

Using PDF Mill from the command line

When starting PDF Mill from a command line such as a DOS prompt or bash, the following command is used

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[JRE]\java.exe -jar pdfmill.jar [options]
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[JRE] in above command denotes the directory the Java Runtime Environment (JRE) is stored on your computer. In place of [options] the parameters in below table can be used. PDF Mill runs quietly until creation of the destination PDF file is finalized which is when PDF Mill returns with message

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--- PdfMill finished ---
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Options

option	description
-s	source file path and name of the HTML file to transform to PDF
-d	destination file path and name of the PDF file to create. Existing files with the same name and location are overwritten.
-fd	font directory directory to embed fonts from
-ht	header text text that shall appear in the header on each page
-hn	header font name name of the font that shall be used to render the header
-hs	header font size size of the font that shall be used to render the header
-ha	header alignment alignment of the header, one of 'left', 'right' and 'center'
-hno	header page number 'on' if a page number shall be generated at the end of the header, 'off' if not
-ft	footer text text that shall appear in the footer on each page
-fn	footer font name name of the font that shall be used to render the footer
-fs	footer font size size of the font that shall be used to render the footer
-fa	footer alignment alignment of the header, one of 'left', 'right' and 'center'

-fno

footer page number

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