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**Procedure:** How to allow any file type upload (MediaWiki)

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Just go into your **LocalSettings.php file**and add these lines (*or change their values if the variables are already mentioned in this file*):

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| $wgCheckFileExtensions = false;$wgVerifyMimeType = false;$wgFileExtensions = array( ‘png’, ‘gif’, ‘jpg’, ‘jpeg’ ); |

**Note:**you’ll need only these three variables to unrestrict file types upload process…but if you want to control some file types extensions you could use the following variables:

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| $wgStrictFileExtensions = false;$wgFileBlacklist = array();$wgMimeTypeBlacklist= array(); |

This approach could be useful if your **MediaWiki** installation is only for your own personal use and you are sick and tired of it telling you couldn’t upload this and that file type.