



Viz Pilot Edge Release Notes

Version 2.0





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1 Viz Pilot Edge 2.0.0

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These are the release notes for Viz Pilot Edge version 2.0.0. This document describes the user-visible changes that have been made to the software since release 1.6.1.

1.1 Changes And New Features

- Added support for custom layout forms (VPE-3400).
 - Added support for tabs in templates and data elements (VST-7665).
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1.2 Fixed Issues

- A new optional URL parameter called *override_timebase* has been added (VPE-2811). If this parameter is included in the Pilot Edge URL, the video clips' MOS timebase will be forced to the timebase specified by the PDS parameter *video_mode*.
 - Fixed an issue with the image preview for VOS images in Pilot Edge sending bad requests for images (VPE-3541).
 - Thumbnails and titles of selected maps will now be saved (VPE-3511).
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1.3 Known Issues

- When using a Pilot Data Server version older than 8.6 and opening a template with a custom layout, there is an incorrect error message "Failed to open template. The Pilot Data Server can't connect to the database, or it is connected to a database that does not support saving templates.". This should be resolved by upgrading Pilot Data Server to 8.6.
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1.4 System Requirements

1.4.1 Hardware

There are no known hardware limitations for Viz Pilot Edge, other than requirements stipulated by newsroom systems hosting the client.

1.4.2 Software

Vizrt components

- Pilot Data Server 8.6
- Preview Server 4.4.1
- Viz Engine 4.2.0

- Viz Engine 3.14.5

Note: Viz Engine 4.2.0 is required to enable support for transition logic and combo templates.

Note: To be able to load all kinds of TGA images, a codec program like <https://www.fastpictureviewer.com/codecs/>, needs to be installed on the machine where crop service is running.

1.4.3 Browser

If running Viz Pilot Edge inside a browser, the following minimum requirements apply:

- Microsoft Internet Explorer 11 +
- Chrome 64 +
- Safari 11.0 +

1.5 Newsroom Systems Used For Testing

- iNEWS 7.7.0.14
- Octopus 8.3
- ENPS 9.0.177 (Browser type Internet Explorer)
- Open Media 4.4.4359
- Octopus X

1.6 Upgrading

When upgrading from a previous version of Pilot Edge, the previous version may still be presented by the host browser for a short time due to client side caching. To prevent this, clear the host browser cache. If you are using the default Internet Explorer host, open Internet Explorer, press **CTRL + SHIFT + DEL**, select *Temporary Internet files and website files* and click **DELETE**.

1.7 Important Notes

- If there are any issues with map fields when running in Microsoft Internet Explorer 11 +, remove *include all local sites not listed in other zones* and turn off *detection of intranet zones* in the IE11 policy settings. (VPE-2329)

2 Documentation

Documentation for Viz Pilot Edge is available at the Vizrt Documentation Center:

- [Viz Pilot Edge User Guide](#)

3 Support

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