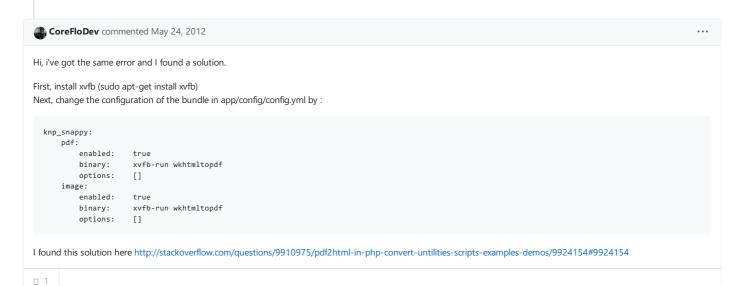


# PDF creation error #12

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icktsarev commented May 23, 2012
Hi. I have a trouble with generation pdf from html.
When I'm calling
return new Response(
$this->get('knp_snappy.pdf')->getOutputFromHtml($export),
200,
arrav(
 'Content-Type' => 'application/pdf',
'Content-Disposition' => 'attachment; filename='.$filename
);
i'm having the error: The file '/tmp/knp_snappy4fbceb3b40b3b8.86837562.pdf' was not created (command: /usr/bin/wkhtmltopdf --lowquality
"/tmp/knp\_snappy4fbceb3b40a6d5.62571310.html" "/tmp/knp\_snappy4fbceb3b40b3b8.86837562.pdf"). The properties of the pro
The .html file is created in tmp directory, but didn't converted into pdf. I'm using static version of wkhtmltopdf. Do you have any ideas for this problem?
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CoreFloDev commented May 24, 2012

the good solution is to use the static version of wkhtmltopdf like here #3

nicktsarev commented May 24, 2012

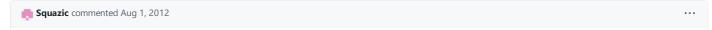
Thanx for answer. I was read article at stackoverflow and issues at github and tried to do it before create a new issue here, but I'm still having a error.

The workflow for wkhtmltopdf looks like:

1. Post the innerHTML to the server -> done

- 2. Write a temporary HTML file with the posted data (file:write\_file) -> done
- 3. Convert this file to PDF using the command line WKHTMLTOPDF (os:cmd) -> fail
- 4. Read and store the PDF file content to a variable (file:read\_file) -> fail
- 5. Delete the temporary HTML and PDF files (file:delete) -> fail
- 6. Send back the final document to the client using the 'application/pdf' content type header -> fail

On my opinion, the wkhtmltopdf works, but works only before third step



Did you try making sure the config file points to the correct wkhtmltopdf binary? I had to fix my path to get it to work.

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    ★ madal commented Aug 16, 2012
    ★ madal
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Hi,

I am using KnpSnappyBundle and i am getting this error:

ERROR:

 $The file 'C:\Users\madal\AppData\Local\Temp\knp\_snappy502dc162a018c4.84540823.pdf' was not created (command: /usr/local/bin/wkhtmltopdf --lowquality "C:\Users\madal\AppData\Local\Temp\knp\_snappy502dc1629fe996.73531235.html" "C:\Users\madal\AppData\Local\Temp\knp\_snappy502dc162a018c4.84540823.pdf').$ 

Can somebody help me please?

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pilot commented Aug 16, 2012 ····
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OS windows?

and you have installed and worked version of wkhtmltopdf?

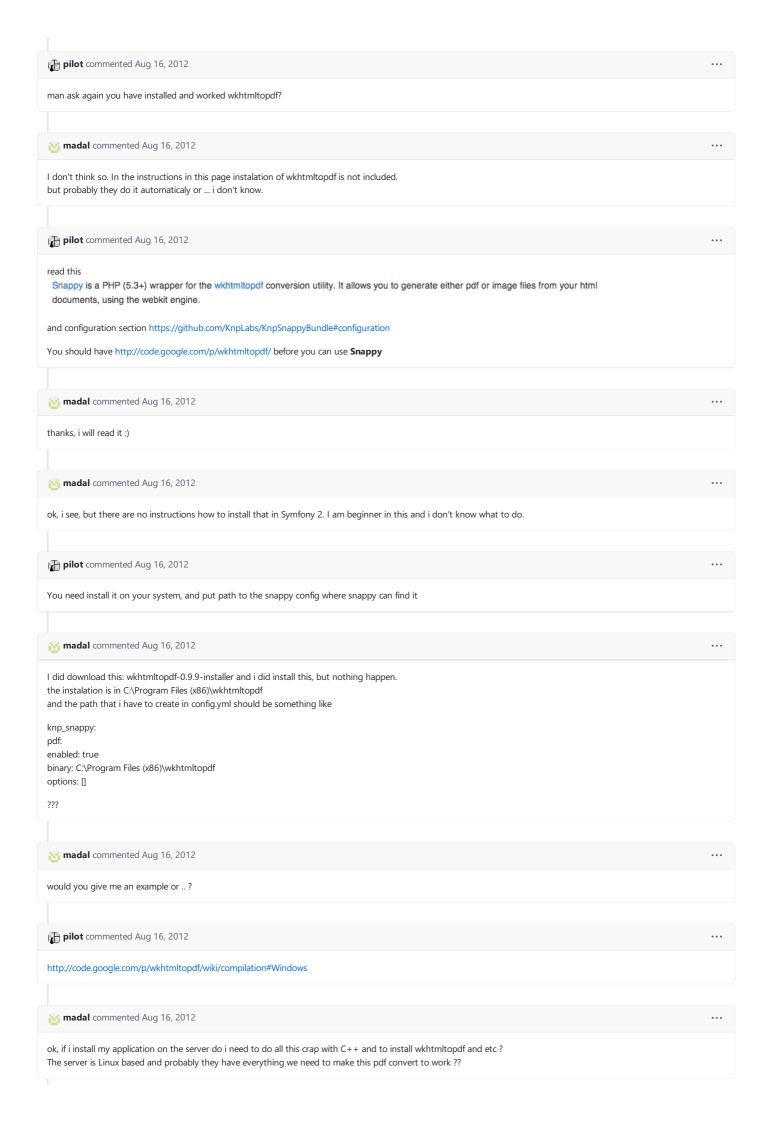
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™ madal commented Aug 16, 2012 ····
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Even i did made it simpler:

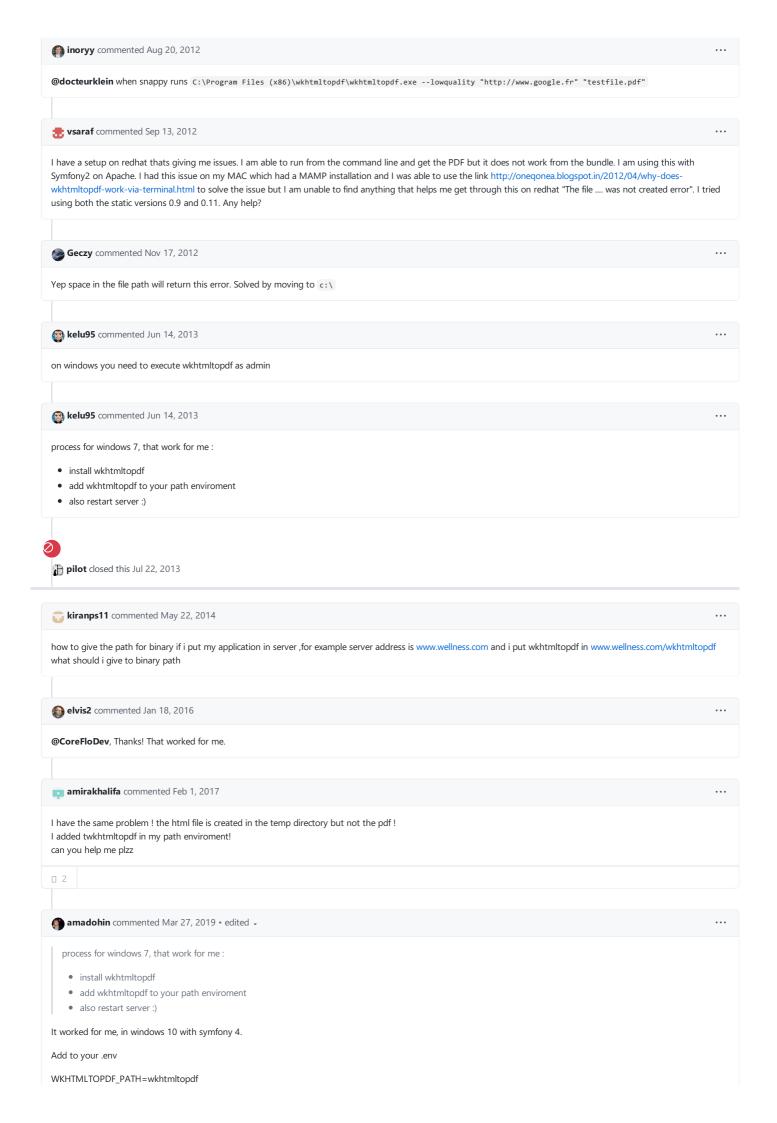
and nothing again! :(

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madal commented Aug 16, 2012 ...

I just followed the instructions here:
https://github.com/KnpLabs/KnpSnappyBundle
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📷 madal commented Aug 16, 2012
I did download MinGW and start the program, now what i have to do ?
inoryy commented Aug 16, 2012
@madal only way to get this to work on windows is to add wkhtmltopdf in your path environment so it would be accessible directly with wkhtmltopdf.
My snappy config looks like this:
  knp_snappy:
      pdf:
          enabled:
                       true
          binary:
                       wkhtmltopdf
          options:
                      []
          enabled:
                       true
          binary:
                       wkhtmltoimage
          options:
                      []
P.S. and yes, you'll need to install "all this crap" on server too.
DHorchler commented Aug 19, 2012
I followed the instructions above and it still does not work on Windows7.
Anybody got it working on any windows flavour?
inoryy commented Aug 19, 2012
@2manypeople above setup is what works on my Windows 7 x64.
DHorchler commented Aug 19, 2012
Thanks, @Inori .
I keep getting
The file 'testfile.pdf' was not created (command: wkhtmltopdf --lowquality "http://www.google.fr" "testfile.pdf"
The funny thing about this is that the same command works fine on the command line.
Any idea?
ommented Aug 20, 2012
try to run this command in the same environment than your web server.
On systems like ubuntu, you could use:
  su www-data
  /usr/local/bin/wkhtmltopdf --lowquality "http://www.google.fr" "testfile.pdf"
Also, you should configure snappy to have the absolute path to wkhtmltopdf binary, eg: /usr/local/bin/wkhtmltopdf or smthg like that.
inoryy commented Aug 20, 2012
@docteurklein absolute path on windows won't work because of spaces and () in the path - "Program Files (x86)" breaks
Mocteurklein commented Aug 20, 2012
where would this break?
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WKHTMLTOIMAGE\_PATH=wkhtmltoimage

Thank's

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