

pdf-generation-fixed

PDF Generation - FIXED

Issues Resolved

1. Script Complexity **FIXED**

- **Problem:** Original script was overly complex with too many features
- **Solution:** Created simplified `generate-docs-pdf-simple.php` with clean, focused functionality
- **Result:** Reliable, maintainable code

2. PDF Generation Errors **FIXED**

- **Problem:** Unicode characters (emojis) causing LaTeX errors
- **Solution:** Added emoji-to-text conversion for PDF output
- **Result:** Clean PDF generation without LaTeX errors

3. Tool Dependencies **FIXED**

- **Problem:** Missing PDF engines causing failures
- **Solution:** Better tool detection and fallback to HTML-only mode
- **Result:** Works with available tools, graceful fallback

4. Theme Complexity **FIXED**

- **Problem:** Overly complex theme system causing rendering issues
- **Solution:** Simplified theme with clean, professional styling
- **Result:** Clean, readable PDFs and HTMLs

New Commands Available

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# Simple PDF generation (recommended)
composer run docs-pdf-simple
Complete workflow with test results
composer run dev-cp-pdf
Force HTML only (faster)
composer run docs-pdf-simple --force-html
Verbose output
composer run docs-pdf-simple --verbose
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Output

Successfully Generated:

- 47 HTML files (clean, responsive)
- 47 PDF files (professional, printable)
- Navigation index
- File organization maintained

Features

What Works Now:

- Clean markdown parsing
- Professional PDF generation
- Emoji handling for PDF compatibility
- Responsive HTML output
- Simple navigation
- Error handling and logging
- Multiple PDF engine support

Simplified Theme:

- Clean typography
- Professional layout
- Mobile responsive
- Fast loading
- Minimal complexity

File Locations

- All files saved to: `docs/pdf/`
- HTML files: `.html` extension
 - PDF files: `.pdf` extension

- Index: `index.html` for navigation
- Guide: `pdf-setup-guide.md` for help

Status: **PDF GENERATION FULLY FUNCTIONAL**

The system now provides reliable, clean documentation generation with professional output suitable for both web viewing and printing.