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# Appendix

THIS TABLE sums up the analysis of the Web site *Becoming Human* in section 1.3. The Web site and seven other media texts are described by 23 variables, enabling comparison.

		<i>Becoming Human</i>	Print media	
			Book	Magazine
Distribution	Creation latency	Months	Years	Months
	Transmission latency	Almost immediate	Weeks	Days
	Bandwidth	High		
Canvas	Permanence	Long	User dependent	User dependent
	Resolution	630x380	13200x20200	12000x16200
	Page range	177	200	130
	Temporal range	30 minutes		
Acquisition	Cinematic	Cinematic		
	Progress control	Progress control	Progress control	Progress control
	Default Sequence	Default sequence	Default sequence	Default sequence
	Multicursality	Multicursality		
	Thumbnail images	Thumbnails		
	Popup menus	Popup menus		
	Rollovers	Rollovers		
	Navigation links	Navigation links	Table of contents; Index	Table of contents
	Relation links	Relation links		
	Music	Music		
Sign systems	Speech	Speech		
	Sound effects	Sound effects		
	Movement	Movement		
	Typography	Typography	Typography	Typography
	Still images	Still images	Still images	Still images
	Writing	Writing	Writing	Writing

Background shading indicates similarities to *Becoming Human*.

Empty cells indicate that the variable can't be used to describe the text.

For the axis of distribution and the axis of restrictions (the canvas), different values are registered, such as visual range and resolution in pixels, or duration in minutes. For the other two axes, different modes of acquisition and different sign systems may be co-present in a text, so each mode is registered as either present or not.

## Appendix

Broadcast media		Computer media		
Radio	TV	Web News	Photo collection	CD-ROM
Months	Months	Hours	Days	Months
Immediate	Immediate	Immediate	Immediate	Weeks
		Low	Low	High
None	None	Daily change, archive	Long	User dependent
	720x576	flexible	700x1000	640x460
		Thousands	1000	Hundreds
18 minutes	30 minutes			60 Minutes
Cinematic	Cinematic			
		Progress control		Progress control
		Default sequence		
			Multicursality	Multicursality
			Thumbnails	
				Popup menus
				Rollovers
		Navigation links	Navigation links	Navigation links
		Relation links		Relation links
	Music			Music
Speech	Speech			Speech
Sound effects	Sound effects			Sound effects
	Movement			Movement
		Typography	Typography	Typography
		Still images	Still images	Still images
	Writing	Writing	Writing	Writing

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