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# faker-file Documentation

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**Generate files with fake data**



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## **PREREQUISITES**

All of core dependencies of this package are *MIT* licensed. Most of optional dependencies of this package are *MIT* licensed, while a few are *BSD*- or *Apache 2* licensed. All licenses are mentioned below between the brackets.

- Core package requires Python 3.7, 3.8, 3.9, 3.10 or 3.11.
- Faker (*MIT*) is the only required dependency.
- Django (*BSD*) integration with factory\_boy (*MIT*) has been tested with Django 2.2, 3.0, 3.1, 3.2, 4.0 and 4.1.
- DOCX file support requires python-docx (*MIT*).
- EPUB file support requires xml2epub (*MIT*) and jinja2 (*BSD*).
- ICO, JPEG, PNG, SVG and WEBP files support requires imgkit (*MIT*).
- PDF file support requires pdfkit (*MIT*).
- PPTX file support requires python-pptx (*MIT*).
- ODS file support requires tablib (*MIT*) and odfpy (*Apache 2*).
- XLSX file support requires tablib (*MIT*) and openpyxl (*MIT*).
- PathyFileSystemStorage storage support requires pathy (*Apache 2*).
- AWSS3Storage storage support requires pathy (*Apache 2*) and boto3 (*Apache 2*).
- AzureCloudStorage storage support requires pathy (*Apache 2*) and azure-storage-blob (*MIT*).
- GoogleCloudStorage storage support requires pathy (*Apache 2*) and google-cloud-storage (*Apache 2*).



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**CHAPTER  
TWO**

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**DOCUMENTATION**

Documentation is available on [Read the Docs](#).



## INSTALLATION

### 3.1 Latest stable version from PyPI

With all dependencies

```
pip install faker-file[all]
```

Only core

```
pip install faker-file
```

With DOCX support

```
pip install faker-file[docx]
```

With EPUB support

```
pip install faker-file[epub]
```

With images support

```
pip install faker-file[images]
```

With XLSX support

```
pip install faker-file[xlsx]
```

With ODS support

```
pip install faker-file[ods]
```

### 3.2 Or development version from GitHub

```
pip install https://github.com/barseghyanartur/faker-file/archive/main.tar.gz
```



## FEATURES

### 4.1 Supported file types

- BIN
- CSV
- DOCX
- EPUB
- ICO
- JPEG
- ODS
- PDF
- PNG
- RTF
- PPTX
- SVG
- TXT
- WEBP
- XLSX
- ZIP

### 4.2 Additional providers

- `RandomFileFromDirProvider`: Pick a random file from given directory.

## 4.3 Supported file storages

- Native file system storage
- AWS S3 storage
- Azure Cloud Storage
- Google Cloud Storage

## USAGE EXAMPLES

### 5.1 With Faker

One way

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider

FAKER = Faker()

file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file()
```

Or another

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider

FAKER = Faker()
FAKER.add_provider(TxtFileProvider)

file = FAKER.txt_file()
```

### 5.2 With factory\_boy

#### 5.2.1 upload/models.py

```
from django.db import models

class Upload(models.Model):

    # ...
    file = models.FileField()
```

## 5.2.2 upload/factories.py

Note, that when using `faker-file` with Django and native file system storages, you need to pass your `MEDIA_ROOT` setting as `root_path` value to the chosen file storage as show below.

```
import factory
from django.conf import settings
from factory import Faker
from factory.django import DjangoModelFactory
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage

from upload.models import Upload

FS_STORAGE = FileSystemStorage(
    root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT,
    rel_path="tmp"
)
factory.Faker.add_provider(DocxFileProvider)

class UploadFactory(DjangoModelFactory):

    # ...
    file = Faker("docx_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)

    class Meta:
        model = Upload
```

## FILE STORAGES

All file operations are delegated to a separate abstraction layer of storages.

The following storages are implemented:

- `FileSystemStorage`: Does not have additional requirements.
- `PathyFileSystemStorage`: Requires *pathy*.
- `AzureCloudStorage`: Requires *pathy* and *Azure* related dependencies.
- `GoogleCloudStorage`: Requires *pathy* and *Google Cloud* related dependencies.
- `AWSS3Storage`: Requires *pathy* and *AWS S3* related dependencies.

### 6.1 Usage example with storages

#### 6.1.1 `FileSystemStorage` example

Native file system storage. Does not have dependencies.

```
import tempfile
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage

FS_STORAGE = FileSystemStorage(
    root_path=tempfile.gettempdir(), # Use settings.MEDIA_ROOT for Django
    rel_path="tmp",
)

FAKER = Faker()

file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(storage=FS_STORAGE)

FS_STORAGE.exists(file)
```

### 6.1.2 *PathyFileSystemStorage* example

Native file system storage. Requires *pathy*.

```
import tempfile
from pathy import use_fs
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.storages.cloud import PathyFileSystemStorage

use_fs(tempfile.gettempdir())
PATHY_FS_STORAGE = PathyFileSystemStorage(
    bucket_name="bucket_name",
    root_path="tmp"
    rel_path="sub-tmp",
)

FAKER = Faker()

file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(storage=PATHY_FS_STORAGE)

PATHY_FS_STORAGE.exists(file)
```

### 6.1.3 *AWSS3Storage* example

AWS S3 storage. Requires *pathy*.

```
import tempfile
from pathy import use_fs
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.storages.aws_s3 import AWSS3Storage

S3_STORAGE = AWSS3Storage(
    bucket_name="bucket_name",
    root_path="tmp", # Optional
    rel_path="sub-tmp", # Optional
    # Credentials are optional too. If your AWS credentials are properly
    # set in the ~/.aws/credentials, you don't need to send them
    # explicitly.
    credentials={
        "key_id": "YOUR KEY ID",
        "key_secret": "YOUR KEY SECRET"
    },
)

FAKER = Faker()

file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(storage=S3_STORAGE)

S3_STORAGE.exists(file)
```

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**CHAPTER  
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**TESTING**

Simply type:

```
pytest -vrx
```

Or use tox:

```
tox
```

Or use tox to check specific env:

```
tox -e py310-django41
```



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## **WRITING DOCUMENTATION**

