

How to switch off HTML5 controls for iPad

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The iPad has two modes of usage for HTML5, HTML controls or native player. There are tradeoffs to both options:

Advantages of HTML controls:

- On screen overlays (like ad overlays)
- Control over the playhead scrubber (no ad skip)
- Custom branded player and 'experience' (watermarks, control bar logo, share option etc.)

Advantages of Native controls:

- Smooth transition to true fullscreen (no "new browser window" or address bar)
- Consistent with iPhone experience (native player)
- Analytics and flavor selection work the same for both modes

To switch **off** HTML5 controls for iPad:

```
mw.setConfig('EmbedPlayer.EnableIpadHTMLControls', false );
```

Please visit our [HTML5 video FAQ on the html5video.org wiki](#) for the latest HTML5 documentation.

[Demo page.](#)