

Hiding Media Types

Media Types can be hidden, or removed from view, in TapeMaster, cleaning up the Customer Tree display without needing to delete old or unused Media-ID's and their associated data.

Hiding Media Types is a two part process:

- Setting the required Media's Hide Media Option to True.
- Removing the Hidden Media Type from display via the TapeMaster Preferences.

Media Properties Options

To hide a Media Type, expand the Customer in the Customer Tree, right click on the required Media Type and select Properties.

The screenshot shows the TapeTrack TapeMaster™ (GazillaByte) application window. The left pane displays the Customer Tree with the following structure:

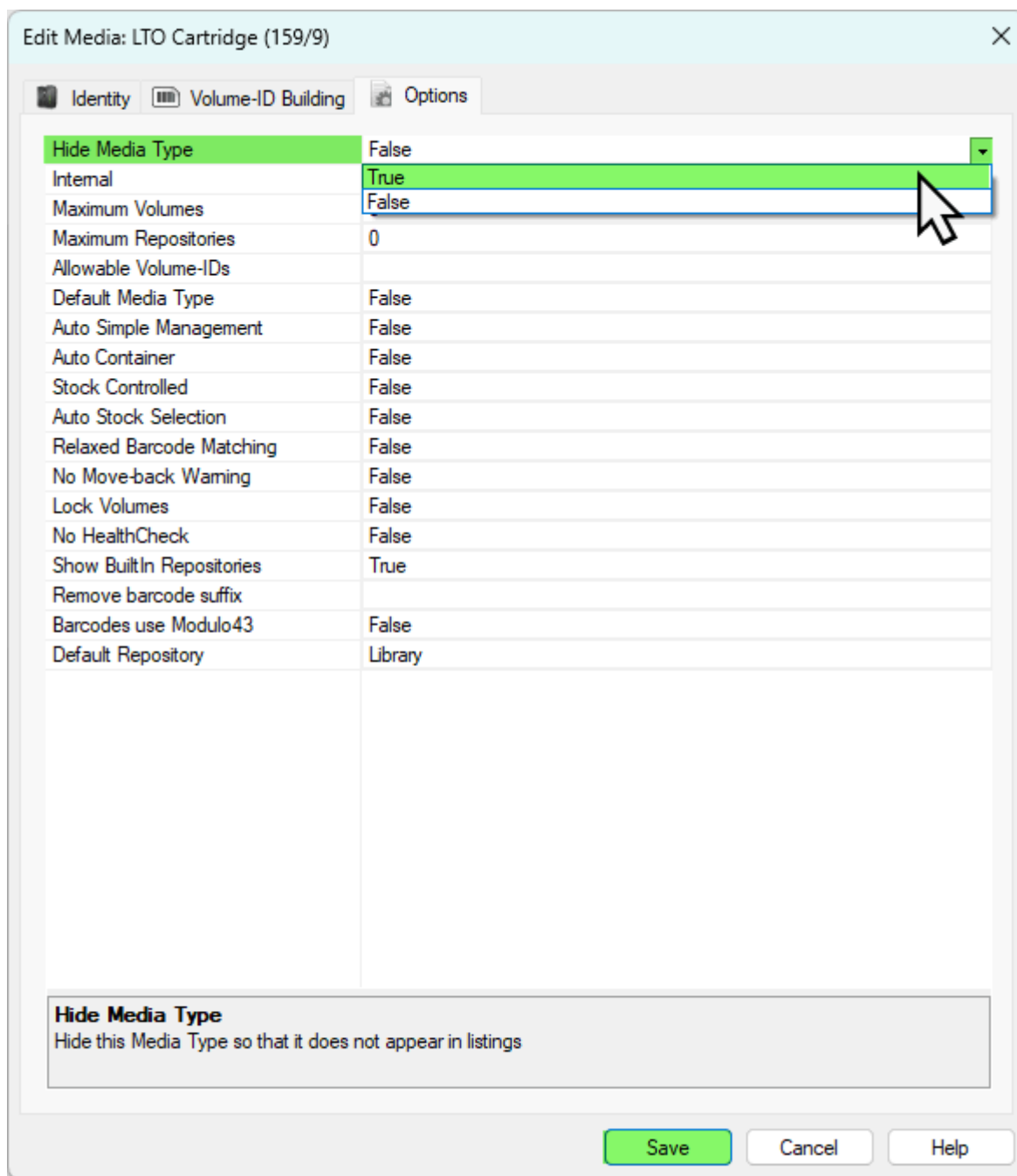
- GazillaByte - Production
 - US00 - United States
 - US01 - New York
 - US02 - Los Angeles
 - CONT - Contain
 - LTO - LTO Cartridge
 - US03 - North Carolina

The main pane displays the Volumes table for the Los Angeles Data Center LTO Cartridge. The table has the following columns: ID, Current Location, Target Location, Next Move, and Description. The table contains 23 rows of data, showing various media IDs and their locations (Library or Offsite Vault).

