

Editing Rates and Availability - Hours

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To edit a Resource's Rates and Availability, select the Resource from the Resource List and click the "Rates and Availability" button.

1. The first screen to appear is the Rates and Availability Client Groups screen. From here, select the Client Rates Group for the desired Client and double click to open up their rates.

2. This displays the Rates and Availability screen. This is where the rates the Resource charges and when the Resource is available to work are stored. Each of the rates fields are explained below:

Day	In Call Out Fee	In Inc. Hours	In Hourly Rate	Out Call Out Fee	Out Inc. Hours	Out Hourly Rate
Sunday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Monday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Tuesday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Wednesday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Thursday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Friday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Saturday	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00
Bank Hol	£10.00	1.0	£10.00	£20.00	1.0	£20.00

Date Range is a drop down in which different date ranges can be selected. Different ranges can have different rates and Date Ranges can be added or edited using the "Edit" button next to the field.

Rate Actions is a drop down in which different rate groups can be selected. There are three Rate Actions that can be selected and they are "Reactive Attendance" - these rates are used on the scheduler and in the calculation of the Total Calculated Cost field upon stop job on a reactive work order, "Remote Fix" - these rates will apply when using the Agent Action of Remote Fix on a reactive work order and "Day Rates" - will apply when selecting "use day rate" on the scheduler. Each of these contain different sets of rates.

Update all days is a tick box that, when selected, tells the system to update all the days with the value that is entered. This reduces the need to duplicate data across multiple days.

Day is a non-editable column that display the days on the week (and a Bank Holiday field) in separate rows.

In Call Out Fee is a numerical column where the cost of calling out the Resource is entered. This can be different for each Day if applicable and applies to In Hours only.

In Inc. Hours is a numerical selection column where the number of included In Hours hours is entered. Select the amount of hours by using the increase and decrease arrows.

In Hourly Rate is a numerical column where the In Hours hourly rate is entered.

Out Call Out Fee is a numerical column where the cost of calling out the Resource is entered. This can be different for each Day if applicable and applies to Out of Hours only.

Out Inc. Hours is a numerical selection column where the number of included Out of Hours hours is entered. Select the amount of hours by using the increase and decrease arrows.

Out Hourly Rate is a numerical column where the Out of Hours hourly rate is entered.

Day Rate is a numerical column where the rates for working for whole days is entered.

3. Underneath the rates is the availability section. This is where the Resource's availability is recorded. To record this information there are three buttons: In-hours, Out of hours and Not avail. Use "In-hours" to record the times of the Resource's working hours, "Out of hours" to record the times when the Resource is out of their office working hours and "Not avail" when the Resource is not available at all.

Note: Each time block on the table is half an hour and starts from the time displayed above it. E.G. the 8:00 block starts at 8:00 and finishes at 8:30, the 8:30 block starts at 8:30 and finishes at 9:00 etc.

4. Next, enter the Work Order Types the rates will apply to. Click the "Edit..." button in the left column and select the Work Order Types from the list.

Next, the user will need to enter the Work Order Types the rates will apply to. To do this click the "Edit" button in the left column. The user will then be presented with three options.

Work Order Type Group clicking this option will present the user with the screen above, where the user can rename the work order type group

Work Order Types clicking this will allow the user to specify the work order types to be included in the rates set.

Sub Work Order Types clicking this will allow the user to specify the sub work order types to be included in the rates set. (This can only be selected if Work Order Types have been added)

