

You can use the **Media selection** form control to allow users to select files on the Form tab of a page. Users can then select any file from any source—Page attachments, Content tree and Media libraries—to insert a link into pages that they are editing.

To insert the media selection form control

1. Open the **Page types** application.
2. **Edit** (✎) the page type into which you want to add the **Media selection** form control.
3. Switch to the **Fields tab**.
4. Add a new field using **New field**.
5. Fill in the properties of the new field as follows:
 - **Field type:** Standard field
 - **Field name:** MediaSelection
 - **Data type:** Text
 - **Size:** 300
 - **Field caption:** Media selection (for example)
 - **Field description:** any description that you want users to see when hovering over the field caption
 - **Form control:** Media selection (select via the *(more items...)* option)
6. In **Editing control settings**, specify resizing options for images uploaded using this form control.
7. **Save** the form control.

The system creates a new column in the page type's table – *dbo.CONTENT_Doctype*. For example, *dbo.CONTENT_News* for the *News* page type. When a user inserts a link to a media using the form control, the link is stored in the column.



You can display media links on pages using a transformation in a [repeater](#).