

GSUB Ligatures

PeachPDF applies a font's real GSUB `liga`/`clig` ligature substitution (not a synthesized effect) - `font-variant-ligatures: none` turns it back off. Source Sans 3's `liga` feature merges "ff"/"ft"/"fft" into single connected glyphs.

word	default (ligated)	font-variant-ligatures: none
office	office	office
soft	soft	soft
offset	offset	offset

SVG gradient- filled text

A gradient/pattern fill outlines each glyph to a vector path instead of showing text (see [Text & Fonts](#) → [SVG support](#)) - ligature shaping applies to that outlined path the same way it applies to ordinary text.

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