

Macromedia Flash - Falling text effect

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1. Create a file with the parameters shown in Figure 1

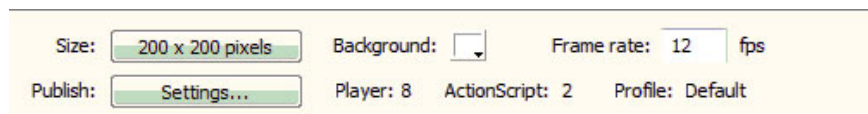


Figure 1

2 Select the Text Tool and adjust the settings, color as shown in Figure 2, and type in the letter **h**

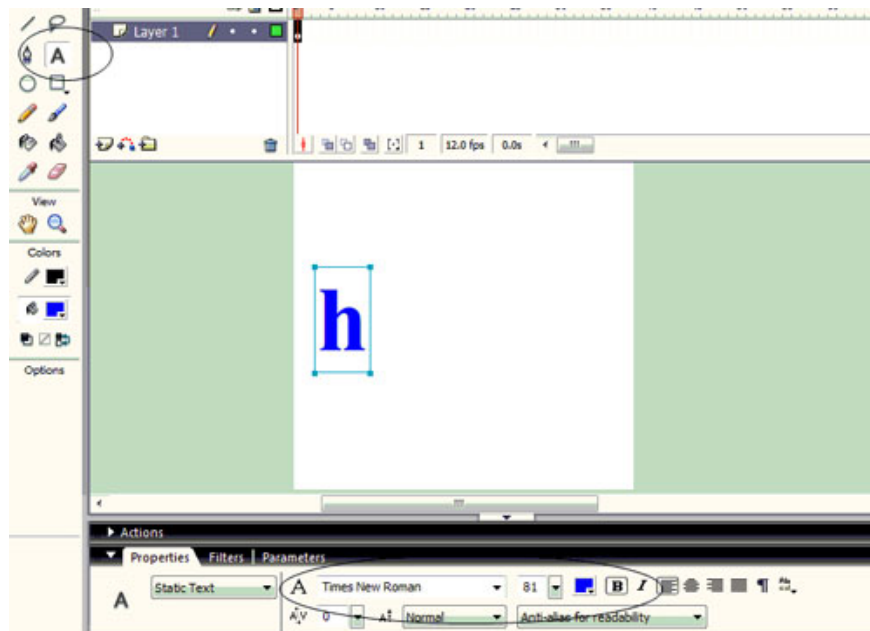


Figure 2