Keep the following hierarchy.

```
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title
=====

header
=====

sub-header
-----

sub-sub-header
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sub-sub-sub-header
^^^^^

sub-sub-sub-sub-header
+++++


sub-sub-sub-sub-sub-header
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```



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**CHAPTER  
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**LICENSE**

MIT



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**CHAPTER  
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**SUPPORT**

For any security issues contact me at the e-mail given in the *Author* section.

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**CHAPTER  
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## PROJECT DOCUMENTATION

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## 12.1 Quick start

### 12.1.1 Installation

```
pip install faker-file[all]
```

### 12.1.2 Usage

#### 12.1.2.1 With Faker

##### Imports and initialization

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.bin_file import BinFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.csv_file import CsvFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.epub_file import EpubFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.ico_file import IcoFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.jpeg_file import JpegFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.ods_file import OdsFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.png_file import PngFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.random_file_from_dir import RandomFileFromDirProvider
from faker_file.providers.rtf_file import RtfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.svg_file import SvgFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.webp_file import WebpFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.xlsx_file import XlsxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider

FAKER = Faker()
FAKER.add_provider(BinFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(CsvFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(DocxFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(EpubFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(IcoFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(JpegFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(OdsFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(PngFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(PptxFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(RandomFileFromDirProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(RtfFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(SvgFileProvider)
```

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```
FAKER.add_provider(TxtFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(WebpFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(XlsxFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(ZipFileProvider)
```

### Usage examples

```
bin_file = FAKER.bin_file()
csv_file = FAKER.csv_file()
docx_file = FAKER.docx_file()
epub_file = FAKER.epub_file()
ico_file = FAKER.ico_file()
jpeg_file = FAKER.jpeg_file()
ods_file = FAKER.ods_file()
pdf_file = FAKER.pdf_file()
png_file = FAKER.png_file()
pptx_file = FAKER.pptx_file()
rtf_file = FAKER.rtf_file()
svg_file = FAKER.svg_file()
txt_file = FAKER.txt_file()
webp_file = FAKER.webp_file()
xlsx_file = FAKER.xlsx_file()
zip_file = FAKER.zip_file()
```

#### 12.1.2.2 With factory\_boy

##### Imports and initialization

```
from factory import Faker
from faker_file.providers.bin_file import BinFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.csv_file import CsvFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.epub_file import EpubFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.ico_file import IcoFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.jpeg_file import JpegFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.ods_file import OdsFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.png_file import PngFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.random_file_from_dir import RandomFileFromDirProvider
from faker_file.providers.rtf_file import RtfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.svg_file import SvgFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.webp_file import WebpFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.xlsx_file import XlsxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider

Faker.add_provider(BinFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(CsvFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(DocxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(EpubFileProvider)
```

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```
Faker.add_provider(IcoFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(JpegFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(OdsFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PngFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PptxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(RandomFileFromDirProvider)
Faker.add_provider(RtfFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(SvgFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(TxtFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(WebsFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(XlsxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(ZipFileProvider)
```

#### 12.1.2.2.1 upload/models.py

```
from django.db import models

class Upload(models.Model):
    """Upload model."""

    name = models.CharField(max_length=255, unique=True)
    description = models.TextField(null=True, blank=True)

    # Files
    docx_file = models.FileField(null=True)
    pdf_file = models.FileField(null=True)
    pptx_file = models.FileField(null=True)
    txt_file = models.FileField(null=True)
    zip_file = models.FileField(null=True)

    class Meta:
        verbose_name = "Upload"
        verbose_name_plural = "Upload"

    def __str__(self):
        return self.name
```

#### 12.1.2.2.2 upload/factories.py

```
from django.conf import settings

from factory import Faker
from factory.django import DjangoModelFactory

# Import all providers we want to use
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
```

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```
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider

# Import file storage, because we need to customize things in order for it
# to work with Django.
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage

from upload.models import Upload

# Add all providers we want to use
Faker.add_provider(DocxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PptxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(TxtFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(ZipFileProvider)

# Define a file storage.
FS_STORAGE = FileSystemStorage(
    root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT,
    rel_path="tmp"
)

class UploadFactory(DjangoModelFactory):
    """Upload factory."""

    name = Faker("text", max_nb_chars=100)
    description = Faker("text", max_nb_chars=1000)

    # Files
    docx_file = Faker("docx_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
    pdf_file = Faker("pdf_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
    pptx_file = Faker("pptx_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
    txt_file = Faker("txt_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
    zip_file = Faker("zip_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)

    class Meta:
        model = Upload
```

## 12.2 Recipes

### 12.2.1 When using with Faker

When using with Faker, there are two ways of using the providers.

### 12.2.1.1 Imports and initializations

One way

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.bin_file import BinFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider

FAKER = Faker()

# Usage example
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(content="Lorem ipsum")
```

Or another

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider

FAKER = Faker()
FAKER.add_provider(DocxFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(PptxFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(TxtFileProvider)
FAKER.add_provider(ZipFileProvider)

# Usage example
file = FAKER.txt_file(content="Lorem ipsum")
```

Throughout documentation we will be mixing these approaches.

### 12.2.1.2 Create a TXT file with static content

- Content of the file is `LOREM IPSUM`.

```
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(content="LOREM IPSUM")
```

### 12.2.1.3 Create a DOCX file with dynamically generated content

- Content is generated dynamically.
- Content is limited to 1024 chars.
- Wrap lines after 80 chars.
- Prefix the filename with zzz.

```
file = DocxFileProvider(FAKER).docx_file(
    prefix="zzz",
    max_nb_chars=1_024,
    wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

### 12.2.1.4 Create a ZIP file consisting of TXT files with static content

- 5 TXT files in the ZIP archive (default value is 5).
- Content of all files is Lorem ipsum.

```
file = ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file(options={"content": "Lorem ipsum"})
```

### 12.2.1.5 Create a ZIP file consisting of 3 DOCX files with dynamically generated content

- 3 DOCX files in the ZIP archive.
- Content is generated dynamically.
- Content is limited to 1024 chars.
- Prefix the filenames in archive with xxx\_.
- Prefix the filename of the archive itself with zzz.
- Inside the ZIP, put all files in directory yyy.

```
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import create_inner_docx_file
file = ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file(
    prefix="zzz",
    options={
        "count": 3,
        "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_docx_file,
        "create_inner_file_args": [
            {
                "prefix": "xxx_",
                "max_nb_chars": 1_024,
            }
        ],
        "directory": "yyy",
    }
)
```

### 12.2.1.6 Create a nested ZIP file

Create a ZIP file which contains 5 ZIP files which contain 5 ZIP files which contain 5 DOCX files.

