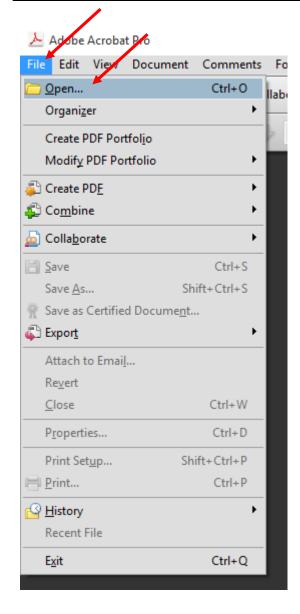
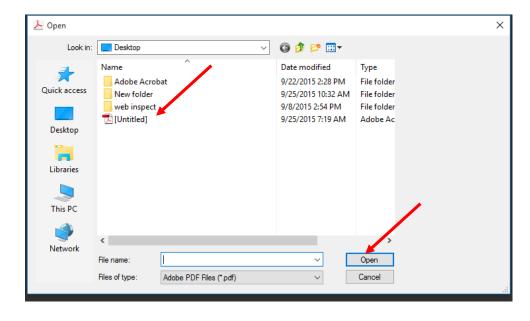
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Instructions: How to convert Scanned PDF to Searchable PDF

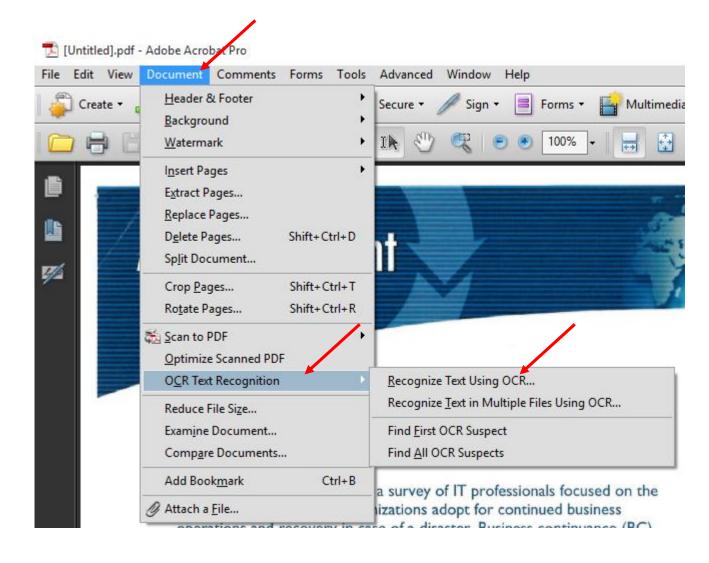
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<u>Open – Scanned PDF File in Adobe Acrobat 9 Pro:</u>

