How do I change the format for the date and time in a report?

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- 1. Select the report, and copy it (using the Copy button).
- 2. Give the copied version a new name (double-click on the name and type the new one in).
- 3. With the **renamed** report selected, click the **Edit** button.
- 4. In the Report Editor, select the date **field** that you want to change (in the example below, the field is called [ReportEventStartDate]).



- 5. Under the Label Tasks section, look for Text Format String, and select the three dots to the right.
- 6. You'll see the window below open up.

FormatString Editor

Category	Types	
DateTime	dd/MM/yyyy	
Number	dd/MM/yy	
Percent	d/M/yy	
Currency	d.M.yy	
Special	уууу-MM-dd	
General	dd/MM/yyyy	Add
	Preview	
	05/04/2023	
Currency Special General	d.M.yy yyyy-MM-dd dd/MM/yyyy Preview 05/04/2023	Add

7. With the DateTime category selected on the left, click on Types on the right, and scroll to see different options.

OK

Cancel

- 8. The Preview window shows you how your choice will appear.
- 9. Once you're happy with your choice, click **OK** to save the new string.

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If you have more than one Date field in your report, you'll need to repeat this process.