3. Move the letter h onto the *stage* (*Stage*)

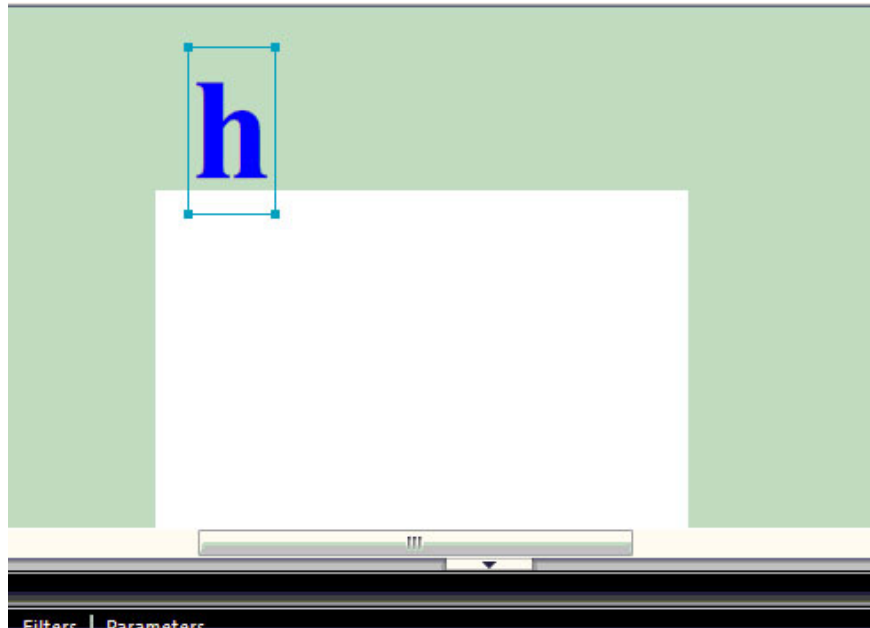


Figure 3

4. Right-click Frame 10 and select *Insert KeyFrame*

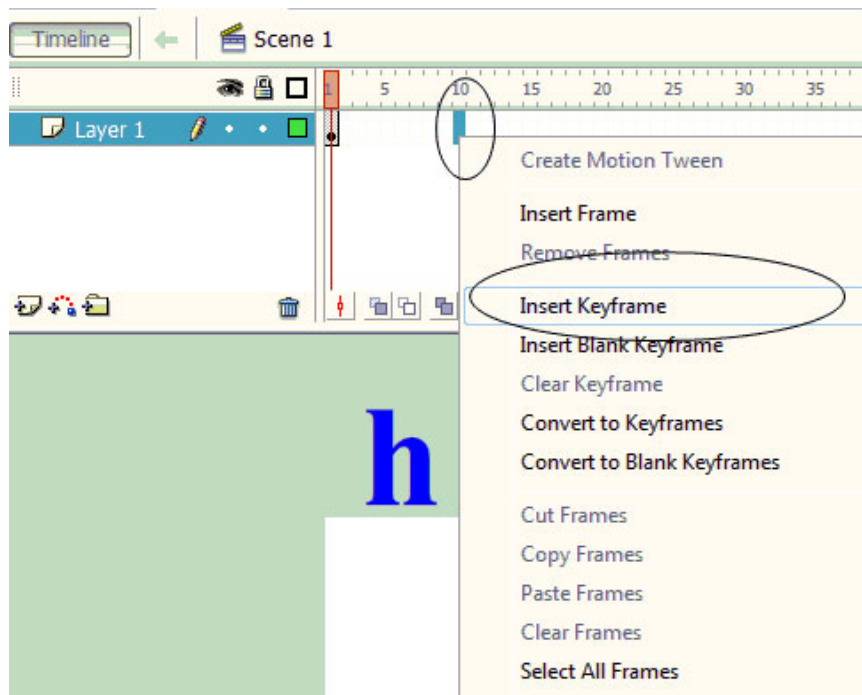


Figure 4

5. (Note that the letter **h** is still selected) Use the mouse to drag down the middle of the canvas (or you can use the *Align* panel to adjust it to your liking)

