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## NAME

pdfinfo - Portable Document Format (PDF) document information extractor (version 3.03)

## SYNOPSIS

pdfinfo [options] [PDF-file]

## DESCRIPTION

Pdfinfo prints the contents of the ?Info' dictionary (plus some other useful information) from a Portable Document Format (PDF) file.

If PDF-file is ?-', it reads the PDF file from stdin.

The ?Info' dictionary contains the following values:

title

subject

keywords

author

creator

producer

creation date

modification date

In addition, the following information is printed:

custom metadata (yes/no)

metadata stream (yes/no)

tagged (yes/no)

userproperties (yes/no)

- suspects (yes/no)
- form (AcroForm / XFA / none)
- javascript (yes/no)
- page count
- encrypted flag (yes/no)
- print and copy permissions (if encrypted)
- page size
- file size
- linearized (yes/no)
- PDF version
- metadata (only if requested)

The options -listenc, -meta, -js, -struct, and -struct-text only print the requested information. The 'Info' dictionary and related data listed above is not printed. At most one of these five options may be used.

## OPTIONS

**-f** number

Specifies the first page to examine. If multiple pages are requested using the "-f" and "-l" options, the size of each requested page (and, optionally, the bounding boxes for each requested page) are printed. Otherwise, only page one is examined.

**-l** number

Specifies the last page to examine.

**-box** Prints the page box bounding boxes: MediaBox, CropBox, BleedBox, TrimBox, and ArtBox.

**-meta** Prints document-level metadata. (This is the "Metadata" stream from the PDF file's Catalog object.)

**-custom**

Prints custom and standard metadata.

**-js** Prints all JavaScript in the PDF.

**-struct**

Prints the logical document structure of a Tagged-PDF file.

**-struct-text**

Print the textual content along with the document structure of a Tagged-PDF file.

Note that extracting text this way might be slow for big PDF files. (Implies -struct.)

**-url** Print all URLs in the PDF. Only the URL types supported by Poppler are listed.

Currently, this is limited to Annotations. Note: only URLs referenced by the PDF objects such as Link Annotations are listed. pdfinfo does not attempt to extract strings matching `http://...` from the text content.

**-isodates**

Prints dates in ISO-8601 format (including the time zone).

**-rawdates**

Prints the raw (undecoded) date strings, directly from the PDF file.

**-dests** Print a list of all named destinations. If a page range is specified using "-f" and "-l", only destinations in the page range are listed.

**-enc encoding-name**

Sets the encoding to use for text output. This defaults to "UTF-8".

**-listenc**

Lits the available encodings

**-opw password**

Specify the owner password for the PDF file. Providing this will bypass all security restrictions.

**-upw password**

Specify the user password for the PDF file.

**-v** Print copyright and version information.

**-h** Print usage information. (-help and --help are equivalent.)

## EXIT CODES

The Xpdf tools use the following exit codes:

0 No error.

1 Error opening a PDF file.

2 Error opening an output file.

3 Error related to PDF permissions.

99 Other error.

## AUTHOR

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## SEE ALSO

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