

## Text Box Menu, Keyboard Commands differ

This document is provided to give a 2nd working copy of the same bug as reported in [Python3docs Bugs #06](#), with extra information supplied.

### Comment

The report (below) was made at [BugZilla#164303](#) on Dec 12 2024. The bug was first documented at [GitHub Python3Docs Bug#06](#) and then documented separately as [Bug#06](#).

- a) Version 24.8.3.2 ([Build](#)) is affected by this bug
- b) The problem begins to show at version 7.2.3.2 (only the most basic `Ctrl+V` Paste command was available for Text Boxes in earlier versions)
- c) All later versions between 7.2 & 24.8 are affected by this bug.

#### *original bug report:*

Jump-Boxes (which are LO TextBoxes, known as “Drawing Objects” in the Navigator) will not allow some keyboard shortcuts, although the menu WILL work. Example: `menu:Edit | Paste Special | Paste Unformatted Text` DOES work, but `Shift+Ctrl+Alt+V` does NOT work; only a ‘V’ gets entered.

#### *Extra comment:*

The original report is accurate but has attracted zero response. Perhaps the language can be improved. These are some features to pay attention to:-

1. I’ve conducted a survey across all available ApplImages. The results are tabulated on the last page.
2. The bug seems to have begun with Version 7.2.3.2

## *How to produce this document*

1. This document created under 24.8.3.2.  
`menu:Help | About LibreOffice` shows: [Build](#)
2. The entire document [bug05+.odt](#) copied as this doc & then edited.
3. The last 4 pages were deleted.
4. The content on the (now) final [page#4](#) was also deleted, and a table inserted. A tally was then made within that table of the commands “Paste”, “Paste Special” + “Paste Unformatted Text” both as a menu and as a keyboard command whilst in a Text Box, for each of 7 versions between 3.3.0.4 and 24.8.3.2.
5. The Jump-Box within [Bug#06](#) was copied + attached to that Table.

## Demonstrations:

Refer to the final [page#4](#) for a practical demonstration of this bug.

*Things to note:-*

- i. to recap:
  - a) This concerns only what the [Python3 Document](#) refers to as “Jump Boxes”, what LibreOffice navigator calls “Drawing Objects”, and what the menu calls “Text Boxes”.
  - b) At issue is the difference within a Text Box in efficacy between commands from the menu & those from the keyboard.
  - c) I’ve experienced this personally with *Paste* commands.
  - d) The “*Paste Unformatted Text*” command was introduced at 6.1.0.3, although not implemented for a Text Box at that time.
  - e) The `Shift+Ctrl+Alt+V` command is the Keyboard shortcut for “*Paste Unformatted Text*”. All that it produces within a Text Box is the letter “V”.
- ii. A copy of the word “**Remove**” is provided in the table to copy/paste into the Text Box. Good luck!

## Example

(see next page):

Table 6.1: Menu v Keyboard Commands within Text Boxes; Efficacy Across Versions						
Writer Version	Paste		Paste Special		Paste Unformatted Text	
	menu	kbd	menu	kbd	menu	kbd
3.3.0.4	y	y	n	n	‡	‡
4.0.0.3	y	y	0	†	‡	‡
5.0.6.3	y	y	0	†	‡	‡
6.1.0.3	y	y	0	†	n	n
7.2.3.2	y	y	2 of 5	2 of 5	y	N
7.4.7.2	y	y	2 of 5	2 of 5	y	N
24.8.3.2	y	y	2 of 5	2 of 5	y	N
Text for Text Box (see right margin) paste: "Remove"						
Key:						
y works as planned n does not work ‡ unimplemented † no action N inserts the letter "v" or "V" instead of pasting 0 the menu is empty (only when in Text Box) 2 of 5 The program normally supplies 5 options, but only 2 in the Text Box						

Menu:  
RemoveKbd:  
V