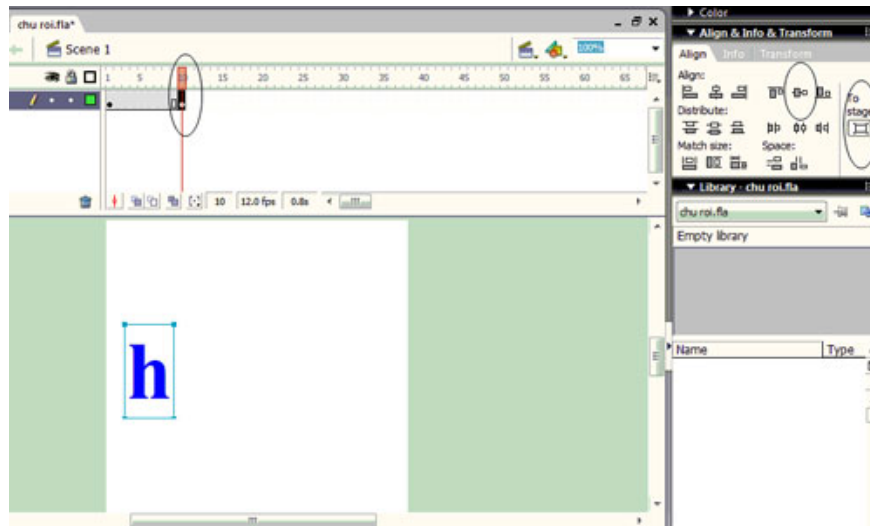


Figure 5

6. Right-click anywhere between Frame 1 and Frame 10 and select *Create Motion Tween*

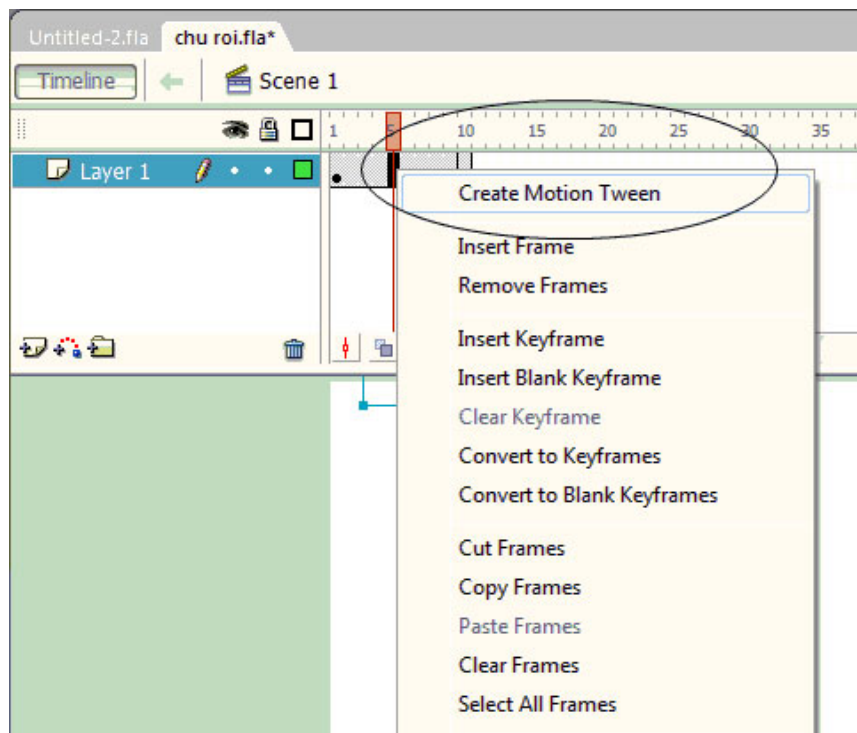


Figure 6

7. Click Frame 10. Select *Modify > Transform > Flip Horizontal*

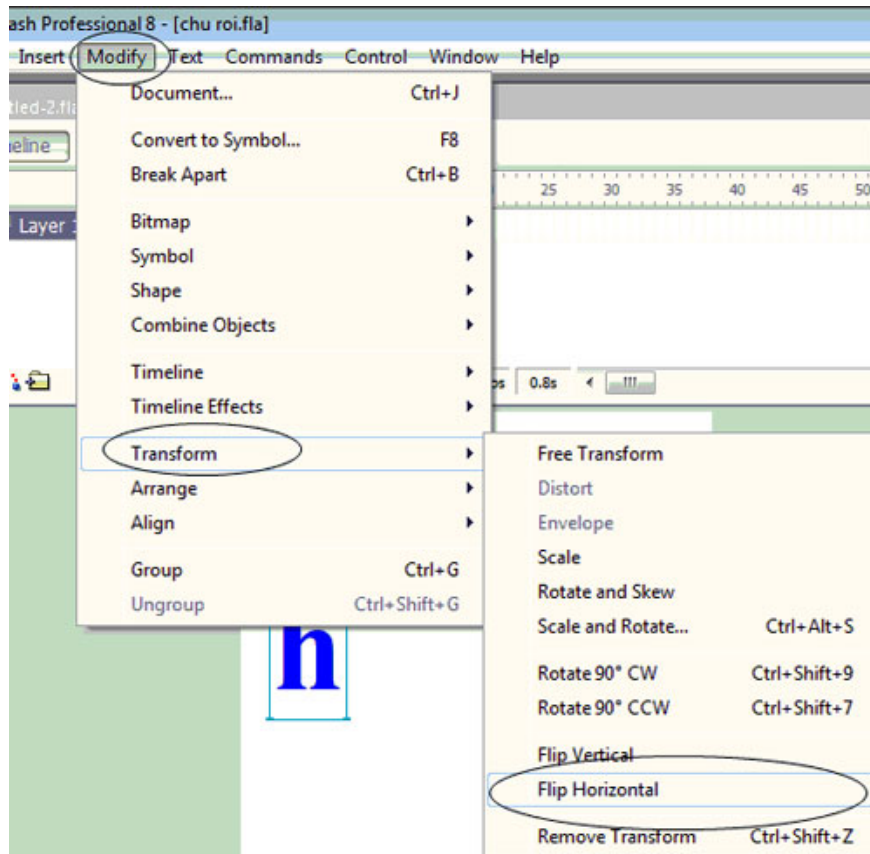


Figure 7

8. Create a new layer

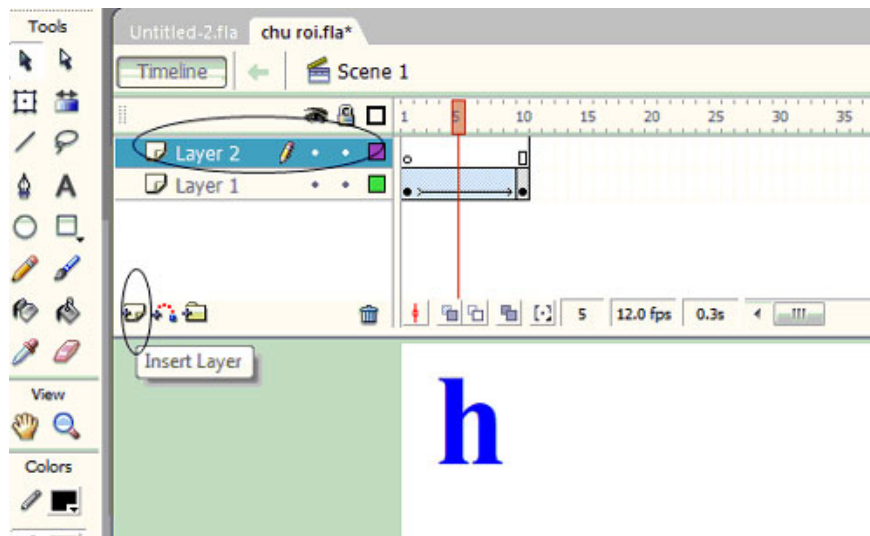


