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### **Digital PDF Signatures**

In this article, I will show you how to apply a digital signature to a PDF document with the VeryUtils PDF Digital Signature Tool.

### Get a Certificate

You must obtain a certificate before you can sign a PDF document. Certificates used for digital signatures are usually issued by a limited number of companies that have already obtained certificates. The cost of ordering certificates from these companies is usually between \$10 and \$1,000, depending on the type of certificate required.

Let me show you how to add a Digital Signature and Graphical Signature to a PDF now.

1. Please download and install VeryUtils PDF Digital Signature Tool from this web page,

### https://veryutils.com/pdf-digital-signature-tool

2. After you install it, please run it, click "Browse" button to load a PDF file that you want to sign, enter some PDF Metadata information,



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3. Click "Signature" tab, you can select a valid Certificate, select a Signature Image and enter some useful information for the Digital Signature,



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4. Enter User Password, Owner Password and choose Permission Options on the Encryption tab,



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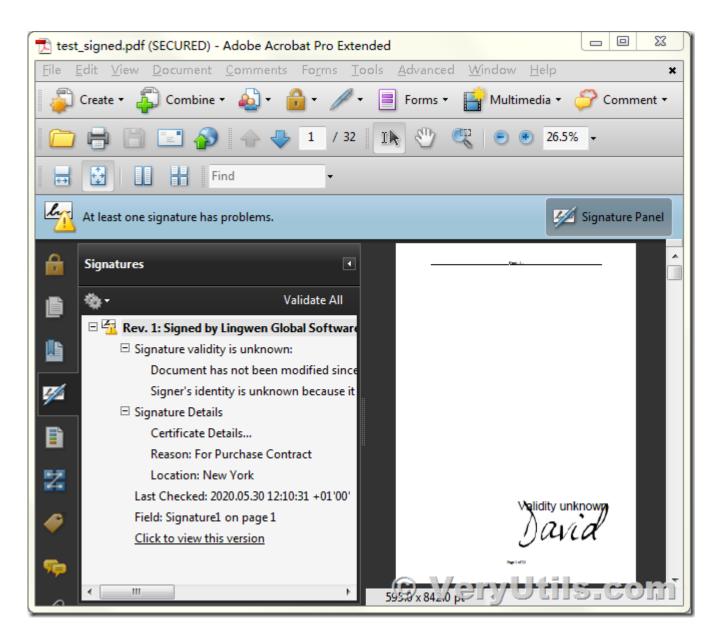
5. Click "Process" button, you will get a new PDF file with Digital Signature and Graphical Signature after a few seconds.



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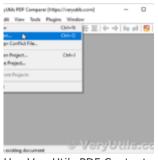
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