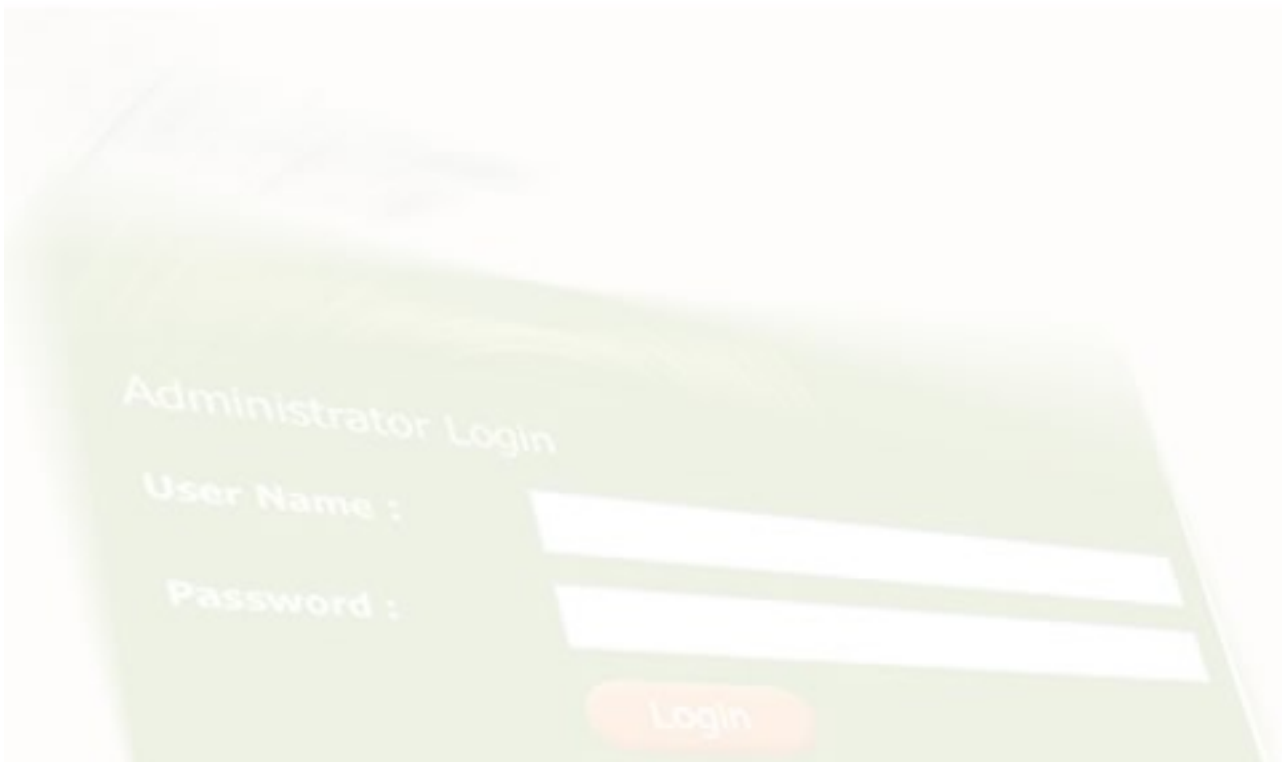


Detailed Images Module

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This module is installed on all stores by default under all hosting plans of hosted e-Commerce service as available at ecommercehosted.com