Figure 8

9. At Frame 10 of the new layer, right-click and select *Insert KeyFrame*

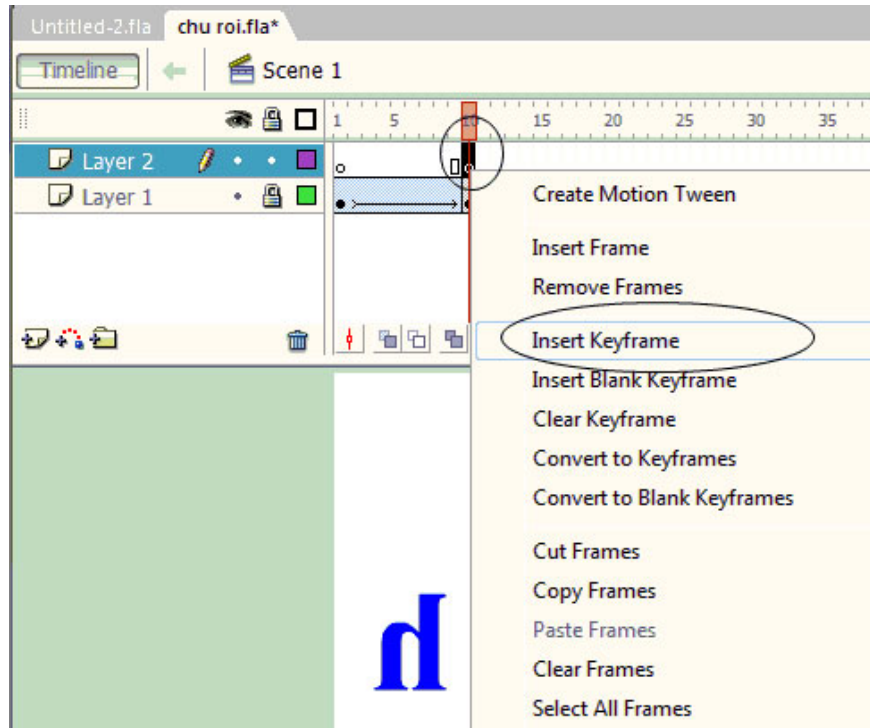


Figure 9

10. Do the same from Step 2 to Step 7 for the letter **e**
11. Do the same steps 9, 10, 2 to 7 at Frames 20, 30 and 40 to get the words **l, l, o**
12. At Frame 50 of the fourth layer (Layer 4), right-click and select *Insert Frame* (see Figure 10).

