

# SacCT

## Enable Java Plugin

### HOW TO GUIDE

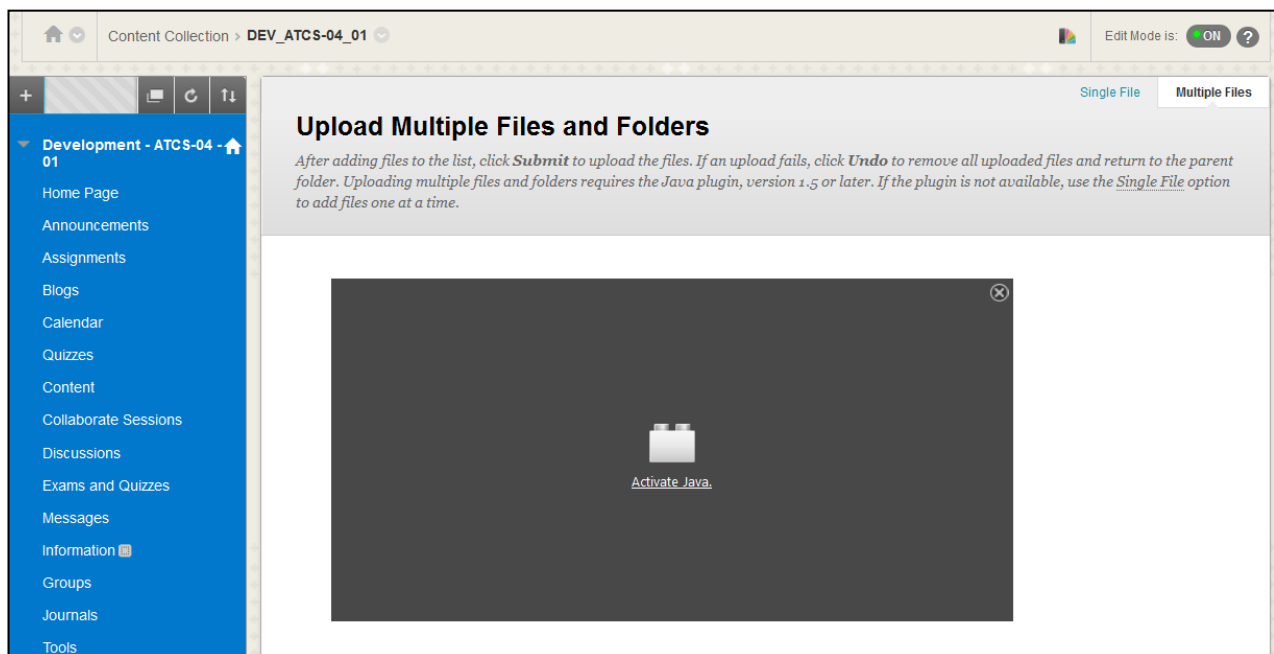
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### JAVA PLUGIN DISABLED

To improve security, several browsers have ended support to plugins, such as the Java plugin, that were developed using an older system called NPAPI. As of September 1, 2015, NPAPI plugins do not work on the Google Chrome browser. Thus, consider using an alternate browser such as Firefox instead. In SacCT, the Java plugin is used for the Multiple Files upload option. This guide will provide you instructions on how to enable the Java plugin on other browsers such as Firefox, Internet Explore and Safari.

