

PocketBook

Release Notes

InkPad Color

FW Version
Localization

6.5.2918
WW

July 26, 2022

Firmware: 6.5.2918 (July 26, 2022)

Core changes

1. With this firmware update much more dictionaries are available for download in the «Select dictionaries» dialog of the Dictionary app and in the Reading app with dictionary mode on.
2. Support of AZW- and AZW3-formatted books.
3. New sleep logo.
4. More easy Device Setup Wizard, which starts when the device is first turned on or after factory reset. Authorization to the book shop now automatically provides authorization to the PocketBook Cloud service. Now it is possible to agree with all the terms of use of the Book Store app and the PocketBook Cloud service in one click.
5. The user now has the option to purchase a book after downloading and reading its reading sample from the Book Store. There is also an option to buy a book by selecting a corresponding item of the context menu on the cover of the rating fragment in the main menu of the device and in the Library app.
6. Periodical reminder for the user to configure Wi-Fi if the device does not have a configured network connection. This is important because it allows access to various network services like PocketBook Cloud, Send-to-PocketBook, periodic firmware updates, the Bookstore on the device and other functionalities.
7. Adding books from the Wish List of the Book Store to the Main Menu.
8. Armenian, Azerbaijani, Belarusian, Georgian, Kazakh and Ukrainian languages were added to the list of possible languages of interface.

Reading Program

1. Quicker processing of PDF-formatted books, fixed the problems which could cause device freezing while rendering new pages of heavy scanned book pages in PDF format.

2. A new faster engine for the Reflow mode that supports up-to-date PDF book formatting («Quick» based on Pdfium) for working with PDF files.
3. Fixed possible formatting issues with e-books in EPUB3 format.
4. Fixed an issue where a long tap on the text in an e-book would not accurately highlight some words.

Library app

1. More smooth scrolling of book list.
2. Fixed the problem of slow response speed when typing letters in the search bar.
3. Fixed the problem of not displaying book covers of certain books in Mobi format.

PocketBook Cloud

1. The user has now the option to enable or disable the automatic uploading of books in the PocketBook Cloud on opening the book.

Other improvements

1. More convenient text movement in the Scribble app.

Firmware: 6.5.1684 (February 01, 2022)

Core changes

1. Improved colors in book lists in the Library app, the Book Store app and for book illustrations in the Reading program.
2. New, more convenient and functional keyboard UI with new character layouts. Several characters can be assigned to each keyboard key, which are available with a long press. Ability to switch on hints for additional characters assigned to each keyboard key in Settings.
3. Support of Chinese pinyin input (Simplified and Traditional inputs).
4. The ability to adjust frontlight brightness more precisely.
5. The ability to download preinstalled dictionaries if they were deleted for some reason.
6. UI improvements of the Calendar app.
7. Support of non-TTF fonts. From now on, users can add not only TTF fonts but also OTF and TTC fonts to the device.
8. Some performance improvements in UI of the Reading program.
9. More stable Bluetooth connection with BT audio devices.
10. Faster device loading after switching on.
11. Possibility of renewal and early return of LCP-protected books.
12. New application Photo Frame to view photos in a slide show mode with the possibility to add the current time and date of the shooting to the images.
13. Fixed a problem that caused a Dropbox synchronization failure in some cases.
14. Fixed the problem of a possibly incorrect order of notes while exporting them to an HTML file.

15. Support of new improved TTS voices, the ability to download them directly from the UI of the Reading Program.

Reading Program

1. Removed delays while adjusting brightness by gestures.
2. Faster opening of comic book files (CBR and CBZ format)
3. RTF format files to open much faster.
4. The ability to quickly restore the «fit to page» or «fit to width» mode after changing the scale in PDF- and DjVu-formatted books by «pinch-to-zoom» gesture. Right after changing the scale, the icon «return to fit previously selected scale» appears to quickly restore this mode.
5. More fast opening of List of Contents and List of notes of books.
6. A new faster engine (Quick based on Pdfium) supporting up-to-date PDF book formatting for working with PDF files.
7. New convenient scroll mode for files with fixed layout (PDF, DjVu), in which the pages «stick together» creating the effect of continuous scrolling.
8. More precise swipe gesture detection which is used for paging books.
9. Added possibility to return to the page that was open before calling up the search menu in the text.
10. Automatic exit from the footnote mode after five pages.
11. Faster opening of the Book Info menu.
12. Added possibility to resize the font of the dictionary article by pinch-to-zoom gestures in the dictionary window.
13. Removed the extra flashing of the screen after calling up the context menu that is displayed when text is selected while reading.

14. Fixed the problems that (1) the covers of some books in Mobi format were not displayed and (2) the section headers of books in the same format were not displayed correctly.
15. Fixed a problem that caused the device to hang when displaying pages of a book with large illustrations
16. Fixed the problem of displaying illustrations incorrectly in some books in FB2 format.
17. Fixed the problem of possible low quality screen updates after selecting text for highlighting.
18. Fixed the problem of incorrectly jumping back within a text after reading a footnote in some FB2-formatted books.
19. Fixed the problem whereby some abbreviations in the text were voiced as the end of a sentence (for example, Mr.).

Book Store App

1. More various recommendations of shop books on the main menu of the device.
2. More convenient navigation on book lists.
3. Ability to buy books from a wish list.
4. Autocomplete suggestions when searching in the Book Store app.

Browser application

1. Full screen mode.

Library app

1. Faster search for books, start search as user types in the search line.

2. Ability to start synchronization with Send-to-PocketBook by clicking on the icon in the upper right corner of the Library in the folder of this service.
3. New icons for switching views.
4. More correct sorting of books by name, file name and series in case their metadata contain numbers (numerological order instead of lexicographic).
5. The search function now already works automatically while typing.
6. Fixed the problem of the incorrect display of some characters in book names in Czech, Georgian and Hebrew.

Other improvements

1. Automatically switching to lowercase mode after entering the upper case letter on the screen keyboard. Ability to enable CAPS mode on the screen keyboard by double pressing the Shift button.
2. Automatic closure of the USB exchange window when the drive of the device was correctly ejected from the host OS.
3. Added the ability to move cards to the top right by double-click in the Klondike app.
4. Notes sorting for export has been improved.
5. Faster processing of adding and deleting books via the Main Menu or in the Library in case the Library already contains a huge amount of books.
6. Fixed an issue with the Sleep Cover function that sometimes occurred when closing the cover of the device while turning it off.
7. UI enhancements of the Onleihe app.
8. Fixed the icon layout in the application list so there is no overlapping any more.
9. Fixed the problem that the automatic synchronization with the Dropbox service was not switched off when the corresponding option was disabled in the Settings.

10. Wording enhancements.

11. Other minor bug fixes.