

MindBoard (Classic) User Guide

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This document explains MindBoard (Classic) Version 3.5.0.

Introduction

This application help you making mind mapping easy and intuitive.

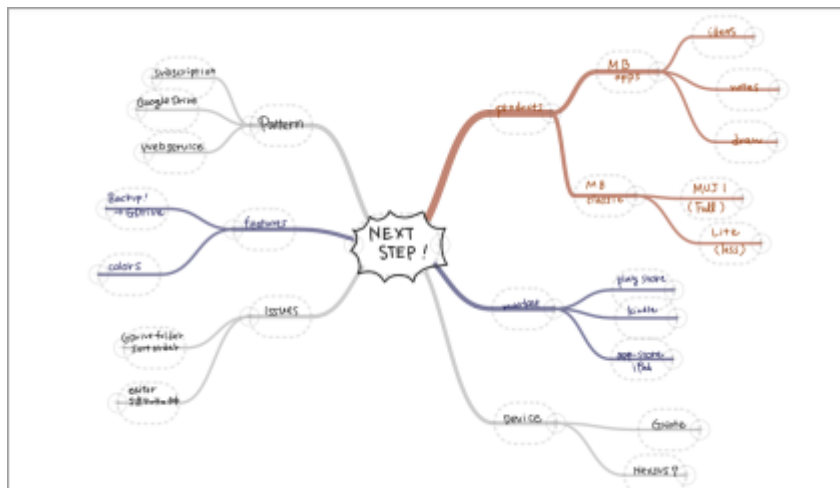


Figure 1. mindboard-classic

Chapter 1. Key Features

- You do not need to use keyboard. You can create a mind map by free hand drawing.
- You can draw a large map with zoom and scroll feature.
- You can export your mind map as PDF.

Usage

Chapter 2. Overview

This app has three Activities and Settings.

2.1. File Manager

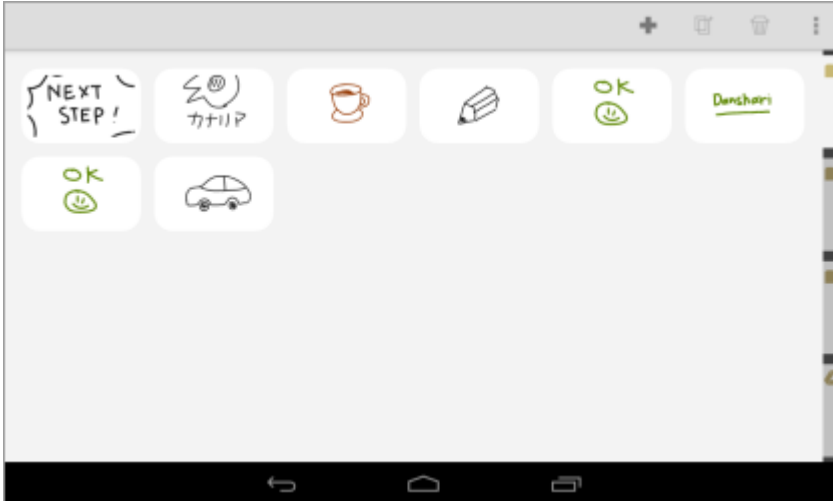


Figure 2. file manager

- This is for management your map files.
- There are three folders to organize your map files.
- Go to the **Map Editor** activity by double tapping a map icon.