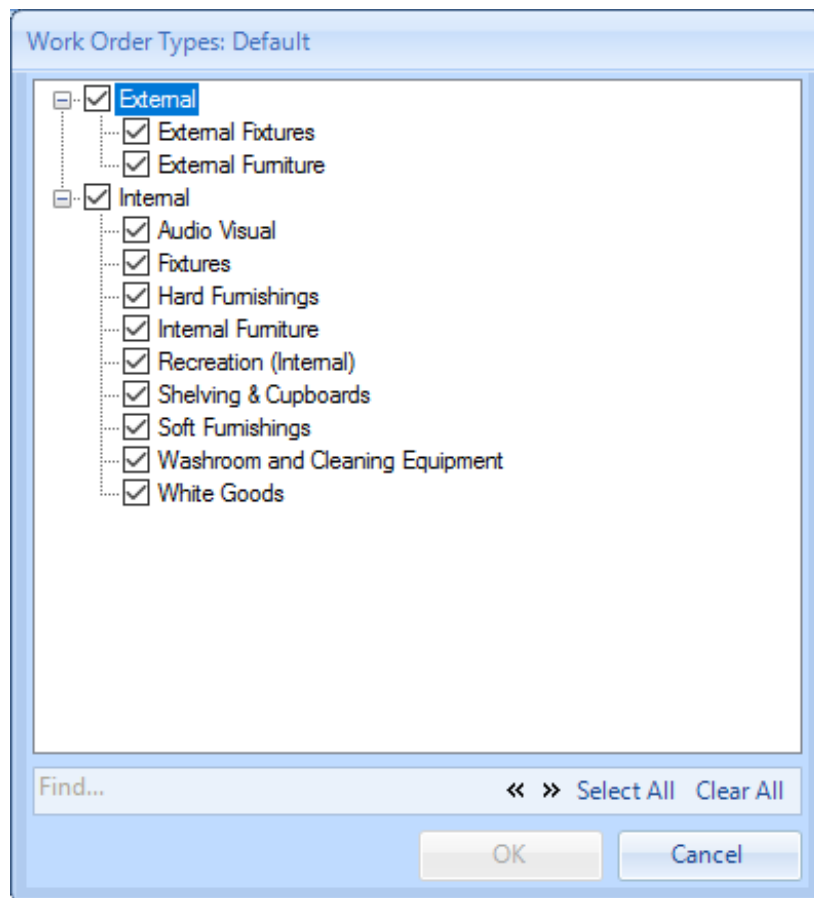
5. Work Order Types can be set by clicking on the "Work Order Types" dropdown from the "Edit" menu, this screen will then open:

Name	Is Inclusive
External	Yes
Internal	No

Here, the User can edit the relevant Work Order Types to the Work Order Type Group. Clicking the "Add" button will display a list of Work Order Types to add that can be added to the WO Type Group. Once selected, they appear in Edit Work Order Types window where there is one more option for the user to decide: whether these are Inclusive or not. This is controlled using the "Is Inclusive?" tick box which will determine if all Sub Work Order Types under the selected Work Order Types are included in the WO Type Group. Tick this to include them. If there Work Order Types that are no longer applicable to these Rates, these can be removed by selecting them and clicking "Delete".

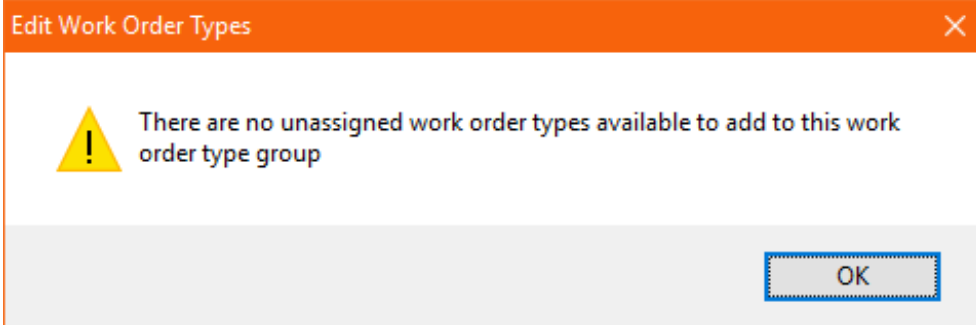
Click "OK" to confirm the changes.

6. To edit the Sub Work Order Types, select the Work Order Type Group and click "Edit" then "Sub Work Order Types" to display the Work Order Types screen for the selected Group.



Here, the User can select which Sub Work Order Types are applicable to this Rate Group. Tick the box against the required Sub Work Order Types to make sure they are added. If all Sub Work Order Types under a Work Order Type are applicable then ticking the Work Order Type will select all Sub Work Order Types under it. The User can also use the Select All and Clear All buttons to select all or clear the selection if needed. Once all the necessary Sub Work Order Types have been ticked, click "OK" to add them.

