

As a pre-requisite, make sure to read the "Previewing your application's web resources" tutorial.

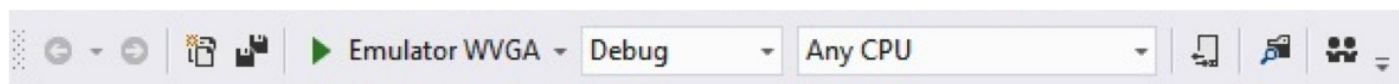
- Opening the Visual Studio project in Visual Studio Express 2012
- Preview the application in the Windows Phone 8 Emulator
- Run the application in a physical device

Click Open Project on the left menu and navigate to the project folder.

If you are running Eclipse in Windows 8, you can also right-click the Windows Phone 8 project file and select **Run As > Visual Studio project**. The MobileFirst Studio plug-in will then build & deploy the application to MobileFirst Server and automatically open the project in Visual Studio.



In Visual Studio, make sure that **Windows Phone 8 Emulator** is selected as well as the x86 platform:



Click the green play button (or press **F5**) to start your application in debug mode.  
To start your application without debug mode, press **Ctrl + F5** or change **Debug** to **Release** in the dropdown list.



## Run the application in a physical device

Make sure that **Device** is selected in the toolbar instead of the Windows Phone 8 emulator

Make sure that your device is connected and is not in sleep mode.

Click the green play button (or press **F5**) to start your application in debug mode.  
Click the transparent play button to start your application without debug mode (or press **Ctrl + F5**).