Mediaboard Card Codes



Enter a card code to apply an effect or behaviour to a card in the top right input field of the card edit box.

Card Group Definition

A card group is a consecutive number of cards for which an effect or behaviour has been assigned by a group card code. The group starts with the card where the starting card code is entered. The group ends with the card where the stopping card code is entered.

General Rules for Card Codes

- A single card code generates the corresponding effect only for the card for which the code was entered.
- A single card code (within a group) is always overrides a group card code and generates an exception to an effect applied to a card group.
- A group card code generates the corresponding effect from the card into which the start code is entered to the card into which the stop code is entered.
- Card codes can be combined as desired. There is no order that needs to be adhered to.
- The effect is only visible or only generated if the card code has been entered in the specified format and is also supported by the card or file.

Card Animation Effects

E.g. fade, pulse

- Animation effects are performed only when there are at least 3 cards in a category.
- Animation effects are paused while in Edit Mode or Sort Mode.
- Animation effects are paused when a background video is playing.

Examples of Card Codes

The following example shows how to use the Hide Multiple Preview Images card code for a group of cards. Suppose 25 cards are showing:

- Card number 1 contains the group card code thumbsOFF (start).
 Starting with card 1, the preview images for the following cards 2,3 ... are not displayed. This applies up to the last card No. 25 or until the stop code was found.
- 2. Card number 10 contains the group card code **thumbsON** (stop). From card 10, the preview image for the following cards 11,12 ... are displayed again. This applies until the last card No. 25 or until a start code has been found again.



The following example shows how to use the Hide Single Preview Image card code within a group of cards. Suppose you want to show two pictures inside the card group where the preview images are hidden (here card 1 to card 10).

- 1. Card 3 and Card 6 should show their thumbnails.
- 2. Enter the code **thumbON** (single card code without s) in card 3 and card 6.
- 3. This creates an exception to the group card code.

Keyboard Shortcuts

Key E -Toggle card animation effects on/off. This will enable or disable the card animation effects like *fade* and *pulse*.

Key C – Toggle card display effects on/off. This will enable or disable the card formatting and behaviour effects, like *bold*, *thumbsOFF*, *xdate* etc.

Card Display Effects

Code / Effect	Description	Available
allOFF Hide everything	Hides the card title, description and info field for a group of cards.	Free + Pro
allON Stops allOFF	From this card forward the card title, description and info field reappear.	Free + Pro
bold Bold Font	Card titles and description appear in bold font.	Free + Pro
boldOFF Stops bold	From this card forward the standard font weight applies for the title and description.	Free + Pro
bsound Background Sound	To play a background sound for a category infinitely at 100% board volume.	Pro



E.g. bsound5/50 means to play a background sound repeated 5 times at 50% of the volume. You can set the number of repeats and volume by adding the values to the card code separated by a slash. TIP: Use +/- or mouse wheel to adjust volume.

TIP: M = mute background sound.

caps Capitalise Card Titles	Displays card titles in the upper case for a group of cards.	Free + Pro
capsOFF Stop caps	From this card forward, upper case is removed from the card titles.	Free + Pro
cfontxx Custom Font Single	Apply a custom font for a single card.	Pro
cfontsxx Custom Font Multiple	Apply a custom font for a group of cards. E.g. cfonts Arial or cfonts Arial-Black .	Pro

Spaces in font names must be replaced by a hyphen. The font must be available on the system where Mediaboard runs. TIP: If you are unsure that the custom font is available you can deliver the font using a card by attaching the font file from the Windows fonts folder, which can then be installed on the target system.

cfontsOFF Stops cfonts	From this card forward, the custom font is no longer applied and the default font is displayed.	Pro
count Show Card Numbers	Cards show with a large centred number (like a calendar) instead of the card initials.	Free + Pro

count, iniforce: All card codes for initials will not make card initials automatically visible. This means when you want to apply card codes to initials you must combine them with iniforce. E.g. count will not work as a standalone code when preview images are displayed. Use count and iniforce to display initials and preview images.

countOFF	From this card forward showing the card count is	Free + Pro
Stops count	disabled.	



crop Crop Preview Image Single	Trims the preview image for a single card at the edges with the specified value in pixels.	Free + Pro
crops Crop Preview Image Multi	Trims the preview image for a group of cards at the edges with the specified value in pixels.	Free + Pro
crops OFF Stops crops	From this card forward, the preview images appear in their normal size.	Free + Pro
ctrlYES Mediaboard Controller On	Activates the Mediaboard controller for single card.	Free + Pro

