

Re: Visitor access to database

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A visitor uploading a file to a database on the server is simple? Have you tried to build this part yet?

You would need to write a custom ASP application/script to do this. However, I can't tell you any more than that at present, due to lack of information. I need to know first, are you really storing these files in a database? If so, why? It is much simpler (truly) to store the file in the file system, and the file name in the database. Second, you haven't specified what KIND of files the users are uploading. How you "display the files" depends upon what kind of files they are.

In answer to your final question, certainly, it is possible. If you provide us with more detailed information, we can help you to know what needs to be done. Whether or not you have the programming skills to do it is another question which I can't answer.

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HTH,

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"Paul Evans" <paul_evans1@btinternet.com> wrote in message

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> Here's the scenario: a visitor enters a website and uploads a file to a
> database on the server. Simple so far! Now, how do you create a web page
> that automatically creates a hyperlink to this file for other visitors to
> access? There could be several uploads each day and I want visitors to be
> able to access these files instantaneously! Is this possible?

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> Thanks

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