

Release note

Bulk editing of Schedule Entry dates

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Who doesn't like to edit Schedule Entries? To make this an even more pleasurable activity we've added a feature that lets you update the start and end dates of many Schedule Entries **in a single action**. Be calm!

This note describes what has changed in full, and as usual you can contact **support** or your technical account manager for further clarification.

BeBanjo reference(s)

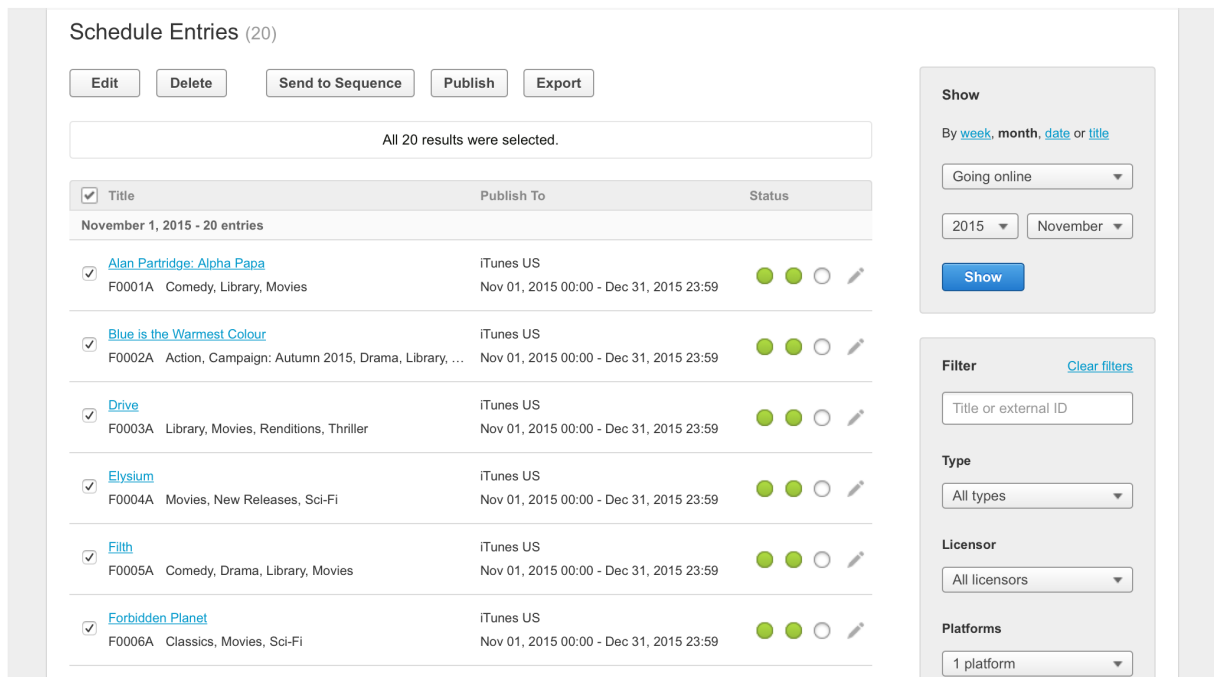
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movida	4071	Edit scheduling dates in bulk

Sometimes you need to resize or reschedule many **archive** Schedule Entries at once, for example to extend the exhibition window for everything that's going offline soon for a particular group of Platforms.

Until now the quickest way to do that was to export the contents of the Schedule page to an Excel document, update that document, and then import it to update the relevant Schedule Entries. This made us sad, and wasn't a great experience for you as a user.