With this card code you can exclusively activate the controller for a card, where you want to close the video or PDF quickly from the Mediaboard screen e.g. if you have a dual screen setup or on a touchscreen where you do not use the mouse. By default, the Mediaboard controller (quickly exit a video or PDF on a touch screen) is not active.

ctrlNO Mediaboard Controller Off	Prevents starting the Mediaboard controller for this card only if the Mediaboard controller is activated for the category via the Quick Controls.	Free + Pro
dateDD/MM/YY Date Locked Card	Card is locked until a specific date and can be opened from that date. E.g. date25 / 12 / 18, this card is locked until Christmas Day.	Pro
fbaudio Fallback Audio Play	If a touch sound audio file is not played, Mediaboard tries to play the sound externally in the background.	Free + Pro



fit Fit Preview Image Single	Fits the preview image as optimally as possible for a single card. Recommended for Spread Mode and cards with PNG images that contain transparencies.	Pro
fit Fit Preview Image Multi	Fits the preview image as optimally as possible for a group of cards. Recommended for Spread Mode and cards with PNG images that contain transparencies.	Pro
fit Stop fits	From this card forward the preview images will be displayed in their standard size.	Pro
fsizexx Custom Font Size Single	Apply your own font size to a single card.	Free + Pro
fsizesxx Custom Font Size Multiple	Apply your own font size for a card or group of cards.	Free + Pro
fsizesOFF Stops fsizes	From this card forward, custom font sizing ends.	Free + Pro
gallery Generate an image gallery	Generates an HTML image gallery for an image folder or images located in an assets folder. The gallery is started automatically in the standard browser and can be operated via mouse, keyboard or touch.	Free + Pro
heavy Heavy Font	Card titles and description appear very bold.	Free + Pro
heavyOFF Stops heavy	From this card forward the standard font weight applies for the title and description.	Free + Pro



Inibold Card Initials Bold	Card initials appear in bold font	Free + Pro
iniboldOFF Stops inibold	From this card forward the standard font weight applies for the initials.	Free + Pro
inicaps Card Initials Capitals	The card initials appear in capitals.	Free + Pro
inicapsOFF Stops inicaps	From this card forward initials appear in default format.	Free + Pro
inicolor Card Initials Colour	The card initials adopt the same colour as the font colour.	Free + Pro

We recommend using this code whenever you have busy or mixed colours on pictures to help the initials standout more.

inicolorOFF Stops inicolor	From this point forward, card initial colours return to calculated colour.	Free + Pro
iniforce Force Initials for Classic and Poster Modes	Normally initials are not displayed when a preview image is set. iniforce ensures that the initials are always displayed.	Free + Pro

iniforce, count: All card codes for initials will not make card initials automatically visible. This means when you want to apply card codes to initials you must combine them with iniforce. E.g. count will not work as a standalone code when preview images are displayed. Use count *and* inforce to display initials and preview images.

iniforceOFF	From this card forward the initials are no longer	Free + Pro
Stops iniforce	forced to appear.	



iniforcec Force Initials in Classic Mode only.	Normally initials are not displayed when a preview image is set. iniforcec ensures that the initials are always displayed in Classic Mode.	Free + Pro
iniforcecOFF Stops iniforcec	From this card forward the initials are no longer forced to appear in Classic Mode.	Free + Pro
iniforcep Force Initials in Poster Mode only.	Normally initials are not displayed when a preview image is set. iniforcep ensures that the initials are always displayed in Poster Mode.	Free + Pro
iniforcepOFF Stops iniforcep	From this card forward the initials are no longer forced to appear in Poster Mode.	Free + Pro
iniheavy Card Initials Heavy	Card initials appear very bold.	Free + Pro
iniheavyOFF Stops iniheavy	From this card forward the standard font weight applies for the initials.	Free + Pro
italic Italic Font	Titles appear in italics.	Free + Pro
italicOFF Stops italic	From this card forward the standard font type applies for the title.	Free + Pro
mpc Open URL in Media Player Classic	Any weblink will be forced to be opened with Media Player Classic to try to stream the content.	Free + Pro
open Auto-Open Card	Automatically opens a card at a specific date and time. If no time is specified, the card opens at 00:00 am.	Pro
outx/x Card Outline Single	Draws a card outline in the given colour for a single card.	Pro



If no values are specified, a 3-pixel card outline is generated in white.