### Upload Multiple Files

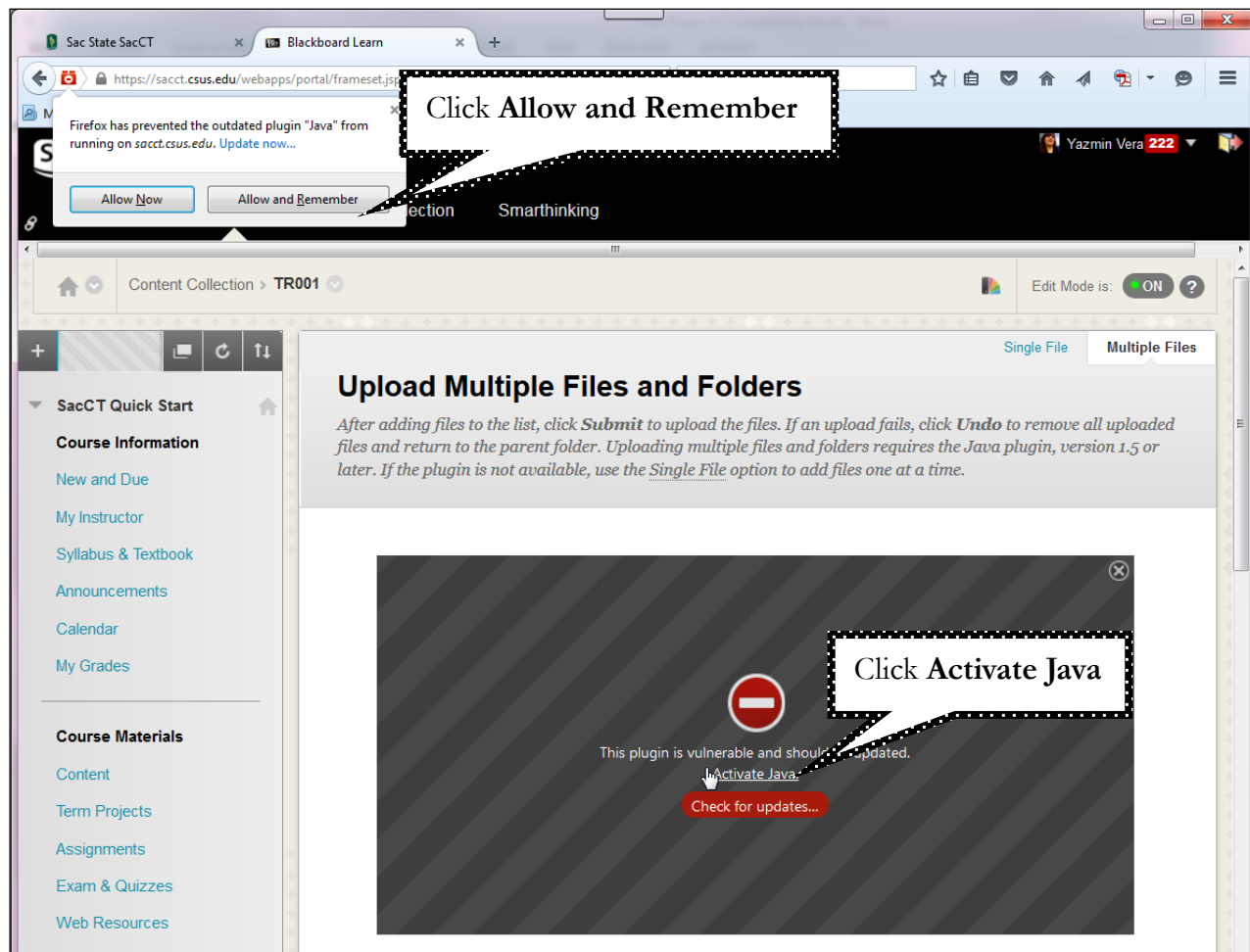
Instructors who use the upload Multiple Files option in the Content Collection area of their course will see a gray box similar to the one shown in the screen shots below, when they attempt to upload files. The Java plugin will need to be enabled.



