

README.md

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1 # PDFy 📄✨
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3 **Tired of IDEs exporting your code as massive, unsearchable image-based PDFs? PDFy is here to help!**
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5 PDFy is a client-side web application built with SvelteKit and ShadcnSvelte that allows you to
6 select a local project folder, choose specific code and text files, preview them with syntax highlighting, and then p
7 rint them to a clean,
8 text-based, searchable PDF using your browser's built-in print functionality.
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10 **Live Demo:** [https://pdfy.oseifert.ch](https://pdfy.oseifert.ch)
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12 ## ⚠️ Important Note & Current Limitations
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14 Please keep in mind that this project was put together quickly (in about a day!). As such, use
15 rs **shouldn't expect
16 complete stability or full feature compatibility** at this stage.
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18 * **Not all advertised features are fully implemented.**
19 * **HTML, Markdown (.md), and XML rendering has not been thoroughly tested and may not work correctly.**
20 * Currently, PDFy primarily focuses on rendering **raw text files with syntax highlighting.**
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22 Development is ongoing, and contributions are welcome to improve functionality and address the
23 se limitations!
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25 ## The Problem PDFy Solves
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27 Many developers, especially students preparing project documentation, face issues with IDEs or
28 tools that generate PDFs
29 by rasterizing code into images or that can't even do it. This results in:
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31 * HUGE file sizes (e.g., 100MB instead of <5MB).
32 * Non-searchable content.
33 * Poor text quality and inability to select/copy code.
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35 PDFy aims to provide a simple, local, and effective solution to generate high-quality, text-ba
36 sed PDFs of your codebase
37 and documentation.
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39 ## Key Features ✨
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41 * **Local Processing:** No server-side uploads! All file processing happens directly in your
42 browser using the File
43 System Access API. Your code stays on your machine.
44 * **Folder Select:** Select an entire project folder from your local file system.
45 * **File Tree Navigation:** View your project's folder structure and select specific files.
46 * **Live Preview:** See an instant preview of your selected files with syntax highlighting.
47 * **Syntax Highlighting:** Powered by `highlight.js` for a wide range of programming languag
48 es.
49 * **Markdown Support:** Preview rendered Markdown files (experimental, see note above).
50 * **Print to PDF:** Uses your browser's native "Print to PDF" functionality with optimized p
51 rint CSS for clean output.
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44 *   **Text-Based & Searchable PDFs:** Generates PDFs where text is text, not an image.
45 *   **Customizable:** Settings for themes, line numbers, etc. (partially implemented).
46 *   **GitIgnore Support:** Automatically ignores files and directories specified in .gitignore
47     files within the selected
48     project directory.
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51 ## Tech Stack 🛠️
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53 *   **Framework:** [SvelteKit](https://kit.svelte.dev/)
54 *   **UI Components:** [ShadcnSvelte](https://www.shadcn-svelte.com/)
55 *   **Styling:** [Tailwind CSS](https://tailwindcss.com/)
56 *   **Package Manager & Runtime:** [Bun](https://bun.sh/)
57 *   **Syntax Highlighting:** [highlight.js](https://highlightjs.org/)
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59 ## Getting Started 🚀
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61 To run PDFy locally, you'll need [Bun](https://bun.sh/) installed.
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64 1. Clone the repository:
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66 ```bash
67 git clone https://github.com/ImGajeed76/pdfy.git
68 cd pdfy
69 ```
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71 2. Install dependencies:
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73 ```bash
74 bun install
75 ```
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77 3. Run the development server:
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79 ```bash
80 bun run dev
81 ```
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83 This will start the development server, typically on http://localhost:5173.
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85 ## How It Works ⚙️
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88 1. You select a local project directory using the browser's File System Access API.
89 2. PDFy reads the directory structure and displays it.
90 3. You select files you want to include in your PDF.
91 4. Selected files are previewed with appropriate syntax highlighting or rendering.
92 5. When you're ready, you click "Print to PDF".
93 6. PDFy uses CSS media queries (@media print) to style the content specifically for printing, hiding the application UI and formatting the code/text for a standard page.
94 7. Your browser's print dialog opens, allowing you to save the output as a PDF.
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96 ## Supported File Types 📁
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98 PDFy aims to support a wide variety of text-based files, including but not limited to:

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93 *   **Programming Languages:** JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, Java, C, C++, C#, Rust, Go, PHP, Ruby, Swift,
94     Kotlin, Scala, and many more supported by `highlight.js`.
95 *   **Markup & Data:** HTML, CSS, JSON, XML, YAML, TOML, Markdown (.md - rendering is experimental, see note above).
96 *   **Configuration & Scripts:** `.sh`, `.bash`, `.ps1`, `Dockerfile`, `.env`, `.conf`, `.ini`, `.sql`.
97 *   **Plain Text:** `.txt`, `.log`, `.gitignore`, and other generic text files.
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99 If a file is text-based, PDFy will do its best to display it with syntax highlighting. Unknown code file types will be treated as plain text.
100 For HTML, MD, and XML, rendering is currently experimental and may default to raw text.
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102 ## Contributing 🍷
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104 Contributions are welcome! If you have ideas for improvements, new features, or bug fixes, please feel free to:
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106 1. Fork the repository.
107 2. Create a new branch (`git checkout -b feature/your-feature-name`).
108 3. Make your changes.
109 4. Commit your changes (`git commit -m 'Add some feature'`).
110 5. Push to the branch (`git push origin feature/your-feature-name`).
111 6. Open a Pull Request.
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113 Please ensure your code follows the existing style and that any new dependencies are justified.
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115 ## License 📜
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117 This project is licensed under the **GNU General Public License v3.0**.
118 See the [LICENSE](LICENSE) file for more details.
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120 ---
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122 Made with ❤️ to solve a frustrating problem. Hope it helps you too!
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src/routes/+page.svelte

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1  <script lang="ts">
2
3      import { toast } from 'svelte-sonner';
4      import { openDirectory } from '$lib/fileSystem';
5      import * as Resizable from '$lib/components/ui/resizable/index.js';
6      import { Button } from '$lib/components/ui/button';
7      import { fileTree, isLoadingDirectory, rootDirectoryHandle, selectedFilesForPrint } from
'$lib/stores';
8      import FileExplorer from '$lib/components/ui/pdfy/FileExplorer.svelte';
9      import FilePreview from '$lib/components/ui/pdfy/FilePreview.svelte';
10     import { ScrollArea } from '$lib/components/ui/scroll-area';
11
12     let fsApiSupported = $state(true); // Assuming the API is supported
13
14     $effect(() => {
15         if (!window.showDirectoryPicker) {
16             fsApiSupported = false;
17             toast.error(
18                 'Your browser does not support the File System Access API. Please use a compat
ible browser like Chrome or Edge.'
19             );
20         }
21     });
22
23     async function handleLoadFolder() {
24         isLoadingDirectory.set(true);
25         fileTree.set(null);
26
27         const result = await openDirectory();
28         if (result) {
29             rootDirectoryHandle.set(result.handle);
30             fileTree.set(result.tree);
31             toast.success('Directory loaded successfully!');
32         } else {
33             toast.error(
34                 'Failed to load directory. Please ensure you have selected a valid folder.'
35             );
36         }
37
38         isLoadingDirectory.set(false);
39     }
40
41     function handlePrint() {
42         if ($selectedFilesForPrint.length === 0) {
43             toast.info('Please select some files to print.');
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48 </script>
49
50 <svelte:head>
51   <title>PDFy - Code to PDF</title>
52   <style global>
53     @media print {
54       @page {
55         size: A4; /* Or 'letter' etc. */
56
57         @top-center {
58           content: ''; /* Cleared, as file path is in FilePreview */
59           font-size: 9pt;
60           font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
61           color: #555555;
62         }
63
64         @bottom-right {
65           content: counter(page) ' / ' counter(pages); /* counter(pages) is often unsu
66           font-size: 9pt;
67           font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
68           color: #555555;
69         }
70         @bottom-left {
71           content: ''; /* Can add date or other info here if needed */
72         }
73       }
74
75       body,
76       html {
77         background-color: white !important;
78         color: black !important;
79         font-family: 'Times New Roman', Times, serif; /* Common print serif font */
80         height: auto !important; /* Allow content to flow naturally */
81         width: auto !important;
82         overflow: visible !important; /* Ensure all content is available for print */
83       }
84
85       /* Hide elements specifically marked as print:hidden */
86       .print\:hidden {
87         display: none !important;
88       }
89       /* Ensure elements marked print:block are indeed block */
90       .print\:block {
91         display: block !important;
92       }
93
94       /* Global reset for links in print if desired */
95       a {