- 5 ZIP files in the ZIP archive.
- Content is generated dynamically.
- Prefix the filenames in archive with `nested_level_1_`.
- Prefix the filename of the archive itself with `nested_level_0_`.
- Each of the ZIP files inside the ZIP file in their turn contains 5 other ZIP files, prefixed with `nested_level_2_`, which in their turn contain 5 DOCX files.

```
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import create_inner_docx_file, create_inner_zip_file
file = ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file(
    prefix="nested_level_0_",
    options={
        "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_zip_file,
        "create_inner_file_args": {
            "prefix": "nested_level_1_",
            "options": {
                "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_zip_file,
                "create_inner_file_args": {
                    "prefix": "nested_level_2_",
                    "options": {
                        "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_docx_file,
                    }
                }
            }
        },
    }
)
```

### 12.2.1.7 Create a TXT file with static content

```
file = FAKER.txt_file(content="Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet")
```

### 12.2.1.8 Create a DOCX file with dynamically generated content

- Content is generated dynamically.
- Content is limited to 1024 chars.
- Wrap lines after 80 chars.
- Prefix the filename with `zzz`.

```
file = FAKER.docx_file(
    prefix="zzz",
    max_nb_chars=1_024,
    wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

### 12.2.1.9 Create a PDF file with predefined template containing dynamic fixtures

- Content template is predefined and contains dynamic fixtures.
- Wrap lines after 80 chars.

```
template = """
{{date}} {{city}}, {{country}}

Hello {{name}},

{{text}} {{text}} {{text}}

{{text}} {{text}} {{text}}

{{text}} {{text}} {{text}}

Address: {{address}}

Best regards,

{{name}}
{{address}}
{{phone_number}}
"""

file = FAKER.pdf_file(content=template, wrap_chars_after=80)
```

### 12.2.1.10 Pick a random file from a directory given

- Create an exact copy of the randomly picked file under a different name.
- Prefix of the destination file would be zzz.
- source\_dir\_path is the absolute path to the directory to pick files from.

```
from faker_file.providers.random_file_from_dir import (
    RandomFileFromDirProvider,
)

file = RandomFileFromDirProvider(FAKER).random_file_from_dir(
    source_dir_path="/tmp/tmp/",
    prefix="zzz",
)
```

### 12.2.1.11 Generate a file of a certain size

The only two file types for which it is easy to foresee the file size are BIN and TXT. Note, that size of BIN files is always exact, while for TXT it is approximate.

#### 12.2.1.11.1 BIN

```
file = BinFileProvider(FAKER).bin_file(length=1024**2) # 1 Mb
file = BinFileProvider(FAKER).bin_file(length=3*1024**2) # 3 Mb
file = BinFileProvider(FAKER).bin_file(length=10*1024**2) # 10 Mb

file = BinFileProvider(FAKER).bin_file(length=1024) # 1 Kb
file = BinFileProvider(FAKER).bin_file(length=3*1024) # 3 Kb
file = BinFileProvider(FAKER).bin_file(length=10*1024) # 10 Kb
```

#### 12.2.1.11.2 TXT

```
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(max_nb_chars=1024**2) # 1 Mb
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(max_nb_chars=3*1024**2) # 3 Mb
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(max_nb_chars=10*1024**2) # 10 Mb

file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(max_nb_chars=1024) # 1 Kb
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(max_nb_chars=3*1024) # 3 Kb
file = TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(max_nb_chars=10*1024) # 10 Kb
```

## 12.2.2 When using with Django (and factory\_boy)

When used with Django (to generate fake data with `factory_boy` factories), the `root_path` argument of the correspondent file storage shall be provided. Otherwise (although no errors will be triggered) the generated files will reside outside the `MEDIA_ROOT` directory (by default in `/tmp/` on Linux) and further operations with those files through Django will cause `SuspiciousOperation` exception.

### 12.2.2.1 Basic example

#### 12.2.2.1.1 Imaginary Django model

```
from django.db import models

class Upload(models.Model):
    """Upload model."""

    name = models.CharField(max_length=255, unique=True)
    description = models.TextField(null=True, blank=True)

    # Files
    docx_file = models.FileField(null=True)
    pdf_file = models.FileField(null=True)
```

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```

pptx_file = models.FileField(null=True)
txt_file = models.FileField(null=True)
zip_file = models.FileField(null=True)
file = models.FileField(null=True)

class Meta:
    verbose_name = "Upload"
    verbose_name_plural = "Upload"

def __str__(self):
    return self.name

```

#### 12.2.2.1.2 Correspondent factory\_boy factory

```

from django.conf import settings

from factory import Faker
from factory.django import DjangoModelFactory

# Import all providers we want to use
from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider

# Import file storage, because we need to customize things in order for it
# to work with Django.
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage

from upload.models import Upload

# Add all providers we want to use
Faker.add_provider(DocxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(PptxFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(TxtFileProvider)
Faker.add_provider(ZipFileProvider)

# Define a file storage. When working with Django and FileSystemStorage
# you need to set the value of `root_path` argument to
# `settings.MEDIA_ROOT`.
FS_STORAGE = FileSystemStorage(
    root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT,
    rel_path="tmp"
)

class UploadFactory(DjangoModelFactory):
    """Upload factory."""

