

How to add link to page in PDF in VB.NET and ByteScout PDF SDK

Write code in VB.NET to add link to page in PDF with this step-by-step tutorial

ByteScout tutorials are designed to explain the code for both VB.NET beginners and advanced programmers. ByteScout PDF SDK is the SDK for pdf documents generation, modification and updates. Can also generate and fill PDF forms. Provides support for text (fonts, style, size, font family), layers, pdf form fields, vector and raster drawings and you can use it to add link to page in PDF with VB.NET.

Fast application programming interfaces of ByteScout PDF SDK for VB.NET plus the instruction and the code below will help you quickly learn how to add link to page in PDF. In order to implement the functionality, you should copy and paste this code for VB.NET below into your code editor with your app, compile and run your application. This basic programming language sample code for VB.NET will do the whole work for you to add link to page in PDF.

Our website provides trial version of ByteScout PDF SDK for free. It also includes documentation and source code samples.

VB.NET - Program.vb

```
Imports System.Drawing
Imports Bytescout.PDF

'''

''' This example demonstrates how to create a navigation link to a page.
'''

Class Program

    Shared Sub Main()

        ' Create new document
        Dim pdfDocument = New Document()
        pdfDocument.RegistrationName = "demo"
        pdfDocument.RegistrationKey = "demo"

        ' Add two pages
        Dim page1 = New Page(PaperFormat.A4)
        pdfDocument.Pages.Add(page1)
        Dim page2 = New Page(PaperFormat.A4)
        pdfDocument.Pages.Add(page2)

        Dim font = New Bytescout.PDF.Font(StandardFonts.Times, 12)
        Dim brush = New Bytescout.PDF.SolidBrush()
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' Create link annotation pointing to Page 2, 200 Points from the top.
Dim destination = New Destination(page2, 200)
Dim link = New LinkAnnotation(destination, 20, 20, 100, 25)
link.Color = New ColorRGB(255, 0, 0) ' you can change the link color
page1.Annotations.Add(link)

' Draw link text (optional)
page1.Canvas.DrawString("Link to Page 2", font, brush, New RectangleF(20, 20,
100, 25),
    New ByteScout.PDF.StringFormat() With {.HorizontalAlign =
HorizontalAlign.Center, .VerticalAlign = VerticalAlign.Center})

' Draw a text at the link target
page2.Canvas.DrawString("Link target", font, brush, 20, 200)

' Save document to file
pdfDocument.Save("result.pdf")

' Cleanup
pdfDocument.Dispose()

' Open document in default PDF viewer app
Process.Start("result.pdf")

End Sub

End Class
```

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