
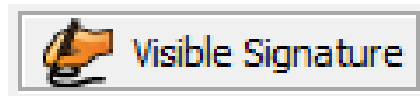


# Sign PDF in 5 Minutes

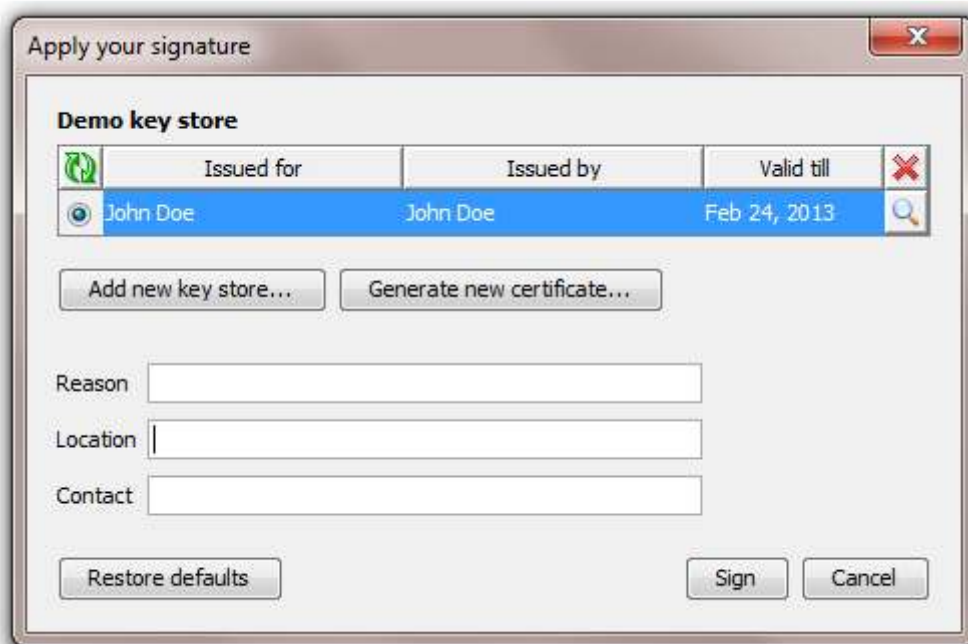
1. Open the file you would like to sign using the standard button  in the toolbar and then click on the "Visible Signature" button.



2. Click anywhere in the document and drag the cursor while holding the mouse button. Then release the button to create a new signature field.



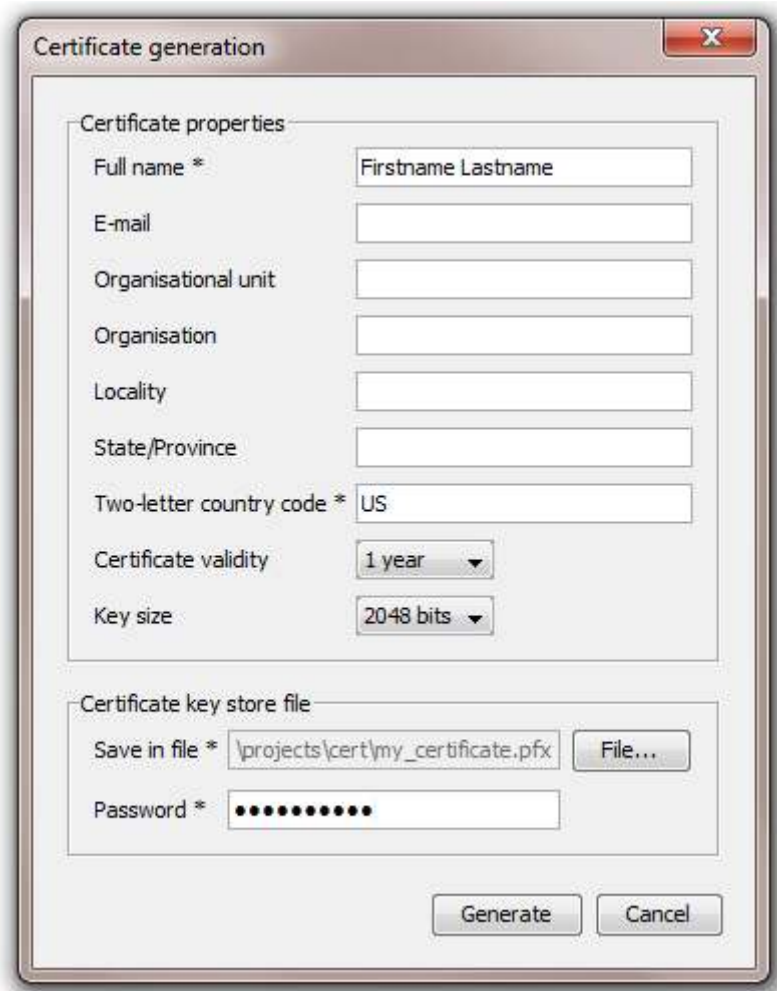
3. The signature dialog will appear immediately.



4. The signature dialog contains already a demo certificate issued for John Doe, that can be used for testing purposes.

If you already have your own certificate (saved normally in a PFX file), you can import it to DigiSigner using "Add new key store..." button.

But if you don't have any, you will have to generate one. Generating is easy and you only need to do it once. Click on "Generate new certificate..." and enter your personal details in the certificate generation dialog.

A screenshot of a 'Certificate generation' dialog box. The dialog has a title bar with a close button (X). It is divided into two main sections. The first section, 'Certificate properties', contains several text input fields: 'Full name \*' (with placeholder text 'Firstname Lastname'), 'E-mail', 'Organisational unit', 'Organisation', 'Locality', 'State/Province', and 'Two-letter country code \*' (with 'US' entered). Below these are two dropdown menus: 'Certificate validity' (set to '1 year') and 'Key size' (set to '2048 bits'). The second section, 'Certificate key store file', contains a 'Save in file \*' field with the path '\\projects\\cert\\my\_certificate.pfx' and a 'File...' button next to it. Below this is a 'Password \*' field filled with dots. At the bottom of the dialog are 'Generate' and 'Cancel' buttons.

You only have to enter your full name and two letter country code (US for United States, DE for Germany etc). You can also fill other fields if you want.

Then click on the "File..." button, enter the name of the file, where your certificate should be saved and click on "Save". After that choose some password and enter it in the password field. You will need this password every time you create a new signature.

Click on "Generate" and wait till the certificate is generated.

The signature dialog will be updated automatically to display your newly generated certificate.

Apply your signature

**Demo key store**

	Issued for	Issued by	Valid till	
<input type="radio"/>	John Doe	John Doe	Feb 24, 2013	

**File key store C:\projects\cert\my\_certificate.pfx**

	Issued for	Issued by	Valid till	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Firstname Lastname	Firstname Lastname	Dec 18, 2012	

Reason   
Location   
Contact

5. All you need to do now is optionally fill the fields reason, location and contact

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and click on the "Sign" button.

6. And this is how your signature will look like

<b>Firstname Lastname</b>	Digitally signed by Firstname Lastname DN: cn=Firstname Lastname,c=US Location: Munich Date: 2011.12.18 19:06:28 +0100
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