```

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```
name = Faker("text", max_nb_chars=100)
description = Faker("text", max_nb_chars=1000)

# Files
docx_file = Faker("docx_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
pdf_file = Faker("pdf_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
pptx_file = Faker("pptx_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
txt_file = Faker("txt_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
zip_file = Faker("zip_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)
file = Faker("txt_file", storage=FS_STORAGE)

class Meta:
    model = Upload
```

#### 12.2.2 Randomize provider choice

```
from random import choice

from factory import LazyAttribute
from faker import Faker as FakerFaker

FAKER = FakerFaker()

PROVIDER_CHOICES = [
    lambda: DocxFileProvider(FAKER).docx_file(storage=FS_STORAGE),
    lambda: PdfFileProvider(FAKER).pdf_file(storage=FS_STORAGE),
    lambda: PptxFileProvider(FAKER).pptx_file(storage=FS_STORAGE),
    lambda: TxtFileProvider(FAKER).txt_file(storage=FS_STORAGE),
    lambda: ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file(storage=FS_STORAGE),
]

def pick_random_provider(*args, **kwargs):
    return choice(PROVIDER_CHOICES)()

class UploadFactory(DjangoModelFactory):
    """Upload factory that randomly picks a file provider."""

    # ...
    file = LazyAttribute(pick_random_provider)
    # ...
```

### 12.2.2.3 Use a different locale

```
from factory import Faker
from factory.django import DjangoModelFactory
from faker_file.providers.ods_file import OdsFileProvider

Faker._DEFAULT_LOCALE = "hy_AM" # Set locale to Armenian

Faker.add_provider(OdsFileProvider)

class UploadFactory(DjangoModelFactory):
    """Base Upload factory."""

    name = Faker("text", max_nb_chars=100)
    description = Faker("text", max_nb_chars=1000)
    file = Faker("ods_file")

    class Meta:
        """Meta class."""

    model = Upload
```

### 12.2.2.4 Other Django usage examples

#### Faker example with AWS S3 storage

```
from django.conf import settings
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
from faker_file.storages.aws_s3 import AWSS3Storage

FAKER = Faker()
STORAGE = AWSS3Storage(
    bucket_name=settings.AWS_STORAGE_BUCKET_NAME,
    root_path="",
    rel_path="",
)
FAKER.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)

file = PdfFileProvider(FAKER).pdf_file(storage=STORAGE)
```

#### factory-boy example with AWS S3 storage

```
import factory

from django.conf import settings
from factory import Faker
from factory.django import DjangoModelFactory
from faker_file.storages.aws_s3 import AWSS3Storage

from upload.models import Upload
```

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```
STORAGE = AWSS3Storage(
    bucket_name=settings.AWS_STORAGE_BUCKET_NAME,
    root_path="",
    rel_path="",
)

Faker.add_provider(PdfFileProvider)

class UploadFactory(DjangoModelFactory):
    name = Faker('word')
    description = Faker('text')
    file = Faker("pdf_file", storage=STORAGE)

    class Meta:
        model = Upload

upload = UploadFactory()
```

## Flexible storage selection

```
from django.conf import settings
from django.core.files.storage import default_storage
from faker_file.storages.aws_s3 import AWSS3Storage
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
from storages.backends.s3boto3 import S3Boto3Storage

# Faker doesn't know anything about Django. That's why, if we want to
# support remote storages, we need to manually check which file storage
# backend is used. If `Boto3` storage backend (of the `django-storages`
# package) is used we use the correspondent `AWSS3Storage` class of the
# `faker-file`.
# Otherwise, fall back to native file system storage (`FileSystemStorage`)
# of the `faker-file`.
if isinstance(default_storage, S3Boto3Storage):
    STORAGE = AWSS3Storage(
        bucket_name=settings.AWS_STORAGE_BUCKET_NAME,
        credentials={
            "key_id": settings.AWS_ACCESS_KEY_ID,
            "key_secret": settings.AWS_SECRET_ACCESS_KEY,
        },
        rel_path="tmp",
    )
else:
    STORAGE = FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT,
        rel_path="tmp",
    )
```

## 12.3 Release history and notes

Sequence based identifiers are used for versioning (schema follows below):

```
major.minor[.revision]
```

- It's always safe to upgrade within the same minor version (for example, from 0.3 to 0.3.4).
- Minor version changes might be backwards incompatible. Read the release notes carefully before upgrading (for example, when upgrading from 0.3.4 to 0.4).
- All backwards incompatible changes are mentioned in this document.

### 12.3.1 0.9.3

2023-01-03

- Add `EpubFileProvider` provider.

### 12.3.2 0.9.2

2022-12-23

- Add `RrfFileProvider`.
- Added `SQLAlchemy` factory example.

### 12.3.3 0.9.1

2022-12-19

- Fixes in cloud storage.
- Documentation fixes.

### 12.3.4 0.9

2022-12-17

- Add optional encoding argument to `CsvFileProvider` and `PdfFileProvider` providers.
- Add `root_path` argument to cloud storages.
- Moved all image related code (`IcoFileProvider`, `JpegFileProvider`, `PngFileProvider`, `SvgFileProvider`, `WebpFileProvider`) to `ImageMixin`. Moved all tabular data related code (`OdsFileProvider`, `XlsxFileProvider`) to `TabularDataMixin`.
- Documentation improvements.

### 12.3.5 0.8

2022-12-16

*Note, that this release introduces breaking changes!*

- All file system based operations are moved to a separate abstraction layer of file storages. The following storages have been implemented: `FileSystemStorage`, `PathyFileSystemStorage`, `AWSS3Storage`, `GoogleCloudStorage` and `AzureStorage`. The `root_path` and `rel_path` params of the providers are deprecated in favour of storages. See the docs more usage examples.

### 12.3.6 0.7

2022-12-12

- Added `RandomFileFromDirProvider` which picks a random file from directory given.
- Improved docs.

### 12.3.7 0.6

2022-12-11

- Pass optional `generator` argument to inner functions of the `ZipFileProvider`.
- Added `create_inner_zip_file` inner function which allows to create nested ZIPs.
- Reached test coverage of 100%.

