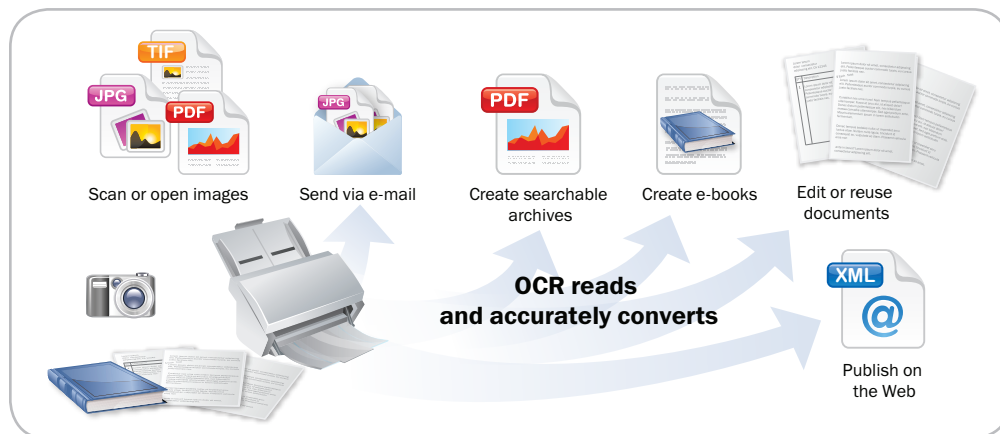


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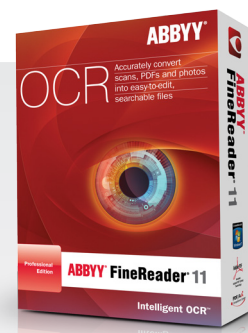
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ABBYY OCR brings your institution benefits that include

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ABBYY FineReader

ABBYY FineReader OCR software is a desktop solution that turns scanned documents, PDFs and digital photographs into searchable and editable formats including Microsoft® Word, Excel®, PDF and popular e-book formats.



ABBYY Recognition Server

ABBYY Recognition Server operates in the background, converting large volumes of documents and books into digital files without the need for manual intervention. Such files are easy to search, store and retrieve and allow educational institutions to reduce cost of managing paper and provide people with wider access to knowledge.

ABBYY FineReader and ABBYY Recognition Server for Higher Education

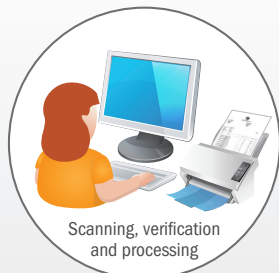


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From helping to streamline admission procedures, to speeding research and leveling the playing field for disabled students, ABBYY OCR solutions enable new efficiencies and greater achievement in higher education. Here are some of the advantages they can bring your institution:

- **Streamlined procedures.** Printed applications and relevant forms (e.g., admissions, financial aid, housing, etc.) can be scanned and converted into searchable PDFs that are easily stored, located, shared and indexed.
- **Greater efficiency for students and faculty.** Text from paper documents and digital imagery can quickly be converted into editable and searchable formats including Microsoft Office applications, OpenOffice.org™ Writer and a wide range of PDF formats. And, thanks to superior accuracy and intelligent OCR technology, there is little or no need to correct or reformat the results.
- **More efficient archiving.** Thousands of volumes of paper records can quickly be scanned, catalogued and converted into searchable electronic records – making filing, storage and retrieval far easier. And backup copies can be automatically created and stored.
- **Greater access to library resources.** Digitizing documents including books, journals, research and dissertations can make them more available – and to a larger number of people. With just a Web browser, staff and students can access materials they need.
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- **Easier reading for disabled students.** ABBYY OCR can be used to convert books into text or XML-based formats that are paired with text-to-speech applications – a boon for the visually impaired. And converting books into e-book formats for tablets can make reading more accessible for those with other physical impairments.

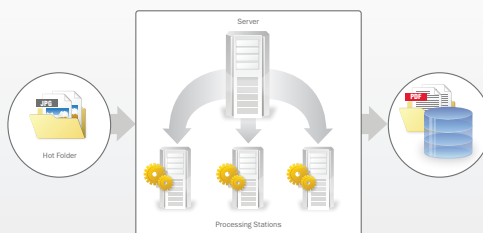
ABBYY FineReader



Scanning, verification and processing

Ideal for the desktop, FineReader provides unmatched conversion capabilities that virtually eliminate retyping or reformatting. Automated functionality and easy customization boost the productivity of every user.

ABBYY Recognition Server



Working in the background, Recognition Server automatically converts scanned documents and books into searchable formats suited for archiving and publishing. It can be integrated with departmental or institutional systems, student information systems (SIS) and archiving solutions, including Microsoft SharePoint® and other content management products.

ABBYY FineReader System Requirements

- 1GHz or higher processor
- Operating System: Microsoft® Windows® 7, Windows Server 2008, Windows Server 2008 R2, Windows Vista, Windows Server 2003 or Windows XP
- 512MB of RAM in a multiprocessor system; 256MB of RAM for each additional processor core
- 1.5GB hard disk space required for typical program installation and operation
- 1GB memory
- Video card and monitor (1024x768 or higher)
- TWAIN- or WIA-compatible scanners

ABBYY Recognition Server System Requirements

- 500MHz or higher processor
- Operating system: Microsoft Windows Server 2008, Windows Vista, Windows Server 2003, Windows XP or Windows 2000
- 128MB of RAM; 100MB for each additional recognition process
- 700MB of hard disk space
- Microsoft .NET Framework 2.0 or later
- Microsoft Outlook 2000 or later (for processing and sending e-mails)

Note: System requirements for client stations differ from the server requirements. Contact an ABBYY representative or ABBYY Partner for more information.

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