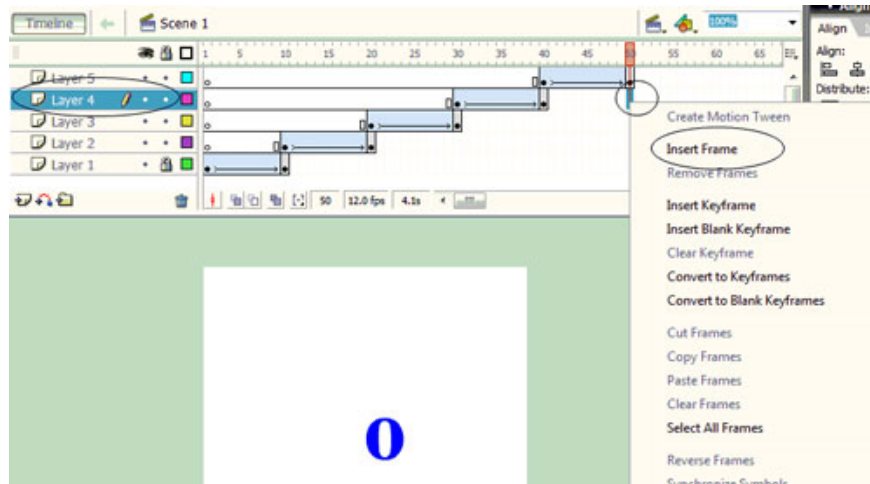


Figure 10

13. Do the same Step 12 for Layer 3, Layer 2, Layer 1 also at Frame 50
14. Right-click Frame 51 of Layer 1 and select Insert KeyFrame (see Figure 11).

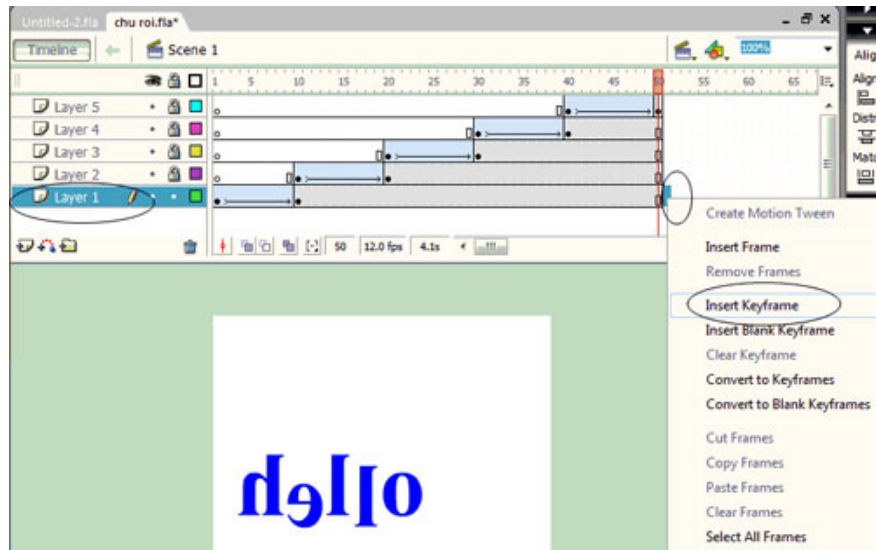


Figure 11

15. (Note that we are working on Frame 51 of Layer 1) Select *Modify*> *Transform*> *Flip Horizontal* (see Figure 12)