2.2. Map Editor

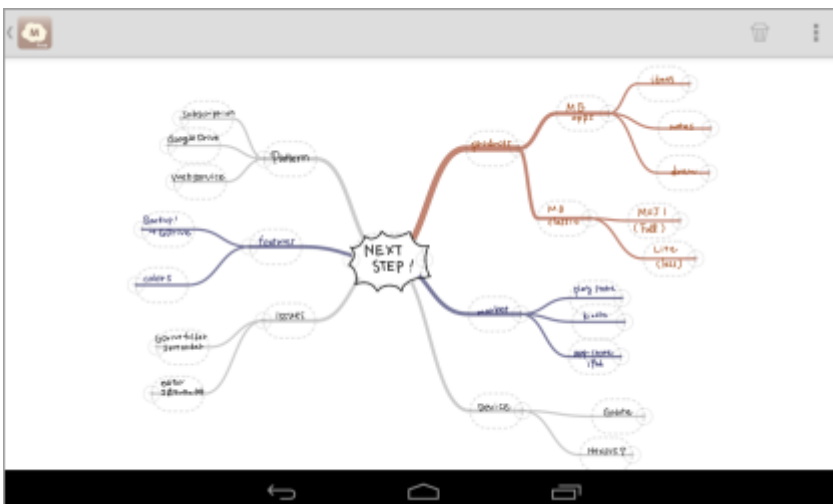


Figure 3. map editor

- This is for mind mapping.
- Go to the **Node Editor** by double tapping the node on the mind map.
- Back to the **File Manager** by tapping the icon on the top left corner, or the Android hard key back button.



In order to go back, you can also use **double tap** gesture on the background. If you do not like this behaviour, turn it off in the Settings.

2.3. Node Editor



Figure 4. node editor

- This is for editing drawing on a node.
- Back to the **Map Editor** by tapping the icon on the top left corner, or the Android hard key back button.



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2.4. Settings

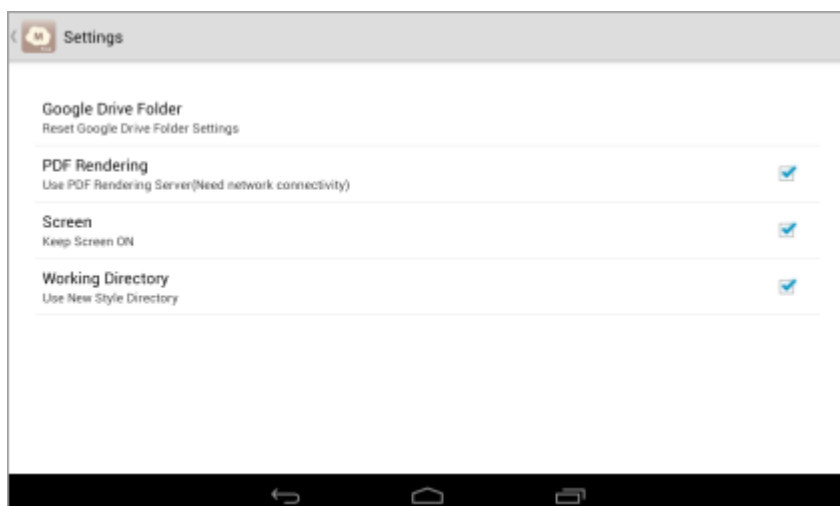


Figure 5. settings

Chapter 3. Details

3.1. File Manager

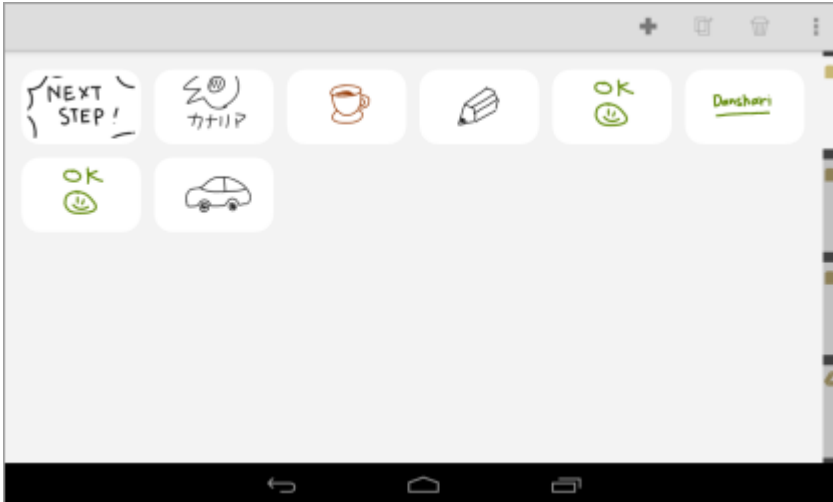


Figure 6. file manager

- **Adding a new mind map ...** Tap the Add button on the action bar.
- **Coping the mind map ...** Select a mind map to copy by tapping it. And then the Copy button on the action bar.
- **Deleting the mind map ...** Select a mind map to delete by tapping it. And then the Confirm Delete button on the action bar.
- **Changing the mind map order ...** Long-press the mind map to change order. And then drag it to the new location.

