

## Exiv2 - Feature #1138

### Support for PDF metadata will be provided in samples/exiv2json.cpp

07 Dec 2015 20:21 - Robin Mills

<b>Status:</b>	Assigned	<b>Start date:</b>	07 Dec 2015
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Robin Mills	<b>% Done:</b>	10%
<b>Category:</b>	samples	<b>Estimated time:</b>	50.00 hours
<b>Target version:</b>	0.28		
<b>Description</b>			
<p>In v0.25, I added deeply recursive JSON support for XMP. A PDF file is another deeply recursive data structure - which can be self referencing. We have a long term goal to support types of metadata in addition to the existing Exif/IPTC/XMP. I am wondering if JSON may be a better format in which to express metadata. I'm going to add PDF support to exiv2json.cpp to investigate this matter further. I intend to use the podof library to read and parse PDF. I made a little start on this by building the podof library and sample applications. I worked for Adobe for many years and very familiar with the structure of PDF files.</p>			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Exiv2 - Feature #548: recognize pdf as image format		<b>Closed</b>	

### History

#### #1 - 16 Jan 2016 17:16 - Robin Mills

- Target version changed from 0.26 to 1.0

I've decided to defer this. There's still a lot to be done for v0.26 and this is low on the priorities.

#### #2 - 13 Jun 2016 06:47 - Robin Mills

- Target version changed from 1.0 to 0.28