

Mpesa statement - from pdf to csv file

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[1]: import pdfplumber #library for reading pdf files
import pandas as pd

# === USER INPUT ===
pdf_path = "path of where the pdf file is stored in your pc" # Replace with
    ↳ your actual file name or path
pdf_password = "shared by safaricom as sms" # Replace with the correct password

# === STEP 1: Open the PDF ===
all_rows = []

with pdfplumber.open(pdf_path, password=pdf_password) as pdf:
    for page in pdf.pages:
        tables = page.extract_tables()
        for table in tables:
            for row in table:
                # Skip header rows or empty rows
                if row[0] == "Receipt No" or row[0] is None:
                    continue
                all_rows.append(row)

# === STEP 2: Create DataFrame ===
columns = ["Receipt No", "Completion time", "Details", "Transaction status",
    ↳ "paid in", "Withdrawn", "Balance"]
df = pd.DataFrame(all_rows, columns=columns)

# === STEP 3: Save to CSV ===
df.to_csv("mpesa_transactions.csv", index=False)

#print("[U+2705] M-Pesa transactions saved to 'mpesa_transactions.csv'")
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[9]: #The first 9 rows are the summary(e.g total received, total send etc) of the
    ↳ whole mpesa statement and hence need of dropping
df = df.drop(df.head(9).index)
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[10]: #The names of the columns of the statement were repeating themselves after every
    ↳ page. I therefore renamed the first column to allow me to drop the rest
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# Print current column names to verify
print("Original columns:", df.columns.tolist())

# Rename the first column explicitly
df.columns = ["Receipt_No"] + df.columns.tolist()[1:]
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Original columns: ['Receipt_No', 'Completion time', 'Details', 'Transaction status', 'paid in', 'Withdrawn', 'Balance']

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[23]: # === Drop rows where the first column contains "Receipt No." ===
first_column = df.columns[0] # Automatically get the name of the first column
df = df[~df[first_column].astype(str).str.contains("Receipt No.", case=False,
↳na=False)]
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[24]: # === Drop rows where the second column contains "None" ===
first_column = df.columns[1] # Automatically get the name of the first column
df = df[~df[first_column].astype(str).str.contains("None", case=False, na=False)]
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[25]: # === Drop rows where the first column contains "Statement Verification Code"
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first_column = df.columns[0] # Automatically get the name of the first column
df = df[~df[first_column].astype(str).str.contains("Statement Verification
↳Code", case=False, na=False)]
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[26]: # === Drop rows where the first column contains "UN7KKADG" ===
first_column = df.columns[0] # Automatically get the name of the first column
df = df[~df[first_column].astype(str).str.contains("UN7KKADG", case=False,
↳na=False)]
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[27]: # === Drop rows where the first column contains "NaN" ===
first_column = df.columns[0] # Automatically get the name of the first column
df = df[~df[first_column].astype(str).str.contains("NaN", case=False, na=False)]
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[28]: # === Save to CSV ===
df.to_csv("M-pesa_transactions.csv", index=False)
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