PDF-to-Excel Kanban Analyzer

Purpose

This script automatically extracts part information from a PDF file containing logistics labels and generates a summary Excel file. It is designed for analyzing Kanban-based shipments, allowing you to quickly determine:

- a list of unique items (Part Number);
- the Kanban code (Kanban);
- quantity per label (Lot);
- the number of times each item appears (Labels Count);
- the total quantity (Total Qty).

How It Works

The script performs the following steps:

- 1. Loads and reads all text content from the PDF;
- 2. Uses regular expressions to extract:
- 3. Part Number (e.g., 040-K774-A000);
- 4. Kanban (e.g., K774);
- 5. Lot quantity (e.g., 4800 PC);
- 6. Builds a table with all matches;
- 7. Groups rows by Part Number + Kanban + Lot;
- 8. Counts how many labels were found for each part;
- 9. Calculates the total quantity (Lot × Labels Count);
- 10. Saves the result to an Excel .xlsx file.

How to Use

- 1. Make sure you have a PDF file with standardized logistics labels;
- 2. Edit the script and replace the value of pdf_path with the full path to your file;
- 3. Open a terminal and install the required Python libraries (only once) (pip install PyPDF2 pandas openpyxl)
- 4. Run the script;
- 5. An Excel file will be saved in the same folder with the extracted and grouped data.

Important

- The PDF file must follow a consistent label structure with sections like (P) Part Number, (K) Kanban, Description, and Lot ... PC;
- For each Part Number + Lot, the quantity is assumed to be per label the script does not sum mixed lots;
- The PDF must contain machine-readable text (not scanned images). For scanned PDFs, OCR is required.

Requirements

Python

PDF file with extractable text content

Excel (for reading the output .xlsx file)