### 12.3.8 0.5

2022-12-10

*Note, that this release introduces breaking changes!*

- Added `ODS` file support.
- Switched to `tablib` for easy, non-variant support of various formats (`XLSX`, `ODS`).
- Silence `imgkit` logging output.
- `ZipFileProvider` allows to pass arbitrary arguments to inner functions. Put all your inner function arguments into a dictionary and pass it in `create_inner_file_args` key inside `options` argument. See the example below.

```
zip_file = ZipFileProvider(None).file(  
    prefix="zzz_archive_",  
    options={  
        "count": 5,  
        "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_docx_file,  
        "create_inner_file_args": {  
            "prefix": "zzz_file_",  
            "max_nb_chars": 1_024,  
            "content": "{{date}}\r\n{{text}}\r\n{{name}}",  
        },  
        "directory": "zzz",  
    }  
)
```

### 12.3.9 0.4

2022-12-09

*Note, that this release introduces breaking changes!*

- Remove the concept of content generators (and the correspondent `content_generator` arguments in implemented providers). Instead, allow usage of dynamic fixtures in the provided `content` argument.
- Remove temporary files when creating ZIP archives.
- Various improvements and fixes in docs.

### 12.3.10 0.3

2022-12-08

- Add support for *BIN*, *CSV* and *XLSX* files.
- Better visual representation of generated images and PDFs.

### 12.3.11 0.2

2022-12-07

- Added support for *ICO*, *JPEG*, *PNG*, *SVG* and *WEBP* files.
- Documentation improvements.

### 12.3.12 0.1

2022-12-06

- Initial beta release.

## 12.4 Package

### 12.4.1 faker\_file package

#### 12.4.1.1 Subpackages

##### 12.4.1.1.1 faker\_file.providers package

###### 12.4.1.1.1.1 Subpackages

###### 12.4.1.1.1.2 faker\_file.providers.mixins package

###### 12.4.1.1.1.3 Submodules

###### 12.4.1.1.1.4 faker\_file.providers.mixins.image\_mixin module

```
class faker_file.providers.mixins.image_mixin.ImageMixin
Bases: FileMixin

Image mixin.

extension: str
formats: List[str]
generator: Union[Provider, Faker]
numerify: Callable
random_element: Callable
```

#### 12.4.1.1.5 faker\_file.providers.mixins.tablular\_data\_mixin module

```
class faker_file.providers.mixins.tablular_data_mixin.TabularDataMixin
Bases: FileMixin

Tabular data mixin.

extension: str
formats: List[str]
generator: Union[Provider, Faker]
numerify: Callable
random_element: Callable
```

#### 12.4.1.1.6 Module contents

#### 12.4.1.1.7 Submodules

#### 12.4.1.1.8 faker\_file.providers.bin\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.bin_file.BinFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: [BaseProvider](#), [FileMixin](#)

BIN file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.bin_file import BinFileProvider
file = BinFileProvider(Faker()).bin_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = BinFileProvider(Faker()).bin_file(
    prefix="zzz", length=1024**2,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = BinFileProvider(Faker()).bin_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
        ), prefix="zzz", length=1024**2,
    )
```

Usage example with AWS S3 storage:

```
from faker_file.storages.aws_s3 import AWSS3Storage
file = BinFileProvider(Faker()).bin_file(
    storage=AWSS3Storage(bucket_name="My-test-bucket"), prefix="zzz", length=1024**2,
    )
bin_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, length: int = 1048576,
    content: Optional[bytes] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Generate a CSV file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage class. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **length** –
- **content** – File content. If given, used as is.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

**extension: str = 'bin'**

### 12.4.1.1.9 faker\_file.providers.csv\_file module

**class faker\_file.providers.csv\_file.CsvFileProvider(generator: Any)**

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *FileMixin*

CSV file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.csv_file import CsvFileProvider
file = CsvFileProvider(Faker()).csv_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker_file.providers.csv_file import CsvFileProvider
file = CsvFileProvider(Faker()).csv_file(
    prefix="zzz", num_rows=100, data_columns=('{{name}}', '{{sentence}}', '{{address}}'), in-
    clude_row_ids=True,
    )
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
file = CsvFileProvider(Faker()).csv_file(
```

```
storage=FileSystemStorage(
    root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
), prefix="zzz", num_rows=100,
)

csv_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, header:
    Optional[Sequence[str]] = None, data_columns: Tuple[str, str] = ('{{name}}', '{{address}}'),
    num_rows: int = 10, include_row_ids: bool = False, content: Optional[str] = None, encoding:
    Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Generate a CSV file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **header** – The header argument expects a list or a tuple of strings that will serve as the header row if supplied.
- **data\_columns** – The *data\_columns* argument expects a list or a tuple of string tokens, and these string tokens will be passed to *pystr\_format()* for data generation. Argument Groups are used to pass arguments to the provider methods. Both *header* and *data\_columns* must be of the same length.
- **num\_rows** – The *num\_rows* argument controls how many rows of data to generate, and the *include\_row\_ids* argument may be set to *True* to include a sequential row ID column.
- **include\_row\_ids** –
- **content** – File content. If given, used as is.
- **encoding** – Encoding.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

**extension:** *str* = 'csv'

### 12.4.1.1.10 faker\_file.providers.docx\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.docx_file.DocxFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *FileMixin*

DOCX file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.docx_file import DocxFileProvider
file = DocxFileProvider(Faker()).docx_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = DocxFileProvider(Faker()).docx_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = DocxFileProvider(Faker()).docx_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
docx_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int =
10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) →
StringValue
```

Generate a DOCX file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

```
extension: str = 'docx'
```

### 12.4.1.1.1.11 faker\_file.providers.ico\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.ico_file.IcoFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *ImageMixin*

ICO file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.png_file import IcoFileProvider
file = IcoFileProvider(Faker()).ico_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = IcoFileProvider(Faker()).ico_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
file = IcoFileProvider(Faker()).ico_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

```
extension: str = 'ico'

ico_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000,
wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) →
StringValue
```

Generate an ICO file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.12 faker\_file.providers.jpeg\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.jpeg_file.JpegFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *ImageMixin*

JPEG file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.jpeg_file import JpegFileProvider
file = JpegFileProvider(None).jpeg_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = JpegFileProvider(None).jpeg_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = JpegFileProvider(Faker()).jpeg_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
extension: str = 'jpg'
```

```
jpeg_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int =
5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) →
StringValue
```

Generate a JPEG file with random text.

## Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

## Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.13 faker\_file.providers.ods\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.ods_file.OdsFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *TabularDataMixin*

ODS file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.ods_file import OdsFileProvider
file = OdsFileProvider(Faker()).ods_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.ods_file import OdsFileProvider
file = OdsFileProvider(Faker()).ods_file(
    prefix="zzz", num_rows=100, data_columns={
        "name": "{name}", "residency": "{address}",
    }, include_row_ids=True,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
file = OdsFileProvider(Faker()).ods_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", num_rows=100, data_columns={
        "name": "{name}", "residency": "{address}",
    }, include_row_ids=True,
)
extension: str = 'ods'
```

```
ods_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, data_columns: Optional[Dict[str, str]] = None, num_rows: int = 10, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Generate an ODS file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **data\_columns** – The *data\_columns* argument expects a list or a tuple of string tokens, and these string tokens will be passed to *pystr\_format()* for data generation. Argument Groups are used to pass arguments to the provider methods. Both **header** and *data\_columns* must be of the same length.
- **num\_rows** – The *num\_rows* argument controls how many rows of data to generate, and the *include\_row\_ids* argument may be set to *True* to include a sequential row ID column.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **content** – List of dicts with content (JSON-like format). If given, used as is.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.14 faker\_file.providers.pdf\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.pdf_file.PdfFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *FileMixin*

PDF file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
file = PdfFileProvider(None).pdf_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker_file.providers.pdf_file import PdfFileProvider
file = PdfFileProvider(None).pdf_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
file = PdfFileProvider(Faker()).pdf_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
extension: str = 'pdf'
```

```
pdf_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, encoding: Optional[str] = 'utf-8', **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Generate a PDF file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.
- **encoding** – Encoding of the file.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.15 faker\_file.providers.png\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.png_file.PngFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *ImageMixin*

PNG file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.png_file import PngFileProvider
file = PngFileProvider(Faker()).png_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = PngFileProvider(Faker()).png_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = PngFileProvider(Faker()).png_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
extension: str = 'png'
```

```
png_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Generate a PNG file with random text.

## Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

## Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.1.16 faker\_file.providers.pptx\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.pptx_file.PptxFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: *BaseProvider*, *FileMixin*

PPTX file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
file = PptxFileProvider(None).pptx_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker_file.providers.pptx_file import PptxFileProvider
file = PptxFileProvider(None).pptx_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
file = PptxFileProvider(Faker()).pptx_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
extension: str = 'pptx'
```

```
pptx_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int =
    10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) →
    StringValue
```

Generate a file with random text.

## Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.

- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.1.17 faker\_file.providers.random\_file\_from\_dir module

```
class faker_file.providers.random_file_from_dir.RandomFileFromDirProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: BaseProvider, [FileMixin](#)

Random file from given directory provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.providers.random_file_from_dir import (
    RandomFileFromDirProvider,
)

file = RandomFileFromDirProvider(None).random_file_from_dir(
    source_dir_path="/tmp/tmp/",
)
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker_file.providers.random_file_from_dir import (
    RandomFileFromDirProvider,
)

file = RandomFileFromDirProvider(None).random_file_from_dir(
    source_dir_path="/tmp/tmp/", prefix="zzz",
)

extension: str = ''

random_file_from_dir(source_dir_path: str, storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix:
    Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Pick a random file from given directory.

#### Parameters

- **source\_dir\_path** – Source files directory.
- **root\_path** – Path of your files root directory (in case of Django it would be `settings.MEDIA_ROOT`).
- **rel\_path** – Relative path (from root directory).
- **prefix** – File name prefix.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.18 faker\_file.providers.svg\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.svg_file.SvgFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: BaseProvider, [ImageMixin](#)

SVG file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.svg_file import SvgFileProvider
file = SvgFileProvider(Faker()).svg_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = SvgFileProvider(Faker()).svg_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = SvgFileProvider(Faker()).svg_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

```
extension: str = 'svg'
```

```
svg_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000,
          wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) →
    StringValue
```

Generate an SVG file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.19 faker\_file.providers.txt\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.txt_file.TxtFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: BaseProvider, [FileMixin](#)

TXT file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
file = TxtFileProvider(None).txt_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker_file.providers.txt_file import TxtFileProvider
file = TxtFileProvider(None).txt_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = TxtFileProvider(Faker()).txt_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

**extension:** str = 'txt'

**txt\_file**(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max\_nb\_chars: int = 10000, wrap\_chars\_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, \*\*kwargs) → StringValue

Generate a TXT file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.1.20 faker\_file.providers.webp\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.webp_file.WebpFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: BaseProvider, [ImageMixin](#)

WEBP file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker
from faker_file.providers.webp_file import WebpFileProvider
file = WebpFileProvider(Faker()).webp_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
file = WebpFileProvider(Faker()).webp_file(
    prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
```

```
file = WebpFileProvider(Faker()).webp_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", max_nb_chars=100_000, wrap_chars_after=80,
)
```

```
extension: str = 'webp'
```

```
webp_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Generate a WEBP file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **max\_nb\_chars** – Max number of chars for the content.
- **wrap\_chars\_after** – If given, the output string would be separated by line breaks after the given position.
- **content** – File content. Might contain dynamic elements, which are then replaced by correspondent fixtures.

#### Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

### 12.4.1.1.1.21 faker\_file.providers.xlsx\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.xlsx_file.XlsxFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: BaseProvider, [TabularDataMixin](#)

XLSX file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.xlsx_file import XlsxFileProvider
file = XlsxFileProvider(Faker()).xlsx_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.xlsx_file import XlsxFileProvider
file = XlsxFileProvider(Faker()).xlsx_file(
    prefix="zzz", num_rows=100, data_columns={
        "name": "{name}", "residency": "{address}",
    }, include_row_ids=True,
)
```

Usage example with *FileSystemStorage* storage (for *Django*):

```
from django.conf import settings from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage
file = XlsxFileProvider(Faker()).xlsx_file(
    storage=FileSystemStorage(
        root_path=settings.MEDIA_ROOT, rel_path="tmp",
    ), prefix="zzz", num_rows=100, data_columns={
        "name": "{name}", "residency": "{address}",
    }, include_row_ids=True,
)
extension: str = 'xlsx'
```

