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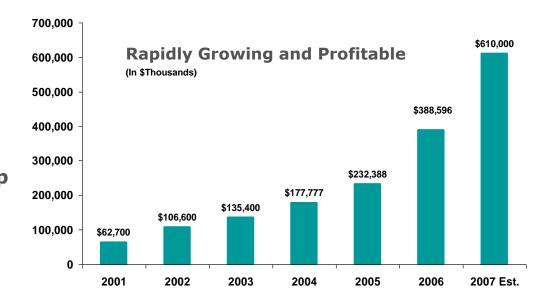


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- ķ. **Formerly ScanSoft**
- ~\$2.5B Market Cap þ.



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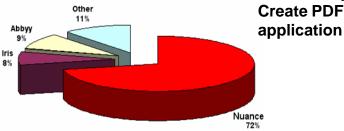
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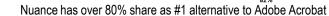


WW Desktop OCR Market Share





PDF Converter



- Most feature-rich alternative
- Only to support all major languages, including Japanese









Main PDF/A Objectives to Address

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- Non-propriety file format and tools
 - Specification is not owned by a single company
 - No dependency on one tool vendor
- Unambiguity and fidelity
 - Stricter syntax rules
 - Include all necessary information (no environmental dependency)
- Easy extraction of text in proper order
 - Textual documents should behave like computer text (search (words!), copy etc.)
 - Logical text ordering cannot be easily derived from the physical arrangement of characters



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Creating PDF/A documents

- Printer driver (PDF/A compliant)
- Convert to PDF/A from
 - Scanned images
 - High OCR and ROD accuracy is essential
 - Easy proofing and correction saves manpower
 - High volume (batch) conversion
 - MRC compression for better quality/size trade-off
 - Office documents
 - Derive tagging from logical document structures
 - XPS (Microsoft's XML Paper Specification)
 - Expect more and more to deal with
 - Non-PDF/A PDF files
 - Non-compliant compression, missing text (OCR) and/or tagging, syntax violation, encoding problems
 - Combine various file types into one PDF/A document



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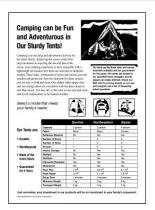
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 - Annotate
 - Comment / print with comments
 - Highlight / strike-out
 - Quickly locate information with highlights
- Touchup
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- Redact
 - Block out text for confidentiality
 - Mark up a single document or thousands at a time



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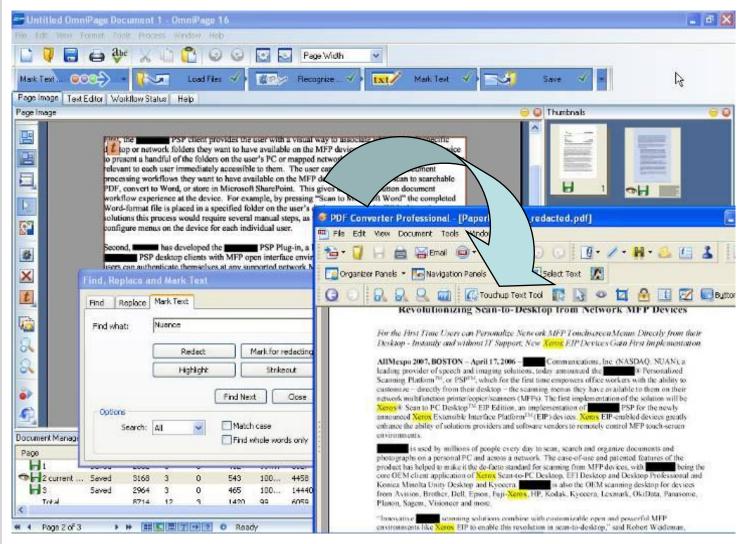
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- Data extraction

Automated PDF Business Process

- Create fillable form with OmniPage, PDF Converter Professional or Adobe Acrobat Professional
- **Distribute PDF forms**
- Filled forms are returned as PDF files or printed forms
- Filled forms can be read as PDF and/or scanned into **OmniPage**
- Forms are processed using original non-filled form as a template
- Data is extracted and merged into a single data file (.csv) for use as a spreadsheet or database import



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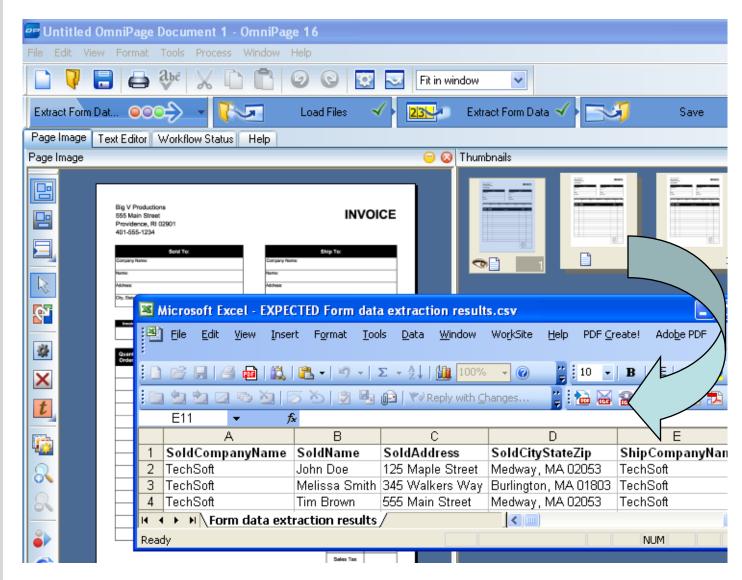
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