

How to convert PDF to HTML from URL asynchronously for PDF to HTML API in PowerShell with PDF.co Web API

See how to convert PDF to HTML from URL asynchronously to have PDF to HTML API in PowerShell

These source code samples are listed and grouped by their programming language and functions they use. PDF.co Web API was made to help with PDF to HTML API in PowerShell. PDF.co Web API is the Rest API that provides set of data extraction functions, tools for documents manipulation, splitting and merging of pdf files. Includes built-in OCR, images recognition, can generate and read barcodes from images, scans and pdf.

This rich sample source code in PowerShell for PDF.co Web API includes the number of functions and options you should do calling the API to implement PDF to HTML API. This PowerShell sample code should be copied and pasted into your project. After doing this just compile your project and click Run. Enjoy writing a code with ready-to-use sample PowerShell codes to add PDF to HTML API functions using PDF.co Web API in PowerShell.

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Source Code Files:

ConvertPdfToHtmlFromUrlAsynchronously.ps1

```
# Cloud API asynchronous "PDF To HTML" job example.
# Allows to avoid timeout errors when processing huge or scanned PDF documents.

# The authentication key (API Key).
# Get your own by registering at https://app.pdf.co/documentation/api
$API_KEY = "*****"

# Direct URL of source PDF file.
$SourceFileUrl = "https://bytescout-com.s3.amazonaws.com/files/demo-files/cloud-api/pdf-to-html.pdf"
# Comma-separated list of page indices (or ranges) to process. Leave empty for all pages.
$Pages = ""
# PDF document password. Leave empty for unprotected documents.
$Password = ""
# Destination HTML file name
$DestinationFile = ".\result.html"
# Set to $true to get simplified HTML without CSS. Default is the rich HTML keeping the original styling.
$PlainHtml = $false
# Set to $true if your document has the column layout like a newspaper.
$ColumnLayout = $false
# (!) Make asynchronous job
$Async = $true

# Prepare URL for `PDF To HTML` API call
$query = "https://api.pdf.co/v1/pdf/convert/to/html?name={0}&password={1}&pages={2}&simpleHtml={3}&columnLayout={4}&url={5}"
$query = $(Split-Path $DestinationFile -Leaf), $Password, $Pages, $PlainHtml, $ColumnLayout, $SourceFileUrl
$query = [System.Uri]::EscapeUriString($query)

try {
    # Execute request
    $jsonResponse = Invoke-RestMethod -Method Get -Headers @{ "x-api-key" = $API_KEY } -Uri $query

    if ($jsonResponse.error -eq $false) {
        # Asynchronous job ID
        $jobId = $jsonResponse.jobId
        # URL of generated HTML file that will be available after the job completion
        $resultFileUrl = $jsonResponse.url

        # Check the job status in a loop.
        do {
            $statusCheckUrl = "https://api.pdf.co/v1/job/check?jobid=" + $jobId
            $jsonStatus = Invoke-RestMethod -Method Get -Headers @{ "x-api-key" = $API_KEY } -Uri $statusCheckUrl

            # Display timestamp and status (for demo purposes)
            Write-Host "$(Get-date): $($jsonStatus.status)"

            if ($jsonStatus.status -eq "success") {
                # Download HTML file
                Invoke-WebRequest -Headers @{ "x-api-key" = $API_KEY } -Uri $resultFileUrl -OutFile $DestinationFile
                Write-Host "Generated HTML file saved as `"$($DestinationFile)`" file."
                break
            }
        } while ($jsonStatus.status -eq "working")
    }
}
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        # Pause for a few seconds
        Start-Sleep -Seconds 3
    }
    else {
        Write-Host $jsonStatus.status
        break
    }
}
while ($true)
}
else {
    # Display service reported error
    Write-Host $jsonResponse.message
}
}
catch {
    # Display request error
    Write-Host $_.Exception
}
```

run.bat

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@echo off

powershell -NoProfile -ExecutionPolicy Bypass -Command "& .\ConvertPdfToHtmlFromUrlAsync.ps1"
echo Script finished with errorlevel=%errorlevel%

pause
```

VIDEO

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