

How to extract text from coordinates from PDF in Microsoft Excel using ByteScout PDF Extractor SDK

This tutorial will show how to extract text from coordinates from PDF in Microsoft Excel

The coding tutorials are designed to help you test the features without need to write your own code. ByteScout PDF Extractor SDK can extract text from coordinates from PDF. It can be used from Microsoft Excel. ByteScout PDF Extractor SDK is the SDK that helps developers to extract data from unstructured documents, pdf, images, scanned and electronic forms. Includes AI functions like automatic table detection, automatic table extraction and restructuring, text recognition and text restoration from pdf and scanned documents. Includes PDF to CSV, PDF to XML, PDF to JSON, PDF to searchable PDF functions as well as methods for low level data extraction.

This code snippet below for ByteScout PDF Extractor SDK works best when you need to quickly extract text from coordinates from PDF in your Microsoft Excel application. This Microsoft Excel sample code is all you need for your app. Just copy and paste the code, add references (if needs to) and you are all set! Enjoy writing a code with ready-to-use sample Microsoft Excel codes.

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Source Code Files:

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' by going to Tools - Macro - Security.. and changing the security mode to "Medium"
' to Ask if you want enable macro or not. Then close and reopen this Excel document

' You should have evaluation version of the ByteScout SDK installed to get it working

' If you are getting error message like
' "File or assembly named Bytescout SDK, or one of its dependencies, was not found"
' then please try the following:
'
' - Close Excel
' - (for Office 2003 only) download and install this hotfix from Microsoft:
' http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyId=1B0BFB35-C252-43CC-8A2A-6A64
'
' and then try again!
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' If you have any questions please contact us at http://bytescout.com/support/ or at s

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'References used  
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'Bytescout PDF Extractor SDK  
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' IMPORTANT:  
'=====  
'1) Add the ActiveX reference in Tools -> References  
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'=====  
  
Private Sub CommandButton1_Click()  
  
' Create TextExtractor object  
' Set extractor = CreateObject("Bytescout.PDFExtractor.TextExtractor")  
Dim extractor As New Bytescout_PDFExtractor.TextExtractor  
  
extractor.RegistrationName = "demo"  
extractor.RegistrationKey = "demo"  
  
' Load sample PDF document  
extractor.LoadDocumentFromFile ("c:\sample1.pdf")  
  
' Get page count  
pageCount = extractor.GetPageCount()  
  
Dim wb As Workbook  
Dim ws As Worksheet  
Dim TxtRng As Range  
  
Set wb = ActiveWorkbook  
Set ws = wb.Sheets("Sheet1")
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For i = 0 To pageCount - 1
    RectLeft = 10
    RectTop = 10
    RectWidth = 100
    RectHeight = 100

    ' check the same text is extracted from returned coordinates
    extractor.SetExtractionArea RectLeft, RectTop, RectWidth, RectHeight
    ' extract text from given area
    extractedText = extractor.GetTextFromPage(i)

    ' insert rows
    ' Rows(1).Insert shift:=xlShiftDown
    ' write cell value
    Set TxtRng = ws.Range("A" & CStr(i + 2))
    TxtRng.Value = extractedText

Next

Set extractor = Nothing

End Sub
```

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