

ViewPDF OCX

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ViewPDF OCX is an ActiveX component which enables your application to display and interact with PDF files. Simply place the control on your form, set the Path property, and you are all set! ViewPDF OCX is identical to Adobe Acrobat's PDF Reader program.

Important! Before installing ViewPDF OCX you must install Acrobat Reader 7 (freeware) from this link <http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readermain.html>

Although ViewPDF OCX requires Adobe Acrobat Reader 7 to run we think you'll find that it is one of the lowest priced and most powerful PDF Viewer ActiveX controls available on the market today. **ViewPDF OCX may be distributed with your application royalty free an installed on an unlimited number of machines! There are absolutely no runtime licenses fees!**

Main features of ViewPDF OCX include:

- Save Button for saving copies of PDF file
- Print Button for printing PDF file
- Email Button for emailing PDF file using default email application
- Search Button for searching for text within PDF file
- Text Selection Button for selecting/copying text in PDF file
- Snapshot Tool Button
- Zoom In Tool Button
- Fit Page Button
- Fit Width Button
- Zoom Out Button
- Zoom In Button
- Zoom Percentage Textbox
- Rotate Button
- Spell Check Button
- Undo/Redo Buttons
- Copy Button
- Sign Button
- Page Navigation Buttons
- Page View Buttons
- Hyperlink Support
- Many functions for setting page number, setting zoom level, printing, etc.

To add ViewPDF OCX to your Visual Basic 6.0 project:

1. From the Project Menu select **Components...**

2. Select control **ViewPDF**
3. Click the OK Button
4. The control will now appear in your toolbox
5. Drag and drop the control on your form
6. There are two methods of opening a PDF file with the control:

```
Dim strFile As String
Dim b As Boolean
strFile = "C:\Documents\file.pdf"
Viewer1.Path = strFile
b = Viewer1.OpenPDF
If b = False Then
    MsgBox "Unable to open file."
EndIf
```

OR

```
Dim strFile As String
Dim b As Boolean
strFile = "C:\Documents\file.pdf"
b = Viewer1.OpenPDF(strFile)
If b = False Then
    MsgBox "Unable to open file."
EndIf
```

PDF files located on web servers can also be opened. For example:

```
Dim strFile As String
Dim b As Boolean
strFile = "http://ic.net/~kusluski/viewpdf.pdf"
b = Viewer1.OpenPDF(strFile)
If b = False Then
    MsgBox "Unable to open file."
EndIf
```

How to add ViewPDF OCX to your Access Form

1. Open Access
2. Create a new blank database
3. Create a new form in Design View. You should now be in design mode
4. From the Insert Menu select "ActiveX Control..."
5. Select ViewPDF.Viewer and click the OK Button
6. The control should appear on the form
7. Resize and move the control on the form as desired
8. Add a button to the form. If the wizard appears cancel it
9. Right-click on the button to invoke the popup menu
10. Select "Build Event..." then select Code Builder and click OK Button

11. You should be inside the Visual Basic Development Environment
12. Within the Command_Click enter the following code:

Viewer0.OpenPDF <http://www.getfilez.com/viewpdf.pdf>

13. Save your changes and close Visual Basic
14. Save the form and close it
15. Double-click on the form to run it.
16. Click the button. The PDF should appear!
17. Experiment by changing the PDF path to a local file such as:
Viewer0.OpenPDF "c:\temp\myfile.pdf"

How to add ViewPDF OCX to your .NET project

1. Open .NET
2. Right-click on the toolbox and select "Add/Remove Items..."
3. Select the COM Components Tab
4. Check ViewPDF.Viewer and click OK Button
5. The control should appear in the toolbox as "ViewPDF.Viewer"
6. Double-click on the control to add to your form
7. Resize and move the control on the form as desired
8. Add a button to the form
9. Double-click on the button to access code editor and enter the following code within the Click event:
AxViewer1.OpenPDF("http://www.getfilez.com/viewpdf.pdf")
10. Change the anchor property of AxViewer1 to Top, Bottom, Left, Right
11. Run the application and click on the button. The PDF should appear!

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