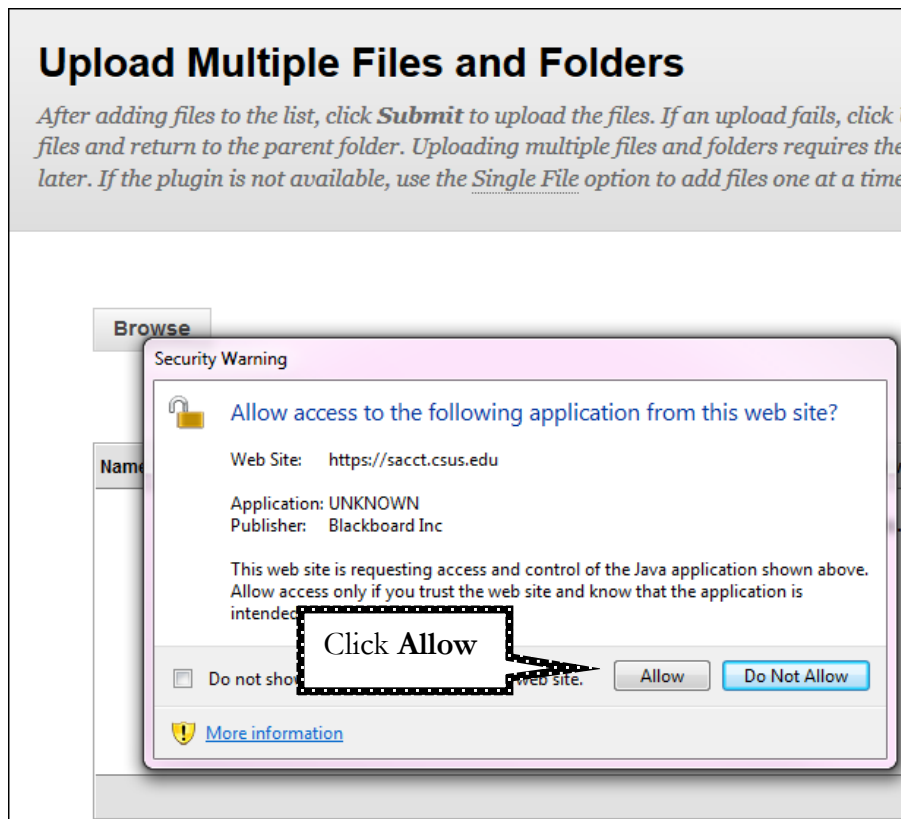
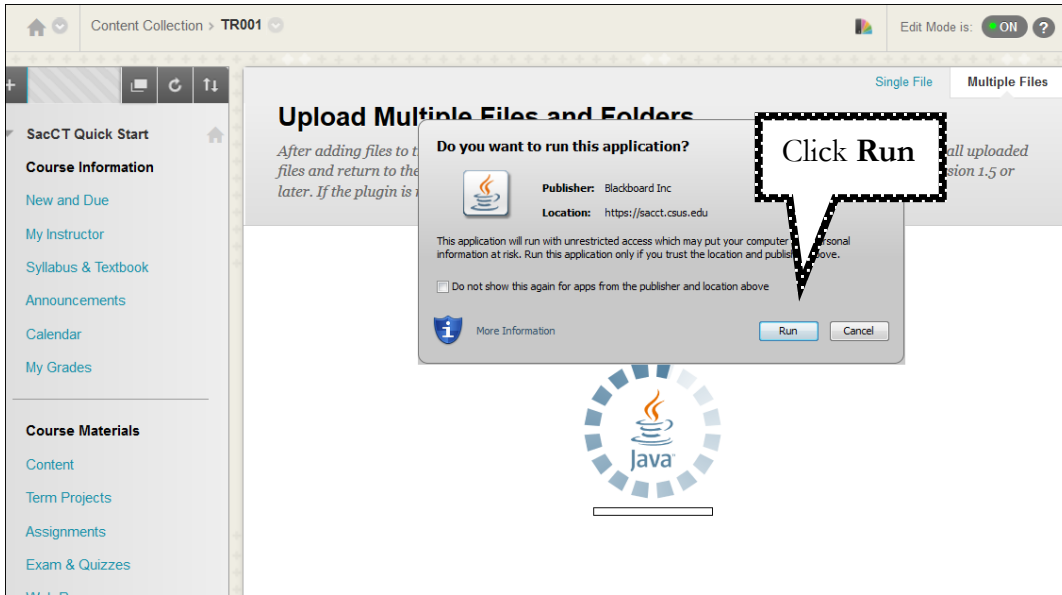
## Enable the Java Plugin

When you access the Upload Multiple Files option in SacCT, you can enable the Java plugin by clicking the **Activate Java link** within the grey box displayed.

- step 1.* In the Firefox browser for example, click the **Activate Java Link**
- step 2.* A prompt will display that reads “Firefox has prevented the outdated plugin “Java” from running on sacct.csus.edu.”
- step 3.* Click **Allow and Remember** to enable the plugin for current and future use. You may also click **Allow Now** but this will only enable the plugin for one time.



- step 4.* A prompt that reads “Do you want to run this application” will display. **Click Run.**
- step 5.* If a Security Warning displays, such as “Allow access to the following application from this website?” **Click Allow.**



*step 6.* The Multiple Files upload area will display and you can proceed to drag and drop files or use the Browse option.

Alternatively, you can enable Java through your web browser settings. For the Firefox browser for example, please follow these steps:

- step 1.* Open the Firefox browser or restart it, if it is already running
- step 2.* From the Firefox menu, select **Tools**, then click the **Add-ons** option
- step 3.* In the Add-ons Manager window, select **Plugins**
- step 4.* Click **Java (TM) Platform** plugin (Windows) or **Java Applet Plug-in** (Mac OS X) to select it
- step 5.* 5. Check that the option selected is **Ask to Activate** or **Always Activate** or on older Firefox versions, click on the **Enable** button (if the button says **Disable**, Java is already enabled)



#### **TIP : Enable Java on Other Browsers**

If you prefer to use the Safari or Internet Explorer browsers instead, follow the steps at the following webpage to enable the Java plugin.

[https://java.com/en/download/help/enable\\_browser.xml](https://java.com/en/download/help/enable_browser.xml)