```
xlsx_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, data_columns:
    Optional[Dict[str, str]] = None, num_rows: int = 10, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs)
    → StringValue
```

Generate a XLSX file with random text.

#### Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **data\_columns** – The *data\_columns* argument expects a list or a tuple of string tokens, and these string tokens will be passed to `pystr_format()` for data generation. Argument Groups are used to pass arguments to the provider methods. Both header and *data\_columns* must be of the same length.
- **num\_rows** – The *num\_rows* argument controls how many rows of data to generate, and the *include\_row\_ids* argument may be set to `True` to include a sequential row ID column.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **content** – List of dicts with content (JSON-like format). If given, used as is.

**Returns**

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

#### 12.4.1.1.1.22 faker\_file.providers.zip\_file module

```
class faker_file.providers.zip_file.ZipFileProvider(generator: Any)
```

Bases: BaseProvider, *FileMixin*

ZIP file provider.

Usage example:

```
from faker import Faker from faker_file.providers.zip_file import ZipFileProvider
FAKER = Faker()
file = ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file()
```

Usage example with options:

```
from faker_file.providers.zip_file import (
    ZipFileProvider, create_inner_docx_file
)
file = ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file(
    prefix="zzz_archive_", options={
        "count": 5, "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_docx_file, "create_inner_file_args": {
            "prefix": "zzz_docx_file_", "max_nb_chars": 1_024,
        }, "directory": "zzz",
    }
)
```

Usage example of nested ZIPs:

```
file = ZipFileProvider(FAKER).zip_file(
    options={
        "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_zip_file, "create_inner_file_args": {
            "options": {
                "create_inner_file_func": create_inner_docx_file,
            }
        }
    }
)
```

If you want to see, which files were included inside the zip, check the `file.data["files"]`.

**extension:** str = 'zip'

**zip\_file**(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, options: Optional[Dict[str, Any]] = None, \*\*kwargs) → StringValue

Generate a ZIP file with random text.

## Parameters

- **storage** – Storage. Defaults to *FileSystemStorage*.
- **prefix** – File name prefix.
- **options** – Options (non-structured) for complex types, such as zip.

## Returns

Relative path (from root directory) of the generated file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_bin_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix:  
Optional[str] = None, generator:  
Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None,  
length: int = 1048576, content: Optional[str] =  
None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner BIN file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_csv_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix:  
Optional[str] = None, generator:  
Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None,  
header: Optional[Sequence[str]] = None,  
data_columns: Tuple[str, str] = ('{{name}}',  
'{{address}}'), num_rows: int = 10,  
include_row_ids: bool = False, content:  
Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner CSV file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_docx_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix:  
Optional[str] = None, generator:  
Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None,  
max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after:  
Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] =  
None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner DOCX file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_epub_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix:  
Optional[str] = None, generator:  
Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None,  
max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after:  
Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] =  
None, title: Optional[str] = None,  
chapter_title: Optional[str] = None,  
**kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner EPUB file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_ico_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix:  
Optional[str] = None, generator:  
Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None,  
max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after:  
Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] =  
None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner ICO file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_jpeg_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner JPEG file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_ods_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, data_columns: Optional[Dict[str, str]] = None, num_rows: int = 10, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner ODS file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_pdf_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner PDF file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_png_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner PNG file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_pptx_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner PPTX file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_rtf_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner RTF file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_svg_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner SVG file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_txt_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 10000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner TXT file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_webp_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, max_nb_chars: int = 5000, wrap_chars_after: Optional[int] = None, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner WEBP file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_xlsx_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, data_columns: Optional[Dict[str, str]] = None, num_rows: int = 10, content: Optional[str] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner XLSX file.

```
faker_file.providers.zip_file.create_inner_zip_file(storage: Optional[BaseStorage] = None, prefix: Optional[str] = None, generator: Optional[Union[Provider, Faker]] = None, options: Optional[Dict[str, Any]] = None, **kwargs) → StringValue
```

Create inner ZIP file.

#### 12.4.1.1.1.23 Module contents

##### 12.4.1.1.2 faker\_file.storages package

###### 12.4.1.1.2.1 Submodules

###### 12.4.1.1.2.2 faker\_file.storages.aws\_s3 module

```
class faker_file.storages.aws_s3.AWSS3Storage(bucket_name: str, root_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp', rel_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp', credentials: Optional[Dict[str, Any]] = None, *args, **kwargs)
```

Bases: *CloudStorage*

AWS S3 Storage.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.storages.aws_s3 import AWSS3Storage
s3_storage = AWSS3Storage(
    bucket_name="artur-testing-1", rel_path="tmp",
)
file = s3_storage.generate_filename(prefix="ZZZ_", extension="docx")
s3_storage.write_text(file, "Lorem ipsum")
s3_storage.write_bytes(file, b"Lorem ipsum")
```

```
authenticate(key_id: str, key_secret: str, **kwargs) → None  
    Authenticate to AWS S3.  
schema: str = 's3'
```

#### 12.4.1.1.2.3 faker\_file.storages.azure\_cloud\_storage module

```
class faker_file.storages.azure_cloud_storage.AzureCloudStorage(bucket_name: str, root_path:  
    Optional[str] = 'tmp', rel_path:  
    Optional[str] = 'tmp',  
    credentials: Optional[Dict[str,  
    Any]] = None, *args, **kwargs)
```

Bases: *CloudStorage*

Azure Cloud Storage.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.storages.azure_cloud_storage import AzureCloudStorage  
  
azure_storage = AzureCloudStorage(  
    bucket_name="artur-testing-1", rel_path="tmp",  
    )  
    file      =      azure_storage.generate_filename(prefix="zzz", extension="docx")  
    azure_storage.write_text(file, "Lorem ipsum") azure_storage.write_bytes(file, b"Lorem ipsum")  
  
authenticate(connection_string: str, **kwargs) → None  
    Authenticate to Azure Cloud Storage.  
  
bucket: Pathy  
  
bucket_name: str  
  
credentials: Dict[str, str]  
  
schema: str = 'azure'
```

#### 12.4.1.1.2.4 faker\_file.storages.base module

```
class faker_file.storages.base.BaseStorage(*args, **kwargs)
```

Bases: object

Base storage.

