A table set "keep with next" should not split, but instead move to a new page IF there is no room for both the table AND for the following paragraph on the current page. If the table is kept with the previous paragraph it should split.

1. Single page – all fits.

2. Move to new page to keep.

3. Keep with previous paragraph - spit table.

4. Keep with previous paragraph – orphan too small.

    d. Previous keep paragraph rambles on and on and...

5. Span multiple pages.

6. Span multiple pages – orphan too small.

The format used for this test is highlighted above.

Normal paragraph.

Paragraph is set to keep with next.

.DOC format should either match ODT layout, or more preferably match MSWord's layout. I was able to achieve most of that. Tests 5 and 6 match MSWord's layout - an oversized table ALWAYS starts on a new page regardless of whether it keeps with previous or not in MSWord, and so it differs from the ODT version of the file. Otherwise the two seem to handle layout the same way. Normally I don't touch .docx files, but for completeness on this project I'll export these as .docx and see how MSWord 2003 with compatibility pack handles them.

Table Heading	Cell Heading
Row 1	Cell 1

Table Heading	Cell Heading	
Row 2	Cell 2	
Row 3	Cell 3	
Row 4	Cell 4	
Row 5	Split	Cell
Row 6	Table	in
Row 7	Table	
Row 8	With merged	
Row 9	Cell x	
Row 10	Cell y	
Row 11	Cell z	
Row 12	Cell Alpha	
Row 13	Cell Beta	
Row 14	Cell Gamma	
Leave last row	blank	

The table is set to keep with this paragraph. So at least the orphan number of lines should be on the same page as the table.