

## Dynamic Attribute Lists

Dynamic Attribute Lists provide a flexible selection mechanism by automatically populating available options based on the Volumes previously entered values.

This approach maintains consistency across Attribute Values by encouraging reuse of existing entries—minimizing spelling variations (e.g. Removed vs removed) and streamlining data entry.

Unlike fixed lists, dynamic lists also support the addition of new values as needed, ensuring adaptability while preserving uniformity and reducing repetitive typing.

### Creating A Dynamic Attribute

Right click on the required Customer-ID and select **Properties**

Expand the first available Extended Attribute, fill in the required fields:

- Label: Identifiable description eg Pool
- Type: Dynamic
- Featured: True displays the attribute in the [Custoer Tree Attribute View](#)

Edit Customer: X

User AccessOptionsLibraryHealth

IdentityContact DetailsExtended Attributes

Extended Attribute 1

LabelPool

TypeDynamic List

RequiredFalse

HiddenFalse

HiddenFalse

FeaturedFalse

Extended Attribute 2

Extended Attribute 3

Extended Attribute 4

Extended Attribute 5

Extended Attribute 6

Extended Attribute 7

Extended Attribute 8

Extended Attribute 9

Extended Attribute 10

Extended Attribute 11

Extended Attribute 12

Reset All Values

Copy from Customer

Save

Cancel

Help

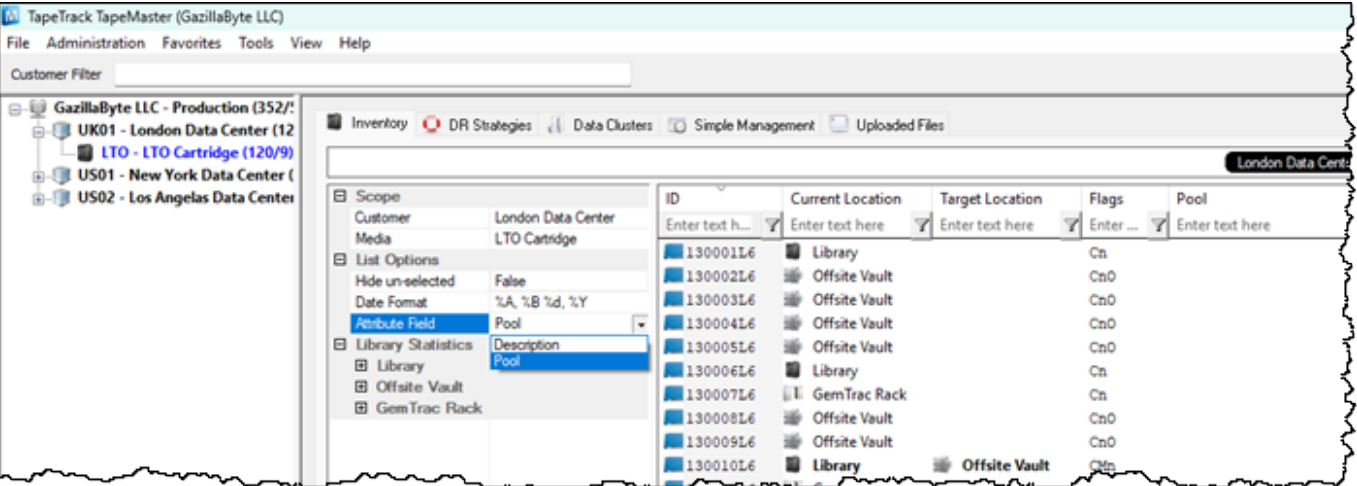
Click Save to add the new attribute.

Display Dynamic Attribute

Click in the Customer Tree window and press F5 on your keyboard to refresh the data. Via the [Volume List Properties](#) window, select the Attribute via the Attribute Field dropdown to display it in place of the Description field in the Inventory window.

