Legacy Controls NOTICE

This article references our legacy Web Forms Web Viewing controls (WebImageViewer, WebAnnotationViewer, WebThumbnailViewer). It is preserved for archival purposes, but support strongly recommends using our modern HTML5 web controls: WebDocumentViewer, WebDocumentThumbnailer instead.

INFO: WebDocumentViewer Whitepaper - Getting Started With Web Viewing

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web.config Parameters

These are the appSetting parameters you can set in your web.configfile. Put them in the <appSettings> section of the file.

Setting	Description	Note
AtalasoftWebControls_Cache	Location of the cache relative to the root of the application	
AtalasoftWebControls_CacheFilesOnly	Set to **true** if only files should be put in the cache. Set to **false** if it is OK to create directories. Default is **true.**	Setting this value to **false** while using .NET 2.0 can cause the application to recompile while files are deleted from the cache. Use the default setting for .NET 2.0.
AtalasoftWebControls_CacheLifeTime	Number of minutes a file can live in the cache without being used. Default is **20**.	Set value to the length of time that a session is allowed to stay alive before it times out.
AtalasoftWebControls_DisableCache	Set to **true** to disable the image cache. The default is "false".	Use this option only if you are never going to need to modify images, load them from a direct file path, or you are saving them yourself. This

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		turns off warnings for the Cache, and may render the control unusable. Use at your own risk.
AtalasoftWebControls_ErrorLogging	Set to **true** to enable the error log. The default is **false** .	Log files will be placed in the Cache alongside images and time stamps for the same session. These files are automatically cleaned up when the session is cleaned up.
AtalasoftWebControls_ResourcePath	Set the location of Javascript and Image resources required by the control.	Before version 4.0, this was a property of the control, but now must be set in the web.config. If it is not set, resources are requested from the control assembly, which is slower.
AtalasoftWebControls_ShowClientErrors	Set to **true** to show JavaScript errors in the browser. Set to **false** otherwise. The default is **true**	

Example

HTML

```
<appSettings><addkey="AtalasoftWebControls_Cache"value="ImageCache/"/><addkey="AtalasoftWebControls_CacheLife
```

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