

Kodi

Kodi is a free media player that is designed to look great on your big screen TV but is just as home on a small screen.

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This guide will show you how to set up Kodi as your media center for your media.

- Mounting your Ultra.cc service to Kodi as your Media source via FTP.
- Setting Google Drive as a source.

Take note that Kodi only does direct play. It does not transcode your media.

Prerequisites

- You must download and install Kodi on your devices. Visit the [Kodi Downloads Page](#) to learn more.
 - The setup below is done on a Windows PC using Kodi 19.4.
- You must set up an FTP/SSH password on your service. You must also know the path to where your media is. Refer to [this link](#) to learn more.
- Mount your Google Drive to your slot. You can refer to [this link](#) to learn more.

It is best to setup a fresh network location for the Ultra.cc FTP connection to the slot vs editing a previous one.


Setting Up Kodi

FTP

- This part of the guide sets your Ultra.cc service as a media source in Kodi via FTP.
- Go to `Settings -> File Manager -> Add source`
- Then, click on `Browse -> Add network location...`
- Set it up with the connection details given below:

```
Protocol: FTP Server
Server address: {servername}.usbx.me
Remote Path: | auth=TLS
Port: 21
Username: {username}
Password: {set FTP password}
```

- Example:

Add network location

Protocol

FTP server

Server address

- Browse

Remote path

Port

Username

Password

pollux.usbx.me

| auth=TLS

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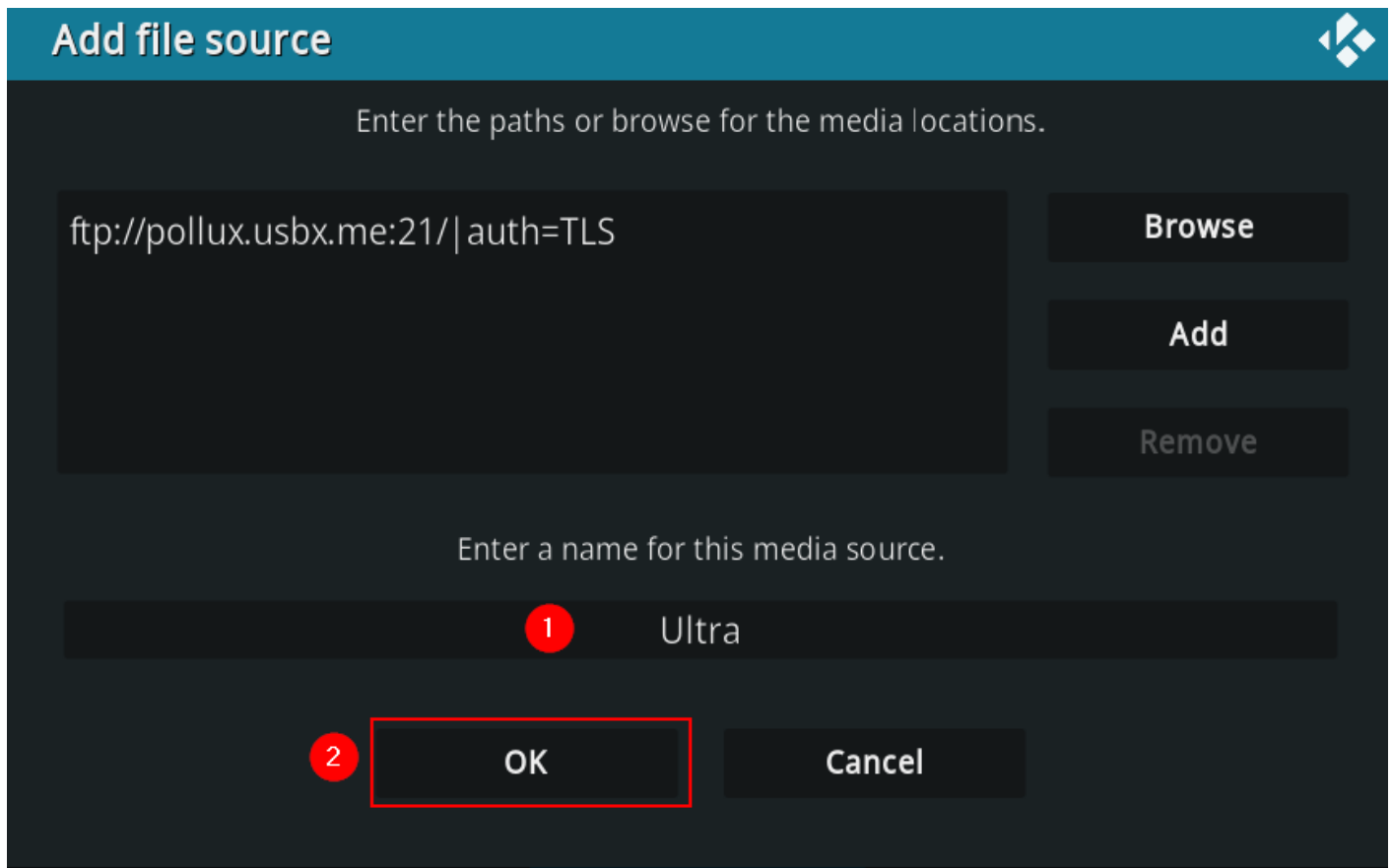
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OK