DetailedImages

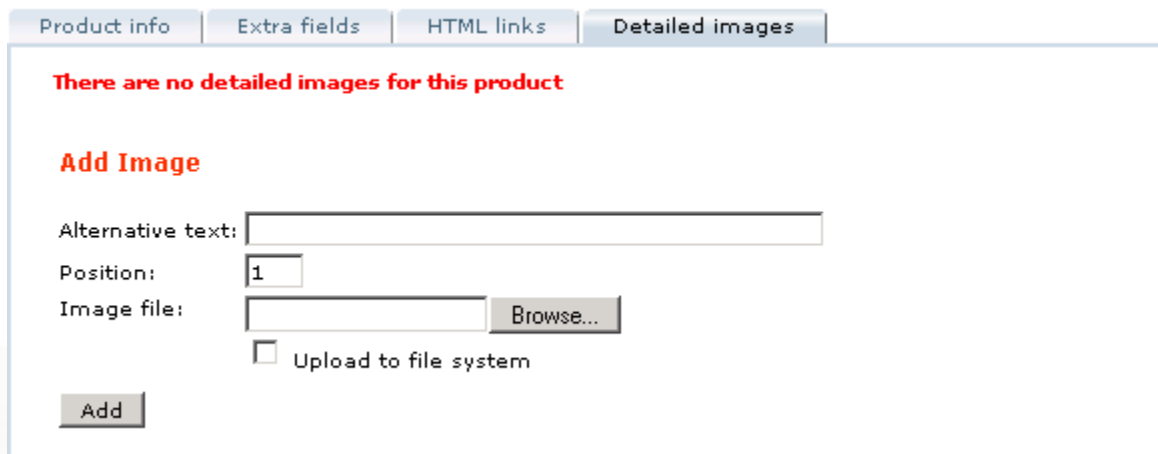
Detailed Images add-on module provides the possibility to display multiple product illustrations in the store catalog. This feature is especially valuable if your store offers sophisticated products or works of art with many fine details which are impossible to adequately represent with a single product image.

The **Detailed Images** module does not require configuring or customization. Its functionality is available out of the box since it is installed and available on all plans offered.

Using the Module

The module adds a 'Detailed images' tab to the product editing pages in the Administrator Zone (Figure 1).

Admin menu :: Product list :: Edit product "Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art (Paperback)"



The screenshot shows the 'Detailed Images' tab selected in the product editing interface. The tab is part of a navigation bar with other tabs: 'Product info', 'Extra fields', 'HTML links', and 'Detailed images'. The main content area displays a red message: 'There are no detailed images for this product'. Below this, there is an 'Add Image' section with the following fields and controls:

- Alternative text:
- Position:
- Image file:
- Upload to file system
-

Fig 1: Detailed Images Tab on Product editing page.

Administrator Login

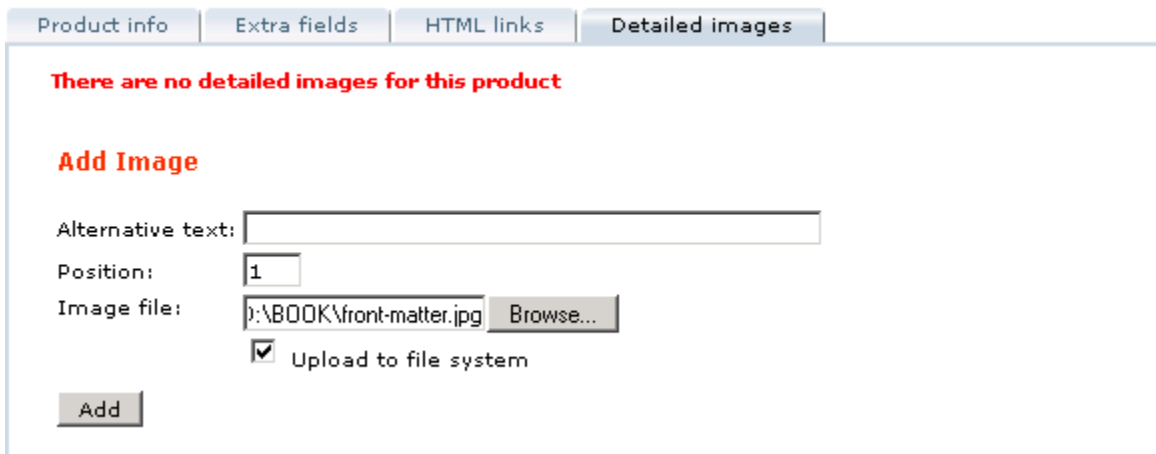
User Name :

Password :

Login

To add a detailed image to the product page, locate the product in the catalog, open the 'Product into' page and select the 'Detailed images' tab. In the 'Add Image' section on the page click on the 'Browse...' button and select the image file from the hard disk on your computer. The image file must be in GIF, PNG or JPG (JPEG) format. By default image files are stored in the database of your online store. To upload the image file to the 'images/' folder instead of placing it into the database, checkmark the corresponding 'Upload to file system' option. Click on the 'Add' button to upload the detailed image (as shown in Figure 2).

