



# Showroom

## Administrator's Guide

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# Configuring Showroom

The Showroom application lets you create and display a customized slideshow on the color touchscreen of your Lexmark multi-function printer. You can specify how long each slide is displayed, and images can be loaded either from a USB drive or through the printer Embedded Web Server.

## Accessing the Embedded Web Server

- 1 Type the printer IP address or hostname in the address field of your Web browser.

**Note:** If the printer IP address or hostname is not readily apparent, consult your system support person, or see the documentation that came with the printer for help with printing a network settings page.

- 2 From the navigation menu on the left, click **Settings** or **Configuration**.
- 3 To view or change printer settings, click on the appropriate link under Default Settings or Other Settings.

## Creating a slideshow

- 1 Select the images to include in your slideshow. The total file size for all images must not exceed 700KB.

### Notes:

- For printers with a Configuration menu, images can be GIF files up to 128KB, with dimension of 640 x 480 pixels.
- For printers with a Settings menu, images can be GIF, JPEG, or PNG, files up to 128KB, with dimensions of 800 x 480 pixels.
- For best results, resize or crop source images to the correct size before use.

- 2 From the Embedded Web Server, click **Settings** or **Configuration** → **Embedded Solutions** → **Showroom** → **Configure**.
- 3 To add images to your slideshow:

## Using the Embedded Web Server

- a Under Showroom Slides, click **Add**.
- b On the Add Showroom Slides screen:
  - Type the Name you want to use for the slide.
  - Browse to locate the image file you want to use for the slide.
  - If you want to set a different interval for how long this slide displays before changing, check the Override Global Interval box, and then type the number of seconds you want the slide to remain on screen.
- c Click **Apply**.

## Using a USB drive

- a Create a directory on your USB drive containing the images you want to use ("showroom", for example).
- b Under USB Drive Settings, check the **Enable USB Drive** box.
- c For Directory path, type the name of the image file directory you created on your USB drive.

- 4 Under Slide Show Settings, specify the Global interval by typing the number of seconds each slide should be displayed before changing.
- 5 Check the Repeat box to re-run the slideshow on a continuous basis.
- 6 Click **Apply**.

## Changing the display icons and labels

The Configure tab provides the option to change the icons and associated text that appear on the printer display. If you do not want to use the default icons for your application, you can import new icons to be used for both the pressed and unpressed button states.

### For printers with a Settings menu

**Note:** Icons can be GIF, JPG, or PNG, 120 x 75 pixels (recommended), and 11KB or smaller. For best results, resize or crop source images to the correct size before use.

- 1 From the Embedded Web Server, click **Settings → Embedded Solutions**.
- 2 Click on the appropriate application name under Installed Solutions, and then click **Configure**.
- 3 Under Custom Icon Settings you can:
  - Specify new Icon Text, to be displayed above the icon on the home screen.
  - Click **Browse** to choose a new icon image file to represent the application on the home screen.
  - Click **Browse** to choose a new image file to be displayed while the application icon is being pressed.
- 4 Click **Apply** to save the settings, or **Reset** to return to the previous settings.

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- 3 Under Custom Icon Settings you can:
  - Specify new Icon Text, to be displayed above the icon on the home screen.
  - Browse to a new icon image file to represent the application on the home screen.
  - Browse to a new image file to be displayed while the application icon is being pressed.
- 4 Click **Apply** to save the settings, or **Reset** to return to the previous settings.

## Exporting or importing configuration settings

On printers with a Settings menu, you can export configuration settings as a .ucf file that can be saved and later used to restore settings if they are accidentally changed, or to import the same settings to another MFP.

- 1 From the Embedded Web Server, click **Settings → Embedded Solutions**.
- 2 Click on the appropriate application name under Installed Solutions, and then click **Configure**.

- 3** To export your current settings, click **Export**, and then follow the browser prompts to save the configuration file. You will have the option to enter a unique file name or use the default name.
- 4** To import a previously saved configuration, click **Import**, browse to the saved configuration file, and then load or preview it.

# Using Showroom

## Running a slideshow

**1** To run a slideshow using images loaded on a USB drive:

**a** Insert the drive into the USB port of your printer.

**b** From the printer home screen touch **Showroom**.

Showroom will display images from the USB drive alphabetically.

**Note:** Images are loaded into memory when Showroom is started, so you can remove the USB drive after beginning the slideshow.

**2** To run a slideshow using images loaded through the Embedded Web Server, touch **Showroom** on the printer home screen. Images will be displayed in the order in which they are listed in the Showroom settings.

**Note:** If a USB drive containing images in the correct directory is inserted before you touch Showroom, the images from the USB drive will be used instead of those loaded via the Embedded Web Server.

# Troubleshooting

## Error reading USB drive

Although most USB flash drives should work with your printer, a few may not be compatible. At a minimum, your USB drive should:

- Be USB 2.0-compatible
- Support the Full Speed standard (low-speed devices will not work)
- Have a USB type “A” connector
- Support the FAT file system (NTFS file system not supported)

For a list of tested and approved USB flash drives, visit the Lexmark Web site at [www.lexmark.com](http://www.lexmark.com).

## Nothing happens when USB drive is inserted

If nothing happens within a few seconds after you insert your USB drive into the MFP, then use of USB drives may be disabled on the device. Contact your system support person for more information.

## “There are no images to display” error message appears

Check the following:

### For images stored on a USB drive

- Remove and reinsert the USB drive to make sure it is properly seated in the printer USB port.
- From the Embedded Web Server, click **Settings** or **Configuration** → **Embedded Solutions** → **Showroom** → **Configure**, and verify that the Enable USB drive box has been checked.
- From the Embedded Web Server, click **Settings** or **Configuration** → **Embedded Solutions** → **Showroom** → **Configure**, and verify that the directory path to the image files has been correctly specified.

### For images added through the Embedded Web Server

- From the Embedded Web Server, click **Settings** or **Configuration** → **Embedded Solutions** → **Showroom** → **Configure**, and verify that there is a list of image files under Showroom Slides.

## “Image size exceeds 128KB limit” error message appears

If the “Image size exceeds 128KB limit” appears after you attempt to start Showroom, verify that the image files stored on the USB drive or in the Embedded Web server are no larger than 128KB each.

# Contacting Customer Support

When you call Customer Support, describe the problem you are experiencing, the message on the display, and the troubleshooting steps you have already taken to find a solution.

Be near the printer and have your USB drive on hand when calling Customer Support, because the support person may ask you to perform tasks at the printer.

In the U.S. or Canada, call (1-800-539-6275). For other countries/regions, visit the Lexmark Web site at **[www.lexmark.com](http://www.lexmark.com)**.

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