

Sandbox:

Word tables: 365 with Acrobat PDF Maker 21 (Library 21.7.131)

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Unnecessary visual rules, borders, and shading are not artifacted by PDF Maker. No one who uses a screen reader, dyslexia software, or other text-to-speech tool wants to hear this useless decorative stuff. Plus, these voiced “artifacts” violate the PDF/UA-1 and WCAG 2.1 accessibility standards.

Sample table

Cell borders and shading are tagged as <P>PathPathPathPath...

Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	Col 4
Blue	1	3	5
Red	5	7	9

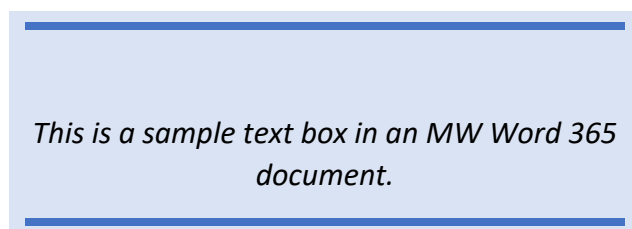
Sample hyperlink.

- Underline should be artifacted, not “Path”

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Sample text box

- Borders and shading should be artifacted, not <Figure> and “Path Path” (seen in the Content pane).



The borders and shading on the **next subhead** should also be artifacted.

Boxed Headings

✓ **Corrected:** missing Alt-text on graphics. Thanks!