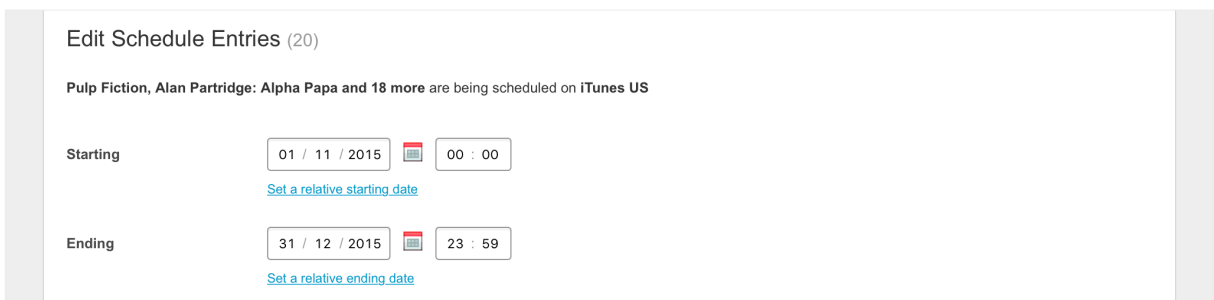
But, never fear! Our designers and developers really do never rest and have added a feature that lets you easily update the start and end dates of many Schedule Entries in a snap. We truly are living in an enlightened age! Read on brave scheduler...

Here you can see how I've filtered the Schedule page to show me everything going online in November for a specific Platform:



Screenshot of the 'Schedule Entries (20)' interface. The page shows a list of 20 entries, all selected. The entries are filtered by 'Going online' in '2015' 'November'. The list includes titles like 'Alan Partridge: Alpha Papa', 'Blue is the Warmest Colour', 'Drive', 'Elysium', 'Filth', and 'Forbidden Planet'. On the right, there are filters for 'Show' (By week, month, date or title) and 'Filter' (Title or external ID, Type, Licensor, Platforms).

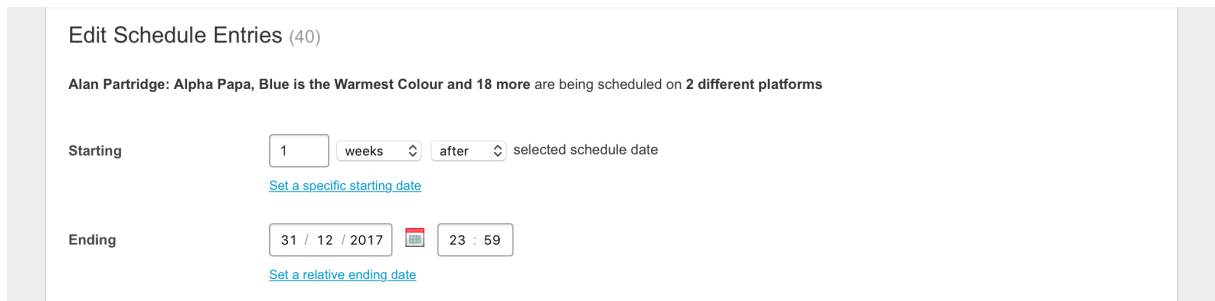
To change the start and end dates of all these Schedule Entries I simply click the **Edit** button to show this page:



Screenshot of the 'Edit Schedule Entries (20)' interface. The page shows a summary: 'Pulp Fiction, Alan Partridge: Alpha Papa and 18 more are being scheduled on iTunes US'. Below this, there are fields for 'Starting' (01 / 11 / 2015 00 : 00) and 'Ending' (31 / 12 / 2015 23 : 59). There are also links to 'Set a relative starting date' and 'Set a relative ending date'.

Notice how the two date fields are *active*, meaning I can do one of two things: change the start or end date to a **specific** value, or set a new value **relative** to the current value. The second option is really quite nifty, it lets you do things like "set the start date to be 1-month after the current start date". That's particularly useful if you've selected Schedule Entries that have many *different* start or end dates.

Here you can see an example of using a relative start date:



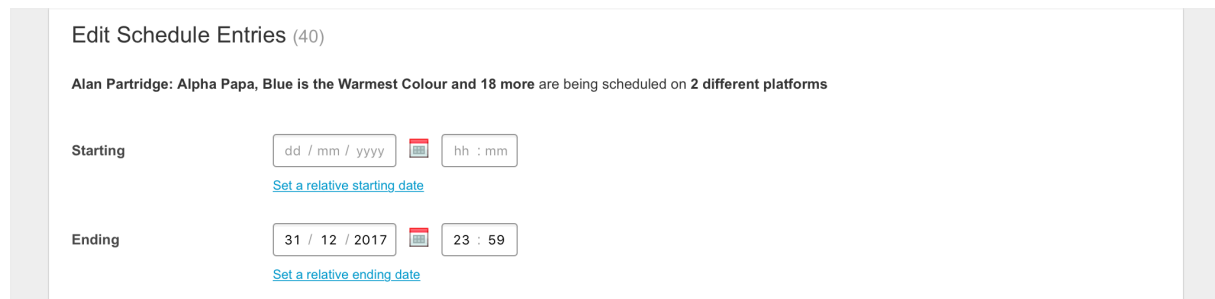
Edit Schedule Entries (40)

Alan Partridge: Alpha Papa, Blue is the Warmest Colour and 18 more are being scheduled on 2 different platforms

Starting weeks selected schedule date
[Set a specific starting date](#)

Ending
[Set a relative ending date](#)

If you're editing Schedule Entries where the start or end dates have many values then you see the date replaced with a placeholder, like this:



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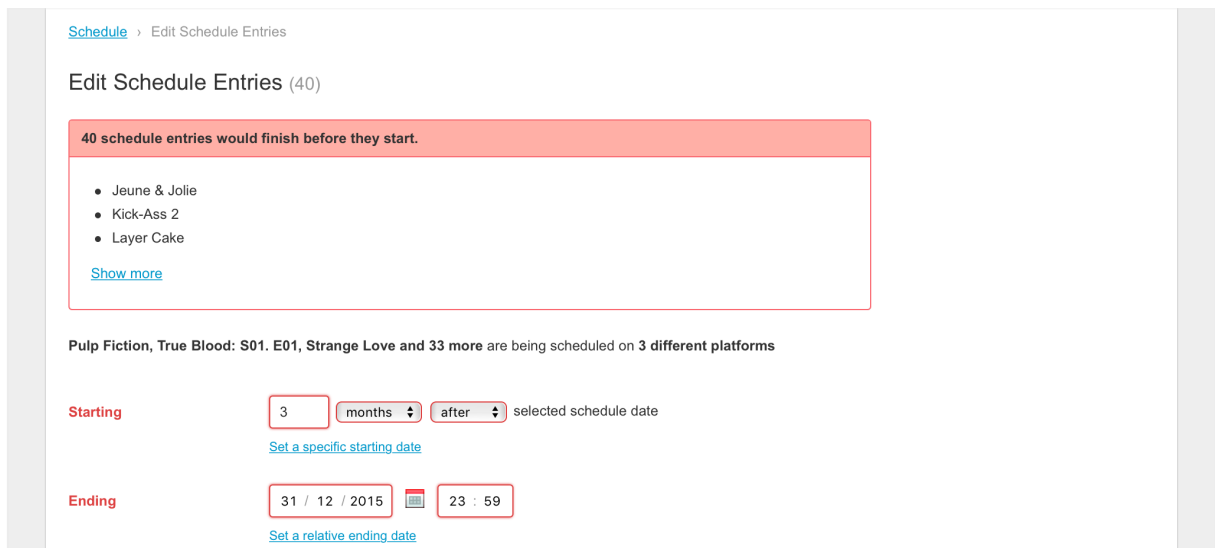
Starting
[Set a relative starting date](#)

Ending
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In this example you could set the *same* start date for all of the Schedule Entries, or a relative date based on their current values. *Nifty!*

When you make a bulk update you'll see the *Schedule Entries are being updated, results may not be up to date* message in the Schedule page, meaning that Movida is busily updating your Schedule Entries behind the scenes...

If you ask Movida to do something that **does not compute** then don't worry, bad things will not happen and you'll see something like this:



[Schedule](#) > Edit Schedule Entries

Edit Schedule Entries (40)

40 schedule entries would finish before they start.

- Jeune & Jolie
- Kick-Ass 2
- Layer Cake

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Pulp Fiction, True Blood: S01. E01, Strange Love and 33 more are being scheduled on 3 different platforms

Starting months selected schedule date
[Set a specific starting date](#)

Ending
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We have several more great features like this one in the works, so remember: keep those peepers peeled!