EOM Feature

WBidMax knows when you have vacation, because the seniority list show the vacation weeks for both Pilots and Flight Attendants. However, if a vacation week starts in the first three days of the following month, it is possible that a trip in the current bid month will be affected by the next months' vacation.

As a result, WBidMax now has a "End of Month" (EOM) vacation correction feature for both Pilots and Flight Attendants. This feature is on the tool bar and is called "EOM". The "DRP" button works for "EOM" just as it does for "VAC".

Pilots

The "EOM" feature is only available if a Sunday falls on the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd of the next month.

Here are lines 6, 50, 51 for the July bid period with August as the follow on month.

Now, I've touched the "EOM" button to turn it on (orange).

As you can see, the trips at the end of the month that overlap into August are corrected for Vacation Predictions. (Pilots have predictions, Flight Attendants are actual).

If you touch the "DRP" button, the VDF will be dropped and your lines will be adjusted. The VDF predictions are flights that can be dropped for NO pay. Here are the lines with DRP on.

Flight Attendants

The FA "EOM" is slightly different. While Pilot vacations (almost) always start on Sunday, Flight Attendant vacations can start on any day. So when a Flight Attendant clicks the "EOM VAC" check box, the following dialog will appear.

If your vacation starts on the 1st, 2nd, or 3rd, just click the radio button, and then OK.

WBidMax will then make the EOM VAC corrections.

Here is the Modern View with the EOM button on.

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Summary	BidLine	Modern	Line No.	Pairing		OVR	VAC	DRP	EOM

1	ABC 113	TotPay 127.25 VacPay 0.00 FlyPay 127.25 Off 13 +Off 3	A14 A52 BWI PVD IND BWI	A12 AFK BWI BOS IND BWI	A12 ANY BWI HOU TPA BWI	A12 AWI BWI AUA IND BWI	A12 BWI	VDF	VA
2	ABC 112	TotPay 126.31 VacPay 0.00 FlyPay 126.31 Off 13 +Off 3	A12 A4P BWI MEM IND BWI	AE5 AGC BWI ISP PIT BWI	AE5 AO9 BWI GRR MSY BWI	A14 AWM BWI FLL DTW BWI	AE5 BWI	VDF	VA
3	ABC 216	TotPay 113.70 VacPay 0.00 FlyPay 113.70 Off 18 +Off 4	A5F SMF RDU BWI	AGM PDX PWN BWI	AOJ HOU ABQ BWI	AWM SAN RDU BWI		VDF	VA

If the color codes and designations (VDF, VA, VAP, VDB) do not make sense, be sure to read the Vacation Corrections Document.

The red VDF represent flights that will be pulled by schedule planning for NO pay. If you want to fly the VDF, you will need to call schedule planning so they don't pull the flights.

Here are the same lines with "Vac Drop" check box checked.

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Summary	BidLine	Modern	Line No.	Pairing		OVR	VAC	DRP	EOM

1	ABC 113	TotPay 119.55 VacPay 0.00 FlyPay 119.55 Off 14 +Off 3	A14 A52 BWI PVD IND BWI	A12 AFK BWI BOS IND BWI	A12 ANY BWI HOU TPA BWI	A12 AWI BWI AUA IND BWI	A12 BWI	VDF	VA
2	ABC 112	TotPay 118.42 VacPay 0.00 FlyPay 118.42 Off 14 +Off 3	A12 A4P BWI MEM IND BWI	AE5 AGC BWI ISP PIT BWI	AE5 AO9 BWI GRR MSY BWI	A14 AWM BWI FLL DTW BWI	AE5 BWI	VDF	VA
3	ABC 216	TotPay 105.40 VacPay 0.00 FlyPay 105.40 Off 19 +Off 5	A5F SMF RDU BWI	AGM PDX PWN BWI	AOJ HOU ABQ BWI	AWM SAN RDU BWI		VDF	VA

Final NOTE: none of the VA pay or VAP pay is reflected in the line, because that pay is in the next month. Also keep in mind, if you have an overlap problem when bidding the following month, it will affect the vacation pull.