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## Details: File format summary

File format | PRONOM Unique Identifier | Software | Vendor | Lifecycles

### Details for: Portable Document Format 1.6

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### Summary

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|---|---|
| **Name** | Portable Document Format |
| **Version** | 1.6 |
| **Other names** | PDF (1.6) |
| **Identifiers** | PUID: fmt/20<br>MIME: application/pdf |
| **Family** | |
| **Classification** | Page Description |
| **Disclosure** | Full |
| **Description** | Portable Document Format is a platform-independent format for representing formatted documents, developed by Adobe Systems Incorporated. It is the native format of Adobe?s Acrobat family of software products, version 1.6 corresponding to the release of Acrobat 7.0. PDF is based on, and shares the same imaging model as, the PostScript page description language. A PDF file comprises a Header section, a Body section containing the objects which make up the document, a Cross Reference Table, and a Trailer section. PDF files can contain a wide variety of content, including text, images, video and audio. |
| **Orientation** | Binary |
| **Byte order** | Big-endian (Motorola) |

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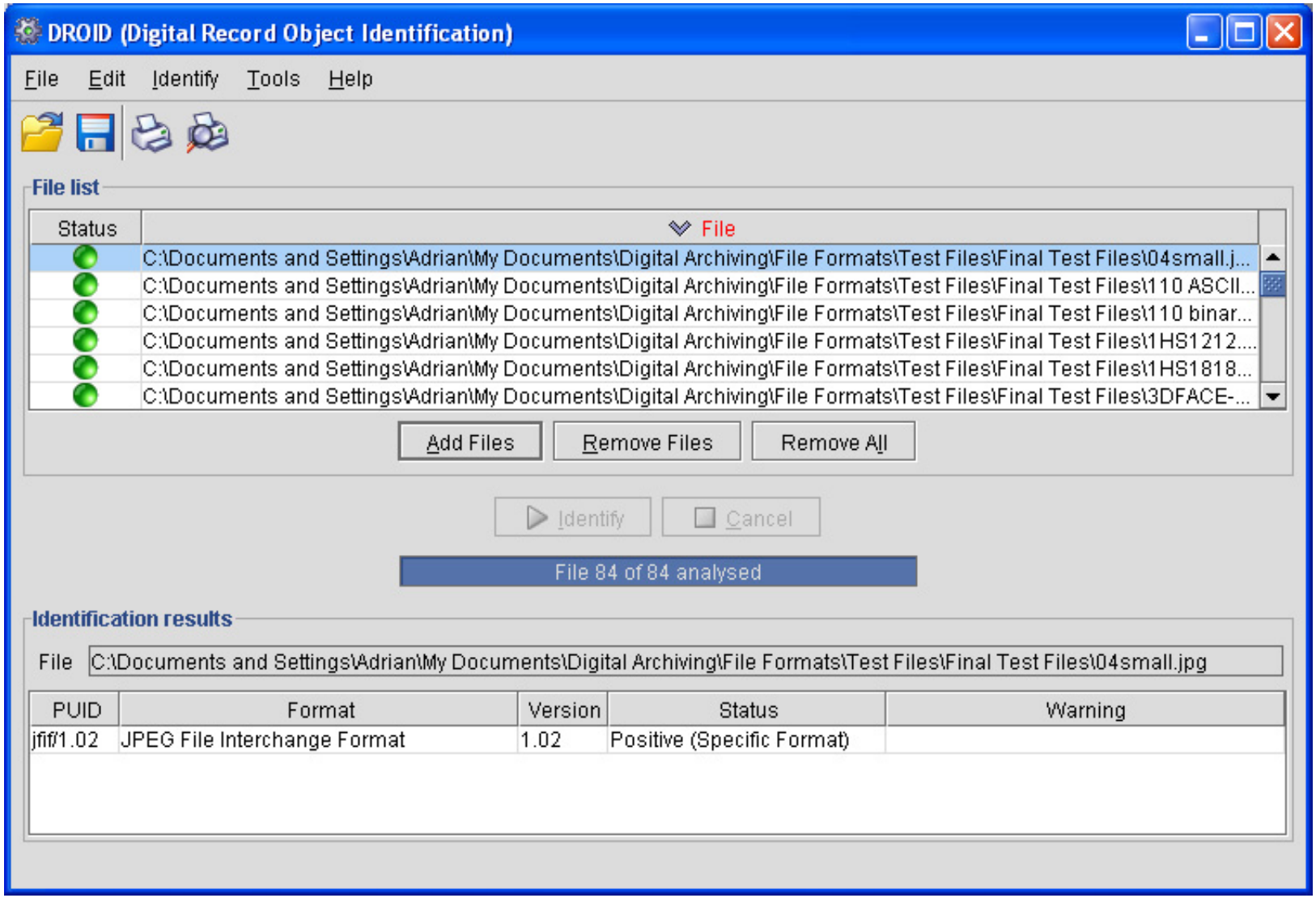

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http://roar.eprints.org/index.php?action=profile&url=http%3A%2F%2Fgtcni.openrepository.com%2Fgtcni%2F

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# Preserv Profile



## Summary Preserv Profile

For more information about the Preserv project and repository content profiling see http://preserv.eprints.org/. Pronom's file format identification is currently under development, which may result in some strange format identifications.

The following chart shows the breakdown of all **files** contained in the repository(ies), based on an automated crawler. All files (apart from the abstract 'jump-off' page) were downloaded and then identified using the **Pronom** file format identification tool (Droid). Does not include files that are not hosted on the same server as the OAI interface or files that are over 2 megabytes in size.

You can subscribe to alerts for this profile by going to Celestial's repository page.

**OAI Repositories Included (1)**

http://gtcni.openrepository.com/gtcni-oai/request

| Format | Total Files |
|---|---|
| Portable Document Format (1.4) | 147 |
| Portable Document Format (1.3) | 115 |
| Portable Document Format (1.5) | 34 |
| Portable Document Format (1.6) | 13 |
| Portable Document Format (1.2) | 12 |
| Microsoft Word for Windows Document (97-2003) | 7 |
| Portable Document Format - Archival (1) | 4 |
| OLE2 Compound Document Format | 2 |
| [No files found] | 1 |
| Binary Interchange File Format (BIFF) Workbook (8) | 1 |

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# Active Preservation Management Console

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|---|---|---|---|
| **Command** | CHR3 | **XMLOutputFile** | /home/carj/tmp/F/chr-output.xml |
| **Machine** | potent.tessella.co.uk | **XMLInputFile** | /home/carj/droid-input.xml |
| **Date Received** | 2006-Dec-15 04:50:12 | | |
| **Working Area** | /home/carj/tmp/F/ | | |
| **Date Completed** | | | |
| **Client Web Service** | http://localhost:8080/jobQueueManager/services/JobCompleteService | | |

| Name | Tool Id | Date Started | Date Completed | Priority | % Completed | Status | Action | Message |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Characterise File Set | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:24 | | Normal Priority | 0 | Running | | Characterise File Set started... |
| DROID | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:27 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:52 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Jpeg2000 | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:53 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:53 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Gif | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:53 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:53 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Html | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:53 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Tiff | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Wave | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| XML validatior | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:55 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Aiff | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:54 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:55 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | Tool Completed Normally |
| Jhove-Pdf | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:55 | | Normal Priority | 50 | Running | | ZA544606.800-UK-A.pdf (8/16) |
| Jhove-Jpeg | 100 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:57 | 2006-Dec-15 04:51:57 | Normal Priority | 100 | Completed | | |