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Re: Testing request: Windows emulator

SteveJG

May 14, 2019 8:50 PM

Posted in group: **App Inventor Power Users**

Thanks for Emulator.apk dragging and dropping worked fine to use Companion 2.52u . Other issues persist with use of WebViewer, Sound and Player.

-- Steve

On Mon, May 13, 2019 at 9:03 AM Evan Patton <ewpa...@gmail.com> wrote:

Hi Steve,

I realize now what the issue is here. The emulator is x86 just like Genymotion is. Therefore, the MITAI2Companion.apk file you downloaded will not load into it because it lacks the x86 binaries (it includes armv7, arm64, and x86_64). If you want to update the emulator to the latest version, you need to load <http://ai2.appinventor.mit.edu/companions/Emulator.apk>. That is the version compatible with the emulators (both old and new).

Regards,
Evan

On Saturday, May 11, 2019 at 3:36:31 PM UTC-4, Evan Patton wrote:

Hi Steve,

I believe that we decided to support as far back as 2.50 with this release. Therefore, users will not be prompted to update if they installed the latest emulator package.

I will have to double check the situation with upgrading the emulator by dragging the APK in. That should have worked, but clearly it generated an error the emulator didn't understand.

Regards,
Evan

On Saturday, May 11, 2019 at 9:58:39 AM UTC-4, SteveJG wrote:

Updating new Windows emulator with Companion 2.52 does not work.

Regarding your 30 April post "It will use the same update mechanism as before if the companion is out of date. You can also drag and drop APKs into the emulator window to install them."

The 'same update mechanism' does not kick in when loading a Project. It should recognize 2.51a is out of date, it does not and just allows the app to connect without the out of date pop up.

Drag and drop fails

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