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This KB article will provide step-by-step guidance regarding updating/modifying multiple Database entries at the same time within your own Kahootz site.

In order to modify rows within a Database, you require "modify" permissions, therefore, if you cannot follow these steps - [contact your Workspace Manager](#).

Open the Database and select all the rows you wish to modify by ticking/selecting each row's checkbox down the right-hand side as shown below.

5 entries

Entry ID	Name	#	
PBS1	Entry 1	101	<input type="checkbox"/>
PBS2	Entry 2	2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PBS3	Entry 3	303	<input type="checkbox"/>
PBS4	Entry 4	4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PBS5	Entry 5	5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			<input type="button" value="Modify"/> <input type="button" value="Delete"/>

As shown above, I've selected 3 rows to edit - for this example, I wish to change the single numbers in the (#) column to 3 digits to match the other values.

Click on the "modify" button at the bottom, next to the delete (be careful not to press the delete) button.

Modify Database Entries

Entry	Name	#
2	Entry 2	<input type="text" value="2"/>
4	Entry 4	<input type="text" value="4"/>
5	Entry 5	<input type="text" value="5"/>

Now change the individual values of the selected rows by entering the correct number into each field.


Entry	Name	#
2	Entry 2	<input type="text" value="202"/>
4	Entry 4	<input type="text" value="404"/>
5	Entry 5	<input type="text" value="505"/>

However, you may need to make a bulk change to a single value ie: change all entries from Company A to Company B instead.


Therefore, change the first value as shown in the screenshot below to Company B...

Entry	Name	#
2	Entry 2	<input type="text" value="Company B"/>
4	Entry 4	<input type="text" value="404"/>
5	Entry 5	<input type="text" value="505"/>

Now press the "copy this value to the entries below" button/icon as shown below...



Copy this value to the entries below


















The value has been copied to the entries below

Entry	Name	#
2	Entry 2	<input type="text" value="Company B"/>
4	Entry 4	<input type="text" value="Company B"/>
5	Entry 5	<input type="text" value="Company B"/>

As shown above, all the select entries now show the same bulk value across all the fields.

Press the "save" button.

All the selected rows will now be updated with your changes.

#				
101				<input type="checkbox"/>
202				<input type="checkbox"/>
303				<input type="checkbox"/>
404				<input type="checkbox"/>
505				<input type="checkbox"/>
Modify		Delete		