

# Re: I want to scan a doc. then open in a writable format

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Start by reading whatever documentation came with your scanner. Specifically you want to read the part about OCR – optical character recognition. That's what makes your documents a text document instead of a picture of a document.

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"Wesley kyle" <[Wesley kyle@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Wesley kyle@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message <news:B1893EE5-3233-4465-96E0-D654411CA00D@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

>I would like to learn how to scan mult. doc and thubnail them together in a  
> writable format so I can type in the nesisary info and print out a  
> complete  
> doc. sorry I am a bad speller.  
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• *References:*

- ◆ [I want to scan a doc. then open in a writable format](#)  
◇ *From:* Wesley kyle

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