

# Foxit PDF SDK for Python API 10.1 Upgrade

## Warnings

This document contains a list of items that developers looking to upgrade to Foxit PDF SDK for Python API 10.1 from previous version should pay attention to. Changes to code may be required in order for your projects to compile using the new version.

### Upgrading to version 10.1 from version 10.0

If you are upgrading from version 10.0 to version 10.1, please take note of the changes that occurred between version 10.0 and version 10.1.

- Before version 10.1, the [PostScriptDeviceSettingData](#) class was only applicable to the Linux platform. The [Renderer.Renderer\(print\\_param, dest\\_file\\_path\)](#) function was also only applicable to the Linux platform and only supported rendering to generate PostScript files.

From version 10.1, the [PostScriptDeviceSettingData](#) class has been renamed to [PrintDeviceSettingData](#), and it is applicable to all platforms (Windows, Linux, and Mac). The [Renderer.Renderer\(print\\_param, dest\\_file\\_path\)](#) function is applicable to all platforms, supporting rendering to generate PostScript and PDF files. However, generating PostScript files is also only supported on the Linux platform.

- In [ImageObject](#) class, the [CloneBitmap\(graphics\\_objects\)](#) function has been deprecated and replaced with [CloneBitmap\(page, graphics\\_objects\)](#).
- In **PDF2OfficeSettingData** class:
  1. the property "[metrics\\_data\\_folder\\_path](#)" has been deprecated. Instead, metrics data will be included in the dynamic library of Foxit PDF Conversion SDK.
  2. the parameter "[metrics\\_data\\_folder\\_path](#)" in the function of **Set** has been deprecated.

### Upgrading to version 10.0 from version 9.2

If you are upgrading from version 9.2 to version 10.0, please take note of the changes that occurred between version 9.2 and version 10.0.

- For Compliance module, the compliance resource files have been updated, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest resource files package.

Only the latest engine can be used with version 10.0, using the older engine will cause errors. Version 9.2 is not compatible with the latest engine, it will throw errors in multi-threading situations.

- If you are using an older version of Windows (for example, Windows 7 and Windows Server 2008), you may need to visit this link <https://support.microsoft.com/en-us/help/4019990/update-for-the-d3dcompiler-47-dll-component-on-windows> to download and install the "D3DCOMPILER\_47.dll". If you do not do this, you may encounter errors.
- In **PDF2WordSettingData** class:

1. add two new properties as below:

```
enable_generate_headers_and_footers;  
enable_generate_footnotes_and_endnotes;
```

2. the constructor function of **PDF2WordSettingData** has added two new parameters as below:

SDK 9.2:

```
def PDF2WordSettingData(enable_retain_page_layout)
```

SDK 10.0:

```
def PDF2WordSettingData(enable_retain_page_layout,  
enable_generate_headers_and_footers, enable_generate_footnotes_and_endnotes)
```

3. the function **Set** has added two new parameters as below:

SDK 9.2:

```
def Set(enable_retain_page_layout)
```

SDK 10.0:

```
def Set(enable_retain_page_layout, enable_generate_headers_and_footers,  
enable_generate_footnotes_and_endnotes)
```

- In **PDF2OfficeSettingData** class:

1. add two new properties as below:

```
power_point_setting_data;  
excel_setting_data;
```

2. the constructor function of **PDF2OfficeSettingData** has added two new parameters as below:

SDK 9.2:

```
def PDF2OfficeSettingData(metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition, page_range, include_pdf_comments, word_setting_data)
```

SDK 10.0:

```
def PDF2OfficeSettingData(metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition, page_range, include_pdf_comments, word_setting_data, power_point_setting_data, excel_setting_data)
```

3. the function **Set** has added two new parameters as below:

SDK 9.2:

```
def Set(metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition, page_range, include_pdf_comments, word_setting_data)
```

SDK 10.0:

```
def Set(metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition, page_range, include_pdf_comments, word_setting_data, power_point_setting_data, excel_setting_data)
```

## Upgrading to version 9.2 from version 9.1

If you are upgrading from version 9.1 to version 9.2, please take note of the changes that occurred between version 9.1 and version 9.2.

- For OCR module, the OCR engine for Linux x64 has been upgraded, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest engine files package.
- For PDF to Office module, the version of the PDF to Office resource files package naming Foxit PDF Conversion SDK (C++) should be 1.5 or higher.
- In **PDF2OfficeSettingData** class:
  1. add three new attributes as below:

```
page_range  
include_pdf_comments  
word_setting_data
```

- the constructor function of **PDF2OfficeSettingData** has added three new parameters as below:

SDK 9.1:

```
def PDF2OfficeSettingData (metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition)
```

SDK 9.2:

```
def PDF2OfficeSettingData (metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition,  
page_range, include_pdf_comments, word_setting_data)
```

- the function **Set** has added three new parameters as below:

SDK 9.1:

```
def Set (metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition)
```

SDK 9.2:

```
def Set (metrics_data_folder_path, enable_ml_recognition, page_range,  
include_pdf_comments, word_setting_data)
```

- In **ActionCallback** class, add five new callback functions as below:

```
def EnablePageLoop (is_loop)  
def IsPageLoop ()  
def SetDefaultPageTransitionMode (trans_type, trans_di)  
def IsCurrentDocOpenedInBrowser ()  
def PostMessageToHtml (message)
```

## Upgrading to version 9.1 from version 9.0

If you are upgrading from version 9.0 to version 9.1, please take note of the changes that occurred between version 9.0 and version 9.1.

