

## How To : add an Eye-Fi card

## Introduction

When you need to add an Eye-Fi card to ID station (because for example the original SD Eye-Fi card is lost) this manual shows you what to do. You can also use this procedure to <u>restore</u> the settings on your original Eye-Fi card.

**Note:** ID station *must* be connected to internet to successfully add an Eye-Fi card.

**Note**: The Connectify software tool must be temporarily set to "internet sharing" to allow the eye-fi software to contact the eye-fi server.

## **Configuring the Eye-Fi card**

Exit the ID station software. The well-known Windows desktop will appear, showing the desktop icons and the taskbar at the bottom. Click once on the Eye-Fi icon in the taskbar. A pop-up window will appear:



Select open Eye-Fi center. The Eye-Fi center tool will start.



Insert the Eye-Fi card into the tablet (use the special Eye-Fi USB card reader). A Windows popup will appear asking what to do. Cancel this.

Eye-Fi center will ask if you want to add the new card to the existing account. Click on **Add to this account**. The account will usually be : xxxxx@idstation.eu where AA is the distributors-code and xxxxxx are the last 8 digits of this units S/N. If there are just 6 digits these are the last 6 digits of the tablets S/N. (Windows7 tablets)

	Activate Eye-Fi card
	Login to an existing Eye-Fi account
5	You are logged in as dimitri@idstation.eu. Would you like to add this new Eye-Fi card to your account?
	Create account Add to this account

If you're not able to add the card to the existing account you may decide to create a new account. This is OK, just follow the steps in the software. If there's an error message that the eye-fi server cannot be contacted be sure to enable the "internet sharing" option in the Connectify software.

Eye-Fi center may ask if you want to do a firmware update. Click on *update*.





Eye-fi center will ask you where to send photos and videos. Choose **my computer** and deselect "**Yes, also send.....privately**." Click on continue

	Activate Eye-Fi card
	Choose where to send photos & videos
	Where would you like to send your photos & videos? Choose one device to get started. You can change where you send them later.
	Yes, also send photos & videos to my online Eye-Fi account where uploads will be stored for 7 days and can be viewed or shared privately.
	A link to this account has been emailed to you.
	Continue

The next step is selecting your network. If you have an IDstation this will be **Connectify**-XXXXXX where XXXXXX is the last six part of your serial number.

		Ac	tivate Eye-Fi card				
	Select a Wi-Fi net	work					
This will allow wireless transfers from your camera to your computer.							
	Wi-Fi network	Select a	network	•			
		ad A	Connectify-206500				
		att 🔒	Thomson3B8824	r preferred			
		• 🗎	Unnamed network				
		• 🗎	ThomsonBF0862				
		• 🗎	iTV Media				
		• 🗎	Unnamed network				
		• 🗎	GuestWifi				
		• 🗎	e-Confidential				
			Other network				
			Refresh Network List				
			Go Back C:	ancel Continue			

And type in the password: **bout1que**.

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Click on continue.

If there's an <u>error</u> message that the eye-fi server cannot be contacted be sure to enable the "internet sharing" option in the Connectify software.

Choose "Select later" in the next field and continue.

Click close window. Do not remove the Eye-Fi card just yet! We need to check some settings first.....

Activate Eye-Fi card	$\otimes$
See a photo transfer to your computer!	
Your photo should appear here. Now for the fun: 1. Remove the Eye-Fi card from the reader in your computer, and insert it into your camera. 2. Turn your camera ON and take a picture. 3. Your photo should appear within a few minutes.	
Close Window	/

In the Eye-Fi center software click on the wheel behind Eye-fi card 2



This will open the settings screen.

Go to the tab Photos and **check** that all pictures will be uploaded to **C:\PhotoMatic6\scanfolder** and that "do not create date-based subfolders

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is selected **this is really important** because this is the folder that the IDstation software checks for new photos. If this is differently, you have to change this, click on change folder and select **C:\PhotoMatic6\scanfolder**.

	'Eye-Fi Card 2' Settings	$\otimes$
Networks Photos	Image: Second	
Description         Above which computer and online sharing site you want your photos delivered to. Configure advanced options like folder names and more	Computer Online Enable Upload all photos to C:\PhotoMatic6\ScanFolder Manage C:\PhotoMatic6\ScanFolder Subfolder options Create date-based subfolders to organize your media by date e.g. 6-7-2012 Use custom date format to create subfolders e.g. 2012_June_07 Do not create date-based subfolders. Deliver all photos to the folder selected above.	
0	Cancel	

On the tab Videos, **deselect** upload all videos to.... And click on save. Go to the tab Transfer Mode and select "**Selective share**" and save.

After this you can close the Eye-Fi card 2 settings, take the card out of the reader and insert it in your camera. You should now be able to use the card.

Make sure the Connectify software is changed back to "Not sharing internet" and make sure the Connectify hotspot is restarted and running. Remember that the eye-fi card uses the Connectify hotspot to connect to the ID station. So it's important that the hotspot software is running.

See also the troubleshooting guide Eye-Fi for more information on how the wireless communication between camera and ID station works.