

Ubooquity

Ubooquity is a free, lightweight and easy-to-use home server for your comics and ebooks. Use it to access your files from anywhere, with a tablet, an e-reader, a phone or a computer.

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Ubooquity is a free home server for your comics and ebooks library.

Different WebUIs

- Ubooquity has two different WebUIs. One is for accessing your media, and the other is the admin login which is meant for managing your Ubooquity instance.
- The Admin Login can be accessed using the Admin URL and your Ubooquity media can be accessed using the Library URL as given in your Control Panel.
- Our Ubooquity installer sets up an account for both endpoints with the username of your service and the password that you provided during installation.

Initial Setup

Login to your Ubooquity instance's Admin endpoint to configure it. We will go over the important settings in detail below.

General

Please do not set the Automatic scan period to a value lower than 6 hours.

- Here you can see an overview of Ubooquity's status.
- The **Automatic scan Period** is set to `12 hours`.

Status

Last scan:
Scan complete

27 Oct 2022 11:09:08

	Books	Comics
Added/updated	0	0
Removed	0	0
Total	0	0

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Content scan

Automatic scan period: 12 hours ▼

☒ Scan collection at launch

LAUNCH NEW SCAN

Theme

Current theme: default ▼

CREATE NEW THEME...



Comics & Books

- The default folder for **Comics** is `/home/{username}/media/Comics` and for **Books** it is `/home/{username}/media/Books`.
- You can add your Comic and Book content to the above directories respectively and use the **LAUNCH NEW SCAN** button from the **General** tab to populate your Comics/Books in Ubooquity.

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☒ Activate comics sharing module (CBZ, CBR and PDF files)

Shared folders

/home/ultradocs/media/Comics

Access: ultradocs

ADD FOLDER...

Display

Thumbnail size: 160 x 230

DEFAULT

Items per page: 30

DEFAULT

Database

CLEAR COMICS DATABASE...

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☒ Activate books sharing module (EPUB, MOBI, AZW, PDF and DJVU files)

Shared folders

/home/ultradocs/media/Books

Access: ultradocs

ADD FOLDER...

Display

Thumbnail size: 160 x 230

DEFAULT

Items per page: 30

DEFAULT

Database

CLEAR BOOKS DATABASE...

- Optionally, you can also use the **ADD FOLDER...** button to setup more folders for Comics. Remember to create the directory beforehand!
- If you do make changes to the configuration, remember to click on the **SAVE AND RESTART** button in the top-right.

OPDS Feed

The Open Publication Distribution System (OPDS) can be enabled on your Ubooquity instance to share content to compatible applications.

Enable OPDS

- Login to the Admin Endpoint of Ubooquity using the Admin URL given in your Control Panel.
- Head over to the **ADVANCED** tab and check `Enable OPDS feed`.
- Then, click on **SAVE AND RESTART**.

The screenshot shows the Ubooquity Admin Panel. At the top, there are links for SIGN OUT, HELP, FORUM, and DONATE. On the right, there are two buttons: SAVE AND RESTART (highlighted with a red box and a red circle with the number 2) and DISCARD CHANGES. Below these links is a navigation bar with tabs: GENERAL, COMICS, BOOKS, RAW FILES, SECURITY, ADVANCED (highlighted with a red circle with the number 2), and ABOUT. The main content area is titled 'Advanced settings'. It contains a list of settings: 'Enable OPDS feed' (checked, highlighted with a red box and a red circle with the number 1), 'Bypass single root folder', 'Enable folder metadata display', 'Store bookmarks in cookies instead of the server', 'Display title from metadata instead of file name', 'Do not remove data from unreachable folders', 'Shared books are in a Calibre library', 'Scan exclusion pattern', and 'Reverse proxy prefix ubooquity'. Each setting has a help icon (?) to its right.

Accessing content via OPDS

- By default, all your OPDS feeds will have basic authentication setup. The username and password will be the same, as given in your Control Panel in Ubooquity's information section.
- OPDS feed for Books: `https: // {username}. {servername}. usbx. me / ubooquity / opds - books`
- OPDS feed for Comics: `https: // {username}. {servername}. usbx. me / ubooquity / opds - comics`