Menu

- **Data Management ...** Select the Data Management menu item from the menu. → Selection dialog is shown.
- **Export data ...** Export all mind map data into the SD card.
- **Import data ...** Import the mind map data from the SD card.



These features are for data migration from the Free to Full version.

3.2. Map Editor

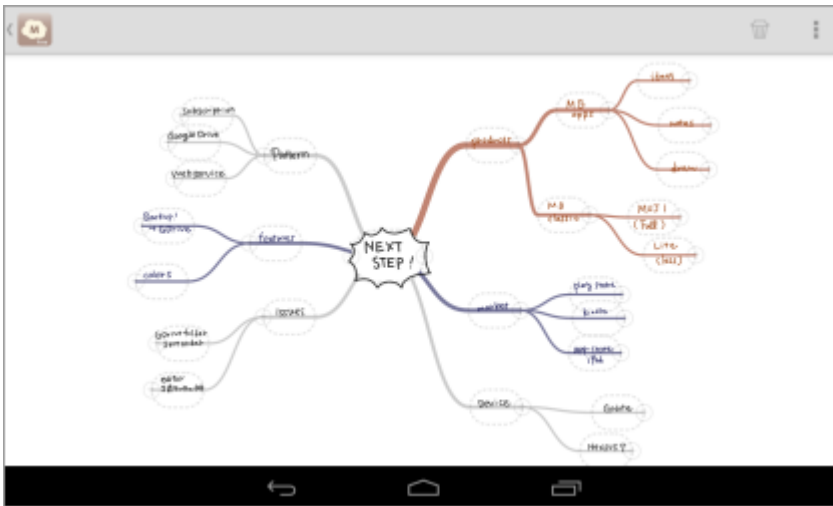


Figure 7. map editor

- **Edit drawing on a node** ... Go to the edit screen when you double-tap the node.
- **Adding a node** ... Drag the (+) mark.
- **Moving the node** ... Long press the node to move. And then drag it on the destination node.
- **Delete the node** ... Select a node to delete , and then tap delete button on the action bar.
 - It will also be deleted children nodes of the selected node.
- **Shift and Zoom mind map**
 - **Shift** ... Drag white space the mind map with one finger.
 - **Zoom** ... Pinch in / out with two fingers.

3.2.1. Operations

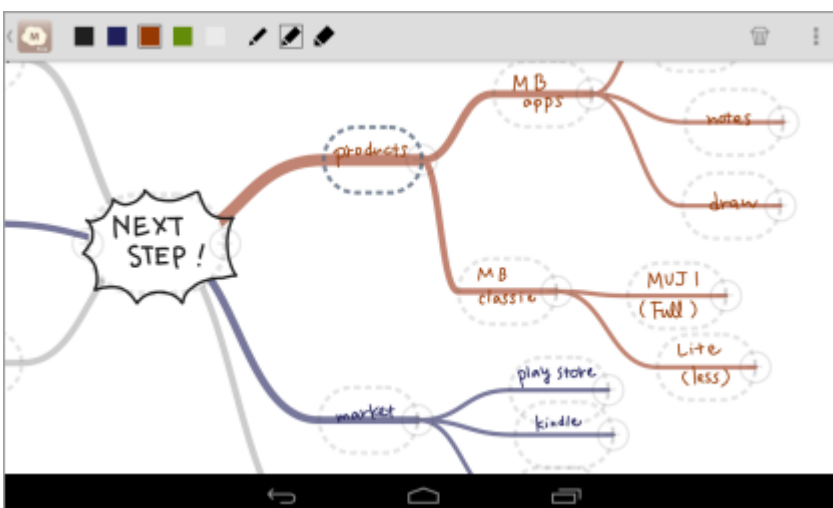


Figure 8. node selection

- **Set the drawing color on a node** ... Choose a color from colors panel on the action bar when you select a node.
- **Set the color of the branch** ... Choose a color from colors panel on the action bar when you select a branch.
- **Select drawing path stroke width** ... Choose a pen width from pen widths panel on Action Bar.

