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Release Notes MimioStudio 11.0 Software



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About MimioStudio 11.0

MimioStudio™ 11.0 classroom software is the unifying software solution for MimioClassroom™ products and other interactive displays. It provides more options for learning than ever before. MimioStudio 11.0 classrooms can learn interactively using the new MimioPad™ wireless pen tablets, MimioVote™ assessment, and mobile devices equipped with the MimioMobile™ application. Its Collaborate feature now uses MimioStudio activities, so teachers can take advantage of lessons they have already created. PowerPoint files can be imported into MimioStudio software, with object-level editing capabilities. And assessment options now include numeric, short-answer, and short-essay questions, helping students to prepare for upcoming CCSS assessments.

New Features and Improvements

MimioStudio 11.0 software includes the following new features and improvements.

Enhanced Collaborate Feature

- Allows users to share any existing interactive MimioStudio Notebook page collaboratively.
- Auto-divides displays into individual windows or collaborative spaces that correspond to the number of new MimioPad and MimioMobile devices being used (up to 9).
- Screen Highlight expands a collaborative space view to the entire class.
- Saves Collaborate sessions to file for future use or review, markups, or additional activities.
- Spotlights view during group activities.

Short-Answer/Numeric/Short-Essay Questions

- Allows teachers to create vote questions that require word or number responses from students who are using mobile devices equipped with the MimioMobile app for assessment.
- Automatically integrates and scores short-answer and numeric responses in the MimioStudio Gradebook.

Animation Support

- Allows teachers to select from a number of animations and apply them to an object or group of objects in the MimioStudio Notebook.
- Gives teachers the ability to create more dynamic and engaging lessons for their students.

Object-Level Microsoft PowerPoint Import

- Allows the individual manipulation of objects from an imported Microsoft PowerPoint presentation in MimioStudio Notebook.
- Supported on Microsoft Windows operating systems with Microsoft PowerPoint 2010 and above.



Known Issues

Import of PDF file into Notebook displays strange characters

The Enable Protected Mode at Startup option may need to be disabled.

- 1. Launch Adobe Reader and select Edit -> Preferences.
- 2. Select *General* for Adobe Reader X or *Security (Enhanced)* for Adobe Reader XI from the left navigation pane.
- 3. Under application startup, uncheck the *Enable Protected Mode at Startup* checkbox.

Antivirus software may affect MimioStudio installation

MimioStudio installation may not be successful when antivirus software is running. We recommend turning off antivirus software before installing MimioStudio software.

Shrink/Grow animations are not available for text objects

These animation types are not available for text objects or a group that contains a text object.

Limited support for original MimioPad on Windows 8

When using Windows 8, you will not see the original MimioPad tablet displayed in Classroom Devices, and the function keys will not work. The mouse functionality will work as expected.

Limited support for automatic audio/video playback

MimioStudio 11.0 software no longer supports the automatic playback of any multimedia file. MimioStudio 8 software and above will use the CODECS from multimedia programs that are already installed on the user's computer. For example, for Windows users with Windows Media Player, MimioStudio 11.0 software will automatically play a WMV file inside Notebook. Similarly, MimioStudio 11.0 software will automatically play MOV files for Mac users with the default QuickTime program installed. Linux does have a default media player for MimioStudio software to leverage. Users will be alerted by a pop-up dialog box when playback is not possible.

Administrative privileges necessary for

Auto-update fails if the user does not have administrative privileges. MimioStudio software will



auto-update

attempt to update and it will appear that the update has been successful. However, the software update will fail if administrative rights are not set.

No support for keyboard tools shortcut on Mac

Shortcut keys to trigger keyboard tools are not supported in MimioStudio 8 and above software on Mac 10.6 and above. Users can add the keyboard to the Mac menu bar by going into "System Preferences" → "Language and Text" → "Input Sources" tab and checking the "Keyboard and Character Viewer" input source. The icon to launch the keyboard viewer will appear on the menu bar.

MimioStudio is not present on the system tray on Ubuntu Linux

By default, MimioStudio software is not present on the system tray. Use the command 'gsettings set com.canonical.Unity.Panel systray-whitelist' to add "mimio-mimiosys" to the list.

MimioMobile is not able to connect on Fedora Linux

If your MimioMobile app is registered and enabled, but devices are not able to connect, it may be necessary to have the IT administrator grant connection access to MimioStudio software in IPTables.

Flash objects may not work correctly on 64-bit Linux distributions

If Flash objects don't work correctly on 64-bit Linux, it is necessary to install the 32-bit libraries for Flash.



Operating System Support

Microsoft Windows

- Windows XP
- Windows Vista
- Windows 7
- Windows 8

Macintosh

- Mac 10.6
- Mac 10.7
- Mac 10.8

Linux

- Fedora 18
- Fedora 19

- Ubuntu 12.10
- Ubuntu 13.04

Note: MimioStudio 11.0 software does not support Write Anywhere, Recorder, Microsoft PowerPoint, Microsoft Word, and multimedia conversion on Linux.

Supported Languages

MimioStudio 11.0 software supports the following languages:

English Dutch* Norwegian* Arabic Finnish* Polish Bahasa Indonesian* French Portuguese (Brazil) Bahasa Malay* German Portuguese (Portugal)* Basque* Greek* Romanian **British English** Hebrew* Russian Catalan* Hindi* Slovak Chinese-Simplified Spanish Hungarian Chinese-Traditional* Italian Swedish Croatian* Turkish Japanese Danish Korean* Vietnamese*



^{*}Help topics are not available in this language and the software will default to English help.