How to extract PDF to text as stream in VB.NET with ByteScout PDF Extractor SDK

The tutorial below will demonstrate how to extract PDF to text as stream in VB.NET

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Fast application programming interfaces of ByteScout PDF Extractor SDK for VB.NET plus the instruction and the code below will help you quickly learn how to extract PDF to text as stream. In your VB.NET project or application you may simply copy & paste the code and then run your app! Code testing will allow the function to be tested and work properly with your data.

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Source Code Files:

Program.vb

```vb
Imports System.IO
Imports Bytescout.PDFExtractor

Class Program

    Friend Shared Sub Main(args As String())

        ' Create Bytescout.PDFExtractor.TextExtractor instance
        Dim extractor As New TextExtractor()
        extractor.RegistrationName = "demo"
        extractor.RegistrationKey = "demo"

        ' Load sample PDF document
        extractor.LoadDocumentFromFile(".\sample1.pdf")

        ' Get page count
        Dim pageCount As Integer = extractor.GetPageCount()

        For i As Integer = 0 To pageCount - 1

            ' Create new stream. You can use MemoryStream or any other System.IO.Stream
            Dim stream As FileStream = New FileStream(".\page" + i.ToString() + ".txt"

            ' Save text from page to the file stream
            extractor.SavePageTextToStream(i, stream)

            ' Close stream
            stream.Dispose()

        Next

        ' Cleanup
            extractor.Dispose()

        ' Open result file in default associated application (for demo purposes)
        System.Diagnostics.Process.Start(".\page1.txt")

    End Sub

End Class
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VIDEO

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