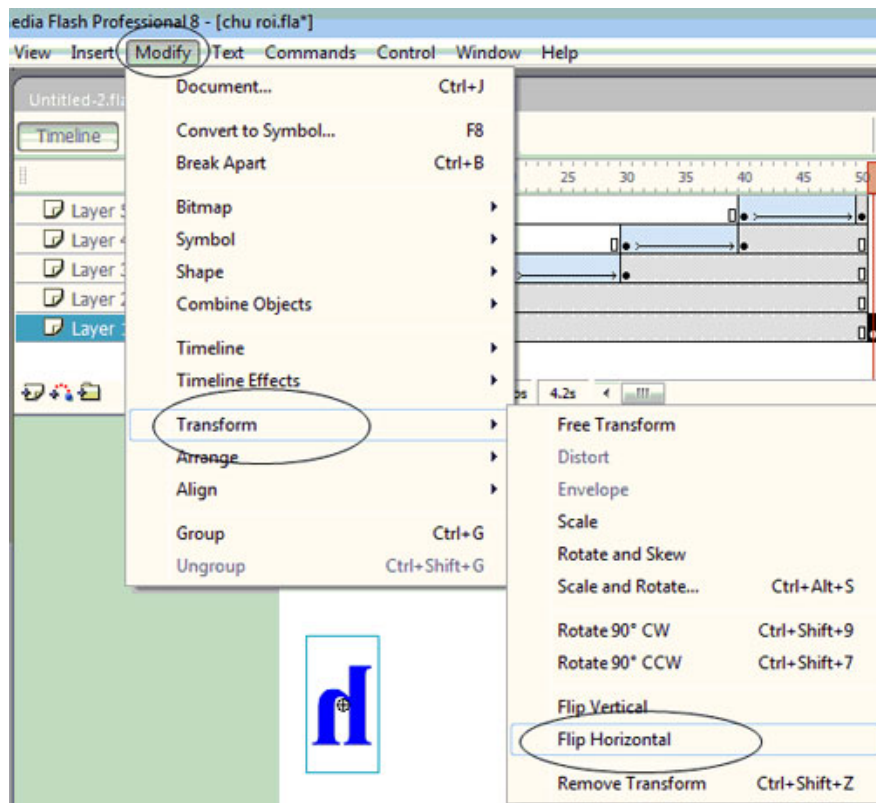


Figure 12

16. Do the same Step 14, Step 15 for the remaining layers
17. Create a new layer on Layer 5 (see Figure 13)

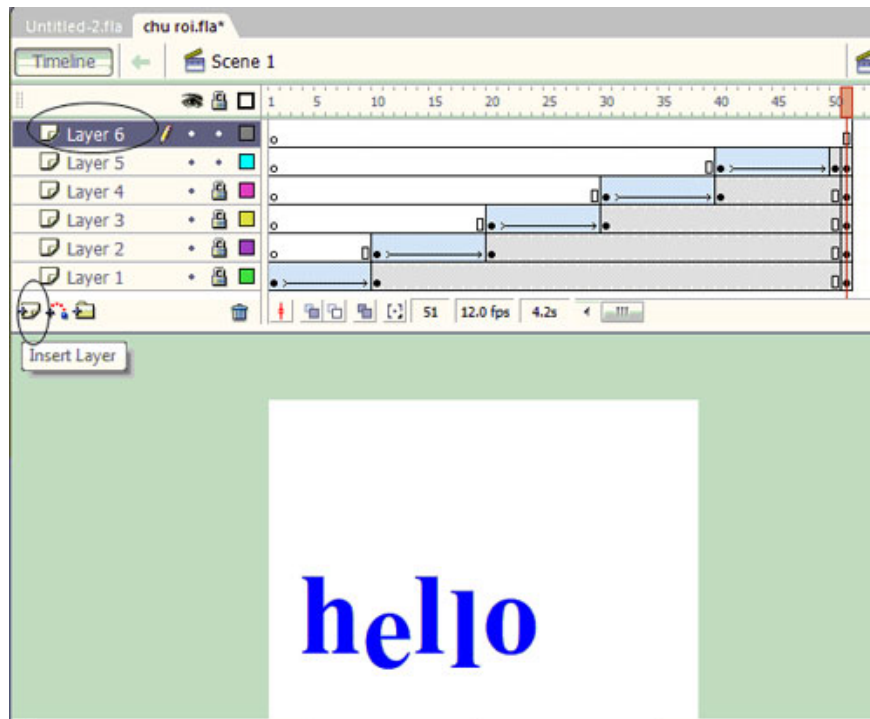


Figure 13

18. Right-click Frame 51 of Layer 6 and select Insert KeyFrame (see Figure 14).