- For Compliance module, the compliance resource files have been updated, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest resource files package.
- In **ActionCallback** class, add a new callback function as below:

```
def SoapRequest (request_params)
```

## Upgrading to version 9.0 from version 8.4.2

If you are upgrading from version 8.4.2 to version 9.0, please take note of the changes that occurred between version 8.4.2 and version 9.0.

- For HTML to PDF module, the HTML to PDF engine has been upgraded, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest engine files package.
- For Compliance module, the compliance resource files for **Linux** have been updated, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest resource files package.
- For OCR module, the OCR engine for Windows has been upgraded, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest engine files package.
- The version of clang used for building and compiling the Foxit PDF SDK for Mac (x64) has been upgraded from 9.1.0 to 11.0.3.
- In **ActionCallback** class:
  1. add four new callback functions as below:

```
def Query (keywords, search_scope, search_option, di_path)
def AddSearchIndex (di_path, is_selected)
def RemoveSearchIndex (search_index_config)
def GetSignatureAPStyleNameList ()
```

2. the function **SelectPageNthWord** has been changed as below:

SDK 8.4.2:

```
def SelectPageNthWord (page_index, word_index, is_show_selection)
```

SDK 9.0:

```
def SelectPageNthWord (page_index, start_offset, end_offset, is_show_selection)
```

## Upgrading to version 8.4.2 from version 8.4.1

There is only one minor upgrade warning in this release when moving from version 8.4.1 to version 8.4.2:

- For OCR module, the OCR engine has been upgraded, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest engine files package.

## Upgrading to version 8.4.1 from version 8.4

There is only one minor upgrade warning in this release when moving from version 8.4 to version 8.4.1:

- For HTML to PDF module, the HTML to PDF engine has been upgraded, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest engine files package.

## Upgrading to version 8.4 from version 8.3

If you are upgrading from version 8.3 to version 8.4, please take note of the changes that occurred between version 8.3 and version 8.4.

- GCC compiler update on Linux

Starting from version 8.4 Foxit PDF SDK for Linux (x86 and x64), the minimum supported version of GCC compiler has been upgraded from gcc4.8 to gcc4.9.4. For the SDK to work properly, make sure your current GCC version is 4.9.4 or higher, or the libstdc++.so.6 is 6.0.20 or higher.

- For OCR module, the OCR engine has been upgraded, please contact Foxit support team or sales team to get the latest engine files package.

- In **ActionCallback** class:

1. Add thirty-one new callback functions as below:

```
def SetCurrentPage (document, destination)
def CloseDoc (document, is_prompt_to_save)
def IsLocalFile (document)
def GetAttachmentsFilePath (pdf_doc, name)
def GetExtractedEmbeddedFilePath (pdf_doc, name)
def Print (document, print_params)
def GetUntitledBookmarkName ()
def GetPrinterNameList ()
def AddToolButton (button_item)
def RemoveToolButton (button_name)
def GetMenuItemNameList ()
def AddMenuItem (menu_item_config, is_prepend)
def AddSubMenu (menu_item_config)
def ShowDialog (dlg_config)
def GetFullScreen ()
def SetFullScreen (is_full_screen)
def OnFieldValueChanged (field_name, type, value_before_changed, value_after_changed)
def UpdateLogicalLabel ()
```

```
def MailDoc (document, to_address, cc_address, bcc_address, subject, message, is_ui)
def GetTemporaryFileName (document, file_suffix_name)
def OpenMediaPlayer (player_args)
def GetTemporaryDirectory ()
def Scroll (point)
def SelectPageNthWord (page_index, word_index, is_show_selection)
def GetMousePosition ()
def GetPageWindowRect ()
def GetLayoutMode ()
def SetLayoutMode (layout_mode, is_cover_mode)
def GetPageScale()
def SetPageScale (zoom_mode, dest)
def GetPageZoomMode()
```

- In **PDFPage** class:

1. The function **Transform** has added a new parameter as below:

SDK 8.3:

```
def Transform (matrix, need_transform_clip_path)
```

SDK 8.4:

```
def Transform (matrix, need_transform_clip_path, need_transform_annotations)
```

- Remove PagingSeal class.