Admin menu :: Product list :: Edit product "Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art (Paperback)"



Product info Extra fields HTML links **Detailed images**

There are no detailed images for this product

Add Image

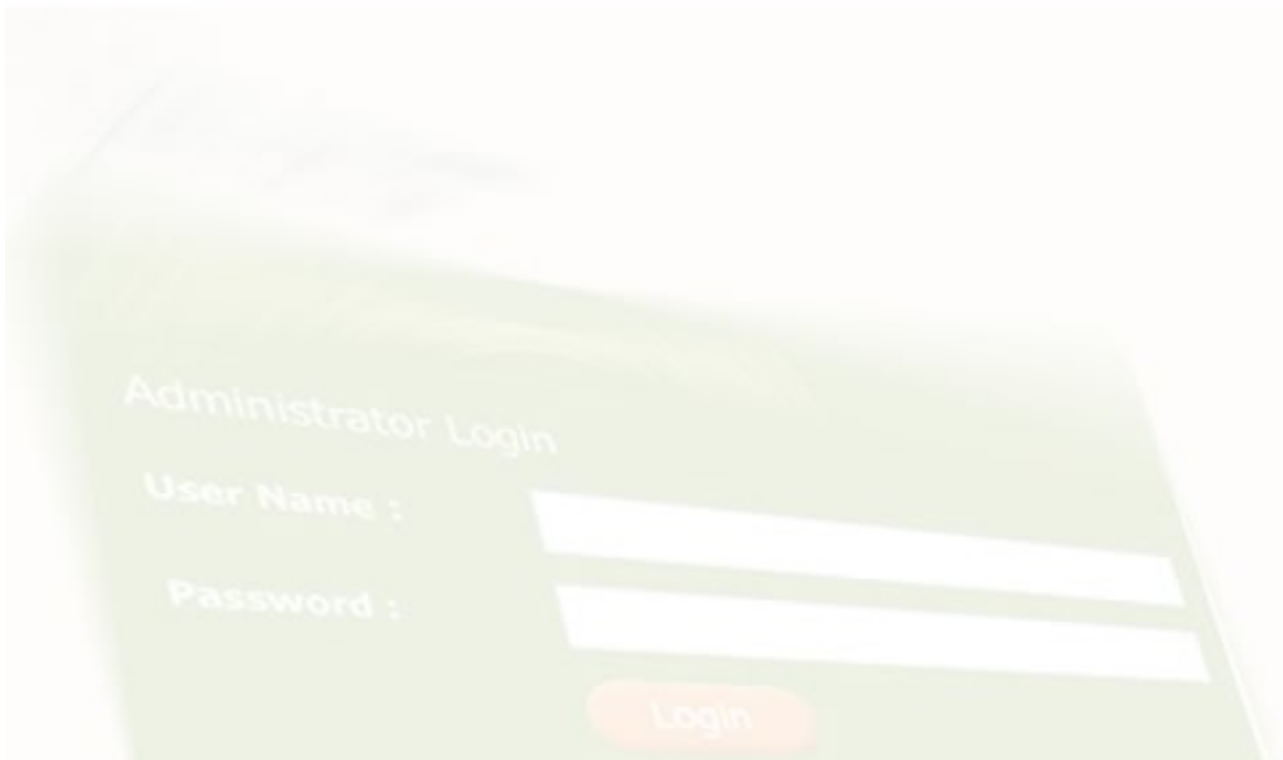
Alternative text:

Position:

Image file:

Upload to file system

Figure 2 Adding Product Detailed Image



After the upload is complete, the newly added image appears in the screen (Figure 3). Note the thin border line around the image file. This border is used in the administrator interface for convenience only and will not be visible on the product details page in the Customer Zone. Images blend flawlessly with the matching background of your store catalog, GIF image files with transparency can also be used.