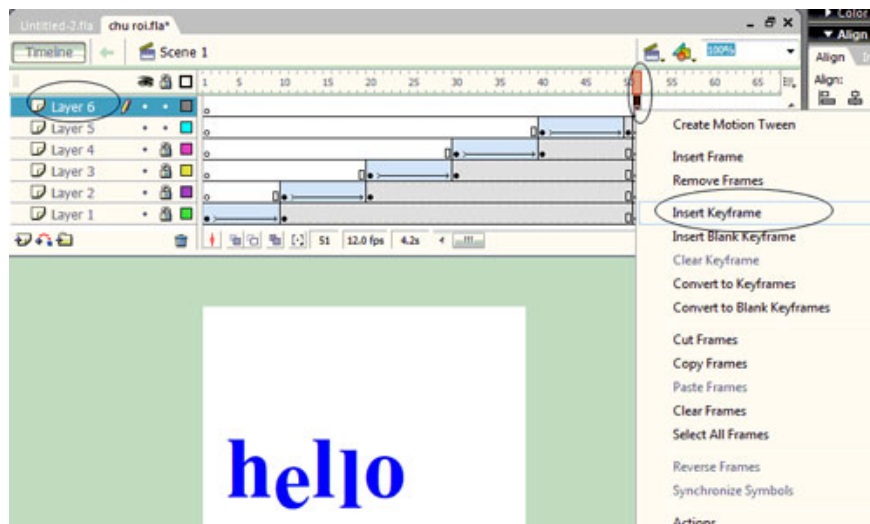


Figure 14

19. Open Actions and enter the command stop (); (see Figure 15)

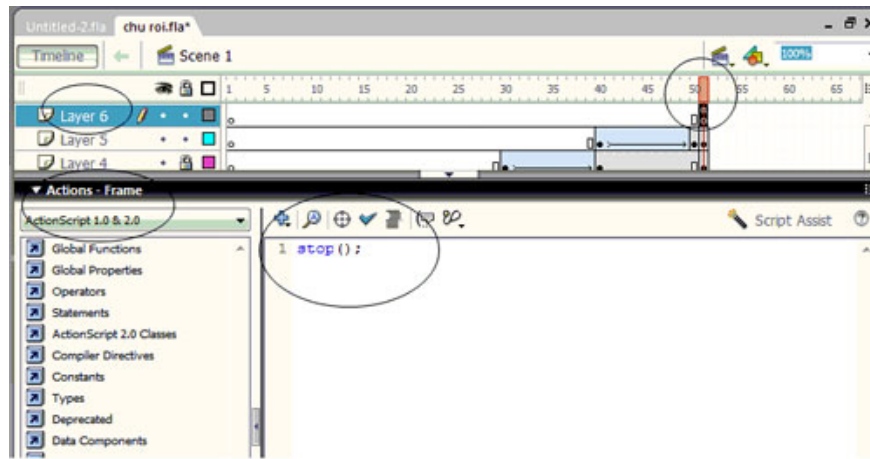


Figure 15

20. Press Enter + Ctrl to check the result. Download the source file [here](#).

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