# Kodular Butterfly



# 1.1 Butterfly | *19 August 2018*

## Major Changes

- Improved **Dialog** of *Fingerprint Component*
- Now About Screen (and all dialogs) can have **clickable links** The "major changes" of this update are the bunch of new components

## Companion

- Added a Welcome Guide using the new Spotlight Component
- Little **bugs fixed** on Companion behaviour

# **UI** Changes

- Dialogs can now be **Accepted** pressing the **Enter** key
- Added Download Link when Exporting APK using QR Code

## **Bugs Fixed**

#### User Interface

- Textbox: Background color was not working properly
- ListView: TextView.java line 8448 · Issue #89 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- Notifier: Notifier bug · Issue #37 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub

#### Layout

• Surface View: Little bug which was freezing the screen

#### · Media

- Audio Picker: Not working on some devices
- Image Picker: Minor Try/Catch Bug
- OCR: API Error (component was not working since some changes on the server)

### Drawing and Animation

• Canvas: Canvas bug · Issue #78 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub

#### · Sensors

• Sound Sensor: PrimProcedure.java line 285 · Issue #26 · Kodular/ BugsTracker · GitHub

#### Storage

• Firebase: FirebaseDB.java line 509 · Issue #79 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub

#### Connectivity

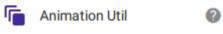
- Download: Download.java line 317 · Issue #40 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- Network: Network component · Issue #114 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub

# **New Components**

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•				
<ul> <li>Added new Floating Action Button component to User interface category</li> </ul>				
+ Floating Action Button ②				
Floating action buttons are used for a special type of promoted action. <u>Learn more at docs.makeroid.io</u>				
• This is a complete new component Projects using the old FAB won't be broken. However, if you want to use this new FAB, you will need to delete the old one and use the new one				
<ul> <li>Added new Spotlight component to User interface category</li> </ul>				
Spotlight @				
Component to show a spotlight on specified component  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io				
Added new <b>Tab Layout</b> component to <i>User interface</i> category				
Tab Layout				
A swipeable visible component where you can add tabs.  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io				
Now the Tabs blocks of Screen are Deprecated				
<ul> <li>Added new View Pager component to User interface category</li> </ul>				
+ View Pager ②				
A swipeable visible component where you can view pages.				

• Added new <b>SideMenu Layout</b> component to <i>Layout</i> category
Side Menu Layout
Display a real Navigation Menu in the Side Menu  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io
<ul> <li>This component is an alternative way to generate a SideMenu You should use it if you want a simple way to create a SideMenu. However, if you want a complex and designed from scratch SideMenu, you can still use the old block</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Added new SwipeRefresh Layout component to Layout category</li> </ul>
Swipe Refresh Layout 🕜
The Swipe Refresh Layout should be used whenever the user can refresh the contents of a view via a vertical swipe gesture.  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io
Added new YouTube Player component to Media category
Youtube Player ②
A visible component to play youtube videos. This component needs min api 17 (Android 4.2).  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io
• Added new <b>Animation Utilities</b> component <i>Drawing and Animation</i> category
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A non visible component util to create few animation types for any component.

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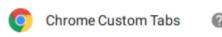
• Added new <b>Cloudinary</b> component to <i>Storage</i> category				
	Cloudinary	<b>②</b>		
Non-visible component that allows you to upload images, videos, audios and any other file types to Cloudinary.  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io				
• Added new <b>Spreadsheet</b> component to <i>Storage</i> category				
<b>P</b>	Spreadsheet	<b>@</b>		
Non-visible component that provides access to the <u>Airtable</u> spreadsheet storage Thanks to <u>Jerin Jacob</u> <u>Learn more at docs.makeroid.io</u>				
<ul> <li>Powered by Airtable Thanks to @Jerin_Jacob</li> </ul>				
• Added new <b>Arduino</b> component to <i>Connectivity</i> category				
$\infty$	Arduino	<b>②</b>		
A non visible component that allows you connections via the USB Serial to Arduino devices.  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io				
• Added new <b>FTP</b> component to <i>Connectivity</i> category				
Đ	FTP	<b>②</b>		
A non visible component that allows you to upload/ download files via FTP.  Learn more at docs.makeroid.io				

• Added new WhiteMobi component to Monetization category



The WhiteMobi component allows you to show WhiteMobi offerwalls in your app. Get an API key at http://whitemobi.com/
Learn more at docs.makeroid.io

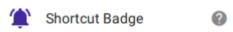
• Added new **Chrome Custom Tabs** component to *Experimental* category



Component to add Chrome Custom Tabs

Learn more at docs.makeroid.io

Added new Shortcut Badge component to Experimental category



Component to add a notification badge count to the launcher icon Learn more at docs.makeroid.io

### **New Events**

- Notifier component
  - Linear Progress Dismissed: triggered when the Linear Progress is dismissed by the user



• Switch component

when Switch1 .Clicked
is Checked

Clicked: added is Checked variable

- Exoplayer component
  - Other Player Started: triggered when another player starts playing

```
when ExoPlayer1 .Other Player Started do sound
```

