Text from textboxes can "flow" from one frame to another. LibreOffice also has support for this.

LibreOffice is OK with importing .doc format and displaying the links properly. However, if the file is saved in .docx format, then the links are broken.

Someone sent a report in .docx format, and I was surprised that it opened so poorly, because I knew that Linked frames are supported in LibreOffice. I'm not sure which version of Word was used to create that.

 This sample document was made in Word 2003 with extensions to support .docx format.

 Saving this example as a .doc can be nicely read in LibreOffice. Saving as a .docx results in two empty frames.