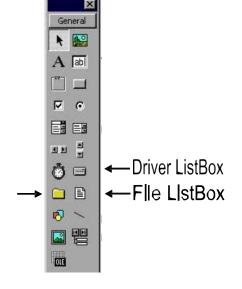
# DriveListBox, And FileListBox Controls In Visual Basic 6

Three of the controls on the ToolBox let you access the computer's file system. They are DriveListBox, DirListBox and FileListBox controls, which are the basic blocks for building dialog boxes that display the host computer's file system.

**DirListBox** 

#### The Drive ListBox

Is used to display a list of drives available in your computer. When you place this control into the form and run the program, you will be able to select different drive from your computer.



#### The Dir ListBox

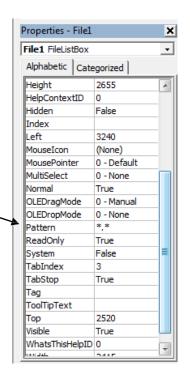
is Directory ListBox is used to display the list of directories or folder in a selected drive. When you place this control into the form and run the program, you will be able to select different directories from a selected drive in your computer.

#### The File ListBox

**The File ListBox** is used to display the list of files in a selected directory or folder. When you place this control into the form and run the program, you will be able to a list of files in a selected directory.

Pattern

if **Pattern** = \*.\* showing all files.



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if Pattern = *. bmp;*.gif;*.jpg showing only picture files.
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if **Pattern** = \*. mp3;\*.wav showing only **audio** files.

if **Pattern** = \*. mp4;\*.avi;\*.wmv showing only **video** files.

## Example1: showing Drive ListBox, DirListBox and File ListBox.

Solution:

Code:

Drive1:

Private Sub Drive1\_Change()

Dir1.Path = Drive1.Drive

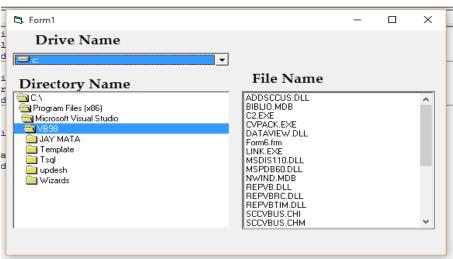
End Sub

<u>Dir1</u>:

Private Sub Dir1\_Change()

File1.Path = Dir1.Path

**End Sub** 



# **Example2:** showing **Drive ListBox**, **DirListBox** and display an image according to the **File ListBox**.

#### Solution:

#### <u>Dir1</u>:

Private Sub Dir1\_Change()
File1.Path = Dir1.Path
End Sub

#### Drive1:

Private Sub Drive1\_Change()
Dir1.Path = Drive1.Drive
End Sub

#### File1:

Private Sub File1\_Click()

Image1.Picture = LoadPicture(Dir1.Path + "\" + File1.FileName)

End Sub



#### **Drive Name**



# **Directory Name**



## File Name

