Time Input – Duration Crib Sheet

Allow editing of the individual elements of a duration

1 Duration [15min 30sec]

2 Duration [15min 30sec]

3 Duration [15min 3 sec]

Allow the entry of time duration units either singly or in combination

Duration [30sec]

Duration [15min 30sec]

Support the optional entry of spaces within the duration input

Duration [15 min 30 sec]

Provide the facility for clarifying an ambiguous entry

Duration [6m]

Did you mean:

6 months   or   6 minutes ?

[5y 6m 7d 4hr]

Enter a duration using the following units: y = year, m = month, d = day, hr = hour, min = minutes, sec = seconds

Provide access to instructions on how to use the control

Spanning Time Zones

Where a duration spans the change between GMT and BST, show a pop-up to inform the user that the system will automatically adjust the data according to the appropriate time zone.

Start Date [27-Mar-2010]

Start Time [23:30]

Duration [2 hrs]

This duration spans the change from GMT to BST. BST runs from 28-Mar-2010 01:00 to 31-Oct-2010 02:00.

During BST, times will be automatically adjusted forward one hour such that 01:00 becomes 02:00.

Duration Abbreviations

+	For later dates	w	weeks	y	years
-	For earlier dates	d	days	m	months

Ensure that this minimal set of abbreviations is supported

Allow the set of duration abbreviations to be extended appropriately, for example 'hrs' as well as 'hr'.
Ensure that any additions are unique within the entire set

Follow guidance for **Date and Time Display**

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