

6 Media types

Overview

In the *Administration* → *Media types* section users can configure and maintain media type information.

Media type information contains general instructions for using a medium as delivery channel for notifications. Specific details, such as the individual e-mail addresses to send a notification to are kept with individual users.

A listing of existing media types with their details is displayed.

<input type="checkbox"/>	NAME ▲	TYPE	STATUS	USED IN ACTIONS	DETAILS
<input type="checkbox"/>	Email	Email	Enabled	Report problems to Zabbix administrators	SMTP server: "mail.company.com", SMTP helo: "company.com", SMTP email: "monitoring.info@company.com"
<input type="checkbox"/>	Jabber	Jabber	Enabled		Jabber identifier: "jabber@company.com"
<input type="checkbox"/>	Script	Script	Enabled		Script name: "script.sh"
<input type="checkbox"/>	SMS	SMS	Enabled		GSM modem: "/dev/ttyS0"

Displayed data:

Column	Description
<i>Name</i>	Name of the media type. Clicking on the name opens the media type configuration form .
<i>Type</i>	Type of the media (e-mail, SMS, etc) is displayed.
<i>Status</i>	Media type status is displayed - <i>Enabled</i> or <i>Disabled</i> . By clicking on the status you can change it.
<i>Used in actions</i>	All actions where the media type is used directly (selected in the <i>Send only to</i> dropdown) are displayed. Clicking on the action name opens the action configuration form.
<i>Details</i>	Detailed information of the media type is displayed.

To configure a new media type, click on the *Create media type* button in the top right-hand corner.

Mass editing options

Buttons below the list offer some mass-editing options:

- *Enable* - change the media type status to *Enabled*
- *Disable* - change the media type status to *Disabled*
- *Delete* - delete the media types

To use these options, mark the checkboxes before the respective media types, then click on the required button.

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