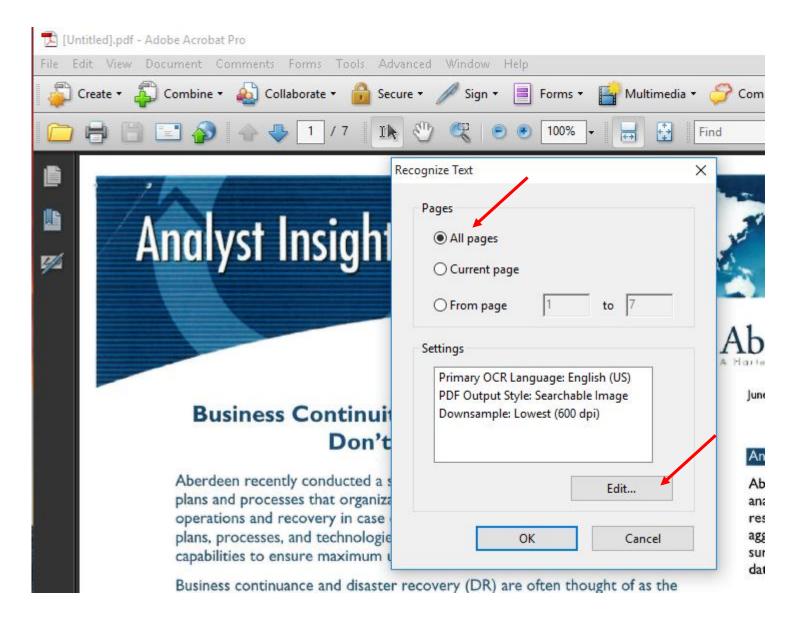




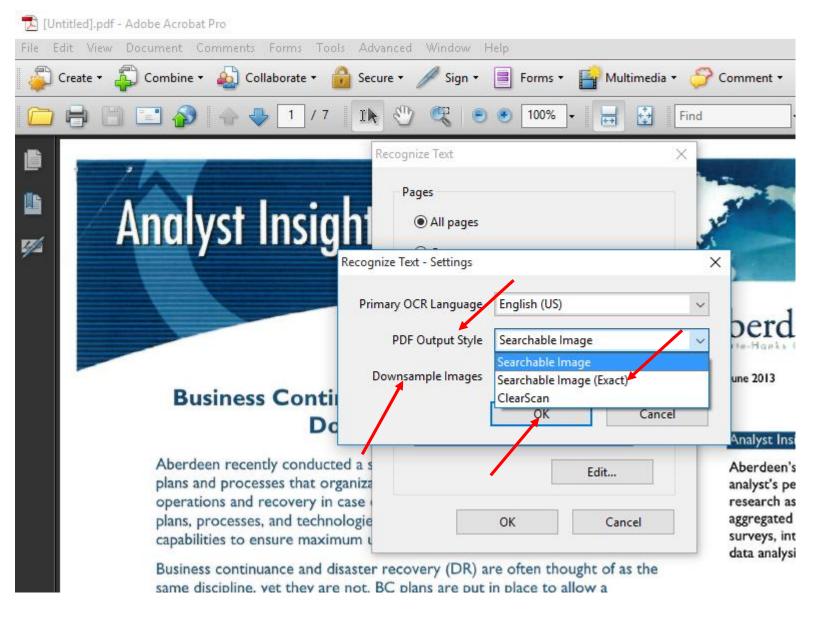
- Open Adobe Acrobat 9 Pro application.
- Click on "File".
- Click on "Open"
- Dialogue box will appear
- Locate and select scanned PDF from your PC
- Click "Open"



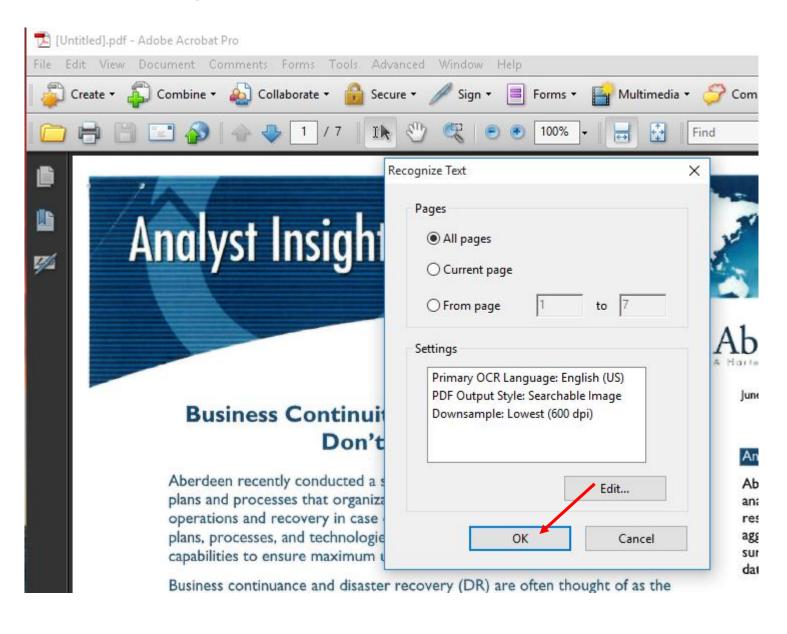
- From Menu tool bar
- Click on "Document"
- Click on "OCR Text Recognition"
- Click on "Recognize Text Using OCR..."
 - [if you need to convert multiple scanned PDF files,
 - Click on "Recognize Text in Multiple File Using OCR..."



