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Convert Office documents to PDF



PSPDFKit Server has been deprecated and replaced by [Document Engine](#). To migrate to Document Engine and unlock advanced document processing capabilities, refer to our [migration guide](#). Learn more about these enhancements on our [blog](#).



Note: Support for Office documents requires the [Office Files](#) license component.

PSPDFKit for Web Server-Backed supports opening and working with Office documents. You can upload any supported Office document and PSPDFKit Server will convert it to a PDF for you. There are multiple ways this can be used.

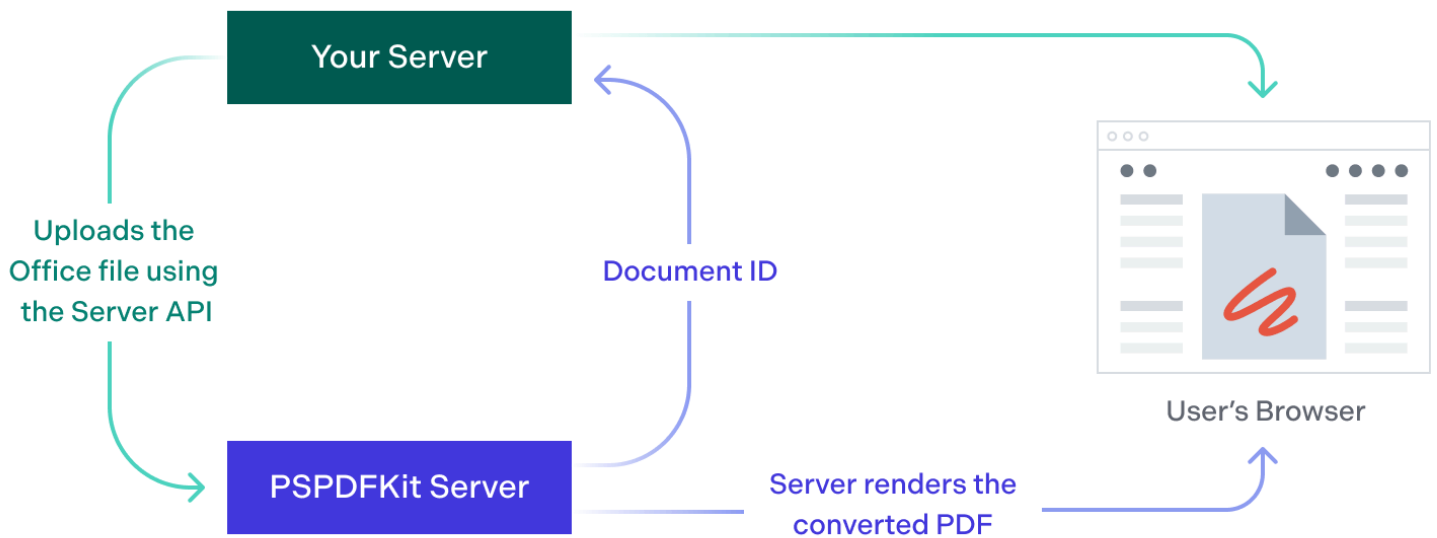
Showing Office files using server-backed rendering

If you're using server-backed rendering in your application, you can treat an Office file the same as you would any PDF.

- 1 Your Server uploads the Office file to PSPDFKit Server.
- 2 PSPDFKit Server will convert the file to PDF and store it.
- 3 You can display the document using the returned document ID.

