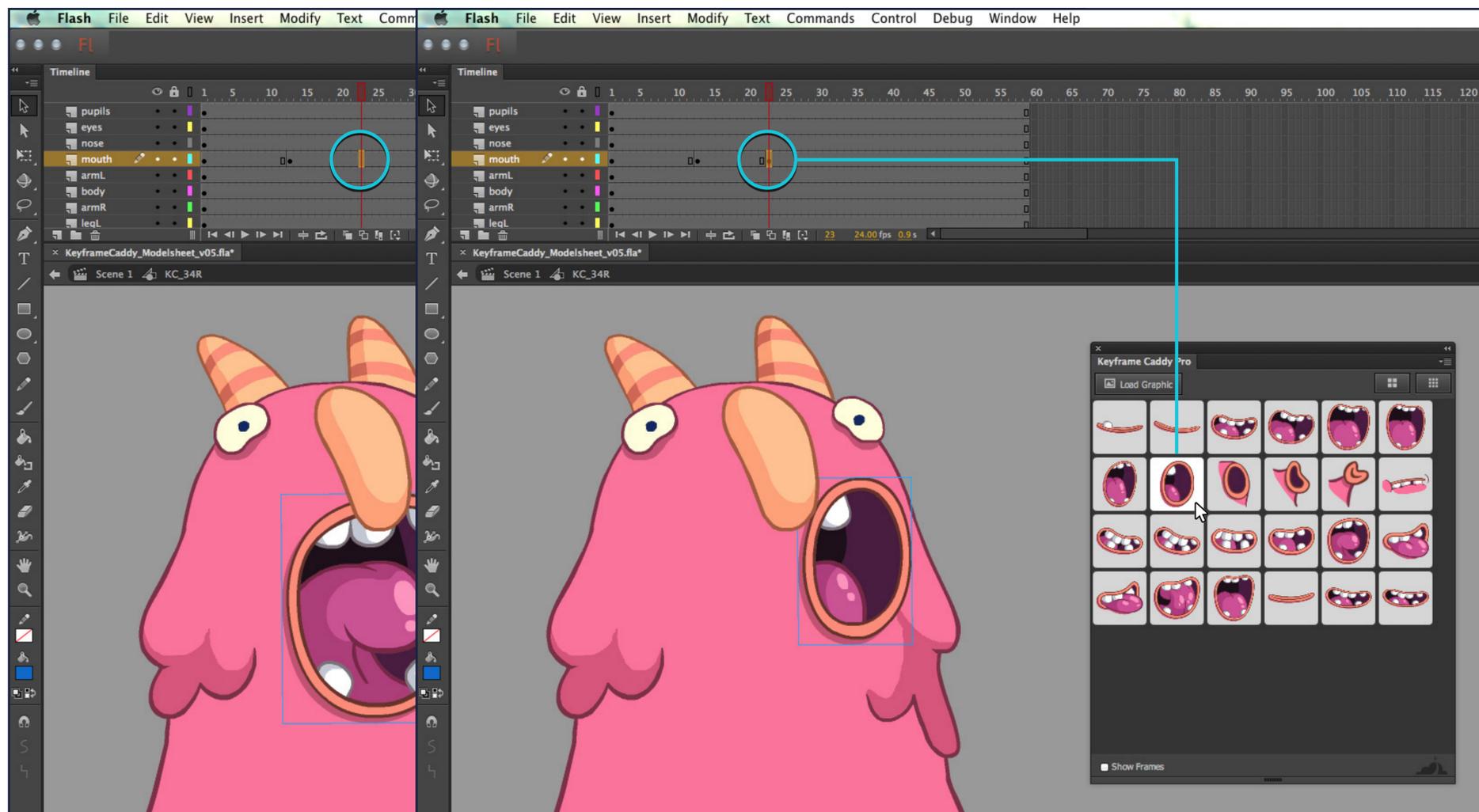
Choose the symbol art from the panel, and Keyframe Caddy will automatically add it to your chosen frame!



6

Repeat!

Move the scrubber to the next frame and repeat!
Keyframe Caddy will do its magic!



Help!

We're here to save the day!

If you are still having issues using Keyframe Caddy, here are a few more troubleshooting options.

- ? Watch the [instructional video](#) made by one of our animators.
- ? Read the latest [Keyframe Caddy FAQs!](#)
- ? E-mail us at support@cloudkid.com

FAQ

HELP! Keyframe Caddy Pro isn't installing!

To be honest, the default install for Add-ons doesn't always work... So please download KeyFrame Caddy Pro [here](#) and use the [Adobe Extension Manager!](#)

I think I've found a bug...

We're always trying to make our tools better, so please drop us a line at support@cloudkid.com. When e-mailing us, please be very specific—what happened, when it happened, and which operating system, version of Flash and Keyframe Caddy you're using.

Why isn't Keyframe Caddy importing all the graphic symbols in my library?

Keyframe Caddy is a pretty simple plug-in that works with only one symbol at a time! So it won't work if you're trying to drag in artwork or load multiple symbols at once.

What is the difference between the Keyframe Caddy Pro and the non-pro version(s)?

Keyframe Caddy Pro was made to work in Flash CC and CC 2014, while the non-pro edition work in all older versions of Flash. Keyframe Caddy Pro loads graphics way faster, comes in 5 languages, features the options to show the frame numbers of graphics, and works like a native Flash panel!

Wait a second... What are symbols and graphics?

Sounds like you need to learn a bit more about Flash! Please watch our [super helpful tutorial video](#) that walks you through the process!

What does it mean when I get the "Unable to find the graphic {symbol-name} on this frame" error?

Make sure the selected layer on your timeline contains the graphic symbol you're trying to add symbol art from. Also, make sure the selected symbol is a GRAPHIC, not a movie clip or button.



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