Admin menu :: Product list :: Edit product "Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art (Paperback)"

Product info Extra fields HTML links **Detailed images**

Detailed image #1

Note: Image border will not be displayed in customer's frontend

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Figure 3: After uploading a Detailed Image 

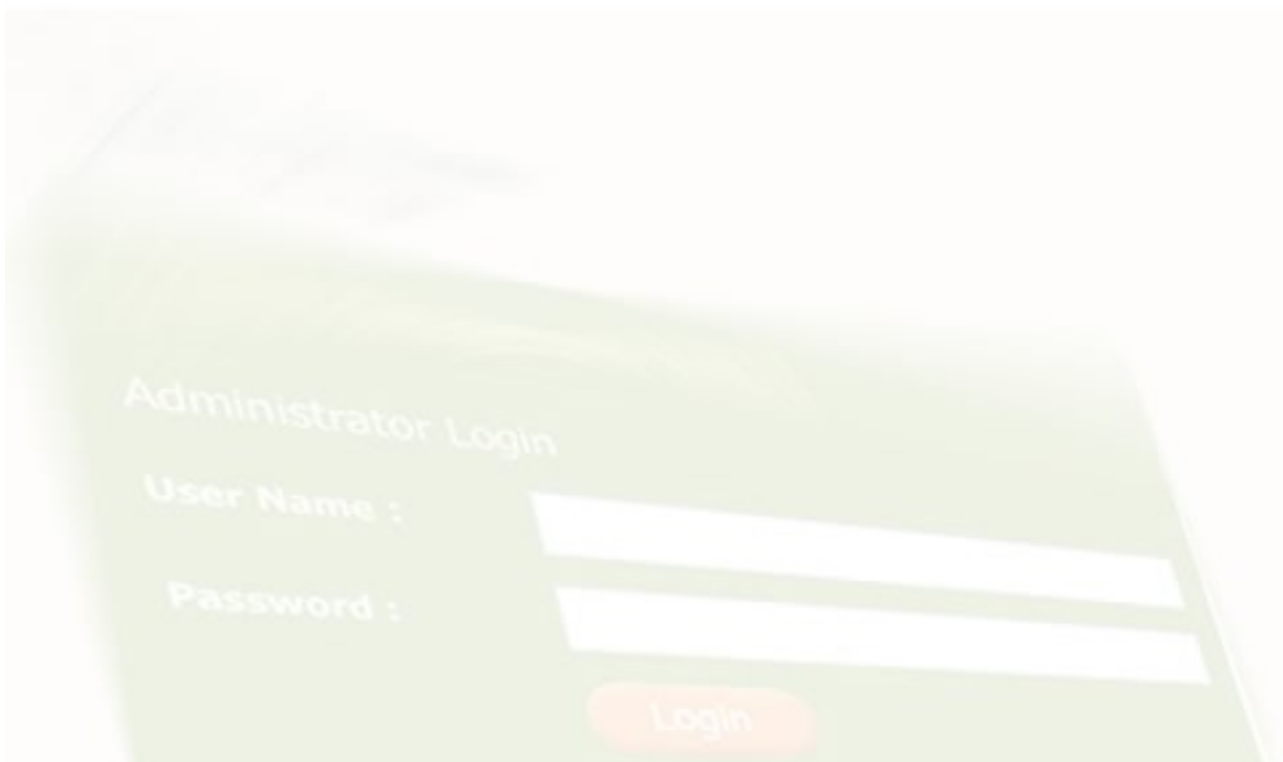
You can specify additional parameters of the product's detailed image either at the time you add it to the store catalog or later on:

- **Alternative text** - This optional parameter is used as a text line to be displayed in the product details page while the image file is loading.
- **Position** - If multiple detailed images are being assigned to the product, the order in which they will appear on the product details page in the Customer Zone is defined by this field. The images are arranged in ascending order of their position values.

To modify the parameters of the detailed image, make the necessary changes and click on the 'Update' button underneath its definition.

To remove the detailed image, click on the corresponding 'Delete the image' button.


Multiple detailed images can be uploaded to a given product. All the uploaded images will be displayed on Product Detail page to customer and the exact display would depend on template/design integrated to the store. Figure 4 shows the store front end as seen by a customer/visitor



Customer zone

In the Customer Zone detailed product images are displayed at the bottom of the 'Product details' pages.

Catalog > Books > **Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art (Paperback)**



Description

Amazon.com Editor Review: A comic book about comic books, McCloud, in an incredibly accessible style, explains the details of how comics work: how they're composed, read and understood. More than just a book about comics, this gets to the heart of how we deal with visual languages in general. "The potential of comics is limitless and exciting!" writes McCloud. This should be required reading for every school teacher. Pulitzer Prize-winner Art Spiegelman says, "The most intelligent comics I've seen in a long time."

Details

Weight:	1.00 lbs
Price:	\$ 22.95

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Fig 4: Customer Zone Product Page with Detailed Images.