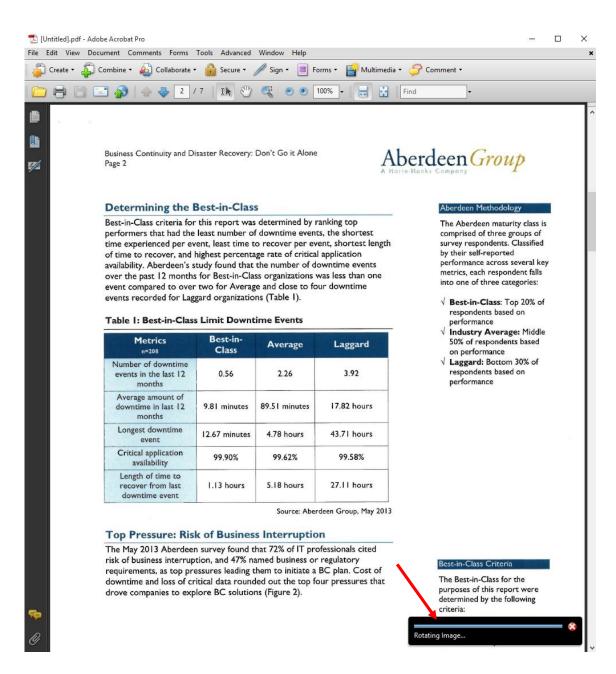
- Setting Dialogue box will appear
- Select "All pages"
- Click on "Edit"



- Additional Settings dialogue box will appear.
- In "PDF Output Style" section.
- Click on the drop down arrow
- Select "Searchable Image (Exact)"
- Down Sample image must be
 - [600 dpi]
- Click "OK"

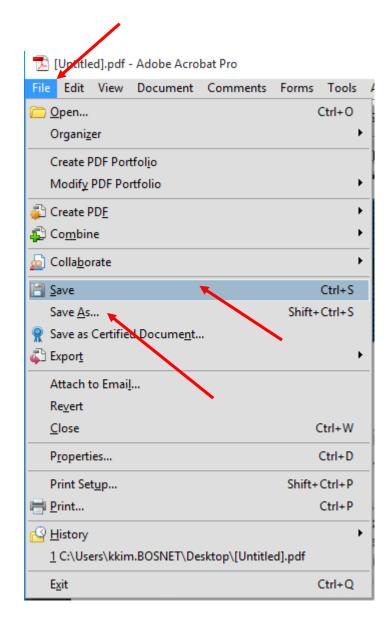


- From settings dialogue box
- Click on "OK"
- [by clicking on OK; Conversion process will start]



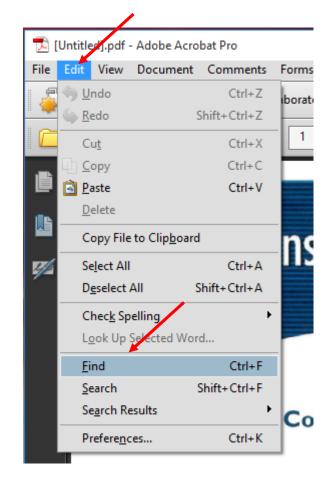
- Conversion progress bar will appear at the bottom of the application
- Please wait until conversion finishes; once it has finished with conversion, progress bar will disappear from the application.

Saving converted PDF file:



- Click on "File" option from menu tool bar
- Click on "Save".
 [<u>This will overwrite existing file</u>]
- To preserve the original scanned PDF please use "Save As..." option and rename the file name.

Validation:





- Click on "Edit" from the Menu tool bar.
- Click on "Find"
- Locate Find box on the left side of the sub-menu tool bar
- Type in the text to search for and press "Enter"
- Click on the "Arrow" buttons to search the document.