• Other Player Stopped: triggered when another player stops playing

```
when ExoPlayer1 ▼ .Other Player Stopped
do
sound
```

### **New Functions**

- Screen
  - Lock Side Menu: blocks the SideMenu from being opened or closed

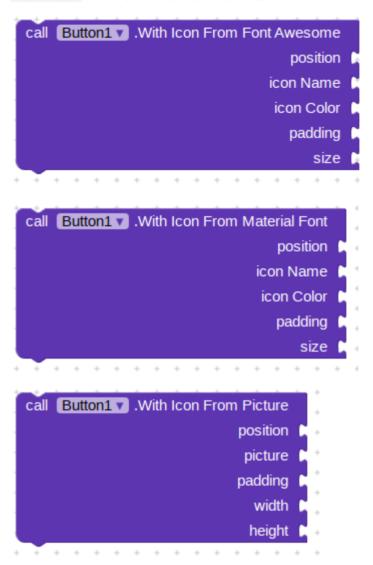
```
call Screen1▼ .Lock Side Menu
```

• Unlock Side Menu: unblocks the SideMenu

```
call Screen1 ▼ .Unlock Side Menu
```

### · Button component

• With Icon: adds an icon to the Button

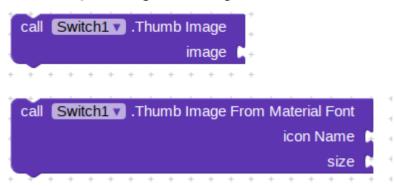


- · Notifier component
  - Dismiss Custom Dialog: dismisses the created Custom Dialog



### • Switch component

• Thumb Image: changes the Image of the Switch



- Sound Recorder component
  - Pause : pauses the started recording A Requires Minimum SDK 24

```
call Sound_Recorder1 ▼ .Pause
```

- · Audio component
  - Sound Effects Enabled: enables or disables the sound on a



• Is Sound Effects Enabled: returns true if the sound of a component

```
call Audio1 .Is Sound Effects Enabled
component component
```

- · Package component
  - Is Package Installed: returns true if the package is installed

```
call Package1v .ls Package Installed package Name
```

## **New Properties**

#### Screen

Min SDK (added SDK 28 - Android 9)
 Min SDK
 Android 9.0 (API 28)

Title Bar Font Typeface

Default ✓

Title Bar Font Typeface

Title Bar Typeface Import (.ttf)

None...

• Textbox component



• Snackbar component



• Textbox component



# 1.1.1 Butterfly | 23 August 2018

## **UI Changes**

- Fixed **Ads Position** after Build Error
- Switched "Show Navigation Bar" to Experimental Properties

### **Improvements**

- Performance on App Loading
- When receiving a *PushNotification* when app is open, a *Dialog* with the notification appears

#### **New Features**

- Added "Background Color" property for Side Menu Layout component
- Added "Show Tabs" property for View Pager component
- Added "Get Icon" properties for Floating Action Button component

## **Bugs Fixed**

- Push Notifications on Android 8 Oreo (were not working)
- Open Side Menu from Hamburguer Icon (was not opening)
- Screen Title Visible if Screen is Scrollable (was not working properly)
- **Spreadsheet** if request had more than 100 rows (was returning error)
- Security Issue on Login Page (critical bug could cause system failure)
- Internal Error when using an AdBlocker (Ode did not process properly)
- Dim Amount on Notifier (was missing a defualt value)
- Date Picker not properly upgraded (projects could be broken)
- Time Picker not properly upgraded (projects could be broken)
- Consent Dialog not properly executed (sometimes was not showing)
- View Pager visibility Shadow Bug (was not rendering properly)
- Orientation Change Bug on Tab Layout (was broking screen)
- Orientation Change Bug on View Pager (was broking screen)
- Fixed Mode in Screen was broken (app design was broken)
- Some Links to Documentation in Blocks (were pointing to wrong path)

- · Other Minor Bugs
- Update AcitivityStarter for file permissions · mit-cml/appinventorsources@f6f05ca · GitHub
- Sound.java line 277 · Issue #462 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- ViewGroup.java line 4404 · Issue #511 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub

# 1.1.2 Butterfly | 15 September 2018

# **UI** Changes

- Fixed Taiwan Flag on Language Picker
- Fixed link to *Release Notes* in Splash Screen
- Re-Added *Import / Export Screen* (.ais) files
- Added context menu items to Enable / Disable All Blocks

### Improvements

- Removed TitleBar Tabs Blocks
- Fixed handling Enter key on Dialogs
- Side Menu Layout and Side Menu block are now compatible with Companion It will no longer crash
- Changed **Text of Button** from CANCEL to **OK** in About this application Dialog

### **New Features**

- Re-Added High Quality Images property for Screen1
- Added missing Is Companion return property for Screen
- Added missing Is Side Menu Added return property for Screen
- Added missing Visible property for Tab Layout component
- Added missing Visible property for View Pager component
- Added missing Align properties for Card View component