Menu

- **Export as PDF ...** Select PDF Export Menu Item from the menu on the action bar. To view generated PDF document , it is need to be installed PDF Viewer app like Adobe Reader.
- **Change theme ...** Select Theme Change Menu Item from the menu on the action bar. Choose a theme from the list of themes.

3.3. Node Editor



Figure 9. node editor

- **Pen mode ...** You can draw your ideas on the screen.
- **Eraser mode ...** Delete the stroke that you draw.
- **Scroll ...** Drag background with one finger.
- **Zoom ...** Pinch in / out with two fingers.
- **Undo ...** Do undo.
- **Redo ...** Do redo.
- **Clear ...** Clear drawing in the node.

3.4. Settings

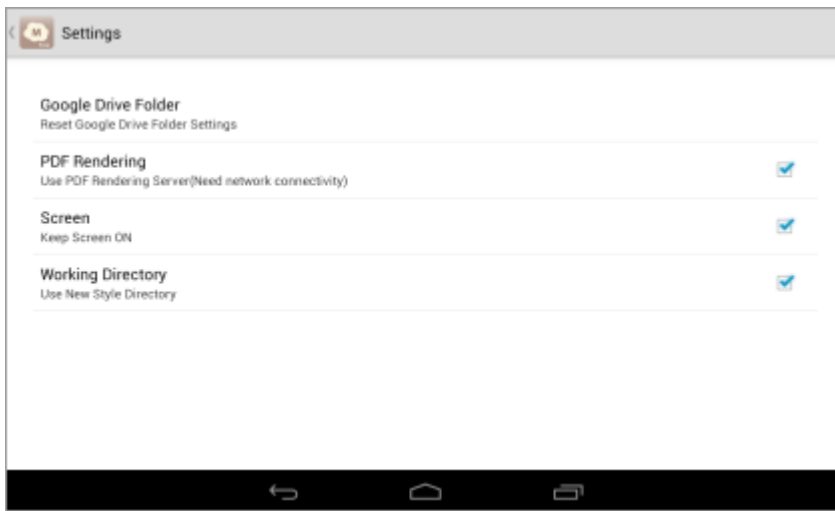


Figure 10. settings

- **Double tap and go back gesture** ... enabled or not
- **Stylus (S Pen)** ... use plam rejection or not
- **Google Drive Folder** ... use google drive folder or not
- **Screen** ... keep screen on or not
- **Working Directory**

Appendix

Chapter 4. FAQ

4.1. What is different between MindBoard Classic Free and Full Edition?

Free Edition limitations are ...

- You can create mind map files until 10.
- In Free Edition, Exported PDF with watermark.

There is no differences but these two features.

4.2. How to transfer data from Free Edition to Paid Edition when upgrade?

Yes.

Please use **Data Management** menu in the File Manager.

4.2.1. Operations

Step1 : Launch MindBoard Classic (**Free**) Edition

1. Select Menu **Data Management**.
2. On Data Management Dialog, Select **Export data** and Tap **OK**.

Step2 : Launch MindBoard Classic (**Full**) Edition

1. Select Menu **Data Management**.
2. On Data Management Dialog, Select **Import data** and Tap **OK**.

4.2.2. Additional Information

- When you export data , it was stored in the local SD Card (ex. /mnt/sdcard/mindboard/mindboard_data.zip).
- When you import data , MindBoard app try to read data from the local SD Card .

4.3. How to move a node to another one?

Yes.

You can move any node (but center node) by dragging it in the [Mind Mapping](editing-map.html) screen.

4.3.1. Operations

In the [Mind Mapping](editing-map.html)

1. Long press (press and hold) a node to move. (changing node-move-mode)
2. Dragging it to another node



See also the [Video Tutorial](#) at youtube.

4.4. Can I layout nodes automatic in the mindmap?

Yes.

Please use the menu **Auto-layout**.

4.4.1. Operations

In the **Mind Mapping Activity ...**

1. Select a node
2. Select the menu **Auto Layout**

4.5. Can I change order of files in File Manager?

Yes.

You can change it anywhere you want.

4.5.1. Operations

In the **File Manager Activity ...**

1. Long Press the target file icon what you want to move. (so that others grayed out.)
2. Drag it to somewhere you want.



Version 3.1.2 and above , it was supported the **Tab feature** . You can also move a file to another tab.