Cancel

- Highlight the newly added FTP network location and click on **OK**.

- Name the media source and click on **OK**.



Adding Movies

- Use the `ESC` key twice to quit the File Manager and Settings Menu to come back to the home page of Kodi.
- Highlight Movies and click on **Enter Files Section**.
- Click `Files -> Add Videos`. The Add video source appears. Click **Browse**.
- Choose the `ftp: //{servername}. usbx. me: 21/| auth=TLS` location you previously added.
- Navigate to your Movies folder and then click `OK`.
- Click **OK** to save the media source.

Add video source



Enter the paths or browse for the media locations.

ftp://pollux.usbx.me:21/media/Movies/|auth=TLS

Browse

Add

Remove

Enter a name for this media source.

Movies

OK

Cancel

- A Set content window comes up. Since the path contains Movies, change **This directory contains** dialogue to Movies.
- Select the information provider that you want. In this case, it's *The Movie Database*.
- Click **OK**. Kodi will scan your FTP location and add your Movies. That'll go to the Movies section.
- Similarly, you can also set up TV Shows.

Google Drive

- Install the Google Drive Plugin by going to **Settings ? Add-ons ? Install from repository**
- Scroll down, then click on **video add-ons** and click on **Google Drive**.
- Finally, click **Install**. It'll ask for you to install other dependencies, click OK to proceed.
- Go back to the **Home screen ? Add-ons** and select **Google Drive**.
- Click **Add an account**
- A window appears with instructions on how to connect your Google Drive account to Kodi. Either scan the QR code or visit the link shown, then enter the code to connect your Google Drive account.
- Next, create a folder somewhere on your device that you can save exported Google Drive `*.strm` files to.
 - In this example, `C:\Users\{username}\strm` is used.
- Reopen your Google Drive add-on and browse through your account.
- Right-click to the media folders you want to set. Right-click it and select `export to .strm files...`
- Set the destination folder to the folder you set, which in this case is `C:\Users\{username}\strm`
- Enable **Update library after export** and **Watch for changes in the Cloud folder** then click **OK**. Let Kodi scan for all the files in your Google Drive folders.
- Go back to **Enter Files Section**
- Click **Add Videos**. The Add video source appears. Click **Browse** then browse to where you created your folder, which should have the folders with `.strm` files.
- Select the folder you just created and verify if you have the correct path. Once that's done, click **OK**.
- Then add a name to your added path. In this guide, we'll be using `TV`.
- A Set content window comes up. Since the path contains TV Shows, change **This directory contains** dialogue to Movies.

- Select the information provider that you want. In this case, it chooses . You can select that from the Get More button.
- Click OK. Kodi will scan your Google Drive location and add your TV Shows. That'll go to the TV Shows section.