Note: If the "Is Inclusive?" tick box was ticked then the User will be shown this message when clicking "Edit" then "Sub Work Order Types":



7. Select the Work Order Types that these rates apply to and click "OK". The user can set up many rate groups that have differing rates applied down to Work Order Type. See the screen shots below for examples:

Rates for Lifts:

Rates And Availability (Demo 1)

Date Range: 07/07/2014 - 06/07/2015

Rate Actions: Reactive Attendance Update all days

Day	In Call Out Fee	In Inc. Hours	In Hourly Rate	Out Call Out Fee	Out Inc. Hours	Out Hourly Rate
Sunday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Monday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Tuesday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Wednesday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Thursday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Friday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Saturday	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00
Bank Hol	£10.00	0.0	£20.00	£20.00	0.0	£30.00

Legend: In-hours (Green), Out of hours (Red), Not avail (Grey)

OK Cancel

Rates for Security:

Rates And Availability (Demo 1)

Date Range: 07/07/2014 - 06/07/2015

Rate Actions: Reactive Attendance Update all days

Day	In Call Out Fee	In Inc. Hours	In Hourly Rate	Out Call Out Fee	Out Inc. Hours	Out Hourly Rate
Sunday	£30.00	0.0	£30.00	£40.00	0.0	£40.00
Monday	£30.00	0.0	£30.00	£40.00	0.0	£40.00
Tuesday	£30.00	0.0	£30.00	£40.00	0.0	£40.00
Wednesday	£30.00	0.0	£30.00	£40.00	0.0	£40.00
Thursday	£30.00	0.0	£30.00	£40.00	0.0	£40.00
Friday	£30.00	0.0	£30.00	£40.00	0.0	£40.00
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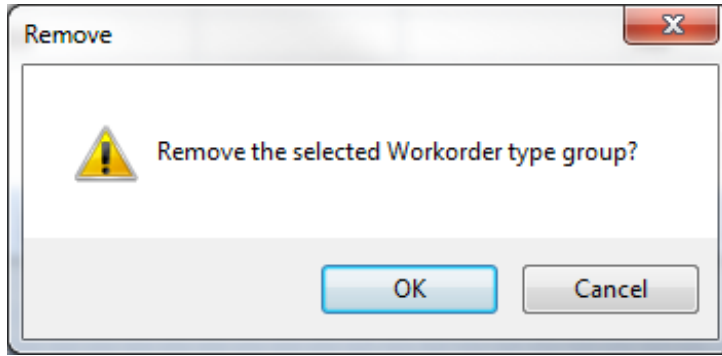
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OK Cancel

8. If the user wishes to remove a rate group as it is no longer relevant, this can be done by

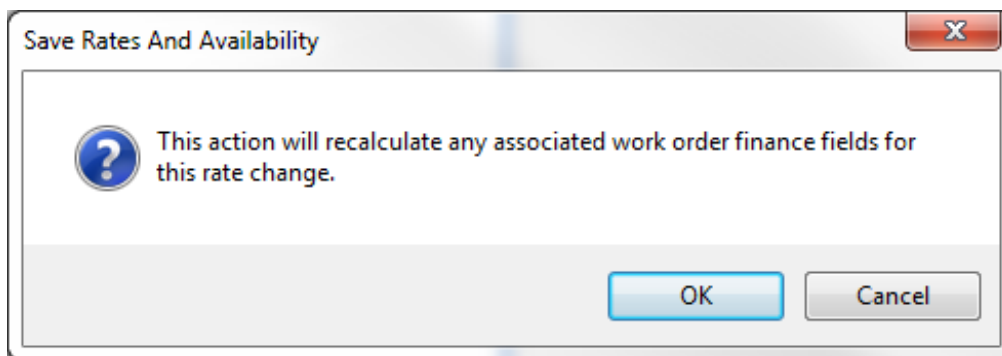
highlighting the group on the left hand side of the screen and clicking the "Remove" button.

9. The user will then receive this message:



10. Clicking "OK" will remove the highlighted rate group. Clicking "Cancel" will return the user to the previous screen.

11. Any of the above can be amended. Once any changes have been made click "OK" to save these changes. This message will be displayed:



12. Clicking "Cancel" will take the User back to the previous screen with no changes being saved. Clicking "OK" will recalculate any affected work orders.

Note: This will only apply to Reactive Work Orders that have had a Stop Job event.

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