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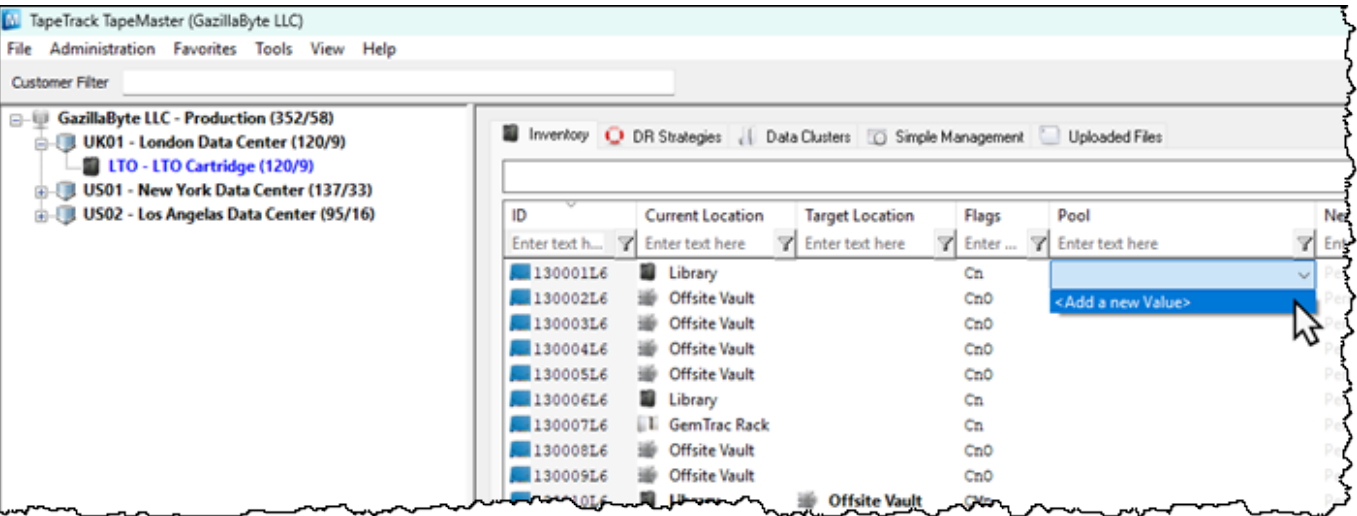
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Dynamic List Values

When the dynamic list is first added, it has no selectable values other than Add New Value. This is because the list is populated with values as they are added to the Volumes.

To add new values to a Volume, in the Inventory window, select the dropdown from the required Volume and select Add a new value to open the Add a new unique string window.



Enter the new string in the New String Value and click OK to add the value. As you add more values, the Similar Existing Strings window displays any similar strings that may have already been entered, eg if you are adding weekly and someone has already added Weekly, this will be displayed. This function helps avoid adding similar strings that should be only one value.

Add a new unique string

New String

You want to add a new unique string value.  
This dialog will ensure that the new string is unique and warn you of similar strings.

New String Value

Weekly Backup

String is 13 characters long. 243 characters remaining

Similar Existing Strings

OK

Cancel

As each new attribute value is added, they will be dynamically added to the dropdown list, improving the ease and speed of adding values against each required volume.

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Customer Filter

GazillaByte LLC - Production (352/58)

UK01 - London Data Center (120/9)

LTO - LTO Cartridge (120/9)

US01 - New York Data Center (137/33)

US02 - Los Angeles Data Center (95/16)

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| ID              | Current Location | Target Location | Flags     | Pool              | Notes |
|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| Enter text here | Enter text here  | Enter text here | Enter ... | Enter text here   | Enter |
| 130001L6        | Library          |                 | Cn        | Weekly Backup     |       |
| 130002L6        | Offsite Vault    |                 | Cn0       | Monthly Backup    |       |
| 130003L6        | Offsite Vault    |                 | Cn0       | Weekly Backup     |       |
| 130004L6        | Offsite Vault    |                 | Cn0       | Project 12 Weekly |       |
| 130005L6        | Offsite Vault    |                 | Cn0       |                   |       |
| 130006L6        | Library          |                 | Cn        |                   |       |
| 130007L6        | GemTrac Rack     |                 | Cn        |                   |       |
| 130008L6        | Offsite Vault    |                 | Cn0       |                   |       |
| 130009L6        | Offsite Vault    |                 | Cn0       |                   |       |
| 130010L6        | Library          | Offsite Vault   | Cn        |                   |       |

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