

Package ‘pdfcombiner’

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Title Graphical User Interface for Manipulating PDF and Image Files

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Description A 'shiny' app that supports merging of PDF and/or image files with page selection, removal, or rotation options.

It is a fast, free, and secure alternative to commercial software or various online websites which require users to sign-up, and it avoids any potential risks associated with uploading files elsewhere.

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URL <https://github.com/stevechoy/pdfcombiner>,
<https://lagom.shinyapps.io/pdfcombiner/>

BugReports <https://github.com/stevechoy/pdfcombiner/issues>

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Imports shiny, pdftools, qpdf,

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openxlsx, shinythemes

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*Launches PDF Combiner***Description**

Launches the PDF Combiner [shiny](#) App. Instructions on usage are included on the left hand side of the page. By default it uses the bootstrap theme, allowing minimization of the sidebar. Set argument `bootstrap_theme = FALSE` to turn this off.

Usage

```
pdfcombiner(
  max_file_size = 500,
  bootstrap_theme = TRUE,
  sidebar_width = 700,
  defaultwm_fontsize = 50,
  defaultwm_col = "gray80",
  defaultwm_alpha = 0.6,
  defaultwm_rot = 45,
  defaultwm_fontface = "bold",
  defaultwm_height = 11,
  defaultwm_width = 8.5,
  image_dpi = 300,
  compact_level = "ebook",
  linearize = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

<code>max_file_size</code>	Max upload file size in MB, change if needed
<code>bootstrap_theme</code>	When TRUE, uses bslib bootstrap theme to allow minimizing sidebar
<code>sidebar_width</code>	Only applicable when bootstrap theme is used, in pixels
<code>defaultwm_fontsize</code>	Default Watermark font size
<code>defaultwm_col</code>	Default Watermark color
<code>defaultwm_alpha</code>	Default Watermark alpha
<code>defaultwm_rot</code>	Default Watermark rotation angle
<code>defaultwm_fontface</code>	Default Watermark fontface (one of "plain", "italic", "bold", "bold.italic")
<code>defaultwm_height</code>	Default Watermark height in inches (US letter size = 11, A4 = 11.69)

defaultwm_width	Default Watermark width in inches (US letter size = 8.5, A4 = 8.27)
image_dpi	Dots per inch for use when converting to images
compact_level	One of "none" (not used), "printer" (300dpi), "ebook" (150dpi), "screen" (72dpi), only applicable if Ghostscript is installed
linearize	Default FALSE. When TRUE, optimizes PDF for web-viewing (loads first page quickly)
verbose	Prints out working messages in console

Details

The user is highly recommended to also install the [staplr](#) package as it supports bookmarks, however it uses Java so you may need to install Java separately if your system does not currently have it. In addition, the [magick](#) package is recommended for supporting uploading of image files.

Value

a Shiny App

Note

All PDF files are stored locally in a per-session temporary directory, given by the `tempdir()` function.

See Also

<https://github.com/stevechoy/pdfcombiner>, [pdftools](#), [qpdf](#)

Examples

```
if (interactive()) {  
  pdfcombiner(bootstrap_theme = FALSE) # Do not use bootstrap theme (if `shiny` version is < 1.7.4)  
}
```

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