

Scan a document and save as an Adobe PDF using your iPhone

Most people don't know there is a hidden document scanner on their iPhone. The feature is free and easy to use, and it works directly from the **Notes app**, so there is no need to download anything. The iPhone's built-in scanner automatically crops, sharpens, and flattens an image to produce a high-quality Adobe PDF that is far superior to just taking a photo of a document.

Instructions using the iPhone Notes app:

1. Open the **Notes** app on your iPhone and create a new note.
2. Tap the **Camera icon** or **Paper Clip icon** above your iPhone's keyboard and select "**Scan Documents**".
3. Position the document so it is completely in the camera's view. Your iPhone will automatically detect the edges and capture a scan of the document.
4. Once the scan is captured, review it just in case. You can drag the corners to manually adjust the edges if needed.
5. If there are multiple pages in your document, turn to the next page and your iPhone's built-in scanner will capture it automatically. When you are finished, tap "**Save**".
6. The scanned document is then inside the note. You can now save the document to your files (or share it as an attachment to an email or text message).