E.g. out5/#ff0000 generates a card outline of 5 pixels in red.

E.g. out5/#ff0000/p generates a card outline of 5 pixels in red for card type poster only.

E.g. out5/#ff0000/c generates a card outline of 5 pixels in red for card type classicf only.

outs Card Outline Multi	Draws a card outline in the given colour for a group of cards.	Pro
outsOFF Stops outs	From this card forward no card outline is displayed.	Pro
pagexx Open Specific Page	Opens page of PDF at the given page. E.g. page25 opens at page 25.	Pro
popup Pop Up Image Single	Card image open in a pop-up window, that is draggable and stackable.	Free + Pro

The imaged can be enlarged to full screen, opened in an external viewer, printed out and e-mailed.

popups Pop Up Images Multiple	Card images open in a pop-up window, that is draggable and stackable. The imaged can be enlarged to full screen, opened in an external viewer, printed out and e-mailed.	Free + Pro
popupsOFF Stops popups	Card images open in the normal image viewer.	Free + Pro
rot Rotate Preview Image Single	Rotates preview image for a single card clockwise or anticlockwise.	Pro
rots Rotate Preview Images Multi	Rotates preview images for a group of cards clockwise or anticlockwise.	Pro



rotsOFF Stops rots	Stops rots	Pro		
startxx/xx/xx stopxx/xx/xx Start/Stop Playback Position	Play video from a given time. start00-01-16 – The video starts at 1 minute and 16 seconds. stop00-02-16 – The video is stopped at 2 minutes and 16 seconds. This corresponds to the playing time of one minute.	Pro		
thumbOFF Hide Preview Image Single	Hides the preview image for a single card.	Free + Pro		
thumbsOFF Hide Preview Images Multiple	Hides the preview images for a group of cards. Images appear on mouseover.	Free + Pro		
thumbsON Stops thumbsOFF	From this card forward preview images reappear.	Free + Pro		
titleOFF Hide Card Title Single	Hides the card title for a single card.	Free + Pro		
titlesOFF Hide Card Titles Mulitple	Hides the card titles for a group of cards.	Free + Pro		
titlesON Stops titlesOFF	From this card forward card titles reappear.	Free + Pro		
transxx Preview Image Transparency	Individual transparency for preview images. xx can be any other value between 0 (fully visible) and 100 (invisible). Applies to the card type Poster.	Free + Pro		
Overrides the general card transparency settings. E.g. trans50 is equal to 50% transparency of the preview image.				



transOFF Stops trans	From this card forward the original set transparency applies.	Free + Pro
tsound Touch Sound Single	Plays a sound file on touching a single card without opening a player. Touching the card again pauses or resumes a sound.	Free + Pro
tsounds Touch Sounds Multiple	Touch Sound for a group of cards so that you do not have to enter tsound for every card.	Free + Pro
tsoundsOFF Stops tsounds	From this card forward touch sound is turned off.	Free + Pro
videoxl Full Size Video	A YouTube or Vimeo video opens in its maximum window size (not full screen). YouTube may not allow playback in this view for advertising reasons.	Free + Pro
vlcYES VLC Player On	Activates the VLC player for a single card. When the card is opened, the card attachment will be opened with the VLC player.	Pro
vlcNO VLC Player Off	Excludes a single card from using the VLC player when it is activated for the whole board via Quick Controls.	Pro
xdate Card Remains Opened	Once a date locked card is opened on the given date it will remain transparent, which means opened.	Pro

Card Animation Effects



The animation duration must be half or less than half of the delay to give it time to execute the animation fully.

Code / Effect	Description	Available
fadex/x/x	Creates a fade in/out effect on the card preview images.	Pro
Fade		

- First x is the delay between the animations.
- Second x is the animation speed.
- Third x is the transparency.

Example: fade1/0.5/50. This will give a fade animation that has a delay of 1 second until the next card animation, the fade in is $\frac{1}{2}$ second and the fade out is $\frac{1}{2}$ second and the image will be faded from its original to the given transparency and back.

pulsex/x/x Creates a random pulse effect on the card preview images. Pro
Pulse

- First X is the delay between the animations.
- Second X is the animation speed.
- Third X is the image enlargement size.

Example: pulse1/0.5/1.5. This will give a pulse animation that has a delay of 1 second until the next card animation, the pulse speed is half a second long, the preview image will be enlarged by 1.5 times of its original size. The animation effect duration must be half or less than half of the delay to give it time to execute the animation fully.