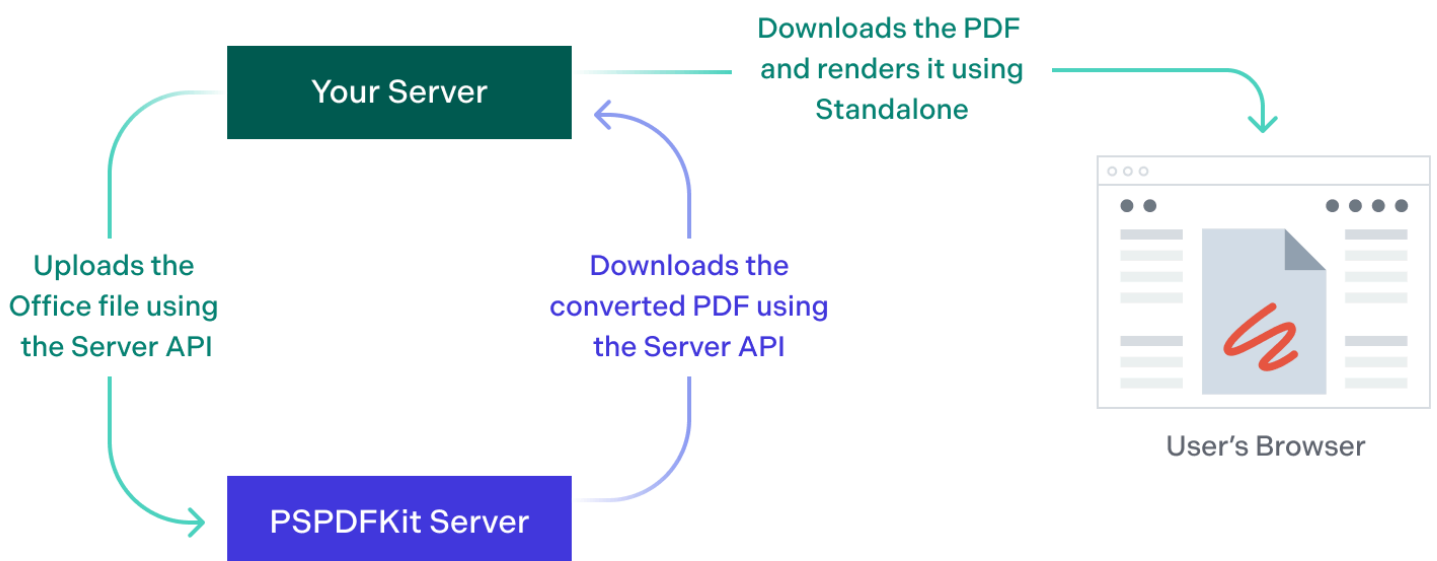


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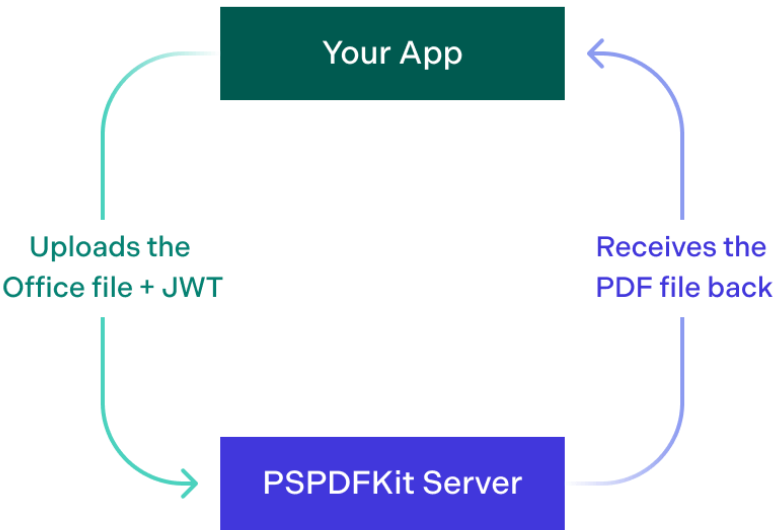
Showing Office files using standalone rendering

- 1 Your Server uploads the office file to PSPDFKit Server.
- 2 PSPDFKit Server will convert the file to PDF and store it.
- 3 Using the returned document ID, your server can download the converted PDF.
- 4 You can then show the PDF file using the standalone rendering of PSPDFKit for Web.



Showing Office files in mobile apps

- 1 Your iOS or Android App using the PSPDFKit SDK uploads the Office file and a correctly formatted and signed JSON Web Token (JWT) to PSPDFKit Server or PSPDFKit Processor.
- 2 PSPDFKit Server or Processor will convert the file and immediately return the converted PDF.
- 3 Your app can then display the PDF.



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