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package de.vogella.itext.write;
import java.io.FileOutputStream;
import java.util.Date;
import com.itextpdf.text.Anchor;
import com.itextpdf.text.BadElementException;
import com.itextpdf.text.BaseColor;
import com.itextpdf.text.Chapter;
import com.itextpdf.text.Document;
import com.itextpdf.text.DocumentException;
import com.itextpdf.text.Element;
import com.itextpdf.text.Font;
import com.itextpdf.text.List;
import com.itextpdf.text.ListItem;
import com.itextpdf.text.Paragraph;
import com.itextpdf.text.Phrase;
import com.itextpdf.text.Section;
import com.itextpdf.text.pdf.PdfPCell;
import com.itextpdf.text.pdf.PdfPTable;
import com.itextpdf.text.pdf.PdfWriter;
public class FirstPdf {
private static String FILE = "c:/temp/FirstPdf.pdf";
private static Font catFont = new Font(Font.FontFamily.TIMES ROMAN, 18,
Font.BOLD);
private static Font redFont = new Font(Font.FontFamily.TIMES ROMAN, 12,
Font.NORMAL, BaseColor.RED);
private static Font subFont = new Font(Font.FontFamily.TIMES ROMAN, 16,
Font.BOLD):
private static Font smallBold = new Font(Font.FontFamily.TIMES ROMAN, 12,
Font.BOLD);
public static void main(String[] args) {
try {
Document document = new Document();
PdfWriter.getInstance(document, new FileOutputStream(FILE));
document.open();
addMetaData(document);
addTitlePage(document);
addContent(document);
document.close();
} catch (Exception e) {
e.printStackTrace();
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// iText allows to add metadata to the PDF which can be viewed in your Adobe
// Reader
// under File -> Properties
private static void addMetaData(Document document) {
document.addTitle("My first PDF");
document.addSubject("Using iText");
document.addKeywords("Java, PDF, iText");
document.addAuthor("Lars Vogel");
document.addCreator("Lars Vogel");
private static void addTitlePage(Document document)
throws DocumentException {
Paragraph preface = new Paragraph();
// We add one empty line
addEmptyLine(preface, 1);
// Lets write a big header
preface.add(new Paragraph("Title of the document", catFont));
addEmptyLine(preface, 1);
// Will create: Report generated by: _name, date
preface.add(new Paragraph(
"Report generated by: " + System.getProperty("user.name") + ", " + new Date(),
//$NON-NLS-1$ //$NON-NLS-2$ //$NON-NLS-3$
smallBold));
addEmptyLine(preface, 3);
preface.add(new Paragraph(
"This document describes something which is very important",
smallBold)):
addEmptyLine(preface, 8);
preface.add(new Paragraph(
"This document is a preliminary version and not subject to your license agreement or any other
agreement with vogella.com;-).",
redFont));
document.add(preface);
// Start a new page
document.newPage();
private static void addContent(Document document) throws DocumentException {
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Anchor anchor = new Anchor("First Chapter", catFont);
anchor.setName("First Chapter");
// Second parameter is the number of the chapter
Chapter catPart = new Chapter(new Paragraph(anchor), 1);
Paragraph subPara = new Paragraph("Subcategory 1", subFont);
Section subCatPart = catPart.addSection(subPara);
subCatPart.add(new Paragraph("Hello"));
subPara = new Paragraph("Subcategory 2", subFont);
subCatPart = catPart.addSection(subPara);
subCatPart.add(new Paragraph("Paragraph 1"));
subCatPart.add(new Paragraph("Paragraph 2"));
subCatPart.add(new Paragraph("Paragraph 3"));
// add a list
createList(subCatPart);
Paragraph paragraph = new Paragraph();
addEmptyLine(paragraph, 5);
subCatPart.add(paragraph);
// add a table
createTable(subCatPart);
// now add all this to the document
document.add(catPart);
// Next section
anchor = new Anchor("Second Chapter", catFont);
anchor.setName("Second Chapter");
// Second parameter is the number of the chapter
catPart = new Chapter(new Paragraph(anchor), 1);
subPara = new Paragraph("Subcategory", subFont);
subCatPart = catPart.addSection(subPara);
subCatPart.add(new Paragraph("This is a very important message"));
// now add all this to the document
document.add(catPart);
private static void createTable(Section subCatPart)
throws BadElementException {
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PdfPTable table = new PdfPTable(3);
// t.setBorderColor(BaseColor.GRAY);
// t.setPadding(4);
// t.setSpacing(4);
// t.setBorderWidth(1);
PdfPCell c1 = new PdfPCell(new Phrase("Table Header 1"));
c1.setHorizontalAlignment(Element.ALIGN CENTER);
table.addCell(c1);
c1 = new PdfPCell(new Phrase("Table Header 2"));
c1.setHorizontalAlignment(Element.ALIGN CENTER);
table.addCell(c1);
c1 = new PdfPCell(new Phrase("Table Header 3"));
c1.setHorizontalAlignment(Element.ALIGN_CENTER);
table.addCell(c1);
table.setHeaderRows(1);
table.addCell("1.0");
table.addCell("1.1");
table.addCell("1.2");
table.addCell("2.1");
table.addCell("2.2");
table.addCell("2.3");
subCatPart.add(table);
}
private static void createList(Section subCatPart) {
List list = new List(true, false, 10);
list.add(new ListItem("First point"));
list.add(new ListItem("Second point"));
list.add(new ListItem("Third point"));
subCatPart.add(list);
private static void addEmptyLine(Paragraph paragraph, int number) {
for (int i = 0; i < number; i++) {
paragraph.add(new Paragraph(" "));
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