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96  */      text-decoration: none !important; /* Avoid underlines unless specifically styled
97          color: inherit !important; /* Links should not stand out unless intended */
98      }
99  /* Optional: Show hrefs for external links
100         a[href^="http"]::after, a[href^="https"]::after {
101             content: " (" attr(href) )";
102             font-size: 0.8em;
103             color: #337ab7;
104         }
105     */
106
107  /* Ensure Resizable Panes don't interfere with print layout */
108  [data-resizable-pane-group], [data-resizable-pane] {
109      display: block !important; /* Override flex/grid from resizable */
110      width: auto !important;
111      height: auto !important;
112      overflow: visible !important;
113  }
114  [data-resizable-handle] {
115      display: none !important; /* Hide resize handles */
116  }
117  */      .border-2, .border, .border-r-transparent { /* Reset borders that might be on panes
118          border: none !important;
119      }
120      .rounded-tl-xl, .rounded-bl-xl {
121          border-radius: 0 !important;
122      }
123      .bg-muted\20 { /* Reset backgrounds */
124          background-color: transparent !important;
125      }
126      .py-5, .p-2, .p-3 { /* Reset paddings if they conflict with page margins */
127          padding: 0 !important;
128      }
129      .h-full {
130          height: auto !important;
131      }
132      .w-full {
133          width: auto !important; /* Let print media decide width */
134      }
135
136  /* Ensure ScrollArea content is fully visible */
137  [data-radix-scroll-area-viewport] {
138      height: auto !important;
139      overflow: visible !important;
140  }
141  [data-radix-scroll-area-scrollbar] {
142      display: none !important;

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143     }
144 }
145 </style>
146 </svelte:head>
147
148 <div class="flex h-screen flex-col print:hidden">
149   <header
150     class="flex h-14 items-center gap-4 border-b bg-muted/40 px-4 lg:h-[60px] lg:px-6 prin
151     t:hidden"
152   >
153     <a href="/" class="flex items-center gap-2 font-semibold">
154       <!-- SVG Icon -->
155       <svg xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2000/svg" width="24" height="24" viewBox="0 0 24 24"
156       fill="none" stroke="currentColor" stroke-width="2" stroke-linecap="round" stroke-line
157       join="round" class="h-6 w-6">
158         <path d="M14.5 2H6a2 2 0 0 0-2 2v16a2 2 0 0 0 2 2h12a2 2 0 0 0 2 2v7.5L14.5 2
159         z"></path>
160         <polyline points="14 2 14 8 20 8"></polyline>
161         <line x1="16" y1="13" x2="8" y2="13"></line>
162         <line x1="16" y1="17" x2="8" y2="17"></line>
163         <line x1="10" y1="9" x2="8" y2="9"></line>
164       </svg>
165       <span>PDFy</span>
166     </a>
167     <Button onclick={handleLoadFolder} disabled={!fsApiSupported || $isLoadingDirectory} c
168     lass="ml-auto">
169       {#if $isLoadingDirectory}
170         Loading...
171       {:else}
172         Load Project Folder
173       {/if}
174     </Button>
175     <Button variant="outline" onclick={handlePrint}>Print to PDF</Button>
176   </header>
177
178   {#if !fsApiSupported}
179     <div class="flex flex-1 items-center justify-center p-4 print:hidden">
180       <p class="text-destructive text-center">
181         PDFy requires the File System Access API, which is not supported by your
182         browser. <br /> Please try a modern browser like Chrome, Edge, or Opera.
183       </p>
184     </div>
185   {:else}
186     <Resizable.PaneGroup direction="horizontal" class="flex-1 print:hidden">
187       <Resizable.Pane defaultSize={25} minSize={15}>
188         <div class="flex h-full items-start justify-center p-1 print:hidden">
189           {#if $isLoadingDirectory}
190             <p class="p-4 text-muted-foreground">Loading directory structure...</p>
191           {:else if $fileTree}
192             <FileExplorer tree={$fileTree} />
193           {:else}

