Small Sketch User Guide

MindBoard Apps

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This document explains Small Sketch Version 1.5.6.		

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Chapter 1. Introduction



1.1. Overview

Small Sketch is a simple handwriting application for Android tablets and Chromebooks.

1.2. Key Features

- PDF Export
- Intuitive Interaction Design
- No Frills UI

1.3. Requirements

- Android 4.4 Kitkat or newer
- S Pen or Digitizer Stylus.

1.4. Installation

Get Small Sketch for S-Pen app on Google Play.

1.5. Getting help

If you have any questions, please make contact. And also your feedback will be much appreciated.

To get update information, see Facebook / Twitter.

Chapter 2. Using Small Sketch

2.1. Overview

This app has two kinds of screen.

- (1) Editor
- (2) File Manager

2.2. (1) Editor



When drawing sketch, use **Pen**, when manipulating them, use **Finger**.

2.2.1. Features

- Draw strokes (Pen)
- Erase strokes (Pen)
- Zoom and Scroll (Two Fingers)
- Zoom in (Double Tap with One Finger)
- Make Group (Finger) / Ungroup
- ★ Star Group: Make a group stared so that this group is as page thumbnail symbol in File Manager.
- Move Group (Finger)
- Resize Group (Finger)
- Copy Strokes / Copy Group (Finger)

- X Delete Group
 - 1

A stared group is used as this page thumbnail in file manager.

2.2.2. ActionBar



- Go to File Manager
- **4** Add New Page
- < Export current active page as PDF
- 🔀 Fullscreen

2.2.3. Pen and Eraser Toolbar



It's in the top left corner of the screen.

2.2.4. Edit Toolbar



It's in the left bottom corner of the screen.

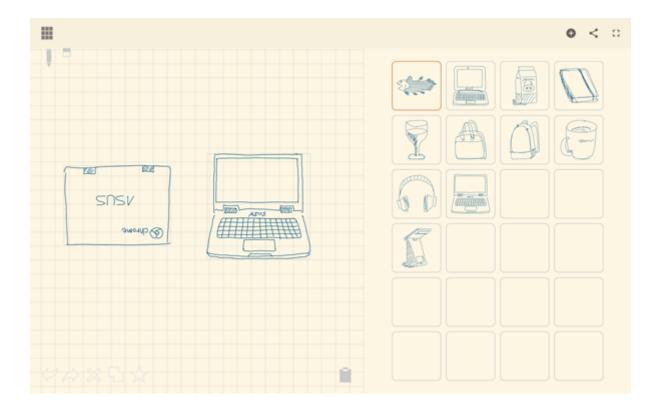
- Undo
- A Redo
- X Delete : Delete a selected group
- 🖶 Group / 🖶 Ungroup
- * Star : Make a group stared

2.2.5. Clipboard Panel

It's in the right bottom corner of the screen.

• 📋 Clipboard

Tap the icon and show clipboard panel, and tap it again hide it.



2.2.6. Group Manipulation

Make Group

[] | Make Group

Lassoing some strokes with finger, a temporary group is created.

And also lassoing some groups (and some strokes) with finger, a temporary group's group is created.

It's possible to change a temporary group with a persisitent group with tapping \blacksquare icon on Edit Toolbar.

- 1. Lasso some strokes and make them temporary group.
- 2. Tap 🖶 icon.

Make Ungroup

- 1. Tap a group with finger and make it selected.
- 2. Tap 🛂 icon.

Move Group

- [] | Move Group
- 1. Tap a group with finger and make it selected.
- 2. Drag it with finger.

Resize Group

- [] | Resize Group
- 1. Tap a group with finger and make the group selected.
- 2. Drag a resize handle of the group at the right bottom.

Copy Strokes / Copy Group

[] | Copy Group

There is no way to copy group directly, but using with Clipboard Panel, it's possible.

- 1. Tap 📋 icon and clipboard panel is shown.
- 2. Tap a group with finger and make it selected. / Lasso strokes and make theme temporary group.
- 3. Drag and Drop it into clipboard panel.
- 4. Drag and Drop it from clipboard panel to editor canvas again.

2.3. (2) File Manager



2.3.1. Features

• Pin: Keep items on top

• Single Tap Item: Select item

• Double Tap Item: Open item

2.3.2. ActionBar



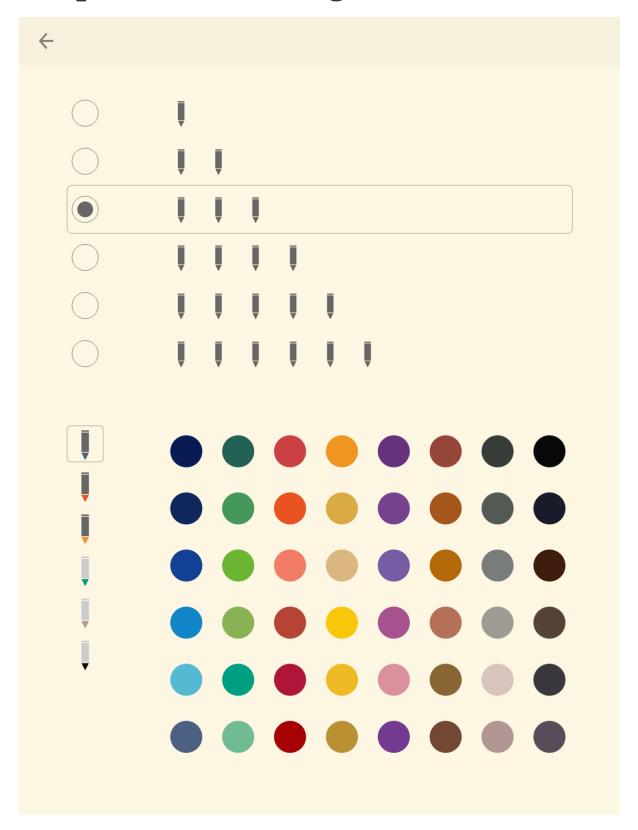
- Go back to Editor
- **+** Add New Page
- Trash Page: Move page into trash folder
- **I** Menu
 - Download Page
 - **1** Upload Page

2.3.3. SideBar



- Primary Folder: Show Primary Page Items
- Trashcan Folder: Show Trashed Page Items

Chapter 3. Pen Settings



You can change pen count to use and each pen color.

- 1. Go to File Manager.
- 2. Tap [Menu Pen Settings].

Chapter 4. Backup and Restore

You can backup and restore your all sketches.

4.1. Export (Backup)

- 1. Go to File Manager.
- 2. Tap [Menu Export all sketches].
- 3. Specify a file name to save on Google Drive or some where else cloud drive.

Do not do rotation screen or screen off under exporting.

4.2. Import (Restore)

- 1. Go to File Manager.
- 2. Tap [Menu Import].
- 3. Select the file name.

Do not do rotation screen or screen off under importing.

Chapter 5. Additinal Information

5.1. Ssf2img

Ssf2img is a command line tool for Small Sketch file (SSF). You can convert SSF file into SVG,PNG,JPEG and PDF on Windows/MacOS/Linux.

For more details: https://github.com/mindboard/ssf2img