```
abspath(filename: Any) → str
```

Return absolute path.

```
exists(filename: Any) → bool
```

Check if file exists.

```
generate_filename(prefix: str, extension: str) → Any
```

Generate filename.

```
relpath(filename: Any) → str
```

Return relative path.

**write\_bytes**(filename: Any, data: bytes) → int

    Write bytes.

**write\_text**(filename: Any, data: str, encoding: Optional[str] = None) → int

    Write text.

#### 12.4.1.1.2.5 faker\_file.storages.cloud module

```
class faker_file.storages.cloud.CloudStorage(bucket_name: str, root_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp',
                                             rel_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp', credentials:
                                             Optional[Dict[str, Any]] = None, *args, **kwargs)
```

Bases: *BaseStorage*

Base cloud storage.

**abspath**(filename: Pathy) → str

    Return relative path.

**authenticate**(\*\*kwargs)

**bucket**: Pathy

**bucket\_name**: str

**credentials**: Dict[str, str]

**exists**(filename: Union[Pathy, str]) → bool

    Check if file exists.

**generate\_filename**(prefix: str, extension: str) → Pathy

    Generate filename.

**relpath**(filename: Pathy) → str

    Return relative path.

**schema**: str = None

**write\_bytes**(filename: Pathy, data: bytes) → int

    Write bytes.

**write\_text**(filename: Pathy, data: str, encoding: Optional[str] = None) → int

    Write text.

```
class faker_file.storages.cloud.PathyFileSystemStorage(bucket_name: str, root_path: Optional[str]
                                                       = 'tmp', rel_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp',
                                                       credentials: Optional[Dict[str, Any]] =
                                                       None, *args, **kwargs)
```

Bases: *CloudStorage*

Pathy FileSystem Storage.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.storages.cloud import PathyFileSystemStorage
fs_storage      =      PathyFileSystemStorage(bucket_name="artur-testing-1")      file      =
fs_storage.generate_filename(prefix="zzz_", extension="docx") fs_storage.write_text(file, "Lorem
ipsum") fs_storage.write_bytes(file, b"Lorem ipsum")
```

**authenticate(\*\*kwargs) → None**

Authenticate. Does nothing.

**schema: str = 'file'**

#### 12.4.1.1.2.6 faker\_file.storages.filesystem module

**class faker\_file.storages.filesystem.FileSystemStorage(root\_path: Optional[str] = '/tmp', rel\_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp', \*args, \*\*kwargs)**

Bases: *BaseStorage*

File storage.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.storages.filesystem import FileSystemStorage

storage = FileSystemStorage()
file = storage.generate_filename(prefix="zzz_", extension="docx")
storage.write_text(file, "Lorem ipsum")
storage.write_bytes(file, b"Lorem ipsum")
```

Initialization with params:

storage = FileSystemStorage()

**abspath(filename: str) → str**

Return absolute path.

**exists(filename: str) → bool**

Write bytes.

**generate\_filename(prefix: str, extension: str) → str**

Generate filename.

**relpath(filename: str) → str**

Return relative path.

**write\_bytes(filename: str, data: bytes) → int**

Write bytes.

**write\_text(filename: str, data: str, encoding: Optional[str] = None) → int**

Write text.

#### 12.4.1.1.2.7 faker\_file.storages.google\_cloud\_storage module

**class faker\_file.storages.google\_cloud\_storage.GoogleCloudStorage(bucket\_name: str, root\_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp', rel\_path: Optional[str] = 'tmp', credentials: Optional[Dict[str, Any]] = None, \*args, \*\*kwargs)**

Bases: *CloudStorage*

Google Cloud Storage.

Usage example:

```
from faker_file.storages.google_cloud_storage import GoogleCloudStorage
```

```
gs_storage = GoogleCloudStorage(
    bucket_name="artur-testing-1", rel_path="tmp",
) file = gs_storage.generate_filename(prefix="ZZZ_", extension="docx") gs_storage.write_text(file,
"Lorem ipsum") gs_storage.write_bytes(file, b"Lorem ipsum")

authenticate(json_file_path: str, **kwargs) → None
    Authenticate to Google Cloud Storage.

bucket: Pathy
bucket_name: str
credentials: Dict[str, str]
schema: str = 'gs'
```

#### 12.4.1.1.2.8 Module contents

##### 12.4.1.1.3 faker\_file.tests package

###### 12.4.1.1.3.1 Submodules

###### 12.4.1.1.3.2 faker\_file.tests.test\_django\_integration module

```
class faker_file.tests.test_django_integration.DjangoIntegrationTestCase(methodName='runTest')
    Bases: TestCase
    Django integration test case.

    FAKER: Faker

    test_file
```

###### 12.4.1.1.3.3 faker\_file.tests.test\_providers module

```
class faker_file.tests.test_providers.ProvidersTestCase(methodName='runTest')
    Bases: TestCase
    Providers test case.

    FAKER: Faker

    setUp(*args, **kwargs)
        Hook method for setting up the test fixture before exercising it.

    test_broken_imports
    test_faker
    test_standalone_providers
    test_standalone_providers_allow_failures
    test_standalone_zip_file
    test_standalone_zip_file_allow_failures
```

#### 12.4.1.1.3.4 faker\_file.tests.test\_storages module

```
class faker_file.tests.test_storages.TestStoragesTestCase(methodName='runTest')  
    Bases: TestCase  
  
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        Test PathyFileSystemStorage abspath.  
  
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```

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##### 12.4.1.2 Submodules

##### 12.4.1.3 faker\_file.base module

```
class faker_file.base.FileMixin  
    Bases: object  
  
    File mixin.  
  
    extension: str  
  
    formats: List[str]  
  
    generator: Union[Provider, Faker]  
  
    numerify: Callable  
  
    random_element: Callable  
  
class faker_file.base.StringValue  
    Bases: str  
  
    data: Dict[str, Any] = {}
```

#### 12.4.1.4 faker\_file.constants module

#### 12.4.1.5 faker\_file.helpers module

`faker_file.helpers.wrap_text(text: str, wrap_chars_after: int) → str`

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