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190         <p class="p-4 text-center text-muted-foreground">
191             Click "Load Project Folder" to begin.
192         </p>
193     </if>
194 </div>
195 </Resizable.Pane>
196 <div class="h-full flex items-center print:hidden">
197     <Resizable.Handle withHandle class="h-[80%] bg-transparent" />
198 </div>
199 <Resizable.Pane defaultSize={75} class="py-5">
200     <div
201 ed-bl-xl bg-muted/20 class="w-full h-full border-2 border-r-transparent p-2 rounded-tl-xl round
202         <ScrollArea class="h-full p-3">
203             {#if $selectedFilesForPrint.length === 0}
204                 <p class="p-6 text-center text-muted-foreground">
205                     Select files from the explorer to preview them here.
206                 </p>
207             {:else}
208 e.id)}}
209                 {#each $selectedFilesForPrint as selectedFile, _index (selectedFil
210                     {#if selectedFile.kind === "file"}
211                         <FilePreview pdfFile={selectedFile} />
212                     {:else}
213                         <p class="p-4 text-muted-foreground">
214                             {selectedFile.name} is not a file or is not selected.
215                         </p>
216                     {/if}
217                 {/each}
218             </ScrollArea>
219         </div>
220     </Resizable.Pane>
221 </Resizable.PaneGroup>
222 </if>
223 </div>
224
225 <div class="hidden print:block" aria-hidden="true">
226     {#if $selectedFilesForPrint.length === 0}
227         <p class="p-6 text-center text-muted-foreground">
228             Select files from the explorer to preview them here.
229         </p>
230     {:else}
231         {#each $selectedFilesForPrint as selectedFile, _index (selectedFile.id)}
232             {#if selectedFile.kind === "file"}
233                 <FilePreview pdfFile={selectedFile} />
234             {:else}
235                 <p class="p-4 text-muted-foreground">
236                     {selectedFile.name} is not a file or is not selected.

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237         </p>
238     {/if}
239 {/each}
240 {/if}
241 </div>
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src/lib/types.ts

```
1 export type PDFYFileSystemEntry = {
2     id: string,
3     name: string,
4     kind: 'directory',
5     path: string, // Relative path from the root directory
6     handle: FileSystemDirectoryHandle,
7     children: PDFYFileSystemEntry[], // For directories
8 } | {
9     id: string,
10    name: string,
11    kind: 'file',
12    path: string, // Relative path from the root directory
13    handle: FileSystemFileHandle,
14    selected: boolean,
15    content: string | null,
16    language: string | null, // Detected language for syntax highlighting
17    fileType: PDFYFileType | null; // To help with rendering
18 }
19
20 export type PDFYFileType = 'code' | 'rendered' | 'text' | 'graphic' | 'binary'
21
22 export enum RenderMode {
23     Rendered = 'rendered',
24     Raw = 'raw',
25 }
26
27 export interface IgnoreRuleSet {
28     rules: string[]; // Raw rule strings from one .gitignore file
29     basePath: string; // The path of the directory containing this .gitignore, relative to sca
n root
30 }
31
32 export const CODE_EXTENSIONS: ReadonlySet<string> = new Set([
33     "js",
34     "ts",
35     "jsx",
36     "tsx",
37     "json",
38     "html",
39     "htm",
40     "css",
41     "scss",
42     "less",
43     "xml",
44     "yaml",
45     "yml",
46     "toml",
47     "py",
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48     "rb",
49     "php",
50     "java",
51     "c",
52     "cpp",
53     "h",
54     "hpp",
55     "cs",
56     "rs",
57     "go",
58     "swift",
59     "kt",
60     "sh",
61     "bash",
62     "ps1",
63     "bat",
64     "cmd",
65     "sql",
66     "graphql",
67     "gql",
68     "svelte",
69     "vue",
70 ];
71 export const MARKDOWN_EXTENSIONS: ReadonlySet<string> = new Set(["md", "markdown"]);
72 export const TEXT_EXTENSIONS: ReadonlySet<string> = new Set(["txt", "log", "csv", "tsv"]);
73 export const IMAGE_EXTENSIONS: ReadonlySet<string> = new Set([
74     "png",
75     "jpg",
76     "jpeg",
77     "gif",
78     "bmp",
79     "webp",
80     "svg",
81     "ico",
82 ]);
83 export const PDF_EXTENSIONS: ReadonlySet<string> = new Set(["pdf"]);
84 export const GENERIC_BINARY_EXTENSIONS: ReadonlySet<string> = new Set([
85     "zip",
86     "tar",
87     "gz",
88     "rar",
89     "7z",
90     "exe",
91     "dll",
92     "bin",
93     "o",
94     "a",
95     "so",
96     ...

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96     "dylib",
97     "app",
98     "msi",
99     "doc",
100    "docx",
101    "xls",
102    "xlsx",
103    "ppt",
104    "pptx",
105    "odt",
106    "ods",
107    "odp",
108    "mp3",
109    "wav",
110    "ogg",
111    "aac",
112    "flac",
113    "mp4",
114    "avi",
115    "mov",
116    "wmv",
117    "mkv",
118    "webm",
119    "iso",
120    "img",
121    "dmg",
122    "wasm",
123    "eot",
124    "ttf",
125    "woff",
126    "woff2",
127    "class",
128    "jar",
129 ];
130
131 export type IntrinsicFileType =
132     | "markdown"
133     | "image"
134     | "pdf"
135     | "code"
136     | "text"
137     | "generic_binary";

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src/lib/fileSystem.ts