ID	Current Location	Target Location	Next Move	Description
000006L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Friday, Nov...	Monthly
000008L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Friday, July ...	Weekly
000010L6	Library		Thursday, J...	Scratch
000011L6	Offsite Vault [...]		Monday, Jul...	Weekly
000012L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000013L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000014L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Tuesday, Jul...	Weekly
000015L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000016L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000017L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000018L6	Library		Permanent	
000019L6	Library		Permanent	
000020L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Friday, Dece...	Weekly
000021L6	Library		Permanent	
000022L6	Library		Permanent	
000023L6	Library		Permanent	

The bottom of the main pane shows the Repositories section with two icons: Gemtrac and Library. The status bar at the bottom indicates: Connection 127.0.0.1 uses AES 256 bit encryption.

Set the Hide Media to True and click Save to update data.



Dialog box: Edit Media: LTO Cartridge (159/9)

Identity | Volume-ID Building | Options

Hide Media Type	False
Internal	True
Maximum Volumes	False
Maximum Repositories	0
Allowable Volume-IDs	
Default Media Type	False
Auto Simple Management	False
Auto Container	False
Stock Controlled	False
Auto Stock Selection	False
Relaxed Barcode Matching	False
No Move-back Warning	False
Lock Volumes	False
No HealthCheck	False
Show BuiltIn Repositories	True
Remove barcode suffix	
Barcodes use Modulo43	False
Default Repository	Library

Hide Media Type
Hide this Media Type so that it does not appear in listings

Save Cancel Help

Display Or Hide Media Type From Customer Tree

Depending on TapeMaster Preferences, the Hidden Media Type can be set to either be greyed out and inactive (not clickable) or completely removed from display. Having the Hidden Media Type greyed out is the default installation setting, how your display functions will depend on what you have the preferences set.

Hidden Media Type Greyed Out

To have the hidden Media Type displayed in a greyed out format, from the main menu, click File >

Preferences

The screenshot shows the TapeTrack TapeMaster™ (GazillaByte) application window. The interface includes a menu bar (File, Administration, Favorites, Tools, View, Help), a Customer Filter, and a left sidebar with a tree view of the production environment. The main area displays a table of Volumes for the Los Angeles Data Center LTO Cartridge.

Left Sidebar Tree View:

- GazillaByte - Production
 - US00 - United States
 - US01 - New York
 - US02 - Los Angeles
 - CONT - Contain...
 - LTO - LTO Car...
 - US03 - North Car...

Volumes Table:

ID	Current Location	Target Location	Next Move	Description
000006L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Friday, Nove...	Monthly
000008L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Friday, July 3...	Weekly
000010L6	Library		Thursday, Jul...	Scratch
000011L6	Offsite Vault [...]		Monday, July...	Weekly
000012L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000013L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000014L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Tuesday, July ...	Weekly
000015L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000016L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
000017L6	Library		Permanent	Scratch
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000019L6	Library		Permanent	
000020L6	Library	Offsite Vault ...	Friday, Dece...	Weekly
000021L6	Library		Permanent	
000022L6	Library		Permanent	
000023L6	Library		Permanent	

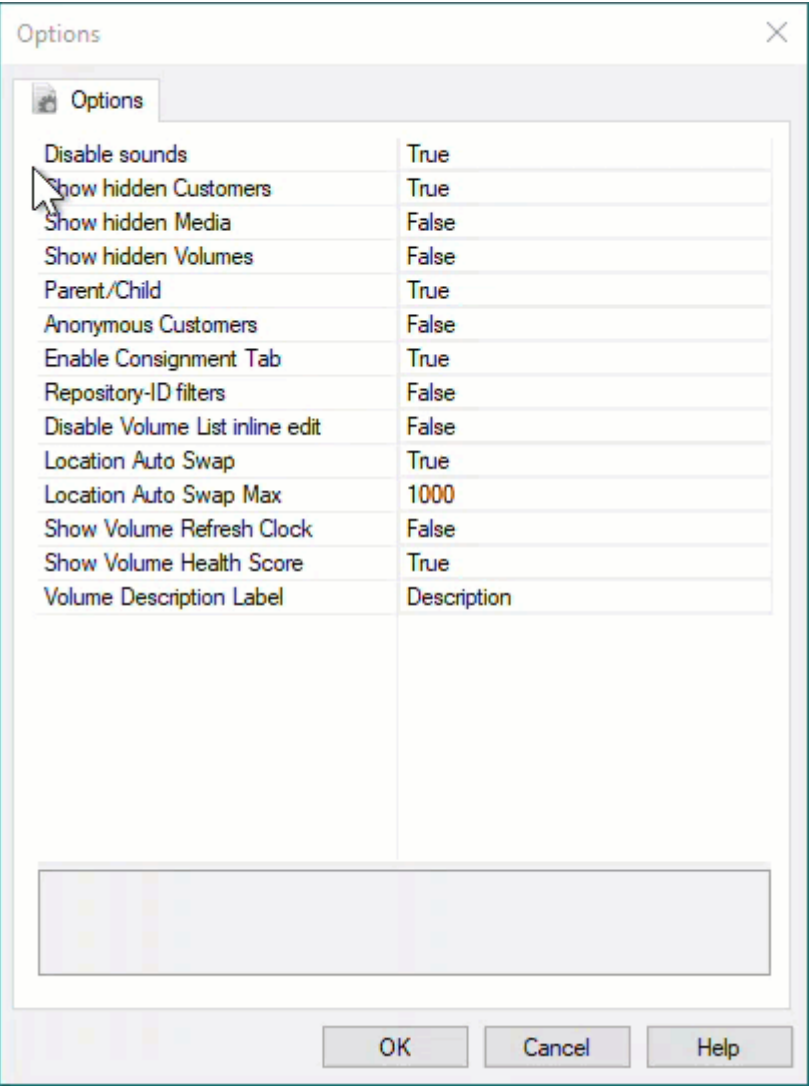
Repositories Section:

Below the Volumes table, there is a section for Repositories. It shows two repository types: Gemtrac and Library, each with a corresponding icon.

Status Bar:

Connection 127.0.0.1 uses AES 256 bit encryption

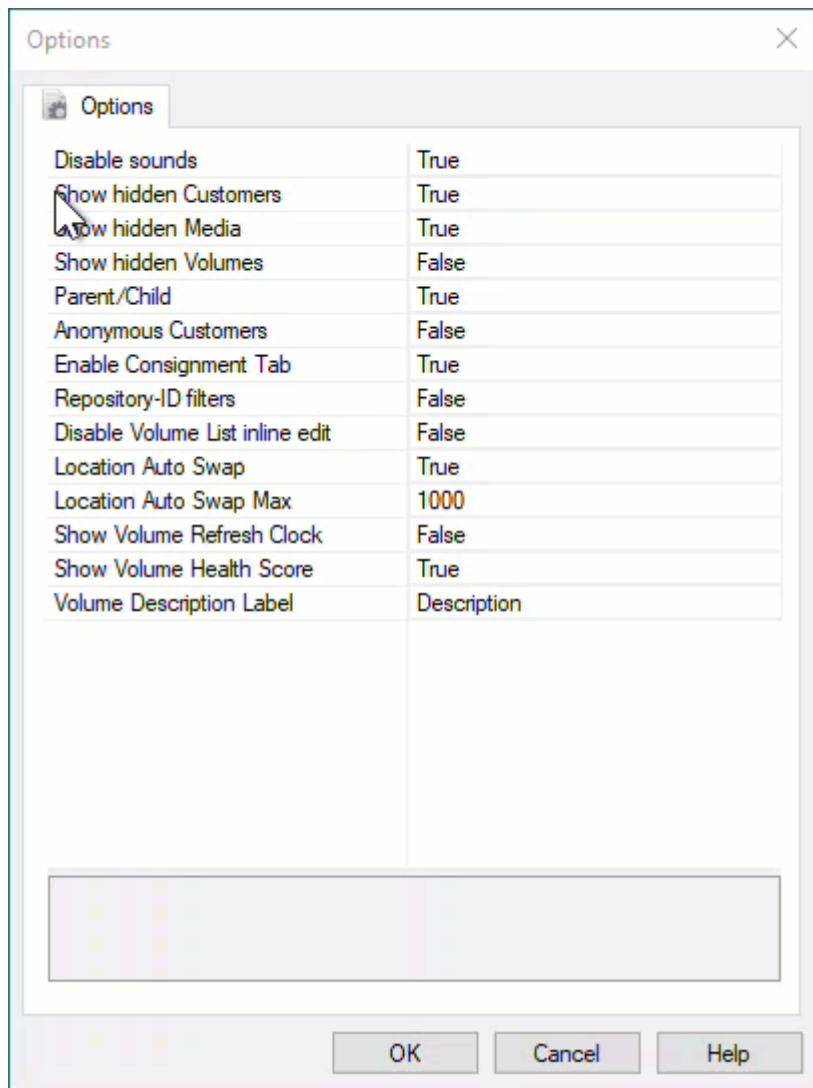
In the options window, set Show Hidden Media to True and click OK to update data.



Hidden Media Type Removed From Display

To have the hidden Media Type removed from display, from the main menu, click File > Preferences

In the options window, set Show Hidden Media to False and click OK to update data.



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