- Added missing *Align* properties for *Surface View* component
- Added missing Open System Write Settings function for Screen
- Added missing Are System Write Settings Granted function for Screen
- Added missing **Selection** variable in event After Picking for all Pickers

## **Bugs Fixed**

- Several Errors on Companion (some properties were not properly rendered)
- TitleBar Back Button was not working (it didn't handle user actions)
- Leadbolt component was broken (it was not showing ads)
- Are Permissions Granted block was not working properly (sometimes it was returning false even when granted)
- Screen Title was visible after rotation (Screen was generated again after changing orientation)
- Screenshot component was crashing in some devices (wrong procedures were called)
- Notifier component was throwing some NullPointerExceptions (missing try/catch code)
- ListView scrolling speed (it was too slow)
- **Notification** component was not working (it was broken) Make sure you remove all OLD components. We have developed a new one, so you will need to add it again to your projects, as the one you are using is deprecated
- AirTable component with OffSet ( +100 values were not returned )
- None Color with Is Card property in Arrangement (Is Card was not active with that)
- Got Text Event of Web Component (Out of Memory Exception was raised
   )
- Tab Layout issue on selection (Null Pointer Exception throwed sometimes)

- Is Card property in Arrangements (Fill Parent was not working) Is card"
   property sizing BUG
- SwipeRefreshLayout with Scrollable Arrangements (it was conflicting)

  Can't Scroll Vertical Scroll Arrangement Up in Swipe Refresh Layout
- TitleBar Icon Selected return values (was returning image name) Error in Title Bar Back Button & Title Bar Icon Selected
- Firebase with wrong URL (it was crashing apps) Utilities.java line 39 · Issue #282 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- **ExoPlayer** sending Null Error Message Log.java · Issue #594 · Kodular/ BugsTracker · GitHub
- **Notifier** component (was throwing some errors) TextView.java line 672 · Issue #717 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- Wallpaper component (it was missing a permission) Missing wallpaper permission · Issue #723 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- **Notifier** component (Set Dialog Helper was not being triggered)

  Notifier.java line 1179 · Issue #966 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- FillParent property with Scrollable parameter (it was not working) Fill Parent does not work in Scrollable on Android 7+ with target SDK 26 · Issue #1344 · mit-cml/appinventor-sources · GitHub
- Got Value event of Firebase (it was not working as it should)
  register.yail line 10098 · Issue #1174 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- Internal Error Reporting was crashing sometimes in apps
  (NullPointerException) Formatter.java line 2522 · Issue #28 · Kodular/
  BugsTracker · GitHub
- 500 Internal Error on URLs (accessing to /b) Fix a 500 Error · mit-cml/appinventor-sources@49c25e7 · GitHub

# 1.1.3 Butterfly | *O4 October 2018*

### **Improvements**

Added Subscribe to Notifications button in Builder

## Companion

- Fixed **PushNotifications** on Companion
- SideMenu and SideMenuLayout are now fully compatible in Companion

#### **New Features**

- Added missing HTML Format property for List View component Disable Html in Listview
- Added missing Statusbar Visible property for List Picker component
- Added missing CreateDirectory function for File component
- Added missing *DirectoryCreated* event for *File* component

## **Bugs Fixed**

- Notifier component returning a strange error (Fatal Exception: android.view.WindowManager\$BadTokenException: Unable to add window -- token android.os.BinderProxy@20a73ee is not valid; is your activity running?)
- **GetPackageIcon** uses now PackageName as File Name (before it was appIconMAK.png)
- **Spotlight** component was not working with FAB (it was incompatible)
- ChromeCustomTabs were throwing NullPointerExceptions (missing try/catch block)
- ImageTintColor was missing a description (it had a copy-pasted one)
- ImageTintColor was crashing sometimes ( NPE were raised due to missing try/catch code )
- AirTable component had a security issue (it was exposing API key in logs)
- **Button** crashing when editing multiple at once (Concurrent Modification Exception)
- CloudDB was not working properly (StringIndexOutOfBoundsException)

- PushNotifications were missing some permissions (manifest was incomplete)
- *Typo* on Sprite component (missign T)
- Typo on YouTube component (stage has to be state)
- ActivityStarter was not opening PDFs (missing permission) Getting error while accessing pdf from directory. Kindly help
- Transparency Bug on Button (it was returning an opaque button)
  Transparency not working with default shape button
- **Download** component was not working sometimes (it was crashing)

  Download.java line 299 · Issue #1522 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- *Clock* component throwing NPE (app was unresponsive) HashMap.java line 471 · Issue #1525 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- FTP component crashing (returning NPE) KodularFtp.java line 233 · Issue #992 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- YouTube component causing NPE (wrong variable reporting error)

  ActivityThread.java line 3133 · Issue #1737 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- *VideoPlayer* component causing NPE (missing if check) VideoView.java line 260 · Issue #1736 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub
- FusionTables component causing the same issue as Notifier (is your activity running?) WindowManagerGlobal.java line 552 · Issue #1694 · Kodular/BugsTracker · GitHub

# 1.1.4 Butterfly | *05 October 2018*

## **Bugs Fixed**

• ListView component causing a critical error (Null Pointer Exception)

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