```
1  import {
2      CODE_EXTENSIONS, GENERIC_BINARY_EXTENSIONS,
3      type IgnoreRuleSet,
4      IMAGE_EXTENSIONS, type IntrinsicFileType,
5      MARKDOWN_EXTENSIONS,
6      PDF_EXTENSIONS,
7      type PDFYFileSystemEntry, type PDFYFileType, TEXT_EXTENSIONS
8  } from '$lib/types';
9  import NodeIgnore from 'ignore';
10
11  async function processDirectory(
12      directoryHandle: FileSystemDirectoryHandle,
13      currentPath: string = '', // Path of this directoryHandle, relative to the initial scan root
14      // Chain of rule sets from .gitignore files in ancestor directories
15      ancestorRuleSets: IgnoreRuleSet[] = [],
16      // Names of ignore files to look for (e.g., ['.gitignore', '.myignore'])
17      ignoreFileNames: string[] = ['.gitignore'],
18      maxDepth: number = 5, // Maximum recursion depth
19      // Hardcoded names of directories/files to always ignore by their direct name
20      alwaysIgnoreNames: string[] = ['.git', 'node_modules', '.vscode', '.idea']
21  ): Promise<PDFYFileSystemEntry[]> {
22      if (maxDepth <= 0) {
23          console.warn(`Max depth reached for directory: ${currentPath}`);
24          return [];
25      }
26
27      // 1. Read rules from local ignore files in the current directory
28      const localRulesRaw: string[] = [];
29      for (const ignoreFileName of ignoreFileNames) {
30          try {
31              const ignoreFileHandle = await directoryHandle.getFileHandle(ignoreFileName);
32              const file = await ignoreFileHandle.getFile();
33              const content = await file.text();
34              content.split('\n').forEach((line) => {
35                  const trimmedLine = line.trim();
36                  // Add if not empty and not a comment
37                  if (trimmedLine && !trimmedLine.startsWith('#')) {
38                      localRulesRaw.push(trimmedLine);
39                  }
40              });
41          } catch (_error) {
42              // Ignore file not found, which is normal and expected
43          }
44      }
45
46      // 2. Prepare the full list of rule sets for children directories
47      // This includes rules from all ancestors plus the rules from the current directory
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48     const ruleSetsForChildren: IgnoreRuleSet[] = [...ancestorRuleSets];
49     if (localRulesRaw.length > 0) {
50         ruleSetsForChildren.push({
51             rules: localRulesRaw,
52             basePath: currentPath
53         });
54     }
55
56     // 3. Create an `ignore` instance for checking entries at this current level.
57     // This instance will be configured with rules from all relevant .gitignore files
58     // (ancestors + current). All patterns are prefixed to be relative to the scan root
59     // to work correctly with the `ignore` library's path matching.
60     const igChecker = NodeIgnore();
61
62     // Add rules from all ancestor .gitignore files, correctly prefixed
63     for (const ruleSet of ancestorRuleSets) {
64         const prefixedRules = ruleSet.rules.map((rule) => {
65             let pattern = rule;
66             let negate = '';
67             if (pattern.startsWith('!')) {
68                 negate = '!';
69                 pattern = pattern.substring(1);
70             }
71
72             // If pattern starts with '/', it's anchored to its .gitignore's directory (basePa
73             if (pattern.startsWith('/')) {
74                 return negate + ruleSet.basePath + pattern; // e.g., basePath "src", pattern
75                 // "/foo" -> "src/foo"
76             } else {
77                 // Pattern is relative to its .gitignore's directory (basePath)
78                 // e.g., basePath "src", pattern "foo" -> "src/foo"
79                 // e.g., basePath "", pattern "foo" -> "foo"
80                 return negate + (ruleSet.basePath ? ruleSet.basePath + '/' : '') + pattern;
81             }
82         });
83         igChecker.add(prefixedRules);
84     }
85
86     // Add rules from the current directory's .gitignore files, correctly prefixed
87     const prefixedLocalRules = localRulesRaw.map((rule) => {
88         let pattern = rule;
89         let negate = '';
90         if (pattern.startsWith('!')) {
91             negate = '!';
92             pattern = pattern.substring(1);
93         }
94         if (pattern.startsWith('/')) {
95             return negate + currentPath + pattern;
96         }
97     });
98     igChecker.add(prefixedLocalRules);
99 }

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95     } else {
96         return negate + (currentPath ? currentPath + '/' : '') + pattern;
97     }
98 });
99 igChecker.add(prefixedLocalRules);
100
101 const entries: PDFYFileSystemEntry[] = [];
102 for await (const handle of directoryHandle.values()) {
103     // First, check against the list of names to always ignore
104     if (alwaysIgnoreNames.includes(handle.name)) {
105         continue;
106     }
107
108     // Construct the full path of the entry relative to the scan root
109     const entryPath = `${currentPath}${currentPath ? '/' : ''}${handle.name}`;
110     const isDirectory = handle.kind === 'directory';
111
112     // Prepare the path for checking with the `ignore` instance.
113     // Directories should end with a slash for correct matching.
114     let pathForChecking = entryPath;
115     if (isDirectory) {
116         // Ensure entryPath is not empty (root "" has no children named "")
117         // and append slash if it's a directory and doesn't have one.
118         if (pathForChecking && !pathForChecking.endsWith('/')) {
119             pathForChecking += '/';
120         } else if (!pathForChecking && handle.name) {
121             // Case where currentPath is "" (root), entryPath is just handle.name
122             pathForChecking = handle.name + '/';
123         }
124     }
125
126     // Check if the entry is ignored by the aggregated rules
127     if (igChecker.ignores(pathForChecking)) {
128         continue; // Skip this ignored entry
129     }
130
131     // Entry is not ignored, process it
132     if (handle.kind === 'file') {
133         entries.push({
134             id: entryPath,
135             name: handle.name,
136             kind: 'file',
137             path: entryPath,
138             handle,
139             selected: false, // Assuming 'selected' is for UI state
140             content: null, // Content will be loaded on demand
141             language: null, // Language will be determined later
142             fileType: null // File type will be determined later
143         });

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144     } else if (handle.kind === 'directory') {
145         entries.push({
146             id: entryPath,
147             name: handle.name,
148             kind: 'directory',
149             path: entryPath,
150             handle,
151             // Recursively process the subdirectory, passing the updated rule sets
152             children: await processDirectory(
153                 handle,
154                 entryPath,
155                 ruleSetsForChildren, // These include current dir's rules for its children
156                 ignoreFileNames,
157                 maxDepth - 1,
158                 alwaysIgnoreNames
159             )
160         });
161     }
162 }
163
164 // Sort entries: directories first, then files, all alphabetically
165 return entries.sort((a, b) => {
166     if (a.kind === 'directory' && b.kind === 'file') return -1;
167     if (a.kind === 'file' && b.kind === 'directory') return 1;
168     return a.name.localeCompare(b.name);
169 });
170 }
171
172 export async function openDirectory(): Promise<{
173     handle: FileSystemDirectoryHandle;
174     tree: PDFYFileSystemEntry[];
175 } | null> {
176     try {
177         const handle = await window.showDirectoryPicker();
178         if (handle) {
179             const tree = await processDirectory(handle);
180             return { handle, tree };
181         }
182     } catch (error) {
183         if ((error as DOMException).name === 'AbortError') {
184             console.log('User aborted directory selection.');
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192 function getFileExtension(fileName: string): string {
193     const lastDotIndex = fileName.lastIndexOf(".");
194     // Ensure dot is not the first character (e.g., .gitignore)
195     // and there is something after the dot.
196     if (
197         lastDotIndex === -1 ||
198         lastDotIndex === 0 ||
199         lastDotIndex === fileName.length - 1
200     ) {
201         return "";
202     }
203     return fileName.substring(lastDotIndex + 1).toLowerCase();
204 }
205
206 function classifyFileType(
207     fileName: string,
208     mimeType?: string,
209 ): IntrinsicFileType {
210     const extension = getFileExtension(fileName);
211
212     if (MARKDOWN_EXTENSIONS.has(extension)) return "markdown";
213     if (IMAGE_EXTENSIONS.has(extension)) return "image";
214     if (PDF_EXTENSIONS.has(extension)) return "pdf";
215     if (CODE_EXTENSIONS.has(extension)) return "code";
216     if (TEXT_EXTENSIONS.has(extension)) return "text";
217
218     if (mimeType) {
219         if (mimeType.startsWith("image/")) return "image";
220         if (mimeType === "application/pdf") return "pdf";
221         if (mimeType === "text/markdown") return "markdown";
222         if (mimeType === "text/plain") return "text";
223         if (
224             mimeType.startsWith("text/") || // Catches text/html, text/css, text/javascript
225             mimeType.includes("javascript") ||
226             mimeType.includes("json") ||
227             mimeType.includes("xml")
228         ) {
229             return "code";
230         }
231         if (
232             mimeType.startsWith("audio/") ||
233             mimeType.startsWith("video/") ||
234             mimeType === "application/octet-stream"
235         ) {
236             return "generic_binary";
237         }
238     }
239
240     if (GENERIC_BINARY_EXTENSIONS.has(extension)) return "generic_binary";

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241
242     // Default for unknown extensions not explicitly binary:
243     // Consider it text, as it might be a less common code or data format.
244     return "text";
245 }
246
247 export function determineFileDisplayProperties(
248     fileName: string,
249     fileMimeType?: string,
250 ): { language: string; fileType: PDFYFileType } {
251     const extension = getFileExtension(fileName);
252     const intrinsicType = classifyFileType(fileName, fileMimeType);
253
254     let language = extension || "unknown"; // Default language to extension
255
256     switch (intrinsicType) {
257         case "markdown":
258             return { language: "markdown", fileType: "rendered" };
259         case "image":
260             return { language: extension, fileType: "graphic" };
261         case "pdf":
262             return { language: "pdf", fileType: "binary" };
263         case "code":
264             if (extension === "html" || extension === "htm") language = "html";
265             else if (extension === "js" || extension === "jsx") language = "javascript";
266             else if (extension === "ts" || extension === "tsx") language = "typescript";
267             else if (extension === "css") language = "css";
268             else if (extension === "json") language = "json";
269             return { language, fileType: "code" };
270         case "text":
271             return { language: "plaintext", fileType: "text" };
272         case "generic_binary":
273             return { language: extension, fileType: "binary" };
274         default:
275             // Should be unreachable if classifyFileType is exhaustive
276             return { language: "unknown", fileType: "binary" };
277     }
278 }
279
280 export async function readFileContent(
281     fileHandle: FileSystemFileHandle,
282 ): Promise<string> {
283     try {
284         const file = await fileHandle.getFile();
285         const intrinsicType = classifyFileType(file.name, file.type);
286
287         if (
288             intrinsicType === "code" ||

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289         intrinsicType === "text" ||
290         intrinsicType === "markdown"
291     ) {
292         return await file.text();
293     } else {
294         return `(Preview not available for ${intrinsicType} file: ${file.name})`;
295     }
296 } catch (error) {
297     console.error(`Error reading file ${fileHandle.name}:`, error);
298     if (error instanceof DOMException) {
299         return `(Error reading file: ${fileHandle.name} - ${error.message})`;
300     }
301     return `(Error reading